

**Overview of the CareerSource Broward Region  
Not Seasonally Adjusted  
April 15, 2022**

- The unemployment rate in the CareerSource Broward region (Broward County) was 2.8 percent in March 2022. This rate was 2.8 percentage points lower than the region's year ago rate of 5.6 percent. The region's March 2022 unemployment rate was 0.1 percentage point above the state rate of 2.7 percent. The labor force was 1,039,821, up 26,573 (+2.6 percent) over the year. There were 28,807 unemployed residents in the region.
- In March 2022 nonagricultural employment in the Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metro Division was 864,000, an increase of 33,900 jobs (+4.1 percent) over the year.
- The information (+9.7 percent) and government (+0.4 percent) industries grew faster in the metro area than statewide over the year.
- The Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metro Division had the second highest annual job growth compared to all the metro areas in the state in information (+1,900 jobs).
- The Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metro Division was tied for the third highest annual job growth compared to all the metro areas in the state in other services (+1,400 jobs).
- The industries gaining in jobs over the year were leisure and hospitality (+9,800 jobs); trade, transportation, and utilities (+9,100 jobs); professional and business services (+6,400 jobs); financial activities (+2,900 jobs); information (+1,900 jobs); manufacturing (+1,500 jobs); other services (+1,400 jobs); construction (+900 jobs); and government (+400 jobs).
- The education and health services industry (-400 jobs) lost jobs over the year.

Note: All data are subject to revision.

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

<b>Unemployment Rates (not seasonally adjusted)</b>	<b>Mar-22</b>	<b>Feb-22</b>	<b>Mar-21</b>
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	2.8%	3.2%	5.6%
Florida	2.7%	3.1%	5.3%
United States	3.8%	4.1%	6.2%

<b>Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (not seasonally adjusted)</b>	<b>Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metropolitan Division</b>				<b>Florida</b>			
	<b>Mar-22</b>	<b>Mar-21</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>	<b>Mar-22</b>	<b>Mar-21</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>
Total Employment	864,000	830,100	33,900	4.1	9,281,500	8,780,100	501,400	5.7
Mining and Logging	NA	NA	NA	NA	5,200	5,400	-200	-3.7
Construction	49,600	48,700	900	1.8	587,800	573,500	14,300	2.5
Manufacturing	29,100	27,600	1,500	5.4	407,200	384,800	22,400	5.8
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	198,700	189,600	9,100	4.8	1,922,200	1,806,300	115,900	6.4
Wholesale Trade	52,100	50,300	1,800	3.6	373,000	351,000	22,000	6.3
Retail Trade	108,100	104,600	3,500	3.3	1,140,800	1,079,200	61,600	5.7
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utiliti	38,500	34,700	3,800	11.0	408,400	376,100	32,300	8.6
Information	21,400	19,500	1,900	9.7	145,600	134,000	11,600	8.7
Financial Activities	67,100	64,200	2,900	4.5	645,300	610,400	34,900	5.7
Professional and Business Services	161,300	154,900	6,400	4.1	1,521,800	1,418,100	103,700	7.3
Education and Health Services	109,900	110,300	-400	-0.4	1,361,300	1,335,700	25,600	1.9
Leisure and Hospitality	90,800	81,000	9,800	12.1	1,226,800	1,072,200	154,600	14.4
Other Services	33,200	31,800	1,400	4.4	346,300	328,100	18,200	5.5
Government	102,800	102,400	400	0.4	1,112,000	1,111,600	400	0.0

<b>Population</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	1,958,105	1,955,475	2,630	0.1
Florida	21,733,312	21,492,056	241,256	1.1

<b>Average Annual Wage</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	\$59,018	\$54,646	\$4,372	8.0
Florida	\$55,845	\$51,744	\$4,101	7.9

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