





Source: US Bureau of Labor Statistics, January - December. The Asheville Metro consists of Buncombe, Hawwood, Henderson, and Madison counties				2010-2015	
Major Industry Employment	2010	2015	% Total	Change	% Change
Total All Industries (nonfarm)	166,400	182,100	100%	15,700	9.4%
Educational and Health Services	30,800	35,100	19.3%	4,300	14.0%
Government	27,300	24,900	13.7%	(2,400)	(8.8)%
Manufacturing	17,900	19,800	10.9%	1,900	10.6%
Retail	22,400	24,800	13.6%	2,400	10.7%
Leisure and Hospitality	22,200	26,600	14.6%	4,400	19.8%
Professional and Business Services	15,000	18,000	9.9%	3,000	20.0%
Construction	7,700	7,900	4.3%	200	2.6%
Financial Activities	5,600	6,000	3.3%	400	7.1%
Wholesale Trade	4,700	4,600	2.5%	(100)	(2.1)%
Transportation/Utilities	4,400	5,200	2.9%	800	18.2%
Information	1,900	1,800	1.0%	(100)	(5.3)%
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