FIRST PAYMENTS, EXHAUSTIONS, WEEKS OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATED, & BENEFITS PAID BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW SEPTEMBER 2026

County of Residence	First Payments	Exhaustions	Weeks Compensated	Average Weekly Benefit[a]	Gross Benefits	
					September	January through September[b]
Total	**7,102**	**2,533**	**116,744**	**$522.80**	**$60,754,042**	**$691,196,264**
Adams	11	9	253	494.03	124,251	2,457,509
Allen	55	24	798	487.26	382,232	5,483,982
Ashland	19	6	275	510.18	139,468	2,684,791
Ashtabula	36	12	642	511.67	322,840	5,108,476
Athens	22	10	333	468.76	155,405	2,864,609
Auglaize	15	3	197	516.30	100,758	1,298,785
Belmont	22	6	342	524.51	178,163	2,784,185
Brown	11	10	382	517.63	195,179	2,911,395
Butler	196	80	3,465	531.66	1,831,216	18,440,971
Carroll	12	5	129	559.71	71,655	1,364,399
Champaign	16	5	328	509.73	165,981	1,704,477
Clark	49	26	967	498.66	474,311	6,613,667
Clermont	110	42	1,953	540.63	1,041,998	11,682,728
Clinton	21	7	330	536.79	172,513	2,132,525
Columbiana	41	10	635	520.30	326,696	4,811,451
Coshocton	16	5	225	521.91	116,966	1,525,326
Crawford	24	1	336	472.50	158,243	2,122,517
Cuyahoga	916	356	15,057	507.09	7,545,609	72,753,448
Darke	23	10	406	473.62	189,661	2,848,754
Defiance	21	2	221	525.54	115,063	1,474,713
Delaware	129	35	2,119	616.48	1,296,471	10,294,711
Erie	50	16	679	490.98	330,035	5,683,936
Fairfield	95	35	1,498	537.01	797,830	7,655,729
Fayette	10	9	255	500.82	127,225	1,629,898
Franklin	823	325	13,986	526.13	7,256,672	64,045,650
Fulton	13	7	271	536.06	143,000	3,101,772
Gallia	14	5	142	539.27	76,691	1,256,268
Geauga	40	17	616	559.90	340,961	4,886,701
Greene	64	28	1,115	541.66	595,216	6,558,771
Guernsey	20	5	268	507.44	134,583	2,667,146
Hamilton	494	195	8,912	511.65	4,511,073	39,797,575
Hancock	28	6	487	531.92	251,451	2,522,498
Hardin	15	-	189	506.56	95,449	1,082,772
Harrison	9	1	114	535.23	60,789	680,026
Henry	11	2	148	534.28	79,073	2,235,391
Highland	16	5	479	437.74	208,659	3,011,298
Hocking	16	5	251	515.20	128,811	2,095,763
Holmes	3	2	43	580.78	24,461	635,835
Huron	30	9	426	487.41	198,776	6,367,126
Jackson	32	4	299	503.49	148,948	2,454,204
Jefferson	38	18	552	536.66	293,447	2,826,610
Knox	28	9	383	506.78	191,568	2,502,640
Lake	138	39	2,279	538.52	1,209,363	15,251,107
Lawrence	24	8	396	500.83	194,738	1,927,705
Licking	97	32	1,414	558.16	778,569	7,878,970

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					September	January through September[b]
Logan	14	5	239	$537.09	$124,925	$1,871,122
Lorain	204	74	3,113	514.58	1,586,908	2,457,509
Lucas	327	99	5,833	511.77	2,937,316	29,921,247
Madison	18	6	287	547.19	156,750	1,744,748
Mahoning	140	51	2,465	502.52	1,225,164	20,429,073
Marion	33	9	426	495.86	210,948	2,209,410
Medina	98	46	1,488	574.28	841,106	9,910,366
Meigs	5	4	114	560.08	63,717	1,459,999
Mercer	18	3	148	542.06	77,779	897,410
Miami	41	13	731	532.23	384,663	4,720,893
Monroe	2	1	90	455.58	40,755	759,305
Montgomery	317	118	5,654	504.13	2,810,337	27,002,153
Morgan	5	-	134	523.74	69,802	1,420,493
Morrow	17	6	258	527.16	134,107	1,912,574
Muskingum	84	11	676	477.05	318,583	5,488,706
Noble	4	1	85	572.94	48,416	755,061
Ottawa	26	4	341	540.84	183,900	4,101,105
Paulding	11	1	96	467.31	44,742	522,260
Perry	19	6	279	515.55	143,297	2,436,643
Pickaway	28	10	469	530.86	244,947	2,999,619
Pike	8	6	202	491.42	99,502	2,525,510
Portage	81	33	1,217	519.33	628,432	9,361,433
Preble	13	1	348	505.72	175,503	1,952,126
Putnam	9	5	145	466.88	66,540	1,580,796
Richland	76	21	898	493.23	427,680	6,453,039
Ross	29	11	584	479.67	276,954	5,223,039
Sandusky	90	12	585	509.45	295,586	3,858,650
Scioto	68	19	781	515.46	398,683	5,283,542
Seneca	29	6	354	507.73	176,712	2,589,782
Shelby	19	6	262	512.34	134,233	1,645,968
Stark	221	71	3,278	501.43	1,626,790	20,483,991
Summit	336	127	5,517	521.25	2,844,264	32,058,346
Trumbull	96	45	1,725	497.03	850,971	19,065,206
Tuscarawas	42	11	584	488.56	283,680	4,166,860
Union	25	14	527	566.80	294,633	2,984,626
Van Wert	4	2	118	485.35	55,880	876,282
Vinton	6	1	74	500.24	37,018	1,096,438
Warren	132	60	2,179	582.24	1,257,390	11,935,114
Washington	25	4	387	524.36	200,598	2,603,833
Wayne	38	13	658	538.53	350,536	3,701,517
Williams	13	7	226	475.58	106,478	1,490,768
Wood	60	30	1,019	564.36	561,321	6,478,591
Wyandot	8	2	179	490.28	87,422	946,017
Out-of-State	283	112	5,340	789.95	3,431,795	38,392,338
Interstate	107	. . .	2,036	567.39	1,155,211	10,870,484

[a] For Total Unemployment. [b] Total may not add due to rounding.

Source: ETA 5159 federal report and ART041 monthly benefit file.

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