

The U.S. Census Bureau is recruiting over 2.7 million people across the country to assist with the 2020 Census count. We are currently holding information events all over the country to answer questions about 2020 Census jobs and the hiring process. Reserve your place in history by applying now and ensuring in your community everyone is counted this year.

The Census has started peak recruiting efforts to hire over 500,000 census takers in 2020.

- Apply now at 2020census.gov/jobs to be added to the pool of applicants. Selection will begin in January and carry over into February.
- Experience is not required individuals will get paid training in whatever position they are selected for.
- We know from experience that some applicants will drop out of the process, so we need to recruit multiple applicants for every intended job offer.
- Submitting applications now gives you and us time to complete the process and the required background check before training begins.
- Qualifications to apply:
 - 18 years of age
 - Pass -Intern level security clearance
 - No resume, no interview, no hassle

Census takers provide the perfect opportunity for students, retirees and part-time or seasonal workers to earn some extra income while helping their community.

- Pay varies from \$13.50 to \$30 per hour, depending on where you live. The average in PA is \$16-\$22 per hour.
- The results of the 2020 Census will help determine each state's representatives in Congress as well as how public funds are spent for schools, hospitals, roads and more.
- As a Census taker, you'll know that you're earning competitive wages and serving your community in a way that will help for decades to come.
- These positions offer flexible hours, paid training and weekly paychecks that include .58 cents a mile for field positions.
- Census takers will go door to door to collect responses in person from households that fail to respond either online, by phone, or by mail.
- We are also looking for people whom are bilingual in languages other than English that can assist in communications and ensure everyone is counted.

The Census wants to hire people within their own communities.

- Most Census takers count people in person by going door to door.
- Some are counted in group living situations such as group homes, college dorms, nursing homes or assisted living.
- In some rural areas, census takers are the only way people can respond.
- In areas of natural disaster, census takers (instead of postal workers) are delivering information inviting households to respond to the census.

Census takers are essential to making sure everyone has access to the questionnaire and is counted.