

Overview of the CareerSource Broward Region
Not Seasonally Adjusted
November 18, 2022

- The unemployment rate in the CareerSource Broward region (Broward County) was 2.6 percent in October 2022. This rate was 1.3 percentage points lower than the region's year ago rate of 3.9 percent. The region's October 2022 unemployment rate was 0.1 percentage point lower than the state rate of 2.7 percent. The labor force was 1,085,572, up 37,779 (+3.6 percent) over the year. There were 28,390 unemployed residents in the region.

Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metro Division

- In October 2022, nonagricultural employment in the Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach MD was 900,800, an increase of 36,300 jobs (+4.2 percent) over the year.
- The Leisure and Hospitality (+9.8 percent); Construction (+4.9 percent); and Professional and Business Services (+4.5 percent) industries grew faster in the metro area than statewide over the year.
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- 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 Financial Activities (+2,500 jobs) and Information (+400 jobs) industries.
- The industries gaining jobs over the year were Leisure and Hospitality (+8,600 jobs); Professional and Business Services (+7,300 jobs); Education and Health Services (+6,100 jobs); Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (+5,300 jobs); Financial Activities (+2,500 jobs); Construction (+2,400 jobs); Other Services (+2,100 jobs); Manufacturing (+1,000 jobs); Government (+600 jobs); and Information (+400 jobs).
- No industries 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.

Unemployment Rates (not seasonally adjusted)	Oct-22	Sep-22	Oct-21
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	2.6%	2.6%	3.9%
Florida	2.7%	2.6%	3.6%
United States	3.4%	3.3%	4.3%

Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (not seasonally adjusted)	Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metropolitan Division				Florida			
	Oct-22	Oct-21	change	percent change	Oct-22	Oct-21	change	percent change
Total Employment	900,800	864,500	36,300	4.2	9,570,200	9,100,700	469,500	5.2
Mining and Logging	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	5,400	5,200	200	3.8
Construction	51,200	48,800	2,400	4.9	599,800	579,200	20,600	3.6
Manufacturing	29,400	28,400	1,000	3.5	421,200	392,200	29,000	7.4
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	204,500	199,200	5,300	2.7	1,960,000	1,867,200	92,800	5.0
Wholesale Trade	51,400	51,000	400	0.8	386,000	357,800	28,200	7.9
Retail Trade	112,400	109,600	2,800	2.6	1,150,400	1,112,600	37,800	3.4
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	40,700	38,600	2,100	5.4	423,600	396,800	26,800	6.8
Information	21,800	21,400	400	1.9	151,200	143,000	8,200	5.7
Financial Activities	68,500	66,000	2,500	3.8	671,800	632,300	39,500	6.2
Professional and Business Services	170,100	162,800	7,300	4.5	1,557,700	1,500,900	56,800	3.8
Education and Health Services	119,200	113,100	6,100	5.4	1,432,900	1,353,300	79,600	5.9
Leisure and Hospitality	96,300	87,700	8,600	9.8	1,276,900	1,175,200	101,700	8.7
Other Services	35,900	33,800	2,100	6.2	370,300	340,800	29,500	8.7
Government	103,800	103,200	600	0.6	1,123,000	1,111,400	11,600	1.0

Population	2021	2020	change	percent change
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	1,958,105	1,955,475	2,630	0.1
Florida	21,781,128	21,569,932	211,196	1.0

Average Annual Wage	2021	2020	change	percent change
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	\$63,523	\$59,009	\$4,514	7.6
Florida	\$60,299	\$55,840	\$4,459	8.0

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