

Delaware

RESTAURANT INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE

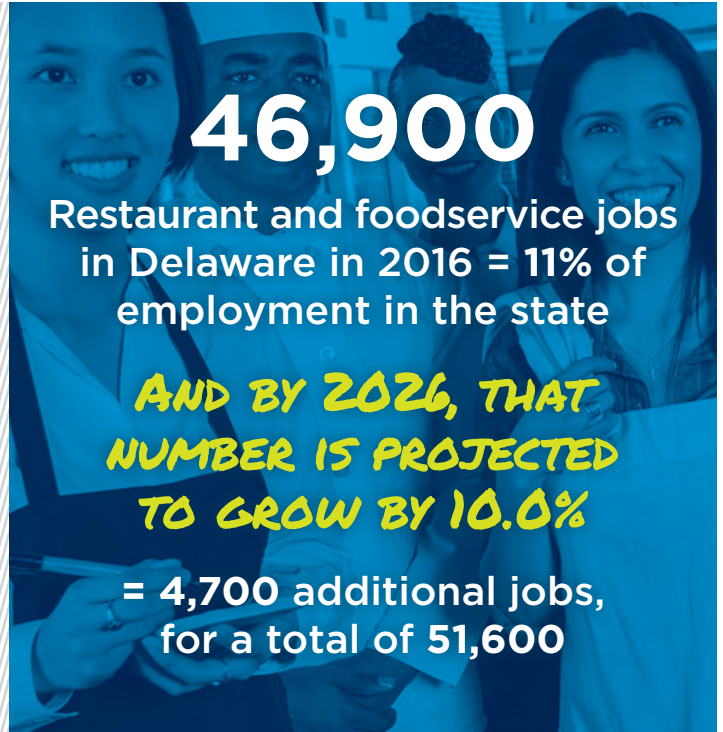
Restaurants are a driving force in Delaware's economy. They provide jobs and build careers for thousands of people, and play a vital role in local communities throughout the state.



1,841
Eating and drinking place
locations in Delaware in 2014



\$2.0 billion
Projected sales in Delaware's
restaurants in 2016



46,900
Restaurant and foodservice jobs
in Delaware in 2016 = 11% of
employment in the state

**AND BY 2026, THAT
NUMBER IS PROJECTED
TO GROW BY 10.0%**

= 4,700 additional jobs,
for a total of 51,600

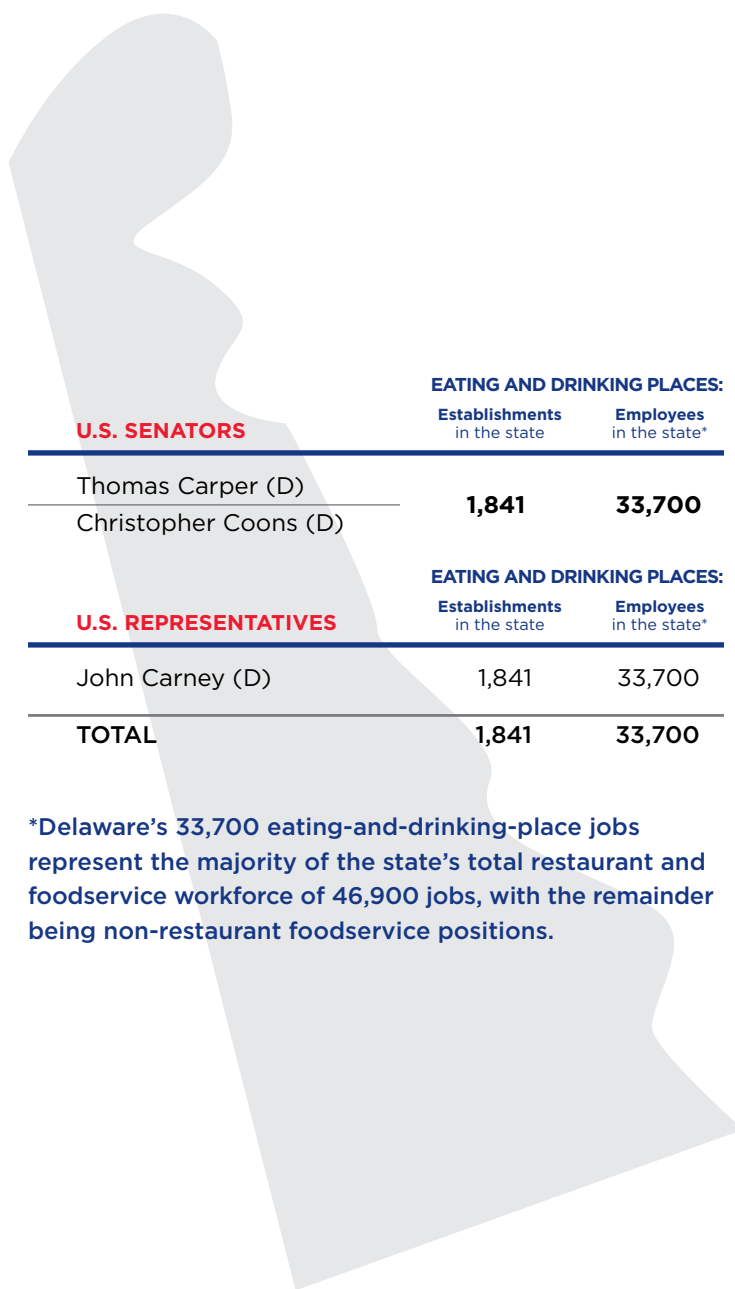
HOW BIG IS AMERICA'S RESTAURANT INDUSTRY?	LOCATIONS	1 MILLION+ serving millions every day
	SALES	\$783 BILLION = 4% of the U.S. GDP
	EMPLOYMENT	14.4 MILLION PEOPLE = 10% of the nation's workforce



FOR MORE INFORMATION: Restaurant.org • DelawareRestaurant.org

Delaware's Restaurants

JOBS AND ENTREPRENEURIAL OPPORTUNITIES IN EVERY COMMUNITY



U.S. SENATORS	EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
	Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
Thomas Carper (D)	1,841	33,700
Christopher Coons (D)		
U.S. REPRESENTATIVES	EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
	Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
John Carney (D)	1,841	33,700
TOTAL	1,841	33,700

*Delaware's 33,700 eating-and-drinking-place jobs represent the majority of the state's total restaurant and foodservice workforce of 46,900 jobs, with the remainder being non-restaurant foodservice positions.



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Source: National Restaurant Association, based on data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics & U.S. Census Bureau, 2014