

What Can I do with a major in ***Biology?***

Biology majors have job opportunities in an expanding market that includes private industry, education, and government. They might work in commercial research, development laboratories, forensics laboratories, basic research laboratories in universities and hospitals, regulatory government agencies, and education.

In addition, many biology graduates continue their studies in graduate, medical, dental, veterinary, and other professional schools. Biology majors can pursue pre-med programs, which include the basic courses required for admission to medical school, normally completed in the first two years of the program.

A Sample of Related Career Opportunities:

Agronomist	Animal Scientist	Aquatic Biologist
Bio-Engineer	Biochemist	Coroner
Ecologist	Science Laboratory Technician	Technical Writer
Health Officer	Environmental Health Specialist	Environmental Protection Worker
Ergonomist	Florist	Marine Engineering Technician
Marine Biologist	Market Research Analyst	Medical Illustrator
Medical Librarian	Medical Laboratory Technician	Hospital Administrator
Public Health Worker	Medical Technologist	Paramedic
Science Writer/Illustrator	Toxicologist	Pharmaceutical Salesperson

Types of Employers:

Private and Non-profit Organizations

Medical and hospital clinics	Food Processing Companies
Industrial Firms	Private or hospital diagnostic laboratories
Pharmaceutical Companies	Biotechnology Companies
Colleges and Universities	Zoos, Aquariums, Wildlife Reserves

Government Agencies

Occupational Safety and Health Administration	Public Health Service
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services	Food and Drug Administration
State and U.S. Environmental Protection Agencies	State Health Departments

Links for Biology Majors

Medzilla: <http://www.medzilla.com>

Careers in Biology: <http://www.sicb.org/cib/>

Science Jobs: <http://www.science-jobs.org/>

The American Institute for Biological Sciences: www.aibs.org

Occupational Outlook Handbook: <http://www.bls.gov/oco>

Bio Online Career Center: <http://www.bio.com/jobs/>

Science Careers: <http://recruit.sciencemag.org/>

Health Management Careers: <http://www.healthmanagementcareers.org>

BioSpace: <http://www.biospace.com>

MonsterTRAK: <http://www.monstertrak.com>