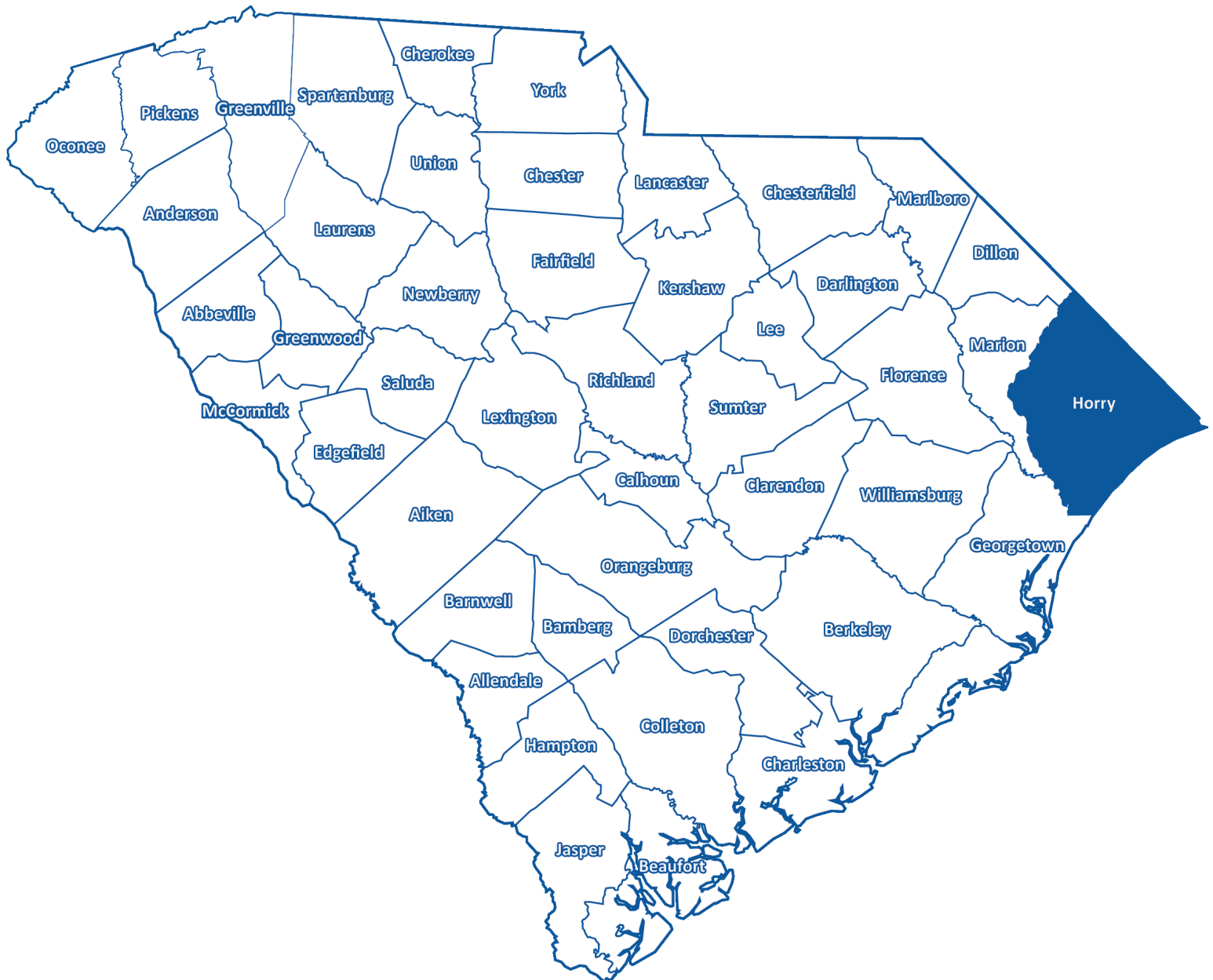


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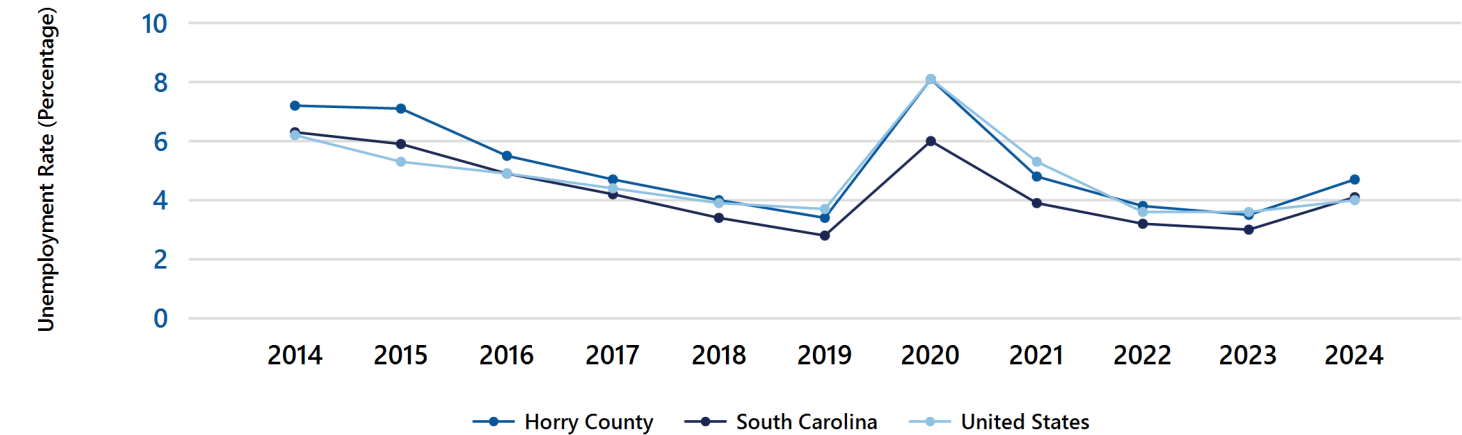
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ANNUAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (UNADJUSTED)



