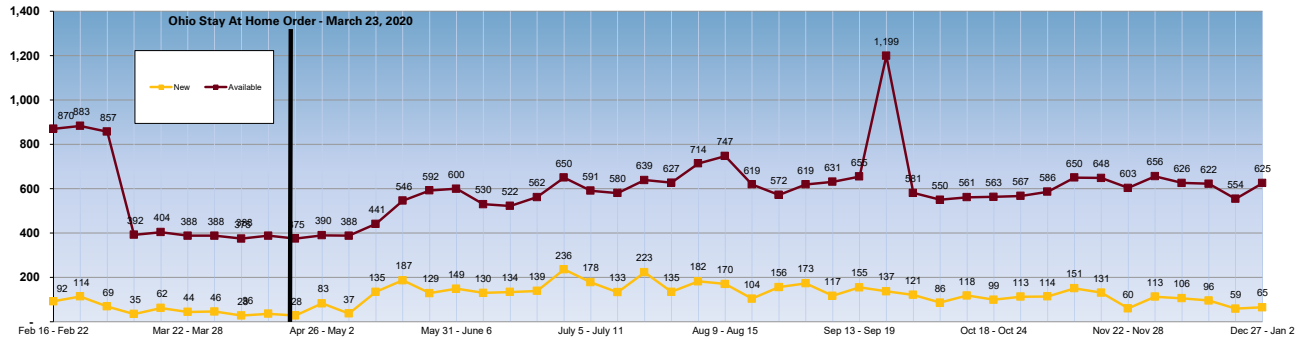


A total of 625 job openings were posted online from December 27, 2020, through January 2, 2021, for Ashland County. This represents a 54.7% increase when compared to the total number of job ads for the week prior to the Ohio Stay at Home Order (March 15, 2020 - March 21, 2020). Among all job openings posted online from December 27, 2020, through January 2, 2021, 65 (10.4%) represent new job ads. The graph below shows historical trends for both available and new ads posted over the last several weeks.



Top Employers with the Most Area Job Ads

Employer	Total Ads ¹	New Ads ²	% Change Total Ads ³
Charles River Laboratories	78	8	52.9%
The Dollar General	35	0	6.1%
University Hospitals	35	4	400.0%
Ashland University	29	0	383.3%
Cleveland Clinic	26	1	0.0%
One Source Logistics	20	14	n/a
Kingston HealthCare Company	14	3	600.0%
Advance Auto Parts, Inc.	13	0	44.4%
Roehl Transport, Inc.	13	1	333.3%
Pizza Hut	12	0	20.0%
Carrols Restaurant Group	12	0	100.0%
Home Depot	10	0	0.0%
Hogan Transports	10	0	n/a
ActiveUSA, LLC	10	0	n/a
Maximus Logistics	10	0	n/a
Pentair	9	1	-40.0%
BUFFALO WILD WINGS	8	0	n/a
Campbell's Soup Company	8	1	100.0%
Walmart	8	0	n/a
Fresenius	8	0	n/a
TravelCenters of America, Inc.	7	1	-22.2%
Amedisys Inc.	7	0	16.7%
Applebee's	7	1	n/a
CVS Health	6	0	20.0%
Ohiohealth	6	0	200.0%
Papa John's	6	0	100.0%
AutoZone, Inc	6	0	0.0%
Packaging Corporation of America (PCA)	6	1	100.0%
Lutheran Social Services	6	0	20.0%
McDonald's Corporation	5	0	-44.4%
Nutrien Ag Solutions, Inc	5	0	n/a
Dollar Tree Stores, Inc.	5	0	-28.6%
Packing Corp Of America	5	0	n/a
LeafFilter North	5	0	n/a
Grammer Logistics	5	5	n/a
Domino's Pizza	4	0	0.0%
Family Dollar	4	0	100.0%
ASPLUNDH TREE EXPERT CO	4	0	33.3%
Kindred Healthcare	4	0	33.3%
U.S. Xpress	4	0	n/a
H&R Block	4	3	n/a
Aldi	4	1	300.0%
Keurig, Incorporated	4	0	0.0%
Santander	4	2	n/a
Tremco	3	0	-62.5%
COREMAIN	3	0	n/a
Circle K	3	0	0.0%
RETURN POLYMERS, DIVISION OF AZEK	3	1	n/a
Gentiva Health Services	3	0	200.0%
Nutrien Corporation	3	0	n/a

