



Career Spotlight: Electricians

If you are thinking about becoming an Electrician as a career option, you have considered wisely! The need for electricians continues to increase and will do so for years to come. There is plenty of room for growth in the industry, as Electricians are in high demand with the increase in new construction, advancements in technology, and the movement towards alternative energy sources such as solar and wind.

Quick Facts: Electricians in the USA

Resource: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

2016 Median Annual Salary	\$56,650
2016 Median Hourly Rate	\$27.24
2016 Number of Jobs	607,120
2016-2022 Projected Outlook	20% growth
Education Requirements	High school diploma or equivalent
On-The-Job Training	Apprenticeship program

Quick Facts: Electricians in Minnesota

Resource: MN Dept. of Employment and Economic Development and U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

2016 Median Annual Salary	\$64,360
2016 Median Hourly Rate	\$30.94
2016 Number of Jobs	10,590
2016-2022 Projected Outlook	16% growth
Education Requirements	High school diploma or equivalent
On-The-Job Training	Apprenticeship program

Quick Facts: Electricians by State Region

(Projected through 2022)

Resource: MN Dept. of Employment and Economic Development

Location	2016 Median Annual Salary	2016 Number of Jobs
Twin Cities Metro	\$64,360	6,260
St. Cloud	\$47,830	580
Mankato	\$48,850	180
Rochester	\$63,180	520
Southeast MN	\$60,530	820
Northeast MN	\$59,650	290