HORRY COUNTY

SOUTH CAROLINA

UNITED STATES

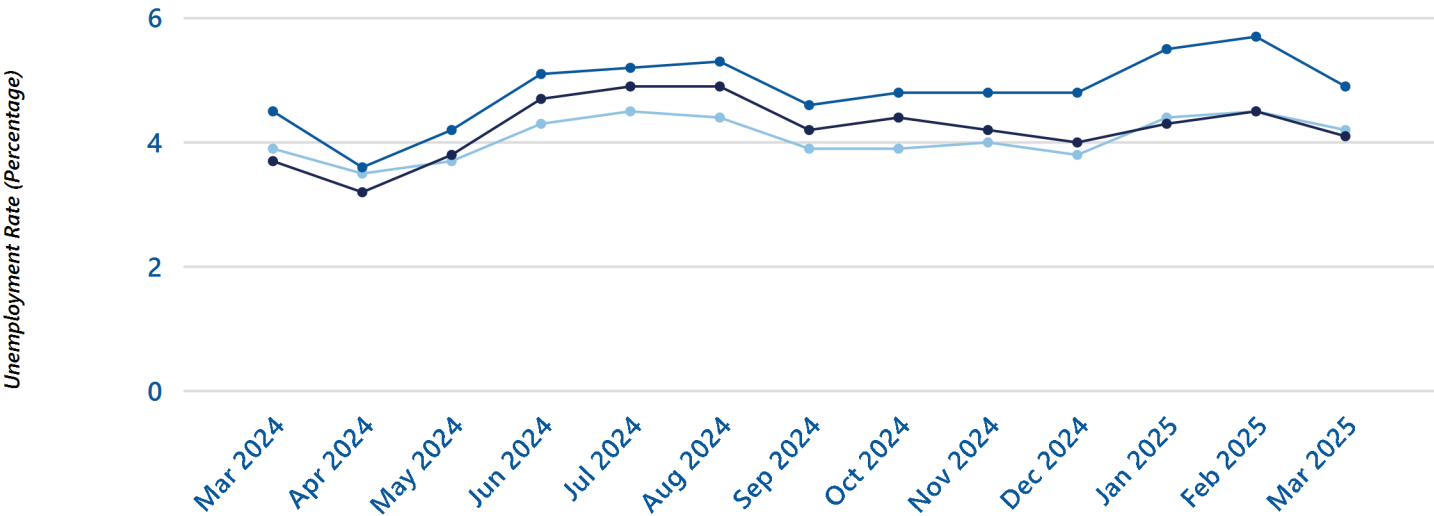
Year	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate
2024	162,932	8,120	4.7%	2,430,453	105,178	4.1%	161,346,000	6,761,000	4.0%
2023	160,698	5,838	3.5%	2,401,212	74,248	3.0%	161,037,000	6,080,000	3.6%
2022	153,993	6,113	3.8%	2,330,548	77,339	3.2%	158,291,000	5,996,000	3.6%
2021	146,796	7,409	4.8%	2,272,940	92,676	3.9%	152,581,000	8,623,000	5.3%
2020	138,545	12,208	8.1%	2,201,090	140,613	6.0%	147,795,000	12,947,000	8.1%
2019	147,157	5,143	3.4%	2,263,682	64,405	2.8%	157,538,000	6,001,000	3.7%
2018	143,228	5,979	4.0%	2,206,821	76,542	3.4%	155,761,000	6,314,000	3.9%
2017	140,263	6,951	4.7%	2,168,104	94,845	4.2%	153,337,000	6,982,000	4.4%
2016	136,013	7,909	5.5%	2,145,584	110,199	4.9%	151,436,000	7,751,000	4.9%
2015	126,052	9,571	7.1%	2,108,786	132,281	5.9%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	123,328	9,580	7.2%	2,063,369	138,475	6.3%	146,305,000	9,617,000	6.2%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

MONTHLY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (UNADJUSTED)

Past 13 Months

United States South Carolina Horry County



Period	HORRY COUNTY	SOUTH CAROLINA	UNITED STATES
Mar 2025	4.9%	4.1%	4.2%
Feb 2025	5.7%	4.5%	4.5%
Jan 2025	5.5%	4.3%	4.4%
Dec 2024	4.8%	4.0%	3.8%
Nov 2024	4.8%	4.2%	4.0%
Oct 2024	4.8%	4.4%	3.9%
Sep 2024	4.6%	4.2%	3.9%
Aug 2024	5.3%	4.9%	4.4%
Jul 2024	5.2%	4.9%	4.5%
Jun 2024	5.1%	4.7%	4.3%
May 2024	4.2%	3.8%	3.7%
Apr 2024	3.6%	3.2%	3.5%
Mar 2024	4.5%	3.7%	3.9%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

AREA JOB OPENINGS

HORRY COUNTY

SOUTH CAROLINA

Period	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate
Mar 2025	164,514	8,446	4.9%	2,445,419	105,657	4.1%
Feb 2025	159,610	9,593	5.7%	2,443,050	107,112	4.2%
Jan 2025	158,525	9,198	5.5%	2,439,667	109,341	4.3%
Dec 2024	159,656	7,968	4.8%	2,437,016	112,637	4.4%
Nov 2024	159,718	8,125	4.8%	2,437,183	112,954	4.4%
Oct 2024	162,959	8,168	4.8%	2,436,946	114,211	4.5%
Sep 2024	163,876	7,867	4.6%	2,435,531	115,873	4.5%
Aug 2024	165,257	9,302	5.3%	2,433,798	116,576	4.6%
Jul 2024	168,551	9,241	5.2%	2,432,238	115,123	4.5%
Jun 2024	168,431	8,965	5.1%	2,430,644	111,177	4.4%
May 2024	166,175	7,337	4.2%	2,428,597	105,424	4.2%
Apr 2024	165,853	6,272	3.6%	2,426,252	99,053	3.9%
Mar 2024	162,163	7,589	4.5%	2,424,087	93,207	3.7%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series
 South Carolina Data is Seasonally Adjusted

