

Coastal Bend Workforce Area

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

Area	Area Type	Latest Monthly Data November 2019						Previous Monthly Data October 2019				Year Ago November 2018			
		Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate	M+-	Y+-	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate
United States	Nation	164,404,000	158,593,000	5,811,000	3.5	-0.1	-0.2	164,364,000	158,510,000	5,855,000	3.6	162,821,000	156,803,000	6,018,000	3.7
Texas	State	14,148,376	13,662,332	486,035	3.4	0.0	-0.3	14,099,774	13,621,795	477,979	3.4	13,921,637	13,406,412	515,225	3.7
Corpus Christi	MSA	210,576	202,059	8,517	4.0	0.1	-0.3	209,883	201,653	8,230	3.9	209,039	200,102	8,937	4.3
Coastal Bend	WDA	267,916	256,875	11,041	4.1	0.1	-0.2	267,371	256,747	10,624	4	265,108	253,645	11,463	4.3
Aransas	County	10,256	9,868	388	3.8	0.1	-0.7	10,238	9,858	380	3.7	10,233	9,774	459	4.5
Bee	County	9,796	9,356	440	4.5	0.2	0.0	9,783	9,363	420	4.3	9,841	9,399	442	4.5
Brooks	County	2,513	2,387	126	5	0.0	-0.8	2,522	2,395	127	5	2,436	2,294	142	5.8
Duval	County	5,137	4,906	231	4.5	0.4	-0.3	5,169	4,959	210	4.1	4,999	4,758	241	4.8
Jim Wells	County	17,798	16,956	842	4.7	0.4	0.0	17,895	17,119	776	4.3	16,906	16,106	800	4.7
Kenedy	County	244	235	9	3.7	0.5	-0.4	252	244	8	3.2	241	233	8	3.3
Kleberg	County	13,409	12,824	585	4.4	0.2	-0.1	13,469	12,901	568	4.2	13,306	12,709	597	4.5
Live Oak	County	5,305	5,132	173	3.3	0.2	0.0	5,225	5,064	161	3.1	5,205	5,031	174	3.3
Nueces	County	169,831	163,247	6,584	3.9	0.2	-0.2	169,163	162,830	6,333	3.7	168,573	161,664	6,909	4.1
Refugio	County	3,138	3,020	118	3.8	-0.1	-0.1	3,173	3,049	124	3.9	3,135	3,013	122	3.9
San Patricio	County	30,489	28,944	1,545	5.1	0.1	-0.1	30,482	28,965	1,517	5	30,233	28,664	1,569	5.2

(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):

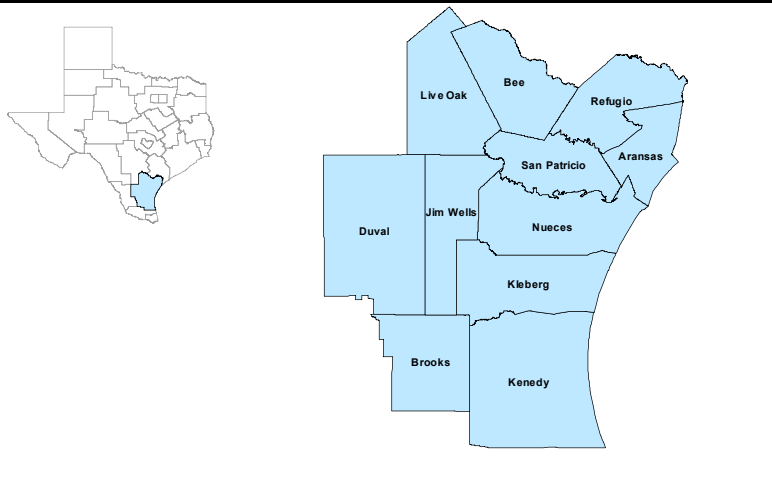
Less than 9th grade	8.7%	12th grade & GED	27.7%	Associates degree	7.0%	Graduate or Professional degrees	8.4%
9th thru 11th grade	9.3%	Some College	25.1%	Bachelors degree	13.8%		

- 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		

Coastal Bend Workforce Development Area

November 2019



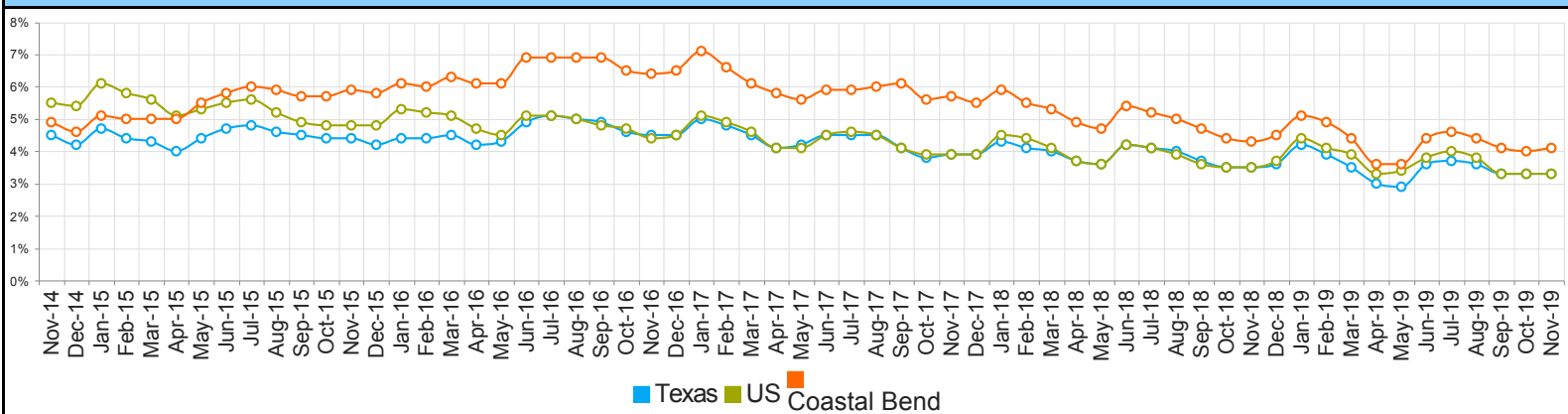
WDA Labor Force Statistics				
	Nov-19	Oct-19	Nov-18	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	267,916	267,371	265,108	2,808
Employed	256,875	256,747	253,645	3,230
Unemployed	11,041	10,624	11,463	-422
Unemployment Rate	4.1%	4.0%	4.3%	-0.2%

