

The following is the current (as at November 2005) list of occupations in demand for migration purposes.

MIGRATION OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND (MODL)

Professionals	ASCO code
Accountant	2211-11
Anaesthetist	2312-11
Chemical Engineer	2129-17
Civil Engineer	2124-11
Dental Specialist	2381-13
Dentist	2381-11
Dermatologist	2312-13
Emergency Medicine Specialist	2312-15
General Medical Practitioner	2311-11
Hospital Pharmacist	2382-11
Medical Diagnostic Radiographer	2391-11
Mining Engineer	2127-11
Nuclear Medicine Technologist	2391-15
Obstetrician and Gynaecologist	2312-17
Occupational Therapist	2383-11
Ophthalmologist	2312-19
Paediatrician	2312-21
Pathologist	2312-23
Petroleum Engineer	2127-13
Physiotherapist	2385-11
Podiatrist	2388-11
Psychiatrist	2312-27
Radiation Therapist	2391-13
Radiologist	2312-29
Registered Mental Health Nurse	2325-11
Registered Midwife	2324-11
Registered Nurse	2323-11
Retail Pharmacist	2382-15
Specialist Medical Practitioners (not elsewhere classified)	2312-79
Specialist Physician	2312-25
Speech Pathologist	2386-11
Sonographer	2391-17
Surgeon	2312-31

Associate Professionals	ASCO Code
Chef (excluding Commis Chef)	3322-11(part)

Trades Persons	ASCO codes
Automotive Electrician	4212-11
Bricklayer	4414-11
Cabinetmaker	4922-11
Carpenter and Joiner	4411-11
Cook	4513-11
Electrical Powerline Tradesperson	4313-11
Electrician (Special Class)	4311-13
Electronic Equipment Tradesperson	4315-11
Fibrous Plasterer	4412-11
Fitter	4112-11
Furniture Upholsterer	4942-11
General Electrician	4311-11
General Electronic Instrument-Tradesperson	4314-11
General Plumber	4431-11
Hairdresser	4931-11
Metal Fabricator (Boilermaker)	4122-11
Metal Machinist (First Class)	4112-13
Motor Mechanic	4211-11
Panel Beater	4213-11
Pastry Cook	4512-13
Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Mechanic	4312-11
Solid Plasterer	4415-11
Sheetmetal Worker (First Class)	4124-11
Toolmaker	4113-11
Vehicle Painter	4214-11
Welder (First Class)	4122-15

How often does the MODL change?

The MODL is reviewed twice a year to take into consideration existing and emerging skills shortages. This does not mean the list is changed twice a year. Changes only occur if there has been a significant change in labour market trends.

As the MODL may change from time to time, you are advised to check the current MODL at the time you are lodging your visa application. You should also be aware that your occupation must be on the MODL at the time your application is assessed in order to be awarded 'occupation in demand/ job offer' points on the General Skilled Migration points test.