EMPLOYERS BY SIZE OF ESTABLISHMENT

Employees	Horry County	South Carolina
0 to 4	8,931	147,311
5 to 9	1,831	24,044
10 to 19	1,386	17,672
20 to 49	993	13,002
50 to 99	345	5,015
100 to 249	196	3,069
250 to 499	38	912
500 to 999	18	417
1000 +	9	307

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

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EMPLOYMENT BY SIZE OF ESTABLISHMENT

Employees	Horry County	South Carolina
0 to 4	9,696	150,934
5 to 9	12,194	160,035
10 to 19	18,727	240,440
20 to 49	29,825	395,156
50 to 99	23,801	346,437
100 to 249	28,386	467,356
250 to 499	12,704	311,369
500 to 999	11,804	284,827
1000 +	21,191	821,778

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

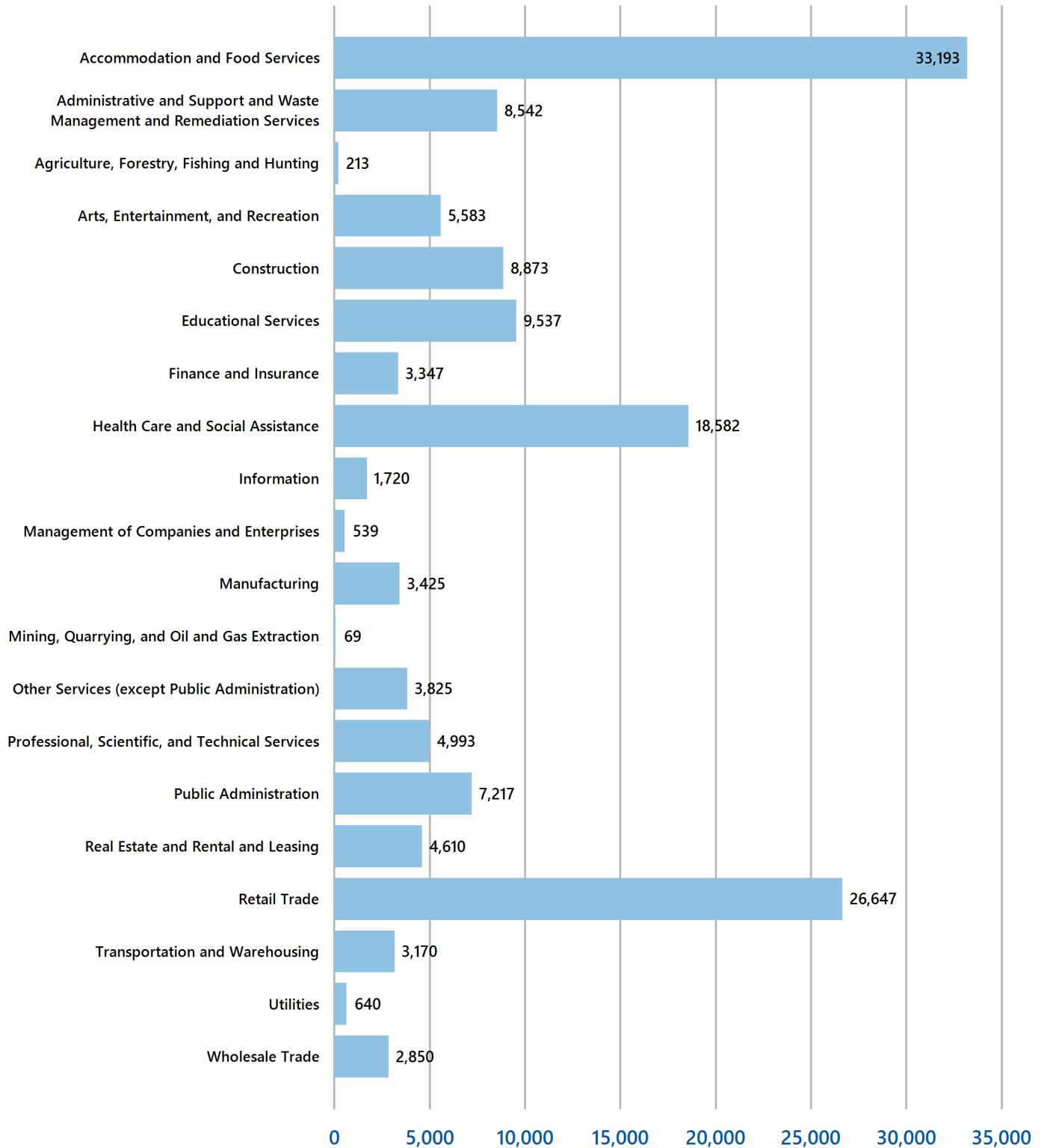
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20 LARGEST EMPLOYERS

