

OFFICE OF FOREIGN LABOR CERTIFICATION

H-2B Temporary Non-Agricultural Program –
Selected Statistics, Fiscal Year (FY) 2026 Q1

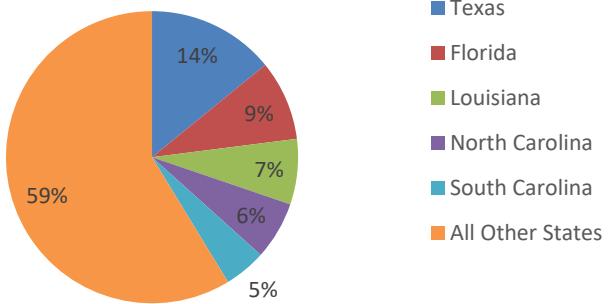
Applications Received¹

FY 26	Q1 (Oct-Dec)	Q2 (Jan-Mar)	Q3 (Apr-Jun)	Q4 (Jul-Sept)	% Change from FY 2025
3,187	3,187	--	--	--	10.0%

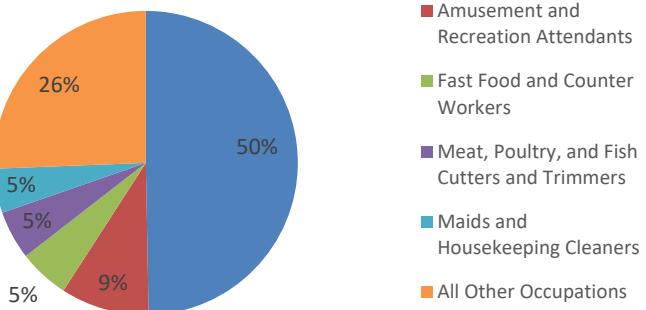
Applications Processed²

Determinations	FY 26	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Total Processed	1,827	1,827	--	--	--
- Certified	1,615	1,615	--	--	--
- Denied	94	94	--	--	--
- Withdrawn	101	101	--	--	--
- Rejected	17	17	--	--	--
Positions Requested	43,317	43,317	--	--	--
Positions Certified	39,299	39,299	--	--	--
Processed Timely ²	82.5%	82.5%	--	--	--

Top States



Top Occupations



¹Includes all applications submitted for processing during the reporting period.

²Percent of applications processed no later than 30 days before the start date of need.

³All calculations are aggregated based on the unique FEIN submitted by the employer. Multiple appearances of the same employer name may occur when associated with multiple FEINs.

Review of Positions Certified FY 2026
(% of total certified FY 2026)

Top 10 States of Employment	Texas	5,548	14.1%
	Florida	3,485	8.9%
	Louisiana	2,846	7.2%
	North Carolina	2,526	6.4%
	South Carolina	1,823	4.6%
	Missouri	1,798	4.6%
	Pennsylvania	1,623	4.1%
	Oregon	1,487	3.8%
	Ohio	1,421	3.6%
	Georgia	1,348	3.4%
Top 10 Occupations (based on SOC Codes)	Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	19,534	49.7%
	Amusement and Recreation Attendants	3,698	9.4%
	Fast Food and Counter Workers	2,114	5.4%
	Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers	2,037	5.2%
	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	1,850	4.7%
	Forest and Conservation Workers	1,701	4.3%
	Cooks, Fast Food	1,075	2.7%
	Tree Trimmers and Pruners	956	2.4%
	Cooks, Short Order	688	1.8%
	Cooks, Restaurant	639	1.6%
Top 10 Employers ³ (based on unique FEINs)	ABC Professional Tree Services, Inc.	832	2.1%
	Triple H Services, LLC	662	1.7%
	Yellowstone Landscape - Central	650	1.7%
	Landscape Workshop LLC	631	1.6%
	Yellowstone Landscape – Southeast	505	1.3%
	Ruppert Landscape, LLC	427	1.1%
	LandCare USA LLC	387	1.0%
	Butler Amusements, Inc.	352	0.9%
	Ray Cammack Shows, Inc.	350	0.9%
	Highland Turf Solutions	335	0.9%