Texas Labor Force Statistics				
	Nov-19	Oct-19	Nov-18	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	14,265,562	14,190,783	13,961,940	303,622
Employed	13,788,541	13,723,103	13,475,980	312,561
Unemployed	477,021	467,680	485,960	-8,939
Unemployment Rate	3.3%	3.3%	3.5%	-0.2%

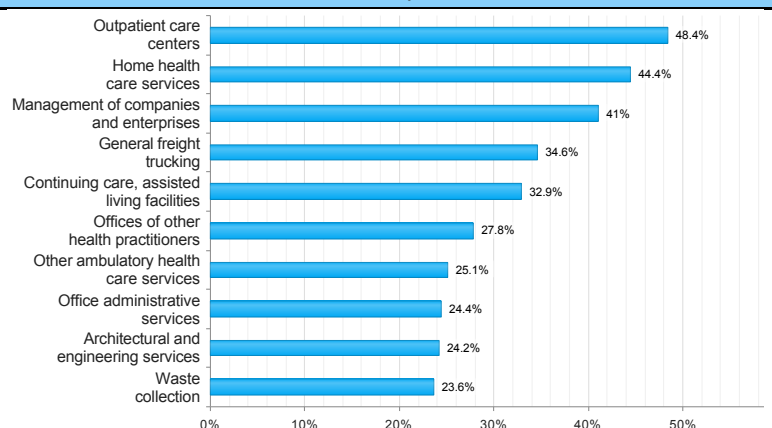
US Labor Force Statistics				
	Nov-19	Oct-19	Nov-18	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	164,386,000	164,576,000	162,665,000	1,721,000
Employed	158,945,000	159,067,000	157,015,000	1,930,000
Unemployed	5,441,000	5,510,000	5,650,000	-209,000
Unemployment Rate	3.3%	3.3%	3.5%	-0.2%

Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th				
	Nov-19	Oct-19	Nov-18	Yearly Change
WDA	2,311	2,115	1,994	317
Texas	93,207	89,985	83,685	9,522

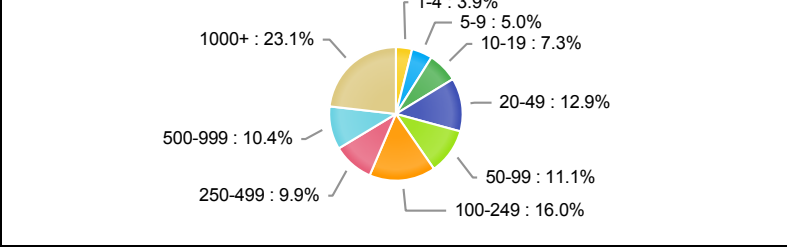
Historical Unemployment Rates



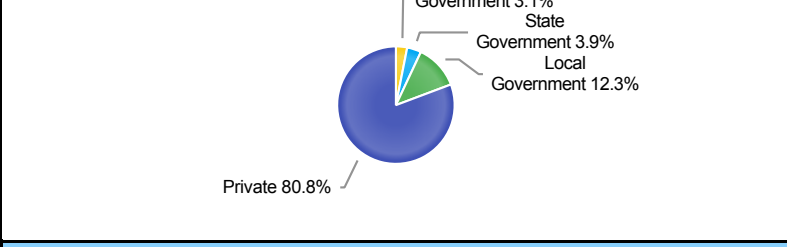
Projected Top Ten Fastest Growing Industries in WDA (% Growth 2016-2026)



Employment by Size Class (2nd Quarter 2019)



Employment by Ownership (2nd Quarter 2019)



Average Weekly Wage (2nd Quarter 2019)

	Q2 2019	Q1 2019	Q2 2018	Quarterly Change	Yearly Change
WDA	\$901	\$918	\$868	\$-17	\$33
Texas	\$1,102	\$1,204	\$1,062	\$-102	\$40
US	\$1,095	\$1,184	\$1,055	\$-89	\$40

Employment by Industry (2nd Quarter 2019, Percent Change)

Industry	Employment	% of Total	% Quarterly Change	% Yearly Change
Natural Resources and Mining	11,090	4.6%	-0.3%	0.9%
Construction	23,445	9.8%	1.7%	-1.4%
Manufacturing	12,604	5.2%	1.3%	1.3%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	42,702	17.8%	0.1%	-0.8%
Information	1,921	0.8%	0.6%	0.8%
Financial Activities	10,065	4.2%	-0.1%	2.1%
Professional and Business Services	20,585	8.6%	-0.6%	2.3%
Education and Health Services	67,164	28.0%	-0.3%	0.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	32,909	13.7%	6.4%	2.4%
Other Services	5,892	2.5%	0.7%	-0.2%
Public Administration	11,848	4.9%	0.9%	0.2%

Employment by Industry (2nd Quarter 2019)

