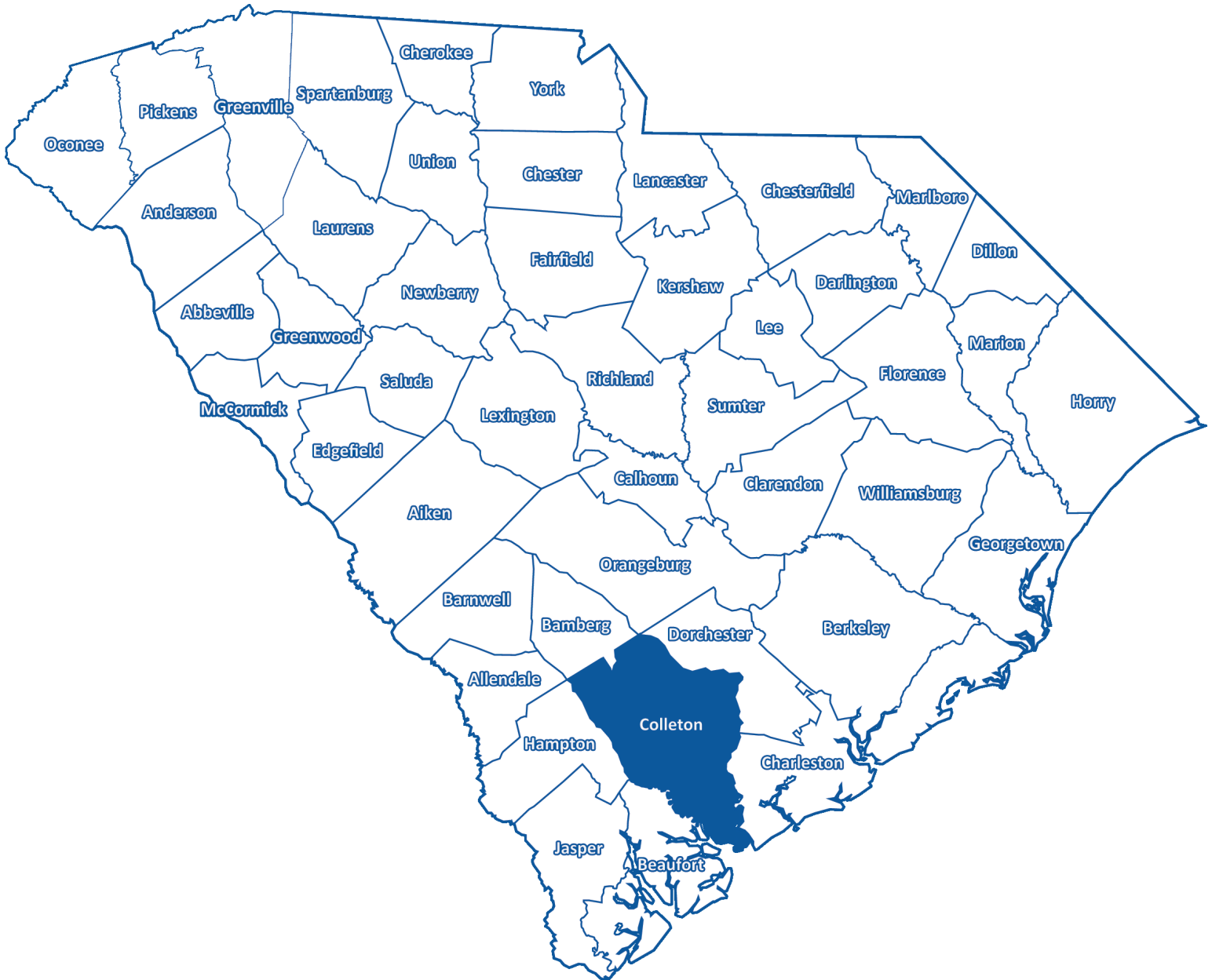
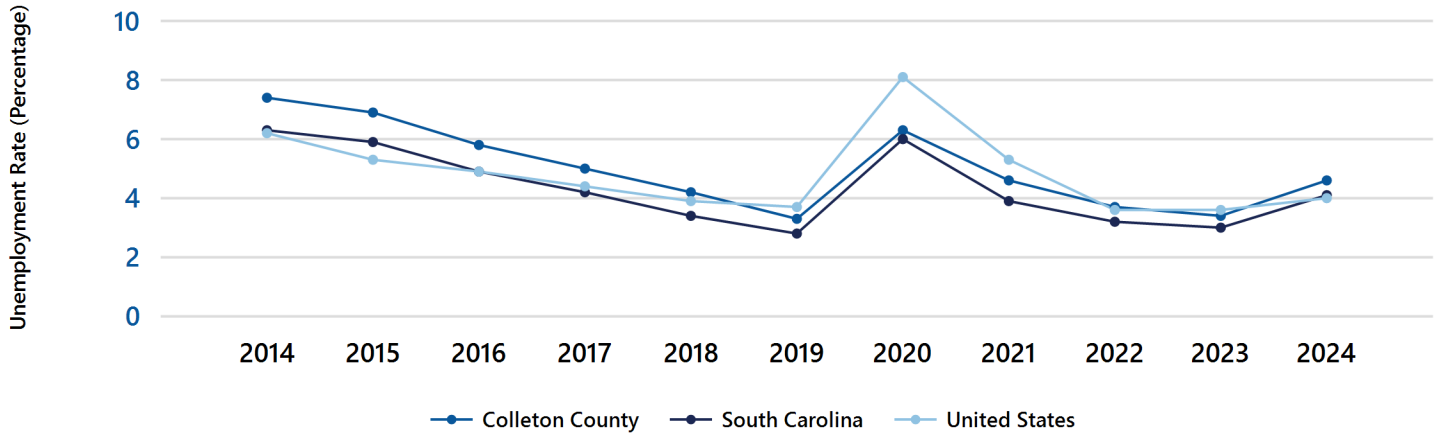


