

Anticipating Future Skills Series 5 Fast 5 Facts

Far North region

Between 2023-24 and 2027-28:

- **1 Employment in Far North Queensland** is projected to increase by 1.1% (159 jobs) to 14,268 workers.
- **The largest industry** in the region is public administration and safety which is projected to gain 69 additional workers, to employ a total of 2,758 workers.
- **The fastest-growing industry** in the region is rental, hiring and real estate services, which is projected to increase by 9%.
- **25% of workers** will hold a Certificate III & IV level qualification. The largest occupations for workers with this qualification are metal fitters and machinists, electricians, drillers, miners and shotfirers.
- **Almost 45% of workers** with a Certificate III & IV level will have a qualification in the field of engineering and related technologies.

