

Highlights of the Survey

The survey collected information on an estimated 5,305 job vacancies covering 266 different occupations in the region that encompasses Broward County.

The largest concentrations of job vacancies were found in Sales and Related occupations (1,248 vacancies, 23.5 percent); Healthcare Practitioners and Technical occupations (730 vacancies, 13.8 percent); Office and Administrative Support occupations (689 vacancies, 13.0 percent); and Food Preparation and Serving Related occupations (550 vacancies, 10.4 percent).

The highest hourly wages for occupations with substantial openings other than Physicians and Chief Executives were: Sales Managers at \$62.64 per hour; Education Administrators, Postsecondary, at \$57.39 per hour; Marketing Managers at \$55.80 per hour; Lawyers at \$52.42 per hour; Pharmacists at \$52.01 per hour; and Medical and Health Service Managers at \$50.49 per hour.

Length of Vacancies

- Regional employers filled 71.2 percent of their vacancies in less than 30 days while 19 percent of vacancies were open more than 60 days.

Certification/License Requirements, Full-Time/Part-Time Status

- Certification or Licenses were required for 33.4 percent of the reported vacancies in the region.
- Full-time jobs accounted for 66.8 percent of the vacancies in the region.

Benefits

- Over 32 percent of the reported job vacancies in the region offered a full benefits package, including health insurance, paid sick leave, paid vacation time, and a pension/retirement savings plan.
- Over 66 percent of the reported vacancies in the region offered at least one of four benefits.

Employer Future Hiring Plans

- Regional employers plan to hire 86 Retail Salespersons in the next year. They also indicated they plan to hire 31 Food Servers; 24 Security Guards; 23 Customer Service Representatives; 21 Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers; 20 Computer Specialists; and 17 Cashiers in the next year.

Methodology

The Job Vacancy/Hiring Needs Survey for the area consisted of Broward County for a total of 2,201 area employers. The survey was conducted to identify job vacancies to assist in targeting training for reemployment of workers.

The survey was conducted in December 2009 – April 2010, using a probability sample of local employers stratified by industry supersector and size class.

Final survey results had a response rate of 79 percent of the original sample. A total of 5,305 vacancies were estimated across all selected industry sectors.

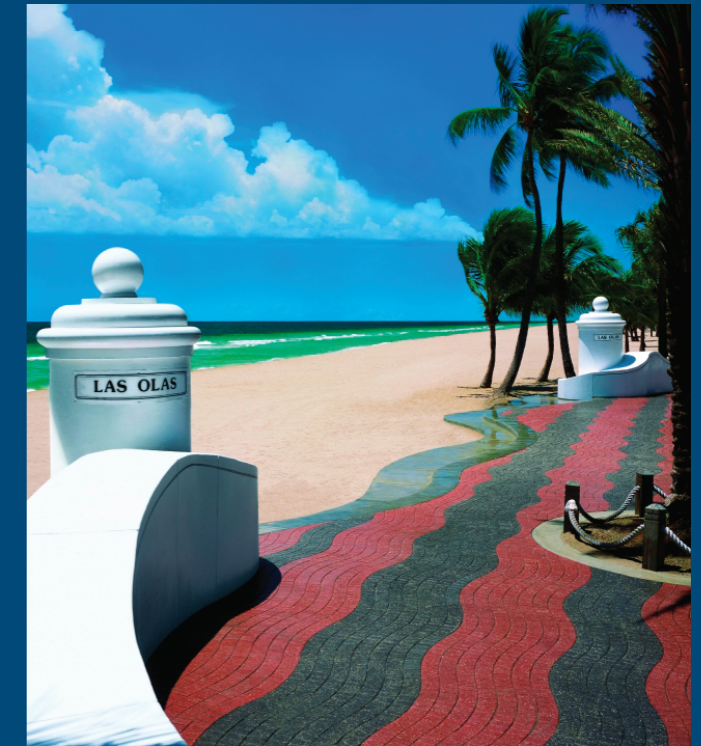
The largest numbers of job vacancies were found within Sales Representatives occupations; Registered Nurses occupations; Cashiers occupations; Retail Salespersons occupations; and Waiters and Waitresses occupations.



