

**Overview of the CareerSource Broward Region  
Not Seasonally Adjusted  
November 20, 2020**

- The unemployment rate in the CareerSource Broward region (Broward County) was 7.3 percent in October 2020. This rate was 4.5 percentage point higher than the region's year ago rate of 2.8 percent. The labor force was 1,018,346, down 35,383 (-3.4) over the year. There were 74,411 unemployed residents in the region.
- In October 2020 nonagricultural employment in the Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Bch-Deerfield Bch Metro Division was 807,100, a decrease of 63,100 jobs (-7.3 percent) over the year.
- The financial activities (+0.6 percent) industry grew faster in the metro area than the statewide over the year.
- The Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Bch-Deerfield Bch Metro Division the second highest annual job growth compared to all the metro areas in the state in financial activities (+400 jobs) in October 2020.
- The industry gaining in jobs over the year was financial activities (+400 jobs).
- The leisure and hospitality (-23,200 jobs); professional and business services (-8,500 jobs); education and health services (-8,300 jobs); trade, transportation, and utilities (-6,900 jobs); construction (-6,200 jobs); other services (-3,600 jobs); government (-2,800 jobs); manufacturing (-2,400 jobs); and information (-1,600 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.

<b>Unemployment Rates (not seasonally adjusted)</b>	<b>Oct-20</b>	<b>Sep-20</b>	<b>Oct-19</b>
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	7.3%	7.8%	2.8%
Florida	6.4%	7.2%	2.8%
United States	6.6%	7.7%	3.3%

<b>Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (not seasonally adjusted)</b>	<b>Ft. Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach Metropolitan Division</b>				<b>Florida</b>			
	<b>Oct-20</b>	<b>Oct-19</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>	<b>Oct-20</b>	<b>Oct-19</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>
	Total Employment	807,100	870,200	-63,100	-7.3	8,603,000	9,010,000	-407,000
Mining and Logging	NA	NA	NA	NA	5,500	5,700	-200	-3.5
Construction	43,900	50,100	-6,200	-12.4	565,700	576,900	-11,200	-1.9
Manufacturing	26,700	29,100	-2,400	-8.2	381,200	388,200	-7,000	-1.8
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	191,900	198,800	-6,900	-3.5	1,766,200	1,804,100	-37,900	-2.1
Wholesale Trade	48,400	51,800	-3,400	-6.6	345,200	353,300	-8,100	-2.3
Retail Trade	111,800	113,300	-1,500	-1.3	1,083,100	1,105,700	-22,600	-2.0
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utiliti	31,700	33,700	-2,000	-5.9	337,900	345,100	-7,200	-2.1
Information	18,200	19,800	-1,600	-8.1	127,800	138,600	-10,800	-7.8
Financial Activities	65,200	64,800	400	0.6	590,900	596,900	-6,000	-1.0
Professional and Business Services	146,600	155,100	-8,500	-5.5	1,353,400	1,405,700	-52,300	-3.7
Education and Health Services	104,400	112,700	-8,300	-7.4	1,334,900	1,358,400	-23,500	-1.7
Leisure and Hospitality	71,700	94,900	-23,200	-24.4	1,042,700	1,239,700	-197,000	-15.9
Other Services	33,900	37,500	-3,600	-9.6	324,900	349,200	-24,300	-7.0
Government	104,500	107,300	-2,800	-2.6	1,109,800	1,146,600	-36,800	-3.2

<b>Population</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>
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

<b>Average Annual Wage</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>change</b>	<b>percent change</b>
CareerSource Broward (Broward County)	\$54,643	\$52,974	\$1,669	3.2
Florida	\$51,761	\$50,092	\$1,669	3.3

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