ADIDAS AMERICA INC
CITY OF MYRTLE BEACH
COASTAL CAROLINA UNIVERSITY
CONWAY HOSPITAL INC
FOOD LION LLC
FOUNDERS NATIONAL GOLF LLC
GEORGETOWN HOSPITAL SYSTEM
GRAND STRAND REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTE
HILTON GRAND VACATIONS COMPANY LLC
Horry County Council
HORRY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIO
HORRY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC
LORIS COMMUNITY HOSPITAL DISTRICT
MCLEOD LORIS SEACOAST HOSPITAL
OS Restaurant Services, Inc.
PUBLIX SUPER MARKET INC
RESORT EMPLOYEE STAFFING LLC
SOUTHEAST RESTAURANTS CORPORATION
Wal-Mart Associates, Inc.
WYNDHAM VACATION OWNERSHIP INC

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY



Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce
Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW)

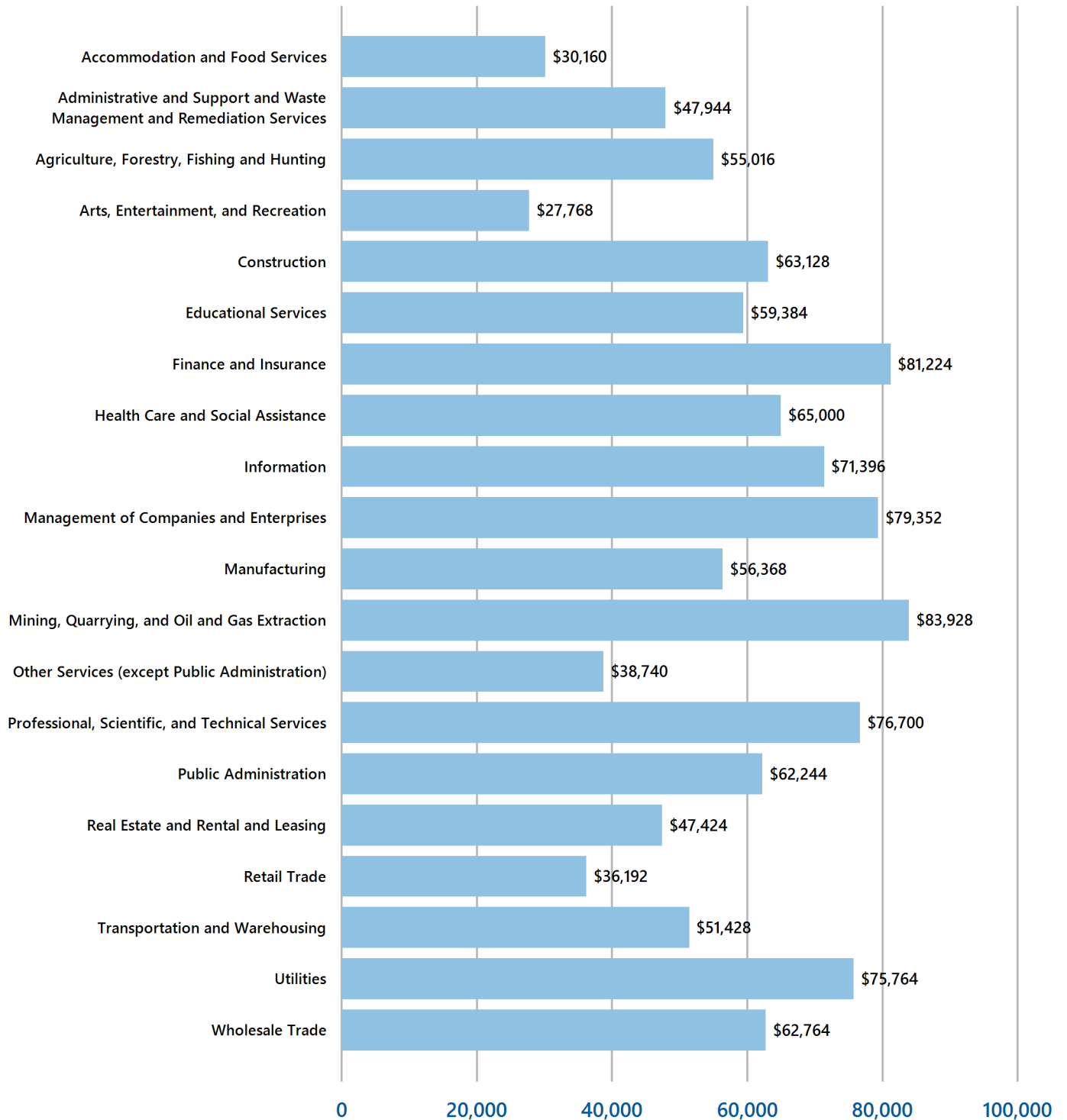
TOP 20 OCCUPATIONAL OPENINGS

HORRY COUNTY

OCCUPATION NAME (SOC CODE)	JOB OPENINGS
Retail Salespersons (41-2031)	267
Registered Nurses (29-1141)	199
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers (41-1011)	161
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products (41-4012)	73
Fast Food and Counter Workers (35-3023)	69
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners (37-2011)	55
Health Technologists and Technicians, All Other (29-2099)	54
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand (53-7062)	54
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners (37-2012)	54
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General (49-9071)	54
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses (29-2061)	51
Stockers and Order Fillers (53-7065)	49
Cashiers (41-2011)	47
Customer Service Representatives (43-4051)	47
Food Service Managers (11-9051)	45
Nursing Assistants (31-1131)	45
