

OHIO Unemployment Benefits *or* Unemployment Compensation (U.C.)

File an unemployment claim the same day you are unemployed

- This starts your one week waiting period.
- This sets your income base for the past 12 months.
- How you complete the application determines an approval or denial.
- Establishing eligibility: Read the workers guide to U.C. You may qualify.
 - Lack of work
 - Voluntarily quit or left job “just cause”
 - Discharged or fired “just cause”
- Types of income that “may” or “may not” negate unemployment comp.
 - Other income ie: severance, vacation, pensions, Soc. Sec., Workers compensation, and company buyout payments.

Internet quick reference

- Access the web site at: unemployment.ohio.gov.
- Workers guide to U.C. : read it before you complete the app. Recommend you print it off as a valuable resource.
- Create a new account/click agree.
- Register to file your claim on line. It will really benefit you if you read and utilize the workers guide to U.C. when you complete the online app.
- Sign up for electronic direct deposit. It speeds everything up and is very user friendly and easy.
- Easy weekly housekeeping chores on line under:
 - Filing your weekly claim: A couple of clicks and it is done.
 - Claim details: Track your paystubs each week.
 - View correspondence inbox: Fast correspondence from U.C. to you and you to U.C. It is indispensable.

File by telephone

1-877-OHIOJOB (644-6562) be prepared to wait on hold for a long time and then be advised to call back later. It can be very frustrating.

County Unemployment Offices

One Stop Center for personal assistance in your county. It's a free service.

Butler: 4631 Dixie Hwy. Fairfield, Ohio 45014, 513-785-6500.

Warren: 300 East Silver St. Lebanon Ohio 45036, 513-695-1130.

Clermont: 756 Old State Route 74 Cincinnati, Ohio 45245, 513-943-3000

Hamilton: 1916 Central Parkway Cincinnati, Ohio 45214, 513-731-9800 or 513-731-9800.

Clinton: 1025 South St. Wilmington, Ohio 45177, 937-382-7762

Montgomery: 1111 Edwin C. Moses Blvd. Dayton, Ohio 45408, 800-826-3094, 937-496-6720