

**City of Tampa, Florida**  
**Principal Employers**  
**Current Year and Nine Years Ago**

Employer	2007			1998		
	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total City Employment %	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total City Employment %
Hillsborough County School Board	24,969	1	4.27	23,884	1	4.83
Hillsborough County Government	11,290	2	1.93	9,866	2	1.99
GTE Data Services				9,500	3	1.92
University of South Florida	8,743	3	1.50	8,955	4	1.81
Verizon Communications Corporation	7,652	4	1.31			
Tampa International Airport	6,500	5	1.11	6,541	5	1.32
MacDill Air Force Base	5,812	6	0.99			
Tampa General Hospital	4,920	7	0.84			
Publix Food Centers	4,702	8	0.80	4,326	7	0.87
US Postal Service				4,127	8	0.83
City of Tampa	4,538	9	0.78	4,000	9	0.81
Saint Joseph's Hospital	4,407	10	0.75	4,362	6	0.88
Tampa General Hospital				3,000	10	0.61
	<b>83,533</b>		<b>14.29</b>	<b>78,561</b>		<b>15.87</b>

Source: Hillsborough County City-County Planning Commission except data for City of Tampa which is from city department of administrative services

Unaudited - see accompanying independent auditors' report