

Coastal Bend Workforce Area

(Not Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates by WDA, MSA, & County)

Area	Area Type	Latest Monthly Data January 2019						Previous Monthly Data December 2018				Year Ago January 2018			
		Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate	M+-	Y+-	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate
United States	Nation	163,299,000	156,694,000	6,535,000	4.0	0.1	-0.1	163,240,000	156,945,000	6,294,000	3.9	161,123,000	154,482,000	6,641,000	4.1
Texas	State	13,956,258	13,430,818	515,093	3.8	0.1	-0.3	13,920,780	13,404,409	516,371	3.7	13,737,417	13,178,687	558,730	4.1
Corpus Christi	MSA	208,052	197,295	10,757	5.2	0.7	-0.7	209,002	199,634	9,368	4.5	208,241	195,990	12,251	5.9
Coastal Bend	WDA	264,565	250,922	13,643	5.2	0.7	-0.7	265,136	253,219	11,917	4.5	264,268	248,692	15,576	5.9
Aransas	County	10,200	9,659	541	5.3	0.7	-2.8	10,231	9,765	466	4.6	10,454	9,604	850	8.1
Bee	County	9,925	9,414	511	5.1	0.4	-0.8	9,863	9,403	460	4.7	10,070	9,471	599	5.9
Brooks	County	2,462	2,305	157	6.4	1.0	-0.8	2,436	2,305	131	5.4	2,431	2,255	176	7.2
Duval	County	5,110	4,851	259	5.1	0.5	-0.8	5,033	4,799	234	4.6	4,944	4,652	292	5.9
Jim Wells	County	17,484	16,580	904	5.2	0.5	-1.3	17,197	16,390	807	4.7	16,834	15,739	1,095	6.5
Kenedy	County	229	220	9	3.9	0.4	0.7	234	224	10	4.3	216	209	7	3.2
Kleberg	County	13,117	12,429	688	5.2	0.6	-0.3	13,195	12,582	613	4.6	13,155	12,431	724	5.5
Live Oak	County	5,072	4,868	204	4.0	0.6	-0.7	5,092	4,921	171	3.4	5,208	4,962	246	4.7
Nueces	County	167,720	159,439	8,281	4.9	0.6	-0.5	168,561	161,332	7,229	4.3	167,329	158,367	8,962	5.4
Refugio	County	3,114	2,960	154	4.9	0.9	-1.0	3,084	2,961	123	4.0	3,169	2,983	186	5.9
San Patricio	County	30,132	28,197	1,935	6.4	0.9	-1.6	30,210	28,537	1,673	5.5	30,458	28,019	2,439	8.0

(M+-) Change in unemployment rate from last month (Increase) (Decrease)

(Y+-) Change in unemployment rate from last year (Increase) (Decrease)

Earnings for all occupations Coastal Bend, expressed as hourly rate (TWC):

Coastal Bend All Occupations- Average \$18.35/hr. Entry level \$8.58/hr. Experienced workers \$23.24/hr. Top 10% \$33.56/hr. Texas All Occupations- Average \$20.97/hr. Entry level \$8.88/hr. Experienced workers \$27.02/hr. Top 10% \$39.64/hr.

Educational Attainment for population 25 years of age and older - Corpus Christi (Census American Fact Finder/American Community Survey):

Less than 9th grade 8.7% 12th grade & GED 27.7% Associates degree 7.0% Graduate or Professional degrees 8.4% 9th thru 11th grade 9.3% Some College 25.1% Bachelors degree 13.8%

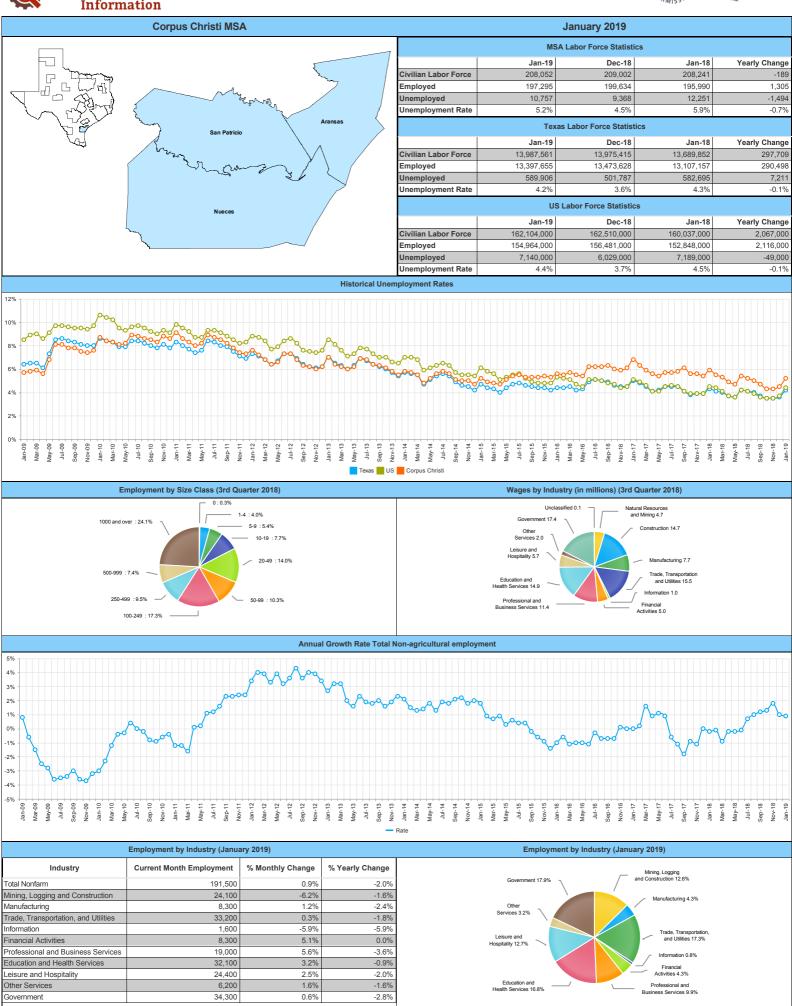
Median earnings Corpus Christi by education for persons 25 years of age & up (Census AFF/ACS):
 \$27,211 (\$36,380 male/\$22,328 female)

Less than High School \$15,437 Some College or Associates \$28,739 Graduate or Professional \$56,681 High School & GED \$26,818 Bachelor's \$44,078









-2.8%



Other Services
Public Administration

5,926

2.5%

5.0%

0.4%

-1.8%