Top Occupations with the Most Area Job Ads

Occupation	Total Ads ¹	New Ads ²	% Change Total Ads ³
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	80	22	1233.3%
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	50	2	31.6%
Registered Nurses	40	3	37.9%
Retail Salespersons	22	0	-12.0%
Biological Technicians	22	2	4.8%
Customer Service Representatives	21	2	61.5%
1st-Line Supervisors of Food Prep and Serving	20	0	42.9%
Medical Scientists, Except Epidemiologists	17	0	112.5%
Combined Food Prep and Serving, Including Fast Food	16	1	33.3%
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	9	1	-25.0%
Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technicians	9	1	800.0%
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	9	1	800.0%
Software Developers, Applications	9	2	n/a
Cashiers	8	0	14.3%
Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers	8	0	166.7%
Production Workers, All Other	8	0	300.0%
Nursing Assistants	8	1	-11.1%
1st-Line Supervisors of Production & Operating Workers	7	1	133.3%
Janitors & Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping	7	0	133.3%
Sales Reps, Wholesale & Mfg, Except Tech & Scientific	7	4	75.0%
Driver/Sales Workers	6	0	100.0%
Medical Assistants	6	0	500.0%
Industrial Engineers	6	0	-14.3%
Physical Therapists	6	0	50.0%
Merchandise Displayers and Window Trimmers	6	0	20.0%
Educational, Guidance, School, and Vocational Counselor	6	0	n/a
Stock Clerks, Sales Floor	6	1	20.0%
Sales Representatives, Services, All Other	6	3	n/a
Home Health Aides	5	0	400.0%
Helpers-Production Workers	4	0	0.0%
1st-Line Supervisors of Trans. & Material-Moving Machine	4	0	33.3%
General and Operations Managers	4	0	33.3%
Medical Secretaries	4	0	100.0%
Cooks, Restaurant	4	0	100.0%
1st-Line Supervisors of Office and Admin Support Workers	4	1	100.0%
Software Quality Assurance Engineers and Testers	4	3	n/a
Health Technologists and Technicians, All Other	4	0	100.0%
Secretary & Admin Assist., Except Legal, Med., & Exec.	3	1	0.0%
Tree Trimmers and Pruners	3	0	200.0%
Healthcare Social Workers	3	0	n/a
Education Administrators, Postsecondary	3	0	200.0%
Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria	3	0	0.0%
Computer Science Teachers, Postsecondary	3	0	200.0%
Food Preparation Workers	3	1	200.0%
Stock Clerks- Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard	3	0	200.0%
Agricultural Technicians	3	0	n/a
Tax Preparers	3	2	200.0%
Interviewers, Except Eligibility and Loan	3	0	n/a
Human Resources Managers	3	0	n/a
Education Administrators, All Other	3	0	n/a

Area Job Ads by Industry

Industry	Total Ads ¹	New Ads ²	% Change Total Ads ³
Accommodation and Food Services	54	0	14.9%
Admin., Support, Waste & Remediation	13	4	18.2%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	0	0	n/a
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	0	0	n/a
Construction	2	0	n/a
Educational Services	30	0	200.0%
Finance and Insurance	11	2	450.0%
Health Care and Social Assistance	117	8	80.0%
Information	3	1	200.0%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	0	0	n/a

Area Job Ads by Industry

Industry	Total Ads ¹	New Ads ²	% Change Total Ads ³
Manufacturing	33	4	-2.9%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	0	0	n/a
Other Services (except Public Administration)	8	1	33.3%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	88	12	60.0%
Public Administration	3	1	200.0%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	2	0	-33.3%
Retail Trade	114	3	28.1%
Transportation and Warehousing	51	17	1175.0%
Utilities	0	0	n/a
Wholesale Trade	5	2	n/a

¹ Represents the total number of available ads for the week of December 27, 2020 - January 2, 2021

² Represents the total number of new ads for the week of December 27, 2020 - January 2, 2021

³ Represents the percent change in total ads posted prior to Ohio Stay at Home Order (March 15, 2020 - March 21, 2020) and the most recent week that data is available (December 27, 2020 - January 2, 2021).