

Oklahoma

RESTAURANT INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE

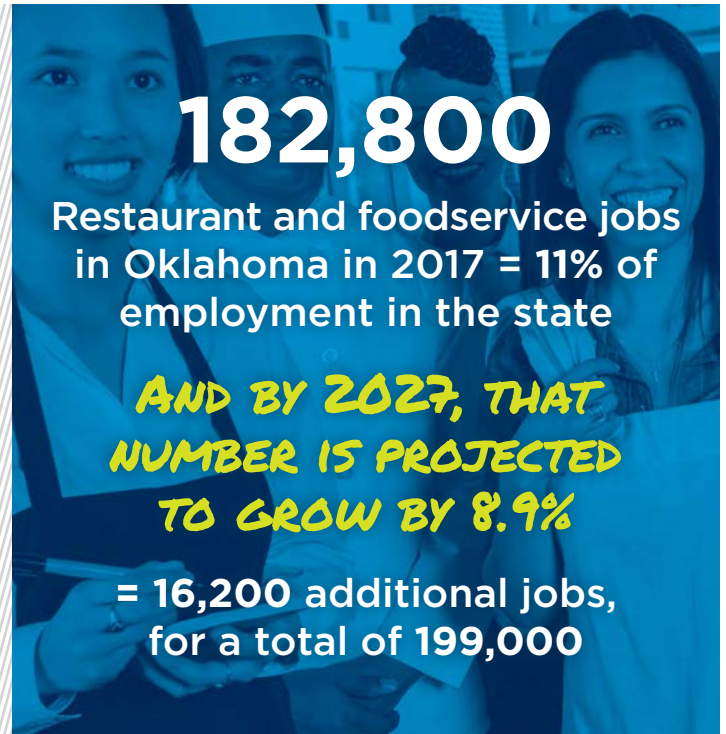
Restaurants are a driving force in Oklahoma's economy. They provide jobs and build careers for thousands of people, and play a vital role in local communities throughout the state.



6,562
Eating and drinking place
locations in Oklahoma in 2015



\$6.6 billion
Projected sales in Oklahoma's
restaurants in 2017



182,800
Restaurant and foodservice jobs
in Oklahoma in 2017 = 11% of
employment in the state

**AND BY 2027, THAT
NUMBER IS PROJECTED
TO GROW BY 8.9%**

= 16,200 additional jobs,
for a total of 199,000

HOW BIG IS AMERICA'S RESTAURANT INDUSTRY?	LOCATIONS	1 MILLION+ serving millions every day
	SALES	\$799 BILLION = 4% of the U.S. GDP
	EMPLOYMENT	14.7 MILLION PEOPLE = 10% of the nation's workforce



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Oklahoma's Restaurants

JOBS AND ENTREPRENEURIAL OPPORTUNITIES IN EVERY COMMUNITY

		EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
U.S. SENATORS		Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
	James Lankford (R)	6,562	131,600
	James Inhofe (R)		
		EATING AND DRINKING PLACES:	
U.S. REPRESENTATIVES		Establishments in the state	Employees in the state*
1	Jim Bridenstine (R)	1,503	30,152
2	Markwayne Mullin (R)	981	19,669
3	Frank Lucas (R)	1,263	25,338
4	Tom Cole (R)	1,223	24,520
5	Steve Russell (R)	1,592	31,921
TOTAL		6,562	131,600

*Oklahoma's 131,600 eating-and-drinking-place jobs represent the majority of the state's total restaurant and foodservice workforce of 182,800 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, 2015