

Weekly Analysis

July 27, 2024

Ohio Law initial claims, representing newly unemployed persons, totaled 5,352 last week, a decrease of 30.1 percent from the prior week's figure of 7,662 and a 76.2 percent decrease from the July 2023 weekly average of 22,470. Initial claims under Title 5 of the U.S. Code (UCFE & UCX) totaled 13. Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUA) initial claims totaled zero.

Ohio Law continued claims, representing persons unemployed one week or more, totaled 47,914 last week, an increase of 3.2 percent from the prior week's figure of 46,446 and a 1.8 percent decrease from the July 2023 weekly average of 48,784. Continued claims under Title 5 totaled 121. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) continued claims totaled 33 while PUA continued claims totaled zero. Extended Benefits (EB) continued claims totaled zero.

Category	Weekly Average Jul 2023	Week Ending July 13	Week Ending July 20	Week Ending July 27	Percent Change	
					Previous Week	Average of Last Year
All Claims	71,378	53,916	54,232	53,400	-1.5	-25.2
Initial Claims ^a	22,479	9,090	7,672	5,365	-30.1	-76.1
Regular Ohio Law	22,470	9,077	7,662	5,352	-30.1	-76.2
UCFE	3	3	3	2
UCX	7	10	7	11
Continued Claims ^a	48,899	44,826	46,560	48,035	3.2	-1.8
Regular Ohio Law	48,784	44,711	46,446	47,914	3.2	-1.8
UCFE	60	53	46	53	15.2	-11.3
UCX	56	62	68	68	0.0	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 27, 2024**

County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims	County	Initial* Claims	Continued Claims
Total.....	5,352	47,914			
Adams.....	10	84	Lorain.....	237	1,350
Allen.....	32	324	Lucas.....	485	5,291
Ashland.....	26	138	Madison.....	8	95
Ashtabula.....	35	362	Mahoning.....	94	885
Athens.....	15	124	Marion.....	17	165
Auglaize.....	13	97	Medina.....	65	480
Belmont.....	16	126	Meigs.....	10	69
Brown.....	18	134	Mercer.....	13	56
Butler.....	174	1,416	Miami.....	35	285
Carroll.....	4	87	Monroe.....	6	48
Champaign.....	6	94	Montgomery.....	242	1,993
Clark.....	49	401	Morgan.....	4	33
Clermont.....	65	799	Morrow.....	10	83
Clinton.....	14	116	Muskingum.....	22	239
Columbiana.....	37	276	Noble.....	5	43
Coshocton.....	12	93	Ottawa.....	23	209
Crawford.....	16	150	Paulding.....	3	32
Cuyahoga.....	537	5,054	Perry.....	6	107
Darke.....	6	89	Pickaway.....	17	141
Defiance.....	11	119	Pike.....	11	86
Delaware.....	54	663	Portage.....	49	488
Erie.....	44	302	Preble.....	15	95
Fairfield.....	54	526	Putnam.....	14	95
Fayette.....	6	90	Richland.....	47	358
Franklin.....	608	5,401	Ross.....	21	158
Fulton.....	28	202	Sandusky.....	21	250
Gallia.....	9	78	Scioto.....	47	275
Geauga.....	27	226	Seneca.....	32	265
Greene.....	44	419	Shelby.....	15	108
Guernsey.....	23	139	Stark.....	145	1,114
Hamilton.....	392	3,449	Summit.....	209	1,979
Hancock.....	29	226	Trumbull.....	62	754
Hardin.....	7	85	Tuscarawas.....	27	224
Harrison.....	4	40	Union.....	20	152
Henry.....	11	116	Van Wert.....	9	69
Highland.....	13	96	Vinton.....	4	31
Hocking.....	6	79	Warren.....	66	667
Holmes.....	1	25	Washington.....	30	163
Huron.....	34	218	Wayne.....	26	225
Jackson.....	14	90	Williams.....	14	109
Jefferson.....	30	235	Wood.....	89	744
Knox.....	13	129	Wyandot.....	16	134
Lake.....	78	836	Out of State	177	1,924
Lawrence.....	17	141	Interstate Agent	180	1,301
Licking.....	41	523			
Logan.....	21	125	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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