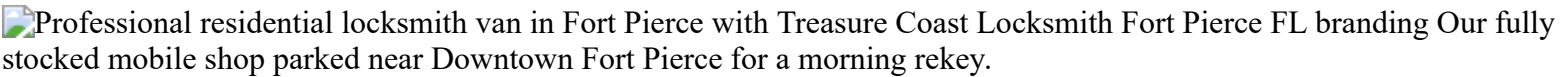


If you need a residential locksmith in Fort Pierce, we handle lockouts, rekeys, repairs, and smart lock installs the same day. We cover all of St. Lucie County. Expect honest pricing, clear time windows, and a clean job. Call at . We can usually be at your door in 30 to 60 minutes in Fort Pierce.

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TL;DR: We’re Fort Pierce residential locksmiths handling lockouts, rekeys, lock repair, smart locks, and door hardware. Most rekeys run \$129 to \$249 for a standard home. Emergency lockouts usually \$95 to \$165 depending on time and lock type. Call for a fast quote or request a free estimate online.

Our fully stocked mobile shop parked near Downtown Fort Pierce for a morning rekey.

Why homeowners in Fort Pierce call first

We’re local. We live and work right here in Fort Pierce, Florida. You’ll see our vans around Downtown Fort Pierce, Indian River Drive, White City, and South Beach. We’re also in Lakewood Park and near the Causeway to Hutchinson Island most weeks. And we don’t bounce you to a call center. You talk to us.

Here’s the thing. We answer fast, we quote clear prices, and we show up with the right parts. You’ll get Grade 2 hardware when needed, fresh keys that actually track smoothly, and zero damage to your door. Want a keypad for the pool guy? We do that too. Ever had a sticky deadbolt on a humid August afternoon? We fix that. Daily.

Fort Pierce residential locksmith services and prices

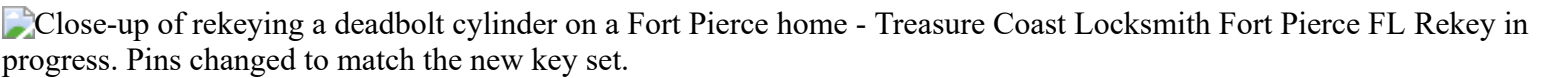
Direct answer: We provide house lockouts, rekeying, lock repair and replacement, deadbolt upgrades, keypad and smart lock installs, mailbox and garage locks, and sliding door security in Fort Pierce. Typical costs: rekey 1-6 locks runs \$129 to \$249, fresh deadbolt install \$145 to \$225 per door including hardware options, and emergency lockouts \$95 to \$165.

We price jobs by the number of cylinders, the hardware grade, and whether we’re drilling a fresh hole or using existing prep. A standard single-cylinder deadbolt like Schlage B60 fits most Fort Pierce doors. For coastal homes near the inlet, we suggest weather-resistant finishes and stainless fasteners. Salt air is no joke.

How rekeying works and when to choose it over new locks

Rekeying means we change the pins inside your existing lock so old keys stop working and a new key works. No need to replace the entire lock body if the hardware is in good shape. You should rekey when you move in, after tenants leave, if a key’s missing, or after construction is done and copies are floating around. It takes about 45 to 75 minutes for a 4-door home.

We usually rekey Schlage, Kwikset, Defiant, and Baldwin in Fort Pierce. For rentals in White City, most are Kwikset. For newer builds near St. Lucie Village, we often see Schlage. Honest take, we’d skip no-name big box locks. The tolerances are sloppy, keys wear fast, and you’ll have callbacks. Our go-to is Schlage for everyday, Medeco or ASSA ABLOY for high security.

 - Treasure Coast Locksmith Fort Pierce FL Rekey in progress. Pins changed to match the new key set.

Lockouts in Fort Pierce: what we do, how long it takes, and what it costs

Locked out? We handle that without wrecking your door. Most Fort Pierce house lockouts take 15 to 35 minutes. Pricing lands between \$95 and \$165. After-hours or high-security locks can cost more. If we see a cheap knob lock paired with no deadbolt, we’ll advise adding a proper deadbolt. It’s safer, and in the long run, cheaper than paying for another lockout.

Last week near South Beach Park, a homeowner hid a spare in a “rock” that looked like a potato. First place we checked. Gone. We picked the deadbolt and added a Schlage keypad so they can ditch fake rocks for good. Quick job. Problem solved.