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ANNUAL UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (UNADJUSTED)



COLLETON COUNTY

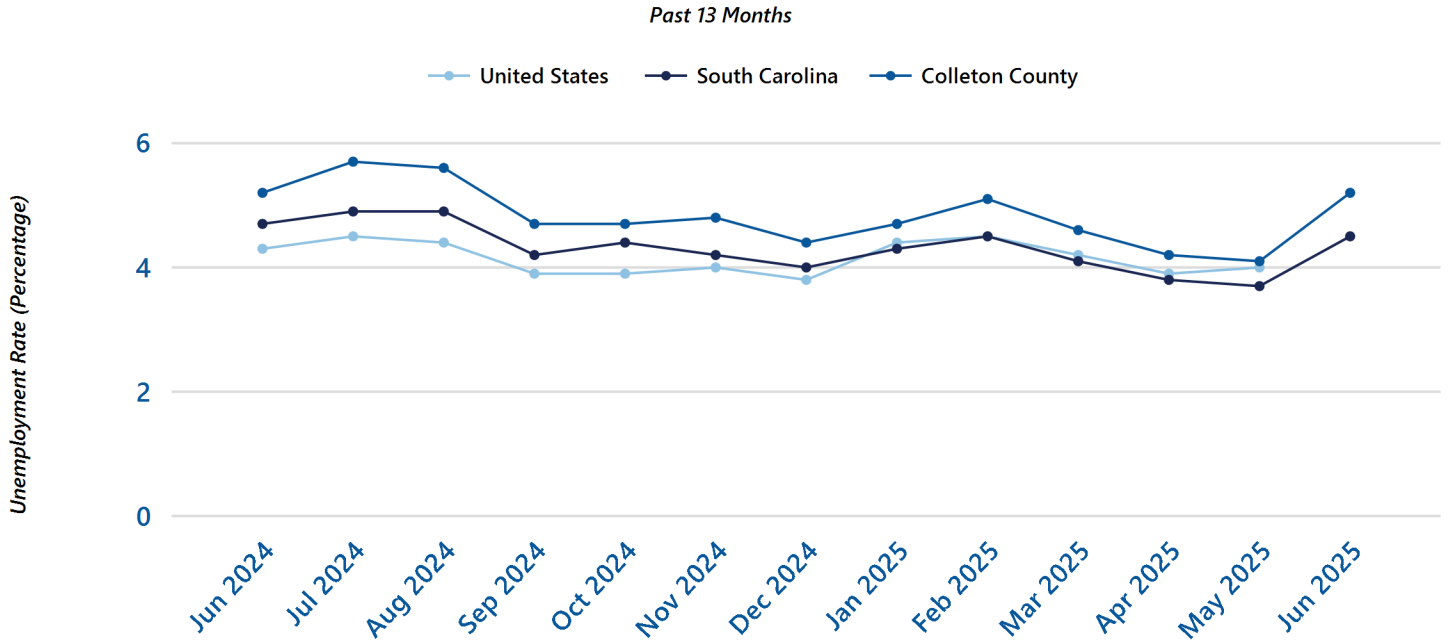
SOUTH CAROLINA

UNITED STATES

Year	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate	Employment	Unemp.	Rate
2024	15,123	726	4.6%	2,430,453	105,178	4.1%	161,346,000	6,761,000	4.0%
2023	14,776	520	3.4%	2,401,212	74,248	3.0%	161,037,000	6,080,000	3.6%
2022	14,388	560	3.7%	2,330,548	77,339	3.2%	158,291,000	5,996,000	3.6%
2021	14,600	704	4.6%	2,272,940	92,676	3.9%	152,581,000	8,623,000	5.3%
2020	14,598	980	6.3%	2,201,090	140,613	6.0%	147,795,000	12,947,000	8.1%
2019	15,169	518	3.3%	2,263,682	64,405	2.8%	157,538,000	6,001,000	3.7%
2018	14,996	653	4.2%	2,206,821	76,542	3.4%	155,761,000	6,314,000	3.9%
2017	14,787	778	5.0%	2,168,104	94,845	4.2%	153,337,000	6,982,000	4.4%
2016	14,893	912	5.8%	2,145,584	110,199	4.9%	151,436,000	7,751,000	4.9%
2015	15,370	1,140	6.9%	2,108,786	132,281	5.9%	148,834,000	8,296,000	5.3%
2014	15,256	1,228	7.4%	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)



