

Maryland

RESTAURANT INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE

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



10,943
Eating and drinking place locations in Maryland in 2014



\$11.7 billion
Projected sales in Maryland's restaurants in 2016



244,000
Restaurant and foodservice jobs in Maryland in 2016 = 10% of employment in the state

AND BY 2026, THAT NUMBER IS PROJECTED TO GROW BY 9.5%
= 23,300 additional jobs, for a total of 267,300

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



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Maryland's Restaurants

JOBS AND ENTREPRENEURIAL OPPORTUNITIES IN EVERY COMMUNITY

		EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
U.S. SENATORS		Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
Benjamin Cardin (D)		10,943	192,600
Barbara Mikulski (D)			
		EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
U.S. REPRESENTATIVES		Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
1	Andy Harris (R)	1,603	28,218
2	Dutch Ruppersberger (D)	1,312	23,092
3	John P. Sarbanes (D)	1,799	31,670
4	Donna F. Edwards (D)	1,024	18,028
5	Steny H. Hoyer (D)	1,135	19,970
6	John Delaney (D)	1,256	22,108
7	Elijah Cummings (D)	1,393	24,514
8	Chris Van Hollen (D)	1,420	25,000
TOTAL		10,943	192,600

*Maryland's 192,600 eating-and-drinking-place jobs represent the majority of the state's total restaurant and foodservice workforce of 244,000 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