Smart locks and keypads that actually work in Florida humidity

We install keypad deadbolts and full smart locks that stand up to coastal weather. Our short list in Fort Pierce:

- Schlage Encode for Wi-Fi built in, no hub, solid motor.
- Yale Assure 2 for clean design and modular radios.
- Kwikset Halo for budget rentals that still need app control.

We prefer 9-volt battery trays or AA packs with good o-ring seals. We grease the latch lightly and hit strike plates with graphite so the motor isn't fighting a misaligned door. Pro tip we see missed all the time, especially in older homes off Indian River Drive, fix the hinge screws and strike alignment first. Otherwise your fancy keypad grinds and dies early. Not worth it.

 Installing a Schlage Encode smart lock on a Fort Pierce coastal home with Treasure Coast Locksmith Near Me support. Smart lock upgrade with stainless screws suited for coastal conditions.

Deadbolt upgrades and fresh installs for real security

If your door only has a knob lock, add a deadbolt. Non-negotiable. ANSI/BHMA Grade 2 deadbolts are our default for residential in Fort Pierce. We like the Schlage B60 series for value, Medeco for pick and bump resistance when you really need it. According to ANSI/BHMA standards, Grade 2 hardware meets increased cycle and impact tests compared to Grade 3, which is entry level for residential.

We drill fresh 2-1/8 inch bore and 1 inch edge bore where needed. We use a proper jig, not "eyeballing it," so the latch centers and the bolt throws cleanly. We also install 3 inch screws at the strike into the stud. Big difference. On impact tests we've done, 3 inch screws double the resistance. You'll feel it when you shut the door. Solid.

Common Fort Pierce door problems we fix every week

We see sagging doors from wind and settle. We see swollen jambs in July. We see stripped strike screws and misaligned latches from painters removing hardware. Sound familiar? Here's what we fix on the regular:

- Hinge screws replaced with 3 inch to pull door tight to the frame.
- Strike plates repositioned with new mortises, not just "oval the hole."
- Weatherstripping trimmed so it doesn't bind the deadbolt.
- Multipoint patio door adjustments on coastal homes.
- Sliding glass door locks upgraded with double-bolt locks.

Bottom line, 70 percent of "bad locks" are bad door prep or alignment. We correct the root cause so you're not calling again in three months.

 Door alignment repair and strike plate reinforcement by Treasure Coast Mobile Locksmith Locksmith in Fort Pierce. Tightening a sagging door with long hinge screws and a new strike.

What the Florida Building Code and ALOA say about locks and egress

Safety matters. According to the Florida Building Code, Residential (FBC 7th Edition), required egress doors must be openable from the inside without a key or special knowledge. So in single-family homes, double-cylinder deadbolts aren't allowed on the primary exit when a key is required to exit. We'll advise options that meet code and still secure glass panels, like reinforced glass or a single-cylinder with a security cylinder outside.

For standards and training, we follow guidance from the Associated Locksmiths of America, often called ALOA. They publish best practices on lock grades, key control, and life-safety hardware. If something you want conflicts with egress rules, we'll tell you straight.

Service area, response times, and local details that matter

We cover Fort Pierce and the greater Treasure Coast. That includes Port St. Lucie, Jensen Beach, Stuart, and Vero Beach. Average drive times: Downtown Fort Pierce in 15 to 25 minutes, Lakewood Park in 20 to 30, St. Lucie Village in about

20, and PSL cross-town in 25 to 40 depending on US-1 traffic. We also respond out to Hutchinson Island and Indian River County by request.

Humidity, salt air, and afternoon storms are normal here. We pick finishes that hold up, like satin nickel or black with better topcoats, and we swap to stainless screws near the coast. Small detail. Big payoff over time.

Straight talk on pricing in Fort Pierce

No games. Here are real numbers we see every week in Fort Pierce:

- House lockout: \$95 to \$165. Higher after 7 pm or on complex high-security locks.
- Rekey per cylinder: \$19 to \$29 when bundled, plus a trip fee of \$59 to \$89 in Fort Pierce. Most 4-door homes land \$129 to \$249 out the door with 4 new keys.
- Fresh deadbolt install: \$145 to \$225 per door with standard Grade 2 hardware, includes drilling, strike reinforcement, and 2 keys.
- Smart lock install and setup: \$129 to \$179 labor if you provide the lock. With hardware we supply, packages start around \$259.
- Mailbox lock replacement: \$85 to \$125 depending on access and lock type.

