

**Overview of the CareerSource Broward Region**  
**Not Seasonally Adjusted**  
**June 20, 2025**

- The unemployment rate in the CareerSource Broward region (Broward County) was 3.3 percent in May 2025. This rate was 0.4 percentage point greater than the region's year ago rate of 2.9 percent. The region's May 2025 unemployment rate was 0.2 percentage point lower than the state rate of 3.5 percent. The labor force was 1,086,514, up 3,441 (+0.3 percent) over the year. There were 35,534 unemployed residents in the region.

**Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise Metro Division**

- In May 2025, nonagricultural employment in the Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise MD was 936,500, an increase of 9,800 jobs (+1.1 percent) over the year.
- The Other Services (+3.8 percent); Leisure and Hospitality (+2.0 percent); Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (+1.9 percent); Government (+1.9 percent); Manufacturing (+1.6 percent); and Financial Activities (+0.9 percent) industries grew faster in the metro area than statewide over the year.
- The Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise MD had the fastest annual job growth rate compared to all the metro areas in the state in the Other Services (+3.8 percent) industry.
- The Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise MD had the second highest annual job growth compared to all the metro areas in the state in the Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (+3,800 jobs); Government (+2,100 jobs); and Other Services (+1,400 jobs) industries.
- The Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise MD had the third highest annual job growth compared to all the metro areas in the state in the Financial Activities (+700 jobs) industry.
- The industries gaining jobs over the year were Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (+3,800 jobs); Government (+2,100 jobs); Leisure and Hospitality (+2,000 jobs); Other Services (+1,400 jobs); Professional and Business Services (+900 jobs); Financial Activities (+700 jobs); and Manufacturing (+500 jobs).
- The industries losing jobs over the year were Construction (-1,000 jobs); Information (-500 jobs); and Education and Health Services (-100 jobs).

Note: All data are subject to revision.

Source: Florida Department of Commerce, Bureau of Workforce Statistics and Economic Research.

<b>Unemployment Rates</b>			
<b>(not seasonally adjusted)</b>	<b>May-25</b>	<b>Apr-25</b>	<b>May-24</b>
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	3.3%	3.2%	2.9%
Florida	3.5%	3.5%	3.1%
United States	4.0%	3.9%	3.7%

<b>Nonagricultural Employment by Industry</b> <b>(not seasonally adjusted)</b>	<b>Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metropolitan Division</b>				<b>Florida</b>			
	<b>May-25</b>	<b>May-24</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>	<b>May-25</b>	<b>May-24</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>
Total Employment	936,500	926,700	9,800	1.1	10,088,400	9,948,100	140,300	1.4
Mining and Logging	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	5,700	5,700	0	0.0
Construction	53,800	54,800	-1,000	-1.8	655,500	650,200	5,300	0.8
Manufacturing	32,400	31,900	500	1.6	434,400	428,800	5,600	1.3
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	206,700	202,900	3,800	1.9	2,007,900	1,978,400	29,500	1.5
Wholesale Trade	56,300	53,600	2,700	5.0	403,700	396,800	6,900	1.7
Retail Trade	109,200	107,200	2,000	1.9	1,164,200	1,151,600	12,600	1.1
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	41,200	42,100	-900	-2.1	440,000	430,000	10,000	2.3
Information	19,500	20,000	-500	-2.5	158,000	155,900	2,100	1.3
Financial Activities	74,500	73,800	700	0.9	688,300	686,300	2,000	0.3
Professional and Business Services	173,900	173,000	900	0.5	1,641,400	1,622,800	18,600	1.1
Education and Health Services	123,400	123,500	-100	-0.1	1,571,500	1,529,600	41,900	2.7
Leisure and Hospitality	102,400	100,400	2,000	2.0	1,359,200	1,346,500	12,700	0.9
Other Services	38,300	36,900	1,400	3.8	389,200	381,200	8,000	2.1
Government	111,500	109,400	2,100	1.9	1,177,300	1,162,700	14,600	1.3

<b>Population</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	2,037,472	2,002,786	34,686	1.7
Florida	23,372,215	22,904,868	467,347	2.0

<b>Average Annual Wage</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	\$71,492	\$69,239	\$2,253	3.3
Florida	\$69,492	\$66,447	\$3,045	4.6

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