Overview of the CareerSource Northeast Florida Region
Not Seasonally Adjusted
August 21, 2020

- The unemployment rate in the CareerSource Northeast Florida region (Baker, Clay, Duval, Nassau, Putnam, and St. Johns counties) was 8.8 percent in July 2020. This rate was 5.3 percentage point higher than the region's year ago rate of 3.5 percent. The region's July 2020 unemployment rate was 2.7 percentage point lower than the state rate of 11.5 percent. The labor force was 790,685, down 29,648 (-3.6) over the year. There were 69,730 unemployed residents in the region.

- Baker County had the lowest unemployment rate (6.6 percent) in the CareerSource Northeast Florida region followed by Clay County (7.2 percent), St. Johns County (7.4 percent), Nassau County (7.6 percent), Duval County (9.6 percent), and Putnam County (10.9 percent).

- In July 2020 nonagricultural employment in the Jacksonville MSA was 693,000, a decrease of 25,500 jobs (-3.5 percent) over the year.

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- The industry gaining in jobs over the year was education and health services (+2,500 jobs).

- The leisure and hospitality (-11,900 jobs); trade, transportation, and utilities (-9,000 jobs); professional and business services (-2,300 jobs); mining, logging, and construction (-1,200 jobs); information (-1,100 jobs); other services (-1,100 jobs); government (-700 jobs); manufacturing (-500 jobs); and financial activities (-200 jobs) industries lost jobs over the year.
## Unemployment Rates

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Source: Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, Bureau of Workforce Statistics and Economic Research.

## Nonagricultural Employment by Industry

### Jacksonville Metropolitan Statistical Area

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