

**Overview of the CareerSource Broward Region
Not Seasonally Adjusted
April 16, 2021**

- The unemployment rate in the CareerSource Broward region (Broward County) was 5.3 percent in March 2021. This rate was 0.6 percentage point lower than the region's year ago rate of 5.9 percent. The region's March 2021 unemployment rate was equal to the state rate of 5.3 percent. The labor force was 1,023,552, down 44,997 (-4.2) over the year. There were 54,041 unemployed residents in the region.
- In March 2021 nonagricultural employment in the Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Bch-Deerfield Bch Metro Division was 815,700, a decrease of 46,800 jobs (-5.4 percent) over the year.
- The leisure and hospitality (-12,800 jobs); professional and business services (-7,700 jobs); trade, transportation, and utilities (-7,500 jobs); education and health services (-5,400 jobs); government (-4,600 jobs); other services (-3,900 jobs); manufacturing (-2,000 jobs); financial activities (-1,800 jobs); information (-1,000 jobs); and construction (-100 jobs) 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)	Mar-21	Feb-21	Mar-20
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	5.3%	5.1%	5.9%
Florida	5.3%	5.1%	5.0%
United States	6.2%	6.6%	4.5%

Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (not seasonally adjusted)	Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metropolitan Division				Florida			
	Mar-21	Mar-20	change	percent change	Mar-21	Mar-20	change	percent change
	Total Employment	815,700	862,500	-46,800	-5.4	8,599,500	9,047,400	-447,900
Mining and Logging	NA	NA	NA	NA	5,500	5,400	100	1.9
Construction	49,900	50,000	-100	-0.2	564,100	572,600	-8,500	-1.5
Manufacturing	27,000	29,000	-2,000	-6.9	381,400	387,800	-6,400	-1.7
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	186,400	193,900	-7,500	-3.9	1,760,600	1,806,200	-45,600	-2.5
Wholesale Trade	50,100	51,900	-1,800	-3.5	346,300	356,000	-9,700	-2.7
Retail Trade	102,500	107,300	-4,800	-4.5	1,062,900	1,096,700	-33,800	-3.1
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utiliti	33,800	34,700	-900	-2.6	351,400	353,500	-2,100	-0.6
Information	18,600	19,600	-1,000	-5.1	130,200	137,800	-7,600	-5.5
Financial Activities	63,300	65,100	-1,800	-2.8	599,000	601,000	-2,000	-0.3
Professional and Business Services	143,400	151,100	-7,700	-5.1	1,380,200	1,394,500	-14,300	-1.0
Education and Health Services	109,000	114,400	-5,400	-4.7	1,322,700	1,366,900	-44,200	-3.2
Leisure and Hospitality	83,400	96,200	-12,800	-13.3	1,026,900	1,269,800	-242,900	-19.1
Other Services	31,600	35,500	-3,900	-11.0	327,500	352,400	-24,900	-7.1
Government	103,000	107,600	-4,600	-4.3	1,101,400	1,153,000	-51,600	-4.5

Population	2019	2018	change	percent change
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	1,935,878	1,917,122	18,756	1.0
Florida	21,477,737	21,244,317	233,420	1.1

Average Annual Wage	2019	2018	change	percent change
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	\$54,646	\$52,974	\$1,672	3.2
Florida	\$51,744	\$50,092	\$1,652	3.3

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