# Trident Regional Workforce Snapshot (Q4 2024)

### **Berkeley, Charleston and Dorchester Counties**

**Total Employment** 429,115

3.4%

32,451

**Unemployment Rate** 

(December 2024)

**Adults 18-64 Years** 496,328

2022-2023 Public

**High School** 

2022 Fall

**Postsecondary Credit** 43,181

**Enrollment** 



Top Industries (Q2 2024)				
	Industry	<b>Employed</b>	% of Total Employment	
Health	Care & Social Assistance	53,299	14%	
Accomn	nodation & Food Services	48,465	12%	
	Retail Trade	44,229	11%	
	Manufacturing	34,445	9%	
E	ducational Services	30,460	8%	
Professional,	Scientific, & Technical Services	29,576	8%	
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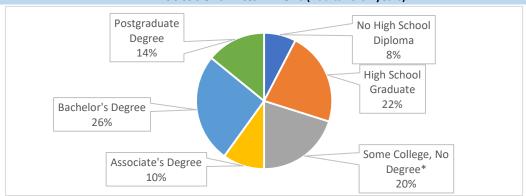
## **Industry Announced Investment** 2020-2024

**Total Announced Investment Jobs Announced** \$10,656,942,726 11,581

**Jobs Announced by Industry** 

Industry	Number of Jobs	% of Total Jobs Announced
Manufacturing	5,630	49%
Office, HQ, & R&D (Service)	3,691	32%
Warehousing & Distribution	2,175	19%
Transportation	85	1%

### **Educational Attainment (Adults 25-64 years)**



<sup>\*</sup>Includes Certificate level credentials (American Community Survey 2018-2022)

## **Trident Region Education Snapshot (2022-2023)**

# <u>Public & Independent Universities and Colleges Enrollment</u>

Fall 2022 Enrollment (24,741)

Institution	Credit Enrollment
Medical University of South Carolina	3,667
The Citadel	4,355
College of Charleston	12,564
Charleston Southern University	4.155

### 2022-2023 Public/Independent Colleges and Universities Degrees Awarded (5,250)

Program	Degrees	% of Awarded
Health Professions & Related Programs	1,368	26%
Business, Management, Marketing & Related	1,047	20%
Education	397	8%
Biological and Biomedical Sciences	374	7%
Psychology	254	5%

### **Technical College(s)**

### Fall 2022 Enrollment - Credit (18,440) & Corporate and Community Education (CE) Programs

Institution Credit Enrollment CE Enrollment (2022 Annualized)

Trident Technical College 18,440 2,287

#### 2022-2023 Technical Colleges Program Completions (2,375 - Credit Awards Only)

Program	# of Credentials	% of Awarded
Health Professions & Related Programs	528	22%
Liberal A/S, General Studies & Humanities	522	22%
Business, Management, Marketing & Related	337	14%
Computer & Information Sciences	235	10%
Culinary, Entertainment & Personal Services	156	7%

### **Public High Schools**

### 2022-2023 Career and Technical Education (CTE) Student Course Enrollment (27,628)

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CTE Student Cluster	Enrollment	% of CTE Enrollment
Information Technology	8,375	30%
Health Science	4,077	15%
Finance	2,254	8%
Business, Management & Admin.	2,163	8%
Hospitality & Tourism	2,148	8%

#### High School CTE Certifications Awarded\* (7,803)

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<b>Certification Focus</b>	<b>Total Certs Earned</b>	% of Awarded
OSHA-10**	1,912	25%
Health Science	1,421	18%
Microburst EmployABILITY Soft Skills**	1,126	14%
Business, Management & Admin.	737	9%
ServSafe® Food Handler**	671	9%

<sup>\*</sup>Students may earn multiple certifications within and across certification focus areas.

Sources: SCDEW, US Census, QCEW, SC Commerce, SC Tech, SC Dept. of Education & SC Commission on Higher Education

<sup>\*\*</sup>Certifications falling under multiple clusters are reported independently of career clusters.