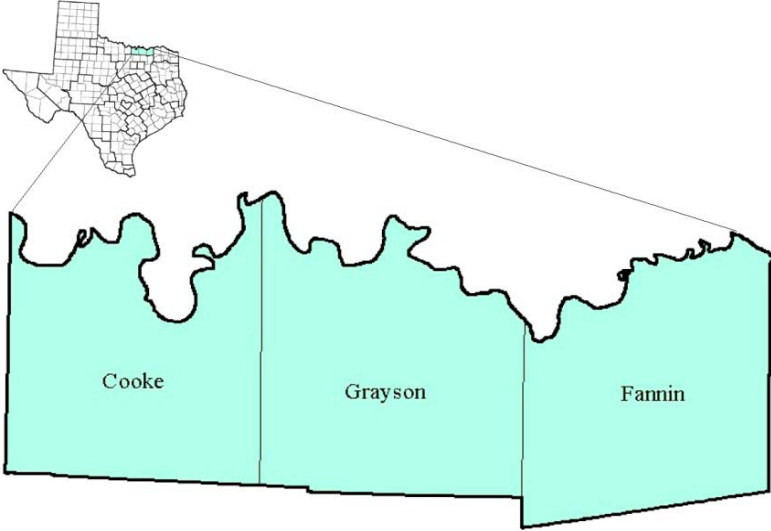


# Texoma Workforce Development Area

April 2018



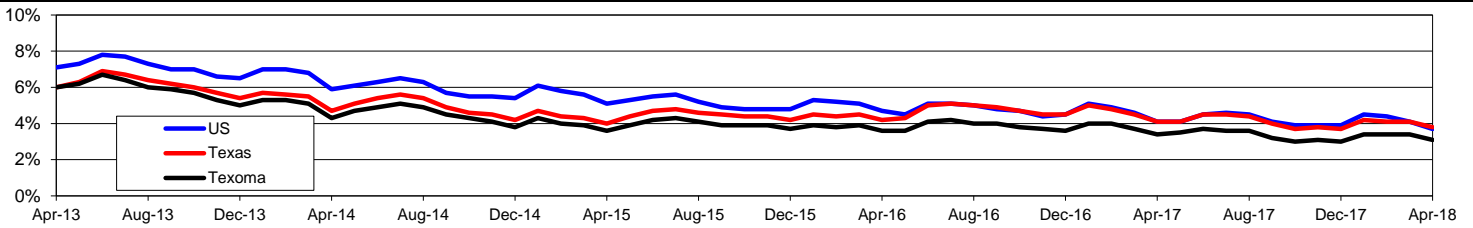
WDA Labor Force Statistics				
	Apr-18	Mar-18	Apr-17	OTY
CLF	98,353	98,660	96,828	1,525
Employed	95,307	95,265	93,569	1,738
Unemployed	3,046	3,395	3,259	-213
Rate	3.1%	3.4%	3.4%	-0.3%

Texas Labor Force Statistics				
	Apr-18	Mar-18	Apr-17	OTY
CLF	13,860,323	13,836,504	13,527,232	333,091
Employed	13,340,165	13,267,080	12,967,846	372,319
Unemployed	520,158	569,424	559,386	-39,228
Rate	3.8%	4.1%	4.1%	-0.3%

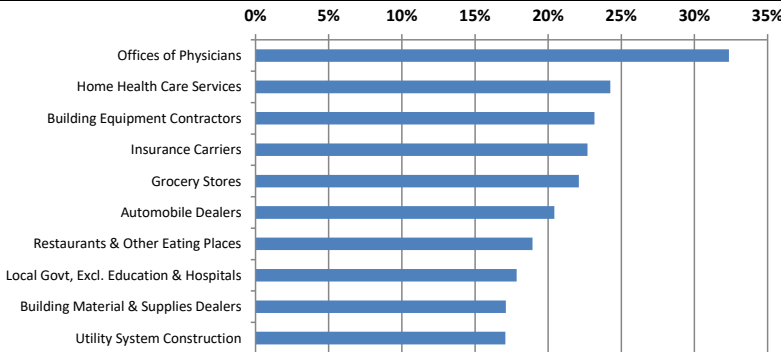
US Labor Force Statistics				
	Apr-18	Mar-18	Apr-17	OTY
CLF	161,280,000	161,548,000	159,817,000	1,463,000
Employed	155,348,000	154,877,000	153,262,000	2,086,000
Unemployed	5,932,000	6,671,000	6,555,000	-623,000
Rate	3.7%	4.1%	4.1%	-0.4%

Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th				
	Apr-18	Mar-18	Apr-17	OTY
WDA	431	485	622	-191
Texas	92,281	102,696	116,413	-24,132

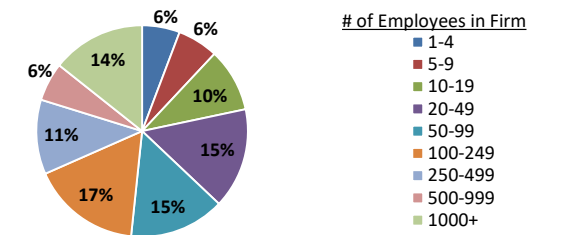
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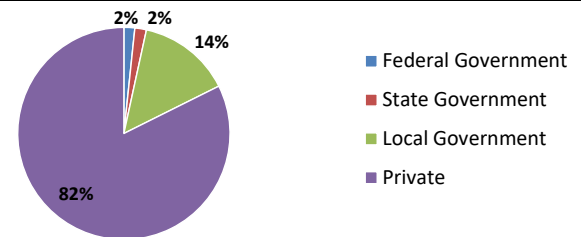
## Projected Fastest Growing Industries in WDA (% growth 2014-2024)



## Employment by Size Class (3rd Quarter 2017)



## Employment by Ownership (3rd Quarter 2017)



## Average Weekly Wage (3rd Quarter 2017)

	Q3 2017	Q2 2017	Q3 2016	Change	
				Quarter	Year
WDA	\$797	\$822	\$807	-\$25	-\$10
Texas	\$1,032	\$1,027	\$1,042	\$5	-\$10
US	\$1,021	\$1,020	\$1,027	\$1	-\$6

## Employment by Industry (3rd Quarter 2017, Percent Change)

Industry	Employment	% of total	% Change	
			Quarter	Year
Natural resources and mining	1,859	2.8%	10.5%	35.8%
Construction	3,824	5.7%	1.4%	-1.1%
Manufacturing	9,400	14.0%	0.3%	-1.5%
Trade, transportation and utilities	12,654	18.8%	-0.3%	-1.8%
Information	522	0.8%	-0.6%	-9.1%
Financial activities	3,729	5.5%	0.7%	-0.3%
Professional and business services	4,003	6.0%	0.1%	8.6%
Education and health services	19,256	28.6%	-2.3%	2.8%
Leisure and hospitality	7,528	11.2%	-1.9%	-0.1%
Other services	1,462	2.2%	-2.6%	-7.1%
Public administration	3,037	4.5%	0.7%	0.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>67,274</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-0.5%</b>	<b>1.1%</b>

## Employment by Industry (3rd Quarter 2017)

