



Major Private Employers - 2009/10

Based on number of full-time employees only

	Company	Full-Time	Primary Product/Service
1	Publix	1,602	Grocery Store Chain
2	PGT Industries	913	Window And Door Manufacturer
3	Venice Regional Medical Center	830	Hospital
4	SunTrust Bank	819	Commercial Bank
5	Sun Hydraulics Corporation	640	Manufacturer - Hydraulic Cartridge Valves
6	Comcast Cablevision	595	Cable Service Provider
7	Sunset Automotive Group	500	Automobile Retailer
8	The Ritz-Carlton of Sarasota	473	Hotel And Resort
9	Goodwill Industries	473	Not-for-Profit Retailer
10	Longboat Key Club & Resort	417	Hotel And Resort
11	Doctors Hospital of Sarasota	400	Hospital
12	FCCI Insurance Group	382	Insurance
13	Englewood Community Hospital	333	Hospital
14	Sarasota Herald-Tribune	281	Newspaper Publisher
15	Village on the Isle	280	Retirement Center
16	The Zenith Insurance Company	255	Insurance
17	First Physicians Group	252	Healthcare Providers
18	Coastal Behavioral Healthcare, Inc.	251	Mental Health and Treatment Center
19	Tervis Tumbler	249	Insulated Plastic Tumbler Manufacturer
20	Wilde Automotive	247	Automobile Retailer
21	Ringling College of Art and Design	245	Art School
22	ArtisTree Landscape Maintenance & Design	225	Landscape Contractors
23	L-3 Communications/L-3 Aviation Recorders	210	Manufacturer of Aviation Recorders
24	Vengroff Williams & Associates	204	Financial Services - Receivables Management
25	Sarasota Family YMCA	192	Health, Fitness, and Family Services Provider
26	Wackenhut Corp	188	Security Services
27	Boars Head	185	Distributor of lunchmeat
28	The Glenridge at Palmer Ranch	181	Retirement Community
29	Sarasota Bay Club	182	Independent Living/HomeHealth & Rehab Community
30	United Natural Foods, Inc.	180	Warehouse Distribution Center
31	Wachovia Bank	178	Commercial Bank
32	METI	171	Manufacturer of Patient Simulators
33	Aso LLC	170	Manufacturer - Bandages
34	Coldwell Banker	169	Real Estate -Residential and Commercial
35	Mote Marine Laboratory & Aquarium	159	Marine Life Research Facility
36	Plymouth Harbor	159	Retirement Home
37	Waste Management of Sarasota	159	Refuse and Waste Management

38	Certified Collectibles	150	Professional certification organization
39	Bay Village of Sarasota, Inc.	147	Nursing and Assisted Living Care
40	Gold Coast Eagle Distributing	144	Beverage Distributor
41	Hyatt Sarasota	140	Hotel And Resort
42	Hazeltine Nurseries, Inc	138	Landscape Contractors
43	Buchanan Motors	137	Automobile Dealerships
44	Sutter Roofing Company of Florida	130	Roofing Contractor
45	Jackson Hewitt, Inc.	125	Tax Software
46	Gettel Automotive	119	Automobile Dealerships
47	Sunnyside Village	116	Nursing and Assisted Living Care
48	Bealls Department Store	110	Department Store
49	Partners in Practice	110	Accounts Receivable Management
50	Michael Saunders & Co.	104	Real Estate - Residential and Commercial
51	APAC-Southeast Inc.	101	Paving Contractors
52	Clockwork Home Services	100	Home Contractor Services

Major Government Employers

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Company

1	School Board of Sarasota County	5,297	Public Education
2	Sarasota Memorial Health Care System	3,092	Health Care
7	Sarasota County	2,033	Municipality
3	City of Sarasota	740	Municipality
4	City of North Port	549	Municipality
8	New College of Florida COH204	285	Public Education
6	City of Venice	281	Municipality
10	USF Sarasota/Manatee	155	Public Education
9	John and Mable Ringling Museum	118	Museum
5	Town of Longboat Key	100	Municipality

Note: The Economic Development Corporation of Sarasota County has compiled this listing of the largest private employers in Sarasota County based upon information provided. This information is subject to change. **Updated September 2009.**