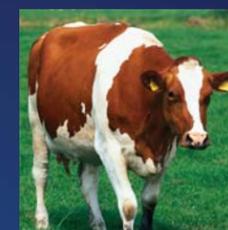


# AGRICULTURE & FOOD PRODUCTION (AFP)

## Lehigh Valley WIA



## For Today...

REQUIRES SHORT OR MODERATE-TERM ON-THE-JOB TRAINING	AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGE	AVERAGE ANNUAL OPENINGS
Cashiers	\$19,120	363
Laborers & Freight, Stock & Material Movers	\$30,640	263
Stock Clerks & Order Fillers	\$23,030	135
Packers & Packagers, Hand	\$31,560	99
Industrial Truck & Tractor Operators	\$35,360	74

## ...Tomorrow...

REQUIRES LONG-TERM TRAINING, POSTSECONDARY AWARD AND/OR ASSOCIATE DEGREE	AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGE	AVERAGE ANNUAL OPENINGS
Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	\$44,360	146
Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	\$38,690	89
Butchers & Meat Cutters	\$30,600	10
Veterinary Technologists & Technicians	\$33,500	5
Agricultural & Food Science Technicians	\$37,940	2

## ...and the Future

REQUIRES A BACHELOR'S DEGREE OR HIGHER	AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGE	AVERAGE ANNUAL OPENINGS
Veterinarians	\$116,010	7
Survey Researchers	\$37,410	7
Food Scientists & Technologists	\$67,480	3



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Occupations selected based on an analysis of the area's industry employment and staffing patterns.  
Average Annual Wages represent May 2013 cross-industry wages for the area.  
Average Annual Openings are all cross-industry and come from the 2012-2022 employment projections for the area.

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