

Anticipating Future Skills Series 5 Fast 5 Facts

Gold Coast region

Between 2023-24 and 2027-28:

- **Employment in Gold Coast** is projected to increase by 6.2% (22,009 jobs) to 376,740 workers.
- **Health care and social assistance** is the largest-employing and fastest-growing industry division in the region, growing by 7,362 workers (13.5%), to employ 62,021 workers.
- **The largest industry group,** cafes, restaurants and takeaway food services, is projected to grow by 3.4% (or 740 workers) to employ nearly 23,000 people.
- 4 More workers will hold a Certificate III & IV level qualification (89,089 people) than any other qualification. The largest occupations for workers with this qualification level are electricians, carpenters and joiners, and aged and disabled carers.
- **30% of workers** with a Certificate III & IV level will have a qualification in the field of engineering and related technologies.