Period	COLLETON COUNTY	SOUTH CAROLINA	UNITED STATES
Jun 2025	5.2%	4.5%	%
May 2025	4.1%	3.7%	4.0%
Apr 2025	4.2%	3.8%	3.9%
Mar 2025	4.6%	4.1%	4.2%
Feb 2025	5.1%	4.5%	4.5%
Jan 2025	4.7%	4.3%	4.4%
Dec 2024	4.4%	4.0%	3.8%
Nov 2024	4.8%	4.2%	4.0%
Oct 2024	4.7%	4.4%	3.9%
Sep 2024	4.7%	4.2%	3.9%
Aug 2024	5.6%	4.9%	4.4%
Jul 2024	5.7%	4.9%	4.5%
Jun 2024	5.2%	4.7%	4.3%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

Local Area Unemployment Statistics

COLLETON COUNTY

SOUTH CAROLINA

Period	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate	Employed	Unemployed	Unemp. Rate
Jun 2025	15,273	846	5.2%	2,459,338	105,951	4.1%
May 2025	15,216	657	4.1%	2,453,711	105,694	4.1%
Apr 2025	15,216	669	4.2%	2,448,573	106,470	4.2%
Mar 2025	15,151	728	4.6%	2,445,437	105,631	4.1%
Feb 2025	15,133	811	5.1%	2,443,050	107,112	4.2%
Jan 2025	14,855	734	4.7%	2,439,667	109,341	4.3%
Dec 2024	14,955	682	4.4%	2,437,016	112,637	4.4%
Nov 2024	14,972	755	4.8%	2,437,183	112,954	4.4%
Oct 2024	15,203	758	4.7%	2,436,946	114,211	4.5%
Sep 2024	15,185	756	4.7%	2,435,531	115,873	4.5%
Aug 2024	15,152	901	5.6%	2,433,798	116,576	4.6%
Jul 2024	15,321	922	5.7%	2,432,238	115,123	4.5%
Jun 2024	15,313	842	5.2%	2,430,644	111,177	4.4%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce & The Conference Board's Help Wanted OnLine® data series
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20 LARGEST EMPLOYERS

48FORTY SOLUTIONS LLC
ADVANTAGE VETERANS SERVICES OF WALT
ARC Burger LLC
CITY OF WALTERBORO
COLLETON COUNTY GOVERNMENT
COLLETON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Colleton Cty Board of Disabilities
COLLETON PREPARATORY ACADEMY INC
FOOD LION LLC
GEHL FOODS SOUTHEAST LLC
JH HIERS CONSTRUCTION LLC
KELLY SERVICES USA LLC
LOWCOUNTRY COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY
MASTERCORP INC
Mavis Tire Supply LLC
PALMETTO RURAL TELEPHONE CO OP INC
PRUITTHEALTH WALTERBORO LLC
WAL-MART ASSOCIATES INC
WALTERBORO COMMUNITY HOSPITAL INC
WYNDHAM VACATION OWNERSHIP

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce

LABOR MARKET PROJECTIONS

Total Employment by Industry

LOWCOUNTRY	2022	2032	Change	Percent Change	Annual Percent
	Estimated Employment	Projected Employment			
Total All Industries	105,682	115,702	10,020	9.48%	0.91%
Accommodation and Food Services	15,479	16,236	757	4.89%	0.48%
Retail Trade	15,140	16,865	1,725	11.39%	1.08%
Health Care and Social Assistance	12,369	14,666	2,297	18.57%	1.72%
Construction	7,157	7,304	147	2.05%	0.20%
Other Services (except Government)	6,633	7,090	457	6.89%	0.67%
Educational Services	6,406	6,933	527	8.23%	0.79%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediat	6,058	6,731	673	11.11%	1.06%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	4,971	5,657	686	13.80%	1.30%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	3,254	3,522	268	8.24%	0.79%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	2,600	2,940	340	13.08%	1.24%
Finance and Insurance	2,395	2,803	408	17.04%	1.59%
Manufacturing	2,343	2,430	87	3.71%	0.37%
Wholesale Trade	1,887	2,025	138	7.31%	0.71%
Transportation and Warehousing	1,294	1,445	151	11.67%	1.11%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	754	1,048	294	38.99%	3.35%
Information	745	853	108	14.50%	1.36%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	731	725	-6	-0.82%	-0.08%
Utilities	428	444	16	3.74%	0.37%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	18	20	2	11.11%	1.06%

Source: SC Department of Employment & Workforce - Industry Projections