

Weekly Analysis

July 20, 2019

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 5,654 last week, a decrease of 24.6 percent from the prior week's figure of 7,502 and a 15.1 percent decrease from the July 2018 weekly average of 6,661. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 23. Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC08) initial claims totaled zero. Federal-State Extended Benefits (EB) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 46,886 last week, a decrease of 1.6 percent from the prior week's figure of 47,646 and a 14.5 percent decrease from the July 2018 weekly average of 54,864. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 206. EUC continued claims totaled zero while EB continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average July 2018	Week Ending July 6	Week Ending July 13	Week Ending July 20	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	61,854	50,434	55,379	52,769	-4.7	-14.7
Initial Claims ^a	6,687	6,313	7,531	5,677	-24.6	-15.1
Regular Ohio Law	6,661	6,293	7,502	5,654	-24.6	-15.1
UCFE	11	9	13	9
UCX	15	11	16	14
Continued Claims ^a	55,167	44,121	47,848	47,092	-1.6	-14.6
Regular Ohio Law	54,864	43,943	47,646	46,886	-1.6	-14.5
UCFE	115	81	76	98	28.9	-14.8
UCX	188	97	126	108	-14.3	-42.5

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, May 2019	\$127,630,216	...
Gross Benefits Paid, June 2019	\$52,406,669	-3.2
Average Weekly Benefit, June 2019	\$365.38	1.2
Trust Fund Balance as of May 31, 2019	\$1,311,625,636	...

^aIncludes agent-state claims, excludes transitionals.

^bRegular Ohio Law. ^cFrom corresponding period, preceding year.

**INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS
UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
WEEK ENDING July 20, 2019**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	5,654	46,886			
Adams.....	12	131	Lorain.....	207	1,535
Allen.....	73	449	Lucas.....	276	1,715
Ashland.....	22	145	Madison.....	10	81
Ashtabula.....	51	357	Mahoning.....	111	1,473
Athens.....	24	111	Marion.....	22	203
Auglaize.....	15	97	Medina.....	67	564
Belmont.....	37	227	Meigs.....	18	97
Brown.....	20	185	Mercer.....	7	49
Butler.....	126	1,421	Miami.....	50	319
Carroll.....	23	93	Monroe.....	12	71
Champaign.....	18	144	Montgomery.....	246	1,960
Clark.....	53	616	Morgan.....	15	88
Clermont.....	56	786	Morrow.....	11	92
Clinton.....	10	123	Muskingum.....	30	321
Columbiana.....	60	409	Noble.....	2	49
Coshocton.....	56	210	Ottawa.....	26	146
Crawford.....	22	197	Paulding.....	8	51
Cuyahoga.....	635	5,260	Perry.....	18	145
Darke.....	16	128	Pickaway.....	17	139
Defiance.....	18	159	Pike.....	9	117
Delaware.....	53	464	Portage.....	70	648
Erie.....	73	547	Preble.....	9	109
Fairfield.....	42	417	Putnam.....	30	95
Fayette.....	16	95	Richland.....	73	494
Franklin.....	491	4,201	Ross.....	26	235
Fulton.....	32	195	Sandusky.....	46	221
Gallia.....	17	97	Scioto.....	41	356
Geauga.....	18	220	Seneca.....	31	204
Greene.....	45	458	Shelby.....	20	119
Guernsey.....	20	187	Stark.....	237	1,513
Hamilton.....	308	2,930	Summit.....	219	2,152
Hancock.....	30	203	Trumbull.....	106	1,440
Hardin.....	10	101	Tuscarawas.....	45	324
Harrison.....	8	60	Union.....	20	112
Henry.....	41	126	Van Wert.....	15	71
Highland.....	14	132	Vinton.....	7	37
Hocking.....	9	78	Warren.....	69	689
Holmes.....	3	36	Washington.....	35	229
Huron.....	66	640	Wayne.....	36	190
Jackson.....	29	165	Williams.....	7	91
Jefferson.....	43	244	Wood.....	64	349
Knox.....	20	216	Wyandot.....	10	54
Lake.....	87	897	Out of State	196	1,573
Lawrence.....	22	205	Interstate Agent	160	1,517
Licking.....	52	551	Interstate Liable.....	185	1,658
Logan.....	24	136			

*Transitional claims are excluded from the count of initial claims.

Note: Interstate Liable counts not included in totals.
Source: Weekly Claims file.

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