

Overview of the CareerSource Broward Region
Not Seasonally Adjusted
January 20, 2023

- The unemployment rate in the CareerSource Broward region (Broward County) was 2.2 percent in December 2022. This rate was 0.9 percentage point lower than the region's year ago rate of 3.1 percent. The region's December 2022 unemployment rate was equal to the state rate of 2.2 percent. The labor force was 1,066,747, up 29,376 (+2.8 percent) over the year. There were 23,192 unemployed residents in the region.

Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metro Division

- In December 2022, nonagricultural employment in the Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD was 901,000, an increase of 32,900 jobs (+3.8 percent) over the year.
- The Other Services (+9.8 percent) and Professional and Business Services (+5.0 percent) industries grew faster in the metro area than statewide over the year.
- The Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD had the second highest annual job growth compared to all the metro areas in the state in the Professional and Business Services (+8,100 jobs) and Construction (+1,600 jobs) industries.
- The Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD was tied for the second highest annual job growth compared to all the metro areas in the state in the Information (+200 jobs) industry.
- The Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD had the second fastest annual job growth rate compared to all the metro areas in the state in the Construction (+3.3 percent) industry.
- The Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD had the third highest annual job growth compared to all the metro areas in the state in the Other Services (+3,200 jobs) and Financial Activities (+1,800 jobs) industries.
- The Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD had the third fastest annual job growth rate compared to all the metro areas in the state in the Professional and Business Services (+5.0 percent) industry.
- The Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD was tied for the third fastest annual job growth rate compared to all the metro areas in the state in the Other Services (+9.8 percent) industry.
- The industries gaining jobs over the year were Professional and Business Services (+8,100 jobs); Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (+6,500 jobs); Leisure and Hospitality (+5,900 jobs); Education and Health Services (+4,200 jobs); Other Services (+3,200 jobs); Financial Activities

Note: All data are subject to revision.

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

(+1,800 jobs); Construction (+1,600 jobs); Manufacturing (+800 jobs); Government (+600 jobs); and Information (+200 jobs).

- No industries lost jobs over the year.

Unemployment Rates			
(not seasonally adjusted)	Dec-22	Nov-22	Dec-21
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	2.2%	2.5%	3.1%
Florida	2.2%	3.5%	2.9%
United States	3.3%	4.4%	3.7%

Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (not seasonally adjusted)	Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metropolitan Division				Florida			
	Dec-22	Dec-21	change	percent change	Dec-22	Dec-21	change	percent change
Total Employment	901,000	868,100	32,900	3.8	9,669,100	9,233,700	435,400	4.7
Mining and Logging	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	5,400	5,200	200	3.8
Construction	50,600	49,000	1,600	3.3	606,300	580,700	25,600	4.4
Manufacturing	29,500	28,700	800	2.8	423,500	396,800	26,700	6.7
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	208,200	201,700	6,500	3.2	2,020,000	1,942,100	77,900	4.0
Wholesale Trade	51,800	51,000	800	1.6	389,800	364,200	25,600	7.0
Retail Trade	113,800	110,800	3,000	2.7	1,185,100	1,151,800	33,300	2.9
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	42,600	39,900	2,700	6.8	445,100	426,100	19,000	4.5
Information	21,700	21,500	200	0.9	152,300	144,100	8,200	5.7
Financial Activities	68,600	66,800	1,800	2.7	668,300	642,100	26,200	4.1
Professional and Business Services	169,800	161,700	8,100	5.0	1,558,500	1,509,500	49,000	3.2
Education and Health Services	118,400	114,200	4,200	3.7	1,445,200	1,359,300	85,900	6.3
Leisure and Hospitality	94,400	88,500	5,900	6.7	1,289,500	1,199,400	90,100	7.5
Other Services	35,900	32,700	3,200	9.8	373,900	344,000	29,900	8.7
Government	103,800	103,200	600	0.6	1,126,200	1,110,500	15,700	1.4

Population	2021	2020	change	percent change
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	1,930,983	1,941,516	-10,533	-0.5
Florida	21,781,128	21,569,932	211,196	1.0

Average Annual Wage	2021	2020	change	percent change
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	\$63,542	\$59,009	\$4,533	7.7
Florida	\$60,299	\$55,840	\$4,459	8.0

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