We'll quote you on the phone and confirm on site before we start. If we can save you money with a rekey instead of a replacement, we'll tell you. Always.

Real jobs we've done around Fort Pierce

- South Beach: Rekeyed a beach rental with five cylinders to one key, swapped to Schlage keyways to match the owner's other properties in PSL. 62 minutes, \$219, happy owner.
- White City: Fixed a multipoint patio door with a bent hook. No new hardware needed. Adjusted the keeps and lubed with Dry Film. 48 minutes, \$145.
- Indian River Drive: Replaced corroded screws and a frozen deadbolt near the river. Upgraded to stainless screws and a Schlage B60 in matte black. 40 minutes, \$175 hardware included.
- Downtown Fort Pierce: Installed Yale Assure keypad for an Airbnb. Programmed codes for cleaning staff and guests. 55 minutes, \$279 with Wi-Fi module.

We keep before and after photos. Ask and we'll text you a few from your neighborhood.

Licensed, insured, and local contact info

Florida doesn't issue a state locksmith license. That's from the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation. We maintain our local St. Lucie County business tax receipt, carry liability insurance, and every tech is background checked. You can verify egress rules in the Florida Building Code, Residential, and general locksmith standards from ALOA.

- Phone: . Call or text for a quote.
- Business: , residential locksmith serving , and the region.
- Hours: Extended hours, 7 days. Emergency service available.
- Estimates: Free by phone or text photo. On-site written estimates on request.

Which locks we trust in Fort Pierce homes

We install and service Schlage, Yale, Kwikset, Baldwin, Medeco, and ASSA ABLOY cylinders. For rentals and mid-range homes, Schlage is our daily driver. For high security and better key control, Medeco M3 or ASSA Twin. Honestly, we'd pass on bargain-bin brands. They feel gritty, keys snap, and finish peels in our weather. Not worth the \$20 you save.

If you need hardware specs before buying, check the manufacturer sites. Schlage publishes clear residential spec sheets with BHMA grades. ALOA has guides on key control. Use those to compare apples to apples.

DIY tips to avoid repeat locksmith visits

Want to prevent most door and lock problems? Do these once a year:

- Tighten hinge screws and swap at least one top hinge screw to a 3 inch screw.
- Clean and graphite the keyway. Skip oily sprays inside the cylinder.
- Check deadbolt throw. If it doesn't extend fully, adjust the strike.
- Replace weatherstripping that collides with the latch face.
- If your key binds, don't force it. Call us before it snaps.

We see people try to spray WD-40 into everything. Please don't. It gums up pins and attracts grit. A dry Teflon or graphite works better for cylinders.



FAQs: Fort Pierce residential locksmith

Q: How much does a house rekey cost in Fort Pierce?

A: For most Fort Pierce homes, rekeying 3 to 6 cylinders runs \$129 to \$249 total. That includes a local trip fee, labor, and 4 new key copies. Extra cylinders are typically \$19 to \$29 each. If a lock is worn out, we'll price a replacement before doing any work.

Q: How fast can you get to my home in Fort Pierce?

A: In-city calls usually see a 30 to 60 minute arrival window. Downtown and South Beach are often 20 to 30 minutes if traffic cooperates. Lakewood Park and St. Lucie Village average 25 to 35 minutes. We'll text you an ETA and a tech name.

Q: Can you unlock my door without damage?

A: Yes, in most cases. We pick or bypass standard residential locks without drilling. High-security cylinders or damaged hardware may require different methods, but we explain options first. Typical lockouts cost \$95 to \$165 during regular hours.

Q: Should I rekey or replace my locks after moving in?

A: Rekey if the hardware is in decent shape. Replace if the finish is corroded, the bolt is sloppy, or you want to upgrade to Grade 2 or a keypad. Rekeying is cheaper, usually \$129 to \$249. New deadbolts installed start around \$145 to \$225 per door.

Q: Are double-cylinder deadbolts legal in Florida homes?

A: The Florida Building Code requires the main egress door be openable from the inside without [lock repair locksmith](#) a key. That means a double-cylinder deadbolt isn't allowed on the primary exit if it needs a key to exit. We'll recommend safe alternatives for doors with nearby glass.

Q: What smart lock works best near the coast in Fort Pierce?