Cooks, Restaurant (35-2014)	44
Medical and Health Services Managers (11-9111)	42
Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists (39-5012)	39
Driver/Sales Workers (53-3031)	38

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine[®] data series

AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGE BY INDUSTRY



Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce
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LABOR MARKET PROJECTIONS

Total Employment by Industry

WACCAMAW	2022	2032	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent
	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment			
Total All Industries	191,729	211,290	19,561	10.20%	0.98%
Accommodation and Food Services	35,842	37,576	1,734	4.84%	0.47%
Retail Trade	29,610	32,834	3,224	10.89%	1.04%
Health Care and Social Assistance	20,631	24,607	3,976	19.27%	1.78%
Educational Services	11,578	12,531	953	8.23%	0.79%
Construction	10,548	10,836	288	2.73%	0.27%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	10,135	11,355	1,220	12.04%	1.14%
Other Services (except Government)	8,211	8,779	568	6.92%	0.67%
Manufacturing	8,183	8,788	605	7.39%	0.72%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	6,752	7,683	931	13.79%	1.30%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	6,156	6,915	759	12.33%	1.17%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	5,243	6,693	1,450	27.66%	2.47%
Finance and Insurance	5,111	6,165	1,054	20.62%	1.89%
Wholesale Trade	3,523	3,769	246	6.98%	0.68%
Transportation and Warehousing	3,065	3,457	392	12.79%	1.21%
Information	2,314	2,556	242	10.46%	1.00%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	839	1,166	327	38.98%	3.35%
Utilities	641	665	24	3.74%	0.37%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce - Industry Projections