The Changing U.S. Job Market

I. 2 Qs lec. will answer:

A. _____

B. How can I prepare to get good jobs?

II. job market change: from __ manuf. ____ to __ serv. _____ econ.

A. Definitions:

1. ___ manuf. econ. = people make things _____

e.g. _____

2. _____

e.g. ___ cut hair, fix shoes, sell comp., pilot, doctor, rest. worker

III. Reasons for ↓ in manuf. jobs

A. __ foreign competition _____

B. _____

1. Stat: _____ since 2000

2. __ trend will cont. _____

IV. _____

A. Stat: _____

V. Fastest growing serv. jobs

A. _____

1. e.g. _ med asst., physician asst., physical therapist, home-care aide

2. Stat: _____

3. Reasons: ____ people live longer/people with illness need med. help

B. _____

1. e.g. __ create software, network security, design & manage comp. syst.

2. Stat: _____

C. _____

1. e.g. _____

2. Reasons: fam. & bus. concerned about environ./cost for solar, wind cheaper

VI. Educ. req. for good jobs: _____

automation 6 mil. manuf. jobs gone comp. jobs ⇧ 30% in next 10 yrs.

What are best jobs? green technology make cars, furniture, clothes

health-care jobs ⇧ 10 mil. in next 10 yrs. serv. econ. = people do things,

college, vocational training computers health care ⇧ serv. jobs

solar panel installer, wind turbine tech., bike repairer ⇧ 30 mil. in next 10 yrs.

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