

Women in Miami-Dade County Economic Opportunity MIAMI-DADE COUNTY



In 2019...



The income gap between genders was at its highest since 2015 at 19.6%. Within racial groups, women tend to have lower earnings than men except Black women.

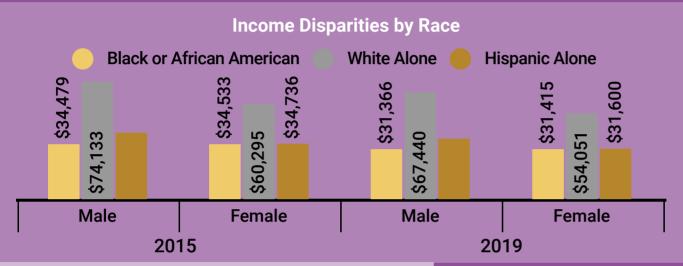


Women were a minority across all industry sectors except education, healthcare, and social assistance. Although this field is dominated by women, the median earnings gap persists at 23.5%.



From Q4 in 2019 to Q4 in 2020, 13.3% of Black and African American workers lost their jobs compared to 8.1% of Hispanic workers and 7.1% of White workers.

In 2019 the county poverty rate was 15.6% with the highest rates for those under 18 and over 65 years of age. The greatest rates were for women over 65 years old (23.8%)





COVID-19 Impact

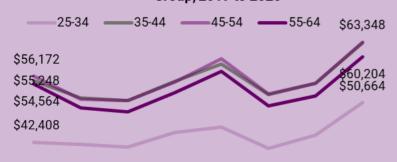
- 14% increase in women's earnings from Q4 in 2019 to Q4 in 2020
- Drop in employment for women in 25-34 age group
- Wages increase as a result of lower income earners leaving the workforce

Change in Employment of Women by Age Group, 2019 to 2020



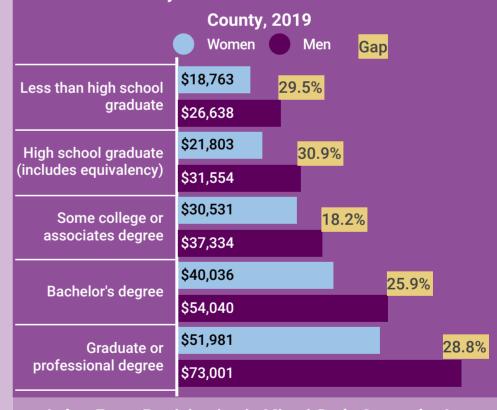
• The pandemic negatively affected many women who had to leave the workforce. From the last guarter of 2019 to the last guarter of 2020 women's employment declined by 10.3%.

Change in Average Earnings of Women by Age Group, 2019 to 2020

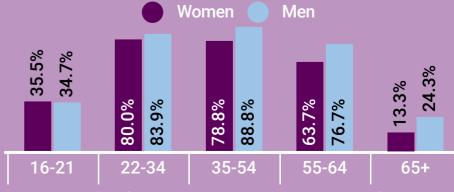


Q1 2019 Q2 2019 Q3 2019 Q4 2019 Q1 2020 Q2 2020 Q3 2020 Q4 2020

Median Income by Educational Attainment in Miami-Dade



Labor Force Participation in Miami-Dade County by Age



Women's labor force participation is lower than that of men across all age groups.