

New Feature in Idaho Labor's JobScape Helps Connect Veterans to Jobs and Training



Enhancements to the Idaho Department of Labor's JobScape career search tool will help job seekers who have military experience find employment and training opportunities throughout Idaho.

The new military title and code search feature is particularly important to veterans, who, while gaining occupational skills training in the military, oftentimes struggle to connect their training to civilian jobs. Now when using JobScape, veterans can search by their previous military occupation title — sergeant, combat medic specialist, infantryman — or military occupation code — 11B, 1N111B, 00J — and find matched civilian jobs such as human resource managers, Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs), firefighters, police patrol officers, electricians or civil engineers.

Veterans will be able to find civilian occupations and current job openings that require the training they received while in the military, and if they would like to further their training, JobScape identifies available education and training programs throughout the state.

Launched in 2016, JobScape provides a snapshot of occupations in Idaho including a description, hourly and annual wages, the demand for workers, current employment numbers and annual job openings. Searches can be made statewide or by region.

Users also can view the number of certificates and degrees offered at Idaho's eight public postsecondary institutions related to an occupation and see the typical entry-level education required. Web links are provided to current job openings, educational and training programs and degree information for the state of Idaho.

JobScape ties into Idaho's labor exchange system, [IdahoWorks](#), by filtering job listings related to the user's interest area. Anyone can use JobScape without an account or log-in and it's tablet- and mobile-friendly.

Explore JobScape on the Idaho Department of Labor's website at labor.idaho.gov/jobscape.