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Workforce One Broward County



Results from the 2009-2010 Job Vacancy/ Hiring Needs Survey

Florida Agency for Workforce Innovation
www.floridajobs.org

Labor Market Statistics Center
labormarketinfo.com

Top 25 Vacancies

Ranked by Vacancies

	Number of Vacancies	*Average Hourly Wage
Sales Representatives, Services, All Other	415	\$25.76
Registered Nurses	367	\$31.82
Cashiers	245	\$8.73
Retail Salespersons	227	\$14.10
Waiters and Waitresses	164	\$10.50
Customer Service Representatives	115	\$14.77
Teacher Assistants	110	\$13.51
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Retail Sales Workers	109	\$21.99
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	87	\$9.34
Advertising Sales Agents	85	\$27.59
Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	79	\$10.94
Medical Secretaries	76	\$14.22
Office Clerks, General	70	\$12.32
Telemarketers	70	\$11.35
Receptionists and Information Clerks	67	\$13.06
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	67	\$16.56
Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants	66	\$11.32
Training and Development Specialists	61	\$27.53
Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	60	\$19.44
Medical and Health Services Managers	60	\$50.49
Physical Therapists	59	\$40.03
Occupational Therapists	58	\$37.21
Truck Drivers, Heavy and Tractor-Trailer	56	\$17.67
Cooks, Restaurant	54	\$11.88
Ushers, Lobby Attendants, and Ticket Takers	54	\$9.83

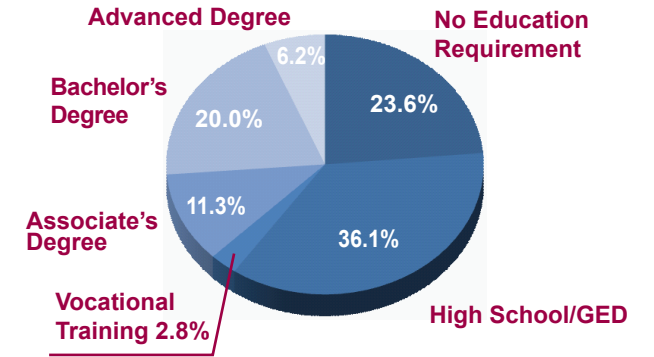
Top 25 Vacancies

Ranked by Wages

	Number of Vacancies	*Average Hourly Wage
Anesthesiologists	1	\$109.58
Chief Executives	6	\$89.76
Physicians and Surgeons, All Other	15	\$87.21
Family and General Practitioners	4	\$64.32
Natural Sciences Managers	1	\$64.22
Surgeons	10	\$62.87
Sales Managers	19	\$62.64
Computer and Information Systems Managers	1	\$61.33
Public Relations Managers	3	\$58.95
Education Administrators, Postsecondary	35	\$57.39
Actuaries	6	\$56.26
Marketing Managers	28	\$55.80
Engineering Managers	4	\$55.77
General and Operations Managers	7	\$53.61
Lawyers	19	\$52.42
Financial Managers	4	\$52.30
Pharmacists	19	\$52.01
Medical and Health Services Managers	60	\$50.49
Training and Development Managers	4	\$48.45
Human Resources Managers, All Other	1	\$47.62
Advertising and Promotions Managers	4	\$47.30
Education Administrators, All Other	1	\$46.90
Administrative Services Managers	6	\$46.72
Managers, All Other	23	\$45.78
Postsecondary Teachers, All Other	1	\$45.71

Source: Florida Agency for Workforce Innovation, Labor Market Statistics Center, 2009, *2009 Average Hourly Wages from the Occupational Employment Statistics Survey.

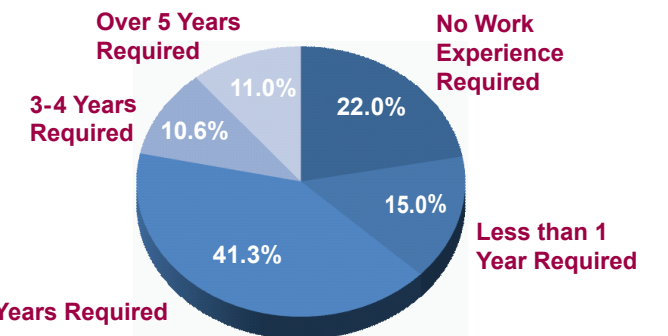
Education and Training



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- Over 76 percent of the job vacancies had some level of education requirement.
- Over 40 percent of the vacancies in the region required education beyond high school, including Associate's degrees, Bachelor's degrees or postsecondary vocational training.
- Over 26 percent of the vacancies required a Bachelor's degree or higher.

Experience



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- Most of the vacancies (78 percent) in the Workforce One Region required some prior work experience.
- Over 21 percent of all job vacancies required 3 years or more of experience.