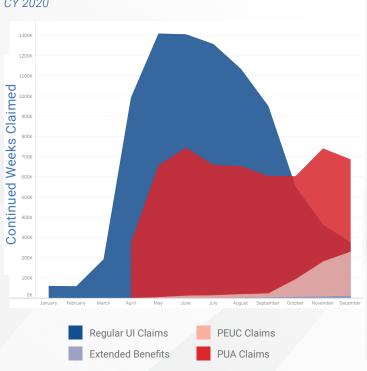


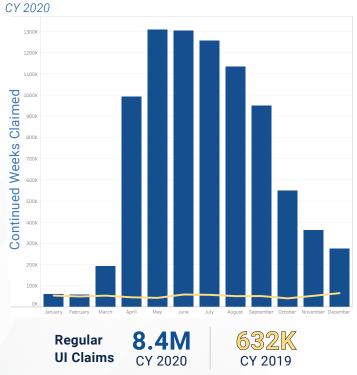
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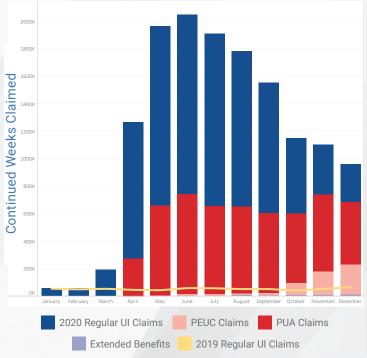
TOTAL CLAIMS PROCESSED



REGULAR UI CLAIMS PROCESSED



CY 2020 vs CY 2019



BENEFITS PAID	CY 2020	CY 2019
Regular UI Claims Total benefits paid	\$1.5B	\$121.4M
Pandemic Unemployment Assistance	\$589.6M	\$0
Federal Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (as of 11/30/20)	\$4.3B	\$0
Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation	\$117.3M	\$0
State Extended Benefits	\$2.2M	\$0
Sub Total	\$6.4B	\$0
Lost Wage Assistance (estimated FEMA allocation)	\$588.4M	\$0
All Claims Total Benefits Paid (estimated)	\$7.0B	\$121.4M

Data Sources: U.S. Department of Labor, ETA Reports 5159, 2112, 539, and state LWA data. Amounts rounded to the nearest tenth.

LOUISIANA WORKFORCE COMMISSION PANDEMIC RESPONSE STRATEGIES

DRIVE-THRU JOB FAIRS



The drive through job fairs were created as a safe and contactfree way to get information to jobseekers from employers with immediate job openings.

"HOW-TO" VIDEOS FOR UI BENEFIT FILING



Use of video to assist claimants answer questions with filing their unemployment claims in their Hire Accounts.

VIRTUAL CAREER FAIR



Statewide virtual recruiting events connecting jobseekers and employers in real time.

Programs within Agency

- Community Service Block Grant (CSBG)
- Labor Market Information
- Trade Adjustment Assistance
- Unemployment Insurance (UI)
- Veterans Employment and Training Services
- Vocational Rehabilitation (VR)
- Wagner-Peyser (WP)
- Workers' Compensation
- Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)
 Adult (A)
 - Dislocated Worker (DW)
 - Youth (Y)

WIOA Core Programs: Administering Agencies

- Louisiana Workforce Commission Administers WIOA (A, DW, Y), WP and VR programs
- Louisiana Community and Technical College System – Administers Adult Education (AE) and Family Literacy programs

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