

GULF COAST WORKFORCE BOARD

2021 Targeted Industries^{1,2,7}

NAICS	Industry Title	Employment Growth				1st Qtr 2019 Avg. Weekly Wages ³
		Annual Averages 2018	2028	Net Change	Percent Change	
Mining						
2131	Support Activities for Mining	40,534	47,525	6,991	17.2	\$3,255
Construction						
2361	Residential Building Construction	13,939	16,989	3,050	21.9	\$1,778
2371	Utility System Construction	36,286	43,317	7,031	19.4	\$1,735
2381	Foundation, Structure, and Building Exterior Contractors	22,108	28,458	6,350	28.7	\$1,045
2382	Building Equipment Contractors	50,190	60,392	10,202	20.3	\$1,254
2389	Other Specialty Trade Contractors	18,568	23,392	4,824	26.0	\$1,247
2373	Highway, Street, and Bridge Construction	9,488	12,563	3,075	32.4	\$1,103
2362	Nonresidential Building Construction	39,686	43,792	4,106	10.3	\$2,020
Manufacturing						
3324	Boiler, Tank, and Shipping Container Manufacturing ⁵	4,860	7,613	2,753	56.6	\$1,767
3327	Machine Shops; Turned Product; and Screw, Nut, and Bolt Mfg.	9,797	12,154	2,357	24.1	\$1,216
3251	Basic Chemical Manufacturing ^{4 6}	22,839	23,283	444	1.9	\$3,693
3331	Agriculture, Construction, and Mining Machinery Manufacturing ^{4 6}	28,701	29,619	918	3.2	\$2,579
Trade, Transportation & Utilities						
4238	Machinery, Equipment, and Supplies Merchant Wholesalers	33,079	41,804	8,725	26.4	\$1,884

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4251	Wholesale Electronic Markets and Agents and Brokers	10,230	13,260	3,030	29.6	\$1,676
4411	Automobile Dealers	28,581	32,431	3,850	13.5	\$1,259
4811	Scheduled Air Transportation ⁶	17,935	20,005	2,070	11.5	\$2,218
4831	Deep Sea, Coastal, and Great Lakes Water Transportation	1,666	2,045	379	22.7	\$2,255
4832	Inland Water Transportation	2,240	2,655	415	18.5	\$2,180
4841	General Freight Trucking ⁵	14,981	17,029	2,048	13.7	\$1,111
4842	Specialized Freight Trucking ⁵	12,076	14,065	1,989	16.5	\$2,326
4883	Support Activities for Water Transportation	9,510	11,225	1,715	18.0	\$1,082
4884	Support Activities for Road Transportation	2,467	2,998	531	21.5	\$1,182
4885	Freight Transportation Arrangement	10,277	13,243	2,966	28.9	\$1,603
4889	Other Support Activities for Transportation	1,576	1,829	253	16.1	\$3,860
4931	Warehousing and Storage	17,835	21,178	3,343	18.7	\$940
Finance & Insurance						
5222	Nondepository Credit Intermediation	11,062	13,386	2,324	21.0	\$2,261
5242	Agencies, Brokerages, and Other Insurance Related Activities	20,937	23,117	2,180	10.4	\$1,825
5313	Activities Related to Real Estate ⁶	19,607	22,623	3,016	15.4	\$1,236
Professional & Business Services						
5412	Accounting, Tax Preparation, Bookkeeping, and Payroll Services	24,732	28,871	4,139	16.7	\$1,528
5413	Architectural, Engineering, and Related Services	67,870	82,409	14,539	21.4	\$2,186

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5415	Computer Systems Design and Related Services	29,050	31,075	2,025	7.0	\$2,235
5416	Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services	37,668	60,611	22,943	60.9	\$2,323
5419	Other Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	18,089	21,037	2,948	16.3	\$1,319
5511	Management of Companies and Enterprises	45,593	54,414	8,821	19.3	\$4,910
5611	Office Administrative Services	23,639	31,892	8,253	34.9	\$2,720
Education & Health Services						
6111	Elementary and Secondary Schools ⁴	205,003	228,146	23,143	11.3	\$861
6113	Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools ⁴	59,689	60,654	965	1.6	\$1,462
6211	Offices of Physicians	51,539	63,936	12,397	24.1	\$1,681
6212	Offices of Dentists	18,254	23,243	4,989	27.3	\$913
6214	Outpatient Care Centers	14,822	24,089	9,267	62.5	\$1,352
6215	Medical and Diagnostic Laboratories	6,517	8,354	1,837	28.2	\$1,095
6221	General Medical and Surgical Hospitals	89,049	103,187	14,138	15.9	\$1,329
6223	Specialty (except Psychiatric and Substance Abuse) Hospitals	23,974	28,109	4,135	17.2	\$1,822

Notes

1. Criteria used to identify the targeted industries:

Industries with a projected employment growth of at least 1,801 new jobs, the average net change across all 4-digit NAICS industries for the period 2018-2028

Industries with projected employment growth rate greater than or equal to the average rate for all industries of 14.2% for the period 2018-2028

Industries with an average weekly wage of at least \$1,044 per week derived the OES 2019 average hourly wage for all occupations converted to a weekly rate

Industries meeting at two of three criteria above and present on the previous targeted industry list

2. Absolute changes do not represent total demand for labor because they do not reflect demand due to replacements, attrition, turnover, etc.

3. Employment and average weekly wage information is from the first quarter 2019 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

4. Industry not fully meeting primary or secondary criteria but projected to grow and retained due to need for representation of the 2-digit parent sector

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5. Projection data provided by third-party source EMSI

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7. All other projection data provided by Texas Workforce Commission - LMCI

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Industries on Previous List and Not Currently Targeted due to Below-average Growth or Projected Decline over 2018-2028 ⁷						
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2383	<i>Building Finishing Contractors</i>	21,045	23,039	1,994	9.5	\$1,029
3329	<i>Other Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing</i>	13,397	13,765	368	2.7	\$1,518
4881	<i>Support Activities for Air Transportation</i>	4,662	5,214	552	11.8	\$1,235
5239	<i>Other Financial Investment Activities</i>	11,613	13,087	1,474	12.7	\$4,238
2111	<i>Oil and Gas Extraction</i>	36,285	31,129	-5,156	-14.2	\$6,888
3241	<i>Petroleum and Coal Products Manufacturing</i>	9,995	9,491	-504	-5.0	\$4,176
3323	<i>Architectural and Structural Metals Manufacturing</i>	14,394	13,509	-885	-6.2	\$1,207
4882	<i>Support Activities for Rail Transportation</i>	2,169	2,081	-88	-4.1	\$1,160
8113	<i>Commercial & Industrial Mach. & Equip. Repair (ex. Auto & Electronics)</i>	11,443	10,697	-746	-6.5	\$1,694

Notes

7. Industries shown for informational purposes only in recognition of their historical and continued importance to the regional economy