A: We like Schlage Encode and Yale Assure 2 for reliability and finish options. They handle humidity better than most. Use good alkaline batteries and make sure the door is aligned so the motor isn't straining. Install takes about 45 to 60 minutes per door.

Q: Do you make house keys and mailbox keys on site?

A: Yes. Our mobile shop cuts standard residential keys and many mailbox keys on site. Mailbox lock replacements typically run \$85 to \$125. We stock common CBU and cam lock sizes used around St. Lucie County communities.

Q: Do you serve Port St. Lucie and the rest of the Treasure Coast?

A: Absolutely. We cover PSL, Jensen Beach, Stuart, and Vero Beach along with Fort Pierce. We're often near Tradition in PSL and along US-1. If you searched Treasure Coast Locksmith Near Me, you're in our wheelhouse.

Quick comparison: rekey vs replace

Rekey keeps your existing hardware, changes the key, and costs less. Replace gets you new hardware, often a security or finish upgrade, at a higher cost. If your locks are under 8 years old and working fine, rekey. Over 10 years, corroded finish, or sloppy bolt throw, replace. Clear winner in most move-ins is rekey, then upgrade the front door deadbolt if needed.

Call, text, or schedule online

Need a Fort Pierce locksmith today? Call . We'll give you a fast, firm estimate and a real arrival window. Prefer text? Send door photos, the brand stamp on your lock, and how many doors you've got. We'll reply with price ranges and availability. You can also request a free estimate through our residential locksmith page.

- Get a house rekey quote: , call or text.
- Book a smart lock install: , ask for scheduling.
- Emergency lockout right now: , we'll dispatch.

Helpful local resources and references

- Florida Building Code, Residential, 7th Edition, egress door requirements.
- Associated Locksmiths of America (ALOA) guidance on residential lock standards.
- Schlage residential hardware specifications and BHMA grades.

Internal resources for homeowners

- Residential rekey and lock repair services at our residential locksmith page.
- Car key and fob replacement if you’re also locked out of your vehicle.
- Sliding door and patio security upgrades for coastal homes.
- Service areas including Port St. Lucie, Jensen Beach, Stuart, and Vero Beach.

Final word from a local pro

If you’re in Fort Pierce and need a trustworthy residential locksmith, call at . We’ll show up on time, fix it right, and charge what we said. Simple. The goal is one visit, smooth keys, and a safer home.

Primary service keyword: Treasure Coast Locksmith Fort Pierce FL.

Treasure Coast Locksmith

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Servicing Port St Lucie FL & All Of The Treasure Coast

Hours:

Monday - Sunday 7:30AM - 11:30PM

Description

Treasure Coast Locksmith is a locally owned and operated mobile locksmith service. Whether you are locked out of your car, locked out of your home or office we are able to get you back in quickly and at an affordable rate. Besides providing full lockout services, our technicians can install and repair any lock whether you need a commercial grade lock installation or smart locks for your home, we can assist you in any situation. When it comes to replacement of car keys our services are far superior to our competition. We can make you a replacement key or key fob on the spot! Call us now and get a free estimate for any locksmith need. All Treasure Coast Locksmith technicians are licensed and background checked.

Find Us On The Map:

Frequently Asked Q&A's

How much money does a locksmith charge?

Locksmith services typically cost between \$150 and \$250 for common tasks like home lockouts, with a national average of roughly \$187–\$226. Basic car lockouts usually cost \$89–\$150, while replacing standard locks or rekeying ranges from \$50 to \$200+. Costs are higher for emergency, after-hours, or weekend services.

Is it cheaper to call a locksmith or replace a lock?

You can change the locks yourself or hire a pro to replace or rekey the lock, which costs \$50 to \$100. Replacing a lock costs an average of \$315, as it requires a fair amount of both materials and labor. Professional locksmiths charge an average of \$75 per hour, and you won't need to replace the hardware.

How much does a locksmith charge for a replacement car key?

Locksmith car key replacement typically costs between \$150 and \$250+, heavily dependent on key complexity and vehicle model. Simple metal keys cost \$95–\$100, while transponder keys are \$100–\$250, and modern smart key fobs range from \$200–\$600+. Locksmiths are generally cheaper than dealerships, which may also charge for towing.

Can I get a replacement key for my car without the original?

You don't need the original key to replace your car key, but you may be asked to demonstrate ownership of your vehicle before an automotive locksmith or dealership will rekey the car.



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