

BUFFALO CONVENTION CENTER

(effective 1/1/2026 – 12/31/2026)

ADDITIONAL SERVICE FEES

SECURITY SERVICES

Terms: Minimum 4-hour shift required. Holiday and specialty services are extra. 72 Hour Notice required security changes, add and deletions.

Uniformed	\$32	per hour
Uniformed Supervisor	\$34	per hour
Armed	\$45	per hour
Suit	\$34	per hour
Suit Supervisor	\$34	per hour
Supervisor	\$55	per hour
Evolv Staff (3 staff)	\$115	per hour

** Note: The BCC has a recognized and authorized Security company familiar with our facility and our policies. Clients may choose to hire their own Security forces for their events, but the BCC will require proof of Liability, Workers Compensation, a waiver releasing the BCC for liability and NYS Disability Insurance coverage. The BCC General Manager must approve all event staffing levels and any outside security companies.*

EMERGENCY MEDICAL PERSONNEL

Terms: 4-hour minimum shift; additional cost for holidays and shifts in excess of 8 hours.

Emergency Medical Technician	\$59	per hour
Paramedic	\$90	per hour
Supervisor	\$90	per hour
BLS Ambulance with Crew (EMT)	\$140	per hour*
ALS Ambulance with Crew (Paramedic)	\$185	per hour*

* Rental of ambulance includes the services of (2) medical personnel

* An ambulance is required whenever it is estimated that 5,000 or more persons will be in occupancy (includes attendees, convention center promoters, participants and facility staff)

* The BCC reserves the right to determine staffing levels and event EMT requirements.

GARBAGE / DUMPSTER CHARGES

The Buffalo Convention Center charges a fee for dumpster rental and garbage removal. These charges vary according to type of event, length of event, the type of debris generated and its weight. To avoid any misunderstanding, please discuss these fees with your Event Service Manager prior to your event.

EQUIPMENT RENTALS

Terms: Requires certified, OSHA approved personnel to operate. The Buffalo Convention Center can offer Certified Staff to meet your needs.

FORKLIFT: \$275 per event PLUS, if applicable,
\$50 per hour (BNCC Operator), 2 hour minimum charge

HIGH LIFT: \$375 per event, PLUS, if applicable
\$65 per hour (BNCC Operator), 2-hour minimum charge

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IN HOUSE STAFF SERVICE FEES

In an effort to assist our clients with their event needs, a variety of services are available directly from our in-house staff, at the following hourly billing rates. Overtime is applicable to any shift in which time worked occurs on a designated holiday.

BUILDING SERVICES

RATE OF PAY	REGULAR	OVERTIME	COMMENTS
Engineer - Lead	\$50.00	\$72.00	plus materials & supplies, if applicable
Engineer - additional	\$45.00	\$62.00	
Electrician	\$45.00	\$62.00	plus materials & supplies, if applicable
Show Electrician	\$88.00	\$130.00	
Rigging	\$150.00		6 hour minimum to include (1) up & (1) down

MAINTENANCE & JANITORIAL

RATE OF PAY	REGULAR	OVERTIME	COMMENTS
Maintenance Worker- Lead	\$38.00	\$50.00	
Maintenance Worker- Reg	\$36.00	\$48.00	
Cleaning Person	\$32.00	\$45.00	

EQUIPMENT OPERATORS

RATE OF PAY	REGULAR	OVERTIME	COMMENTS
Fork Lift Operator	\$50.00	\$64.00	PLUS Equip Rental, 2 hour minimum
Boom Lift Operator	\$65.00	\$74.00	PLUS Equip Rental, 2 hour minimum

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LOADING DOCK PERSONNEL & GENERAL LABORER

RATE OF PAY	REGULAR	OVERTIME	COMMENTS
Dock -Lead	\$42.00	\$59.00	
Dock Security-Basic	\$23.00	\$39.00	
General Laborer	\$36.00	\$48.00	

ADMINISTRATIVE

RATE OF PAY	REGULAR	OVERTIME	COMMENTS
Lobby Receptionist	\$28.00	\$39.00	4 hour minimum
Cash Control & Count	\$41.00	\$53.00	4 hour minimum

FOOD & BEVERAGE SERVICES

RATE OF PAY	REGULAR	OVERTIME	COMMENTS
Waitress/Waiter	\$24.00	\$30.00	PLUS GRATUITY, 4 hour minimum
Bartender	\$26.00	\$34.00	PLUS GRATUITY, 4 hour minimum
Bar Back	\$22.00	\$30.00	PLUS GRATUITY, 4 hour minimum
Concession Worker	\$24.00	\$30.00	All food and beverage service is based on a minimum of \$400 in sales for a 4 hour period. If the charges fall below the minimum, an additional labor charge of \$150 will be charged
Chef's Asst/Pantry Worker	\$28.00	\$38.00	4 hour minimum
Dishwasher	\$24.00	\$30.00	4 hour minimum

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COAT CHECK & TICKET TAKERS

RATE OF PAY	REGULAR	OVERTIME	COMMENTS
Coat Check - Lead Person	\$22.00	\$30.00	4 hour minimum
Coat Check - Add'l Person	\$20.00	\$26.00	4 hour minimum
Ticket Takers/Scanner	\$18.00		4 hour minimum
Ticket Sellers	\$19.00		4 hour minimum

** Additional costs are applicable when desired shift falls on a recognized Convention Center holiday*