



LABOR MARKET INFORMATION
(2018, Non-seasonally-adjusted)

Website: labor.ny.gov

LABOR FORCE DATA

Year-over Annual Job Growth	1.7% New York	1.7% National
Annual Average Unemployment Rate	4.1% New York	3.9% National
Annual Average Labor Force	9,574,705	
Annual Labor Force Participation Rate	61.0% New York	62.9% National
Year-over Average Wage Growth	3.1% New York	3.3% National

EDUCATION LEVELS*

(Age 25 and older)

Less than high school:
6.9% New York | 12.0% National



High school: **24.7% New York | 27.1% National**



Some college/Associate degree:
22.4% New York | 28.9% National



Bachelor's degree +:
46.0% New York | 32.0% National



*American Community Survey (ACS) educational attainment data

KEY INDUSTRIES

(Top 3 industries for average annual job growth at the super sector level)



3.6%
Educational and Health Services



3.3%
Construction



2.4%
Information

STATE WORKFORCE INNOVATION: \$175 MILLION WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE

Governor Cuomo launched a \$175 million initiative to support strategic regional efforts that meet businesses' workforce needs, improve regional talent pipelines, enhance the flexibility and adaptability of local workforce entities and expand apprenticeships.

To learn more, visit ny.gov/workforcedevelopment.



STATE PROFILE

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Programs within Agency

- Apprenticeship
- Federal Bonding Program
- Foreign Labor Certification (H-2A and H-2B)
- Labor Market Information
- Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessments (RESEA)
- Trade Adjustment Assistance
- Unemployment Insurance (UI)
- Veterans Employment and Training Services
- Wagner-Peyser (WP)
- Work Opportunity Tax Credit
- Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)
 - Adult (A)
 - Dislocated Worker (DW)
 - Youth (Y)

WIOA Core Programs: Administering Agencies

- **New York State Department of Labor** – Administers WIOA (A, DW, Y) and WP programs
- **New York State Education Department** – Administers Adult Education (AE) and Family Literacy programs
- **New York State Education Department and the Commission for the Blind at the Office of Children and Family Services** – Administer Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) programs
- **Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance** – Administers the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program

Approval of Apprenticeships

- State run

Local Regions Governance

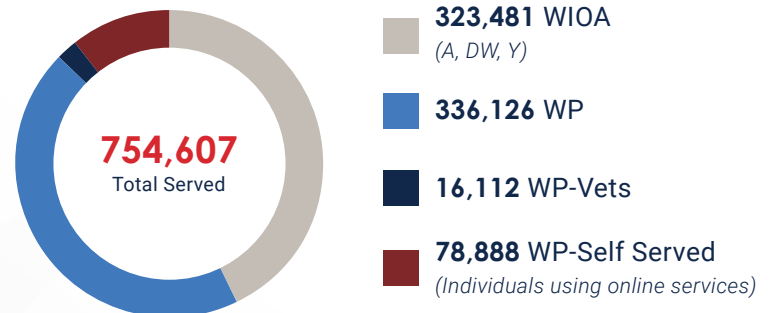
- Local entity oversees workforce personnel and training

NUMBER OF AMERICAN JOB CENTERS

(One-stop centers)

53 Comprehensive Centers | **42** Affiliate Centers

TOTAL INDIVIDUALS SERVED BY NEW YORK STATE'S WORKFORCE SERVICES*



*See participant definitions under "Programs within Agency"

UNEMPLOYMENT DATA*

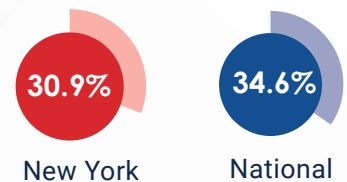
Duration Rate

The average number of weeks people receive unemployment insurance.

16.9 weeks | **15.0 weeks**
New York | National

Exhaustion Rate

The percentage of individuals receiving unemployment benefits who use all the eligible weeks without finding new employment.



*U.S. Department of Labor unemployment insurance national data

STATE WORKFORCE INNOVATION: COMBATING UNEMPLOYMENT

The Unemployment Strikeforce model, which has already helped 140,000+ hard-to-place job seekers find work, is expanding again. Teams include staff who are strategically outstationed in areas of high need and work with local businesses to identify openings, match candidates and leverage relationships with training partners.

To learn more, visit labor.ny.gov/strikeforce.

STATE WORKFORCE INNOVATION: INVESTING IN A CLEAN ENERGY WORKFORCE

New York State is making significant cross-sector investments to train New Yorkers for our growing clean energy economy, including creating a nation-leading \$20 million Offshore Wind Training Institute and upskilling building operations employees to reduce carbon emissions.

To learn more, visit nyserderda.ny.gov.