**High Demand Graduate-level Occupations**

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<td>Health Care Related</td>
<td>Physical Therapists, Occupational Therapists, Veterinarians, Surgeons, Pharmacists</td>
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<td>Postsecondary Teachers</td>
<td>Art, Drama, and Music Teachers, English Language and Literature Teachers, Mathematical Science Teachers, Engineering Teachers</td>
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<td>Other Occupations</td>
<td>(Lawyers) *, Architects, Counselors</td>
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*NOTE: Demand for lawyers may reflect market churn; 70% of Florida J.D.s are produced by private institutions.*

Source: Department of Economic Opportunity.
Demand for Graduate and Professional Program Completers

79 occupations based upon Standard Occupational Code criteria:
- Predominately occupations that require some level of state licensing
- 27 Healthcare occupations (physician, allied healthcare, and faculty)
- 13 STEM occupations (primarily postsecondary faculty)
- 11 Counseling occupations (primarily psychology and social work)

Four occupations with the highest total projected openings by rank order:
1) Lawyers*
2) Physicians (all specialties) (require residency education beyond M.D.)
3) Pharmacists
4) Physical Therapists

Four fastest growing occupations by rank order:
1) Nurse Practitioners
2) Physical Therapists
3) Medical and Public Health Social Workers
4) Occupational Therapists

*Data may reflect labor market “churn.” Private institutions in Florida produce the most J.D.s.