

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.



11,250
Eating and drinking place locations in Maryland in 2016



\$12.1 billion
Estimated sales in Maryland's restaurants in 2017



246,200
Restaurant and foodservice jobs in Maryland in 2018 = 9% of employment in the state

AND BY 2028, THAT NUMBER IS PROJECTED TO GROW BY 8.8%

= 21,700 additional jobs, for a total of 267,900

HOW BIG IS AMERICA'S RESTAURANT INDUSTRY?	LOCATIONS	1 MILLION+ serving millions every day
	SALES	\$800 BILLION = 4% of the U.S. GDP
	EMPLOYMENT	15.1 MILLION PEOPLE = 10% of the nation's workforce



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Maryland's Restaurants

JOBS AND ENTREPRENEURIAL OPPORTUNITIES IN EVERY COMMUNITY

U.S. SENATORS

	EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
	Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
Benjamin Cardin (D)	11,250	201,300
Chris Van Hollen (D)		

U.S. REPRESENTATIVES

	EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
	Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
1 Andy Harris (R)	1,636	29,270
2 Dutch Ruppersberger (D)	1,332	23,830
3 John P. Sarbanes (D)	1,810	32,395
4 Anthony G. Brown (D)	1,106	19,783
5 Steny H. Hoyer (D)	1,222	21,863
6 John Delaney (D)	1,259	22,536
7 Elijah Cummings (D)	1,399	25,041
8 Jamie Raskin (D)	1,486	26,582
TOTAL	11,250	201,300

***Maryland's 201,300 eating-and-drinking-place jobs represent the majority of the state's total restaurant and foodservice workforce of 246,200 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, 2016