CAREER PATHWAY: ACTUARY

What do they do? Analyze statistical data, such as mortality, accident, sickness, disability, and retirement rates and construct probability tables to forecast risk and liability for payment of future benefits. May ascertain premium rates required and cash reserves necessary to ensure payment of future benefits.

People with these roles and responsibilities are also called: Actuary, Actuarial Analyst, Pricing Actuary, Product Development Actuary, Actuarial Assistant, Actuarial Associate, Actuarial Consultant, Consulting Actuary, Health Actuary, Pricing Analyst

Some typical job duties include:
- Ascertain premium rates required and cash reserves and liabilities necessary to ensure payment of future benefits.
- Design, review and help administer insurance, annuity and pension plans, determining financial soundness and calculating premiums.
- Analyze statistical information to estimate mortality, accident, sickness, disability, and retirement rates.
- Provide expertise to help financial institutions manage risks and maximize returns associated with investment products or credit offerings.

HOW MUCH DO THESE JOBS PAY IN OHIO?

AVERAGE: $94,070

CAREER PATHWAY AND EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Specialist ($30,000–$75,000)
Entry-Level Actuary
Associate-Level Actuary
Fellowship-Level Actuary

REQUIRED FOR ENTRY/ADVANCEMENT:
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CERTIFICATIONS THAT CAN HELP YOU ADVANCE: Associate in the Casualty Actuarial Society (ACAS) Society of Actuaries Fellow of the Society of Actuaries (ASA) Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society (FCAS) Casualty Actuarial Society

MOST IMPORTANT OCCUPATIONAL SKILLS

Basic Skills: Mathematical, Critical Thinking, Reading Comprehension
Social Skills: Social Perceptiveness, Coordination, Persuasion
Problem Solving Skills: Complex Problem Solving
Technical Skills: Operations Analysis, Programming
System Skills: Judgment and Decision Making, Systems Analysis, Systems Evaluation

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