

Weekly Analysis

August 21, 2021

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 8,182 last week, a decrease of 15.5 percent from the prior week's figure of 9,684 and a 59.2 percent decrease from the August 2020 weekly average of 20,057. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 24. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled 13,755.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 56,303 last week, a decrease of 7.9 percent from the prior week's figure of 61,123 and a 82.2 percent decrease from the August 2020 weekly average of 316,845. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 177. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 79,770 while PUA continued claims totaled 204,354. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled 90.

Category	Weekly Average Aug 2020	Week Ending Aug 07	Week Ending Aug 14	Week Ending Aug 21	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	337,419	71,816	71,020	64,686	-8.9	-80.8
Initial Claims ^a	20,090	10,614	9,709	8,206	-15.5	-59.2
Regular Ohio Law	20,057	10,581	9,684	8,182	-15.5	-59.2
UCFE	10	15	4	9
UCX	24	18	21	15
Continued Claims ^a	317,329	61,202	61,311	56,480	-7.9	-82.2
Regular Ohio Law	316,845	61,027	61,123	56,303	-7.9	-82.2
UCFE	154	72	69	66	-4.3	-57.2
UCX	330	103	119	111	-6.7	-66.3

Financial Summary ^b	Number	Percent Change ^c
Collections, June 2021	\$3,524,133	...
Gross Benefits Paid, July 2021	\$59,930,313	-85.6
Average Weekly Benefit, July 2021	\$368.19	13.6
Trust Fund Balance as of June 30, 2021	\$487,435,011	...

^aIncludes agent-state claims, excludes transitionals.

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

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**INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS
UNDER REGULAR OHIO UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION LAW
BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE
WEEK ENDING August 21, 2021**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	8,182	56,303			
Adams.....	11	120	Lorain.....	240	1,417
Allen.....	81	493	Lucas.....	450	2,778
Ashland.....	23	148	Madison.....	17	79
Ashtabula.....	46	380	Mahoning.....	151	1,047
Athens.....	22	151	Marion.....	45	190
Auglaize.....	15	132	Medina.....	101	616
Belmont.....	36	197	Meigs.....	13	93
Brown.....	30	162	Mercer.....	18	82
Butler.....	228	1,685	Miami.....	52	320
Carroll.....	22	126	Monroe.....	8	47
Champaign.....	15	144	Montgomery.....	349	2,437
Clark.....	107	610	Morgan.....	25	66
Clermont.....	109	814	Morrow.....	13	129
Clinton.....	20	141	Muskingum.....	59	302
Columbiana.....	54	378	Noble.....	11	50
Coshocton.....	19	122	Ottawa.....	26	167
Crawford.....	32	299	Paulding.....	11	59
Cuyahoga.....	957	7,083	Perry.....	21	123
Darke.....	20	122	Pickaway.....	25	158
Defiance.....	39	239	Pike.....	13	111
Delaware.....	59	516	Portage.....	96	594
Erie.....	76	388	Preble.....	16	125
Fairfield.....	69	497	Putnam.....	20	104
Fayette.....	10	108	Richland.....	83	584
Franklin.....	737	5,986	Ross.....	44	265
Fulton.....	21	193	Sandusky.....	51	207
Gallia.....	11	108	Scioto.....	56	374
Geauga.....	30	212	Seneca.....	22	191
Greene.....	72	490	Shelby.....	26	147
Guernsey.....	32	149	Stark.....	230	1,520
Hamilton.....	496	3,809	Summit.....	335	2,571
Hancock.....	40	265	Trumbull.....	122	952
Hardin.....	13	78	Tuscarawas.....	52	303
Harrison.....	5	64	Union.....	23	155
Henry.....	25	136	Van Wert.....	29	65
Highland.....	24	162	Vinton.....	5	36
Hocking.....	22	74	Warren.....	108	726
Holmes.....	8	44	Washington.....	43	222
Huron.....	40	251	Wayne.....	46	257
Jackson.....	25	115	Williams.....	13	105
Jefferson.....	49	310	Wood.....	69	414
Knox.....	32	208	Wyandot.....	7	67
Lake.....	130	1,078	Out of State.....	443	1,759
Lawrence.....	34	198	Interstate Agent.....	554	4,593
Licking.....	65	563			
Logan.....	30	148	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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