

**Overview of the CareerSource South Florida Region
Not Seasonally Adjusted
May 21, 2021**

- The unemployment rate in the CareerSource South Florida region (Miami-Dade and Monroe counties) was 6.8 percent in April 2021. This rate was 3.9 percentage points lower than the region's year ago rate of 10.7 percent. The labor force was 1,356,909, up 114,043 (+9.2) over the year. There were 92,289 unemployed residents in the region.
- Monroe County had the lowest unemployment rate (3.2 percent) in the CareerSource South Florida region followed by Miami-Dade County (6.9 percent).
- In April 2021 nonagricultural employment in the Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall Metropolitan Division was 1,137,400, an increase of 103,400 jobs (+10.0 percent) over the year.
- The leisure and hospitality (+57.0 percent); professional and business services (+14.7 percent); manufacturing (+9.2 percent); and financial activities (+4.5 percent) industries grew faster in the metro area than the statewide over the year.
- The Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall Metropolitan Division had the second highest annual job growth compared to all the metro areas in the state in leisure and hospitality (+40,200 jobs); professional and business services (+23,800 jobs); trade, transportation, and utilities (+21,800 jobs); financial activities (+3,500 jobs); and manufacturing (+3,400 jobs).
- The Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall Metropolitan Division had the third highest annual job growth compared to all the metro areas in the state in other services (+6,600 jobs).
- The industries gaining in jobs over the year were leisure and hospitality (+40,200 jobs); professional and business services (+23,800 jobs); trade, transportation, and utilities (+21,800 jobs); education and health services (+8,800 jobs); other services (+6,600 jobs); financial activities (+3,500 jobs); manufacturing (+3,400 jobs); and mining, logging, and construction (+800 jobs).
- The government (-5,500 jobs) industry lost jobs over the year.
- The information industry was unchanged 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)	Apr-21	Mar-21	Apr-20
CareerSource South Florida	6.8%	8.0%	10.7%
Miami-Dade County	6.9%	8.2%	10.3%
Monroe County	3.2%	3.3%	22.1%
Florida	5.1%	5.3%	13.9%
United States	5.7%	6.2%	14.4%

Nonagricultural Employment by Industry (not seasonally adjusted)	Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall Metropolitan Division				Florida			
	Apr-21	Apr-20	change	percent change	Apr-21	Apr-20	change	percent change
Total Employment	1,137,400	1,034,000	103,400	10.0	8,609,500	7,854,000	755,500	9.6
Mining, Logging, and Construction	51,300	50,500	800	1.6	570,500	542,600	27,900	5.1
Manufacturing	40,500	37,100	3,400	9.2	382,500	361,000	21,500	6.0
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	278,500	256,700	21,800	8.5	1,742,700	1,596,300	146,400	9.2
Wholesale Trade	69,500	67,700	1,800	2.7	344,500	334,200	10,300	3.1
Retail Trade	132,200	113,400	18,800	16.6	1,055,500	937,900	117,600	12.5
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utiliti	76,800	75,600	1,200	1.6	342,700	324,200	18,500	5.7
Information	18,200	18,200	0	0.0	129,500	125,900	3,600	2.9
Financial Activities	81,800	78,300	3,500	4.5	600,800	577,400	23,400	4.1
Professional and Business Services	185,300	161,500	23,800	14.7	1,387,300	1,273,500	113,800	8.9
Education and Health Services	187,000	178,200	8,800	4.9	1,330,800	1,235,400	95,400	7.7
Leisure and Hospitality	110,700	70,500	40,200	57.0	1,034,200	735,700	298,500	40.6
Other Services	46,400	39,800	6,600	16.6	331,600	275,300	56,300	20.5
Government	137,700	143,200	-5,500	-3.8	1,099,600	1,130,900	-31,300	-2.8

Population	2019	2018	change	percent change
CareerSource South Florida	2,791,168	2,789,611	1,557	0.1
Miami-Dade County	2,716,940	2,714,854	2,086	0.1
Monroe County	74,228	74,757	-529	-0.7
Florida	21,477,737	21,244,317	233,420	1.1

Average Annual Wage	2019	2018	change	percent change
CareerSource South Florida	\$56,179	\$54,391	\$1,788	3.3
Miami-Dade County	\$56,622	\$54,800	\$1,822	3.3
Monroe County	\$43,856	\$42,788	\$1,068	2.5
Florida	\$51,744	\$50,092	\$1,652	3.3

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