

Weekly Analysis

July 20, 2024

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 7,662 last week, a decrease of 15.6 percent from the prior week's figure of 9,077 and a 65.9 percent decrease from the July 2023 weekly average of 22,470. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 10. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 46,446 last week, an increase of 3.9 percent from the prior week's figure of 44,711 and a 4.8 percent decrease from the July 2023 weekly average of 48,784. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 114. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 11 while PUA continued claims totaled zero. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average Jul 2023	Week Ending July 06	Week Ending July 13	Week Ending July 20	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	71,378	48,338	53,916	54,232	0.6	-24.0
Initial Claims ^a	22,479	7,307	9,090	7,672	-15.6	-65.9
Regular Ohio Law	22,470	7,298	9,077	7,662	-15.6	-65.9
UCFE	3	3	3	3
UCX	7	6	10	7
Continued Claims ^a	48,899	41,031	44,826	46,560	3.9	-4.8
Regular Ohio Law	48,784	40,902	44,711	46,446	3.9	-4.8
UCFE	60	59	53	46	-13.2	-23.0
UCX	56	70	62	68	9.7	22.1

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, May 2024	\$90,834,657	...
Gross Benefits Paid, June 2024	\$57,944,739	3.1
Average Weekly Benefit, June 2024	\$469.42	5.1
Trust Fund Balance as of May 31, 2024	\$2,070,864,094	...

^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, 2024**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	7,662	46,446			
Adams.....	5	89	Lorain.....	281	1,340
Allen.....	57	348	Lucas.....	1,869	4,092
Ashland.....	11	168	Madison.....	10	86
Ashtabula.....	25	365	Mahoning.....	103	857
Athens.....	16	113	Marion.....	26	158
Auglaize.....	14	115	Medina.....	59	517
Belmont.....	12	131	Meigs.....	7	72
Brown.....	9	147	Mercer.....	8	57
Butler.....	137	1,378	Miami.....	32	292
Carroll.....	8	77	Monroe.....	7	49
Champaign.....	8	104	Montgomery.....	257	1,894
Clark.....	45	440	Morgan.....	6	31
Clermont.....	65	800	Morrow.....	12	84
Clinton.....	10	113	Muskingum.....	38	224
Columbiana.....	57	288	Noble.....	4	51
Coshocton.....	6	94	Ottawa.....	55	196
Crawford.....	17	168	Paulding.....	4	42
Cuyahoga.....	586	5,115	Perry.....	20	130
Darke.....	12	115	Pickaway.....	7	157
Defiance.....	17	132	Pike.....	5	79
Delaware.....	57	607	Portage.....	50	494
Erie.....	65	455	Preble.....	10	94
Fairfield.....	64	518	Putnam.....	22	74
Fayette.....	8	92	Richland.....	59	390
Franklin.....	588	5,300	Ross.....	16	160
Fulton.....	40	204	Sandusky.....	62	284
Gallia.....	9	90	Scioto.....	36	294
Geauga.....	21	214	Seneca.....	88	257
Greene.....	46	418	Shelby.....	8	127
Guernsey.....	16	132	Stark.....	135	1,138
Hamilton.....	326	3,386	Summit.....	226	1,983
Hancock.....	61	210	Trumbull.....	78	746
Hardin.....	13	87	Tuscarawas.....	23	215
Harrison.....	9	43	Union.....	22	148
Henry.....	27	141	Van Wert.....	17	69
Highland.....	9	109	Vinton.....	5	33
Hocking.....	7	79	Warren.....	79	660
Holmes.....	3	29	Washington.....	18	163
Huron.....	26	386	Wayne.....	25	236
Jackson.....	16	91	Williams.....	26	141
Jefferson.....	29	204	Wood.....	270	542
Knox.....	19	145	Wyandot.....	38	106
Lake.....	77	829	Out of State	637	1,512
Lawrence.....	16	148	Interstate Agent	175	1,320
Licking.....	47	509			
Logan.....	11	126	Interstate Liable.....	185	1,658

*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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