



Construction Industry

A **PRIORITY SECTOR** in Broward County



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The construction industry cluster in Broward County is made up of economic sectors such as residential building construction, plumbing, roofing, land subdivision control, street and highway maintenance, bridge repairs, solar panel installation and more.



60,434
People
employed



\$51,500
Average annual
wage in Broward



6,161
Number of
businesses



How do I start my career?

Do some research

- Visit careersourcebroward.com/construction to explore which occupations align with your interests, see a behind-the-scenes peek at what a career looks like and access additional industry-related resources.

Expand your network

- Use social media tools like LinkedIn to network with professionals. Request an informational interview to ask people about their career path, education and job responsibilities.
- Attend an event hosted by an industry organization like the **Construction Association of South Florida**.

Get training

- Explore opportunities at a state college or university near you. You might consider the following:
 - **Broward College:** Building Construction Specialist Certificate, Building Construction Technology A.S. Degree
 - **Atlantic Technical College:** Electricity Certificate, Welding Technology Certificate
 - **South Florida Academy of Air Conditioning:** HVAC Residential & Lt. Commercial Tech. Certificate
- Scholarships are available for career training and education.
 - For a full list of approved training programs in the Aviation industry, visit www.careersourcebroward.com.

Approved Training Programs



Construction info

Subsectors

- Building Equipment Contractors
- Building Finishing Contractors
- Foundation, Structure, and Building Exterior Contractors
- Residential Building Construction
- Other Specialty Trade Contractors
- Nonresidential Building Construction
- Utility System Construction
- Highway, Street, and Bridge Construction
- Other Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction
- Land Subdivision

Learn more at:

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What can I do?

sample occupations









 Associate's degree
  Certificate
  High school diploma

Educational levels are typical for each occupation, but various employers may have slightly higher or lower minimum requirements.

FOUND PRIMARILY IN THIS SECTOR

Occupation	Employed 2019 ¹	Annual Average Wage	Typical entry-level education
First-line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	3,631	\$68,100	
Electricians	3,752	\$45,600	
Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	2,725	\$45,300	
Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	1,081	\$42,600	
Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers	2,371	\$42,300	
Carpenters	6,167	\$41,500	
Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	962	\$37,800	N/A

COMMON IN THIS AND OTHER SECTORS

Occupation	Employed 2019 ¹	Annual Average Wage	Typical entry-level education
Sales Representatives, Services, All Other	783	\$65,100	
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	261	\$58,300	
Real Estate Sales Agents	304	\$55,600	
Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants	110	\$54,900	
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	970	\$44,200	
Customer Service Representatives	229	\$37,200	
Light Truck or Delivery Services Driver	109	\$36,400	
Office Clerks, General	1,742	\$35,700	

¹ Number employed in this industry group

Occupations primarily found are predicted to have high growth and a high number of annual job openings in Broward County over the next five years.

Where can I work?

sample employers

Moss & Associates ESTABLISHED: 2004	Moss is a national construction management company providing innovative solutions resulting in award-winning projects across the United States. As one of the Southeast's largest privately held general contractors, the company provides a variety of services, including design/build, general construction, pre-construction consulting for commercial, institutional and residential projects and more.
Stiles Coporation ESTABLISHED: 1951	Stiles Corporation is a full-service commercial real estate firm specializing in construction, tenant project management, brokerage, architecture, acquisitions and more. Stiles has been recognized for constructing more than 48 million square feet of award-winning office, industrial, retail, and mixed-use properties.
Current Builders ESTABLISHED: 1972	To date, Current Builders has successfully built over 40,000 multi-family units, 15 million square feet of office/industrial space and 250,000 square feet of retail. From student living to community centers to luxury auto vaults, the company's portfolio is comprehensive and featur all building types.
Straticon Construction ESTABLISHED: 1991	For nearly 30 years, Straticon Construction has delivered more than 280 premium construction projects to a diverse group of partners. Construction projects include commercial, marinas, multi-family use, condominiums, country clubs, historic renovations and much more.