



VERIFY OK

Streamlines identity verification for faster, more secure claims processing.



MAJOR TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES

New claimant and employment portals will dramatically improve user experience and access to services.



EMPLOYER OUTREACH

Statewide media outreach and the Oklahoma Employer Alliance work together to connect and support businesses across the state.

Online Resources: oklahoma.gov/oesc | oklahoma.gov/workforce

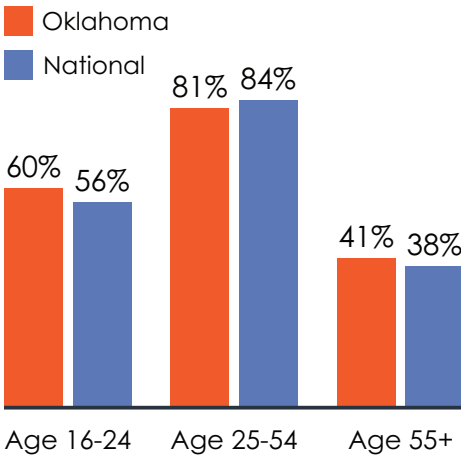
LABOR MARKET INFORMATION

(Age 16 & older)

	Oklahoma	National
Employment (April 2024-April 2025 change)	+1.4%	+1.1%
Unemployment Rate, 2024 annual average	3.3%	4.0%
Labor Force, 2024 annual average	1,986,000	
Unemployed Persons per Job Opening, 2024 annual average	0.6	0.9
Average Hourly Earnings (May 2024-April 2025)	\$30.43	\$35.54
Average Hourly Earnings (April 2024-April 2025 change)	+2.7%	+3.9%

Source: USDOL-BLS, LAUS and CES, using preliminary April data

ANNUAL LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE



Source: USDOL-BLS, CPS (2024 Annual Average)

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WORKFORCE INFORMATION

OKLAHOMA EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION

Programs within Agency

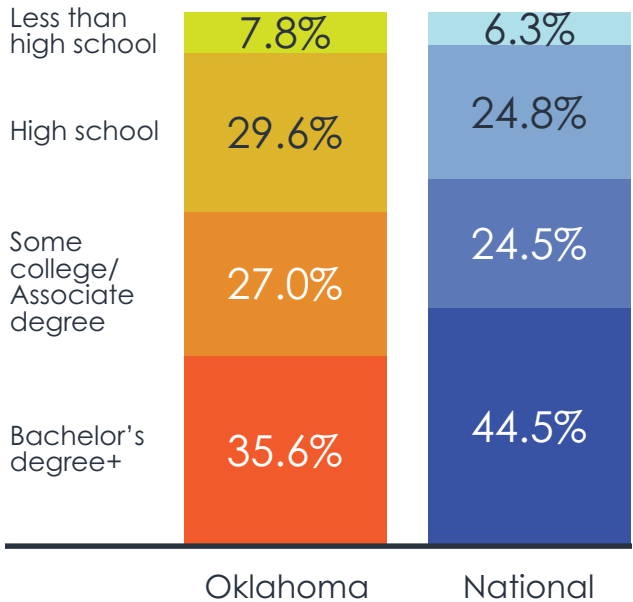
- BLS
- Federal Bonding
- FLC
- LMI
- New Hire Reporting
- State Monitor Advocate
- TAA
- RESEA Program
- UI
- Veterans
- WP
- WIOA - A, DW, & Y
- WOTC

WIOA Core Programs: Administering Agencies

- Oklahoma Employment Security Commission – WIOA Title I, WP
- Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education – AE
- Oklahoma Department of Rehabilitation Services – VR

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

(Age 25 & older)



Source: USDOL-BLS, CPS (2024 Annual Average, using preliminary April data)

NUMBER OF LOCAL WORKFORCE AREAS

AMERICAN JOB CENTERS

Source: 2024 WIOA State Plan. CareerOneStop American Job Center Finder



PARTICIPANTS SERVED BY OKLAHOMA'S WORKFORCE SERVICES



Source: USDOL-ETA, PY23 Performance Data (dol.gov/agencies/eta/performance/results)

KEY INDUSTRIES

MOST JOBS ADDED

FASTEST GROWING



Source: BLS, Current Employment Statistics (April 2024 - April 2025)

UNEMPLOYMENT DATA

Average Duration

The average number of weeks people receive unemployment insurance.

Exhaustion Rate

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

Source: USDOL-ETA Quarter 4 - 2024

11.9 weeks
Oklahoma
15.3 weeks
National

