

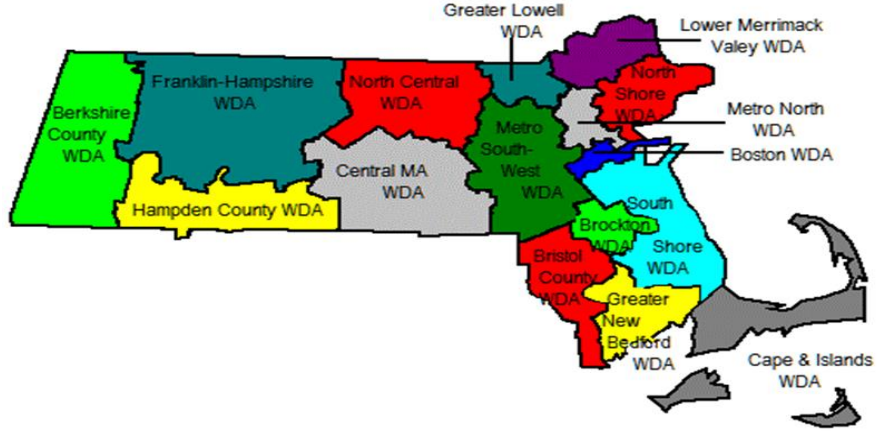
# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area



## April 2022

Initial unemployment claims were 43,123 in April, a decline of 18,620 from the prior month. This was the lowest level of initial claims since October 2018 when claimants totaled 41,968. Claims fell in all 16 Workforce Development Areas (WDA's) and in all 24 occupational fields. Building and Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance occupations experienced the largest decline in claims (5,478), followed by Construction & Extraction (5,146) Food Preparation & Serving (1,674), and Management (1,071).

Low wage workers, those earning less than \$21,000 annually before filing for unemployment, accounted for 21% of claimants, a 1% decline from March. Workers previously earning between \$21,000-\$36,000 accounted for 22% of claimants, down 2% from the prior month. Claims by males fell by 14,385 to 26,138, while female claims declined 3,863 to 16,943. Males accounted for 61% of claimants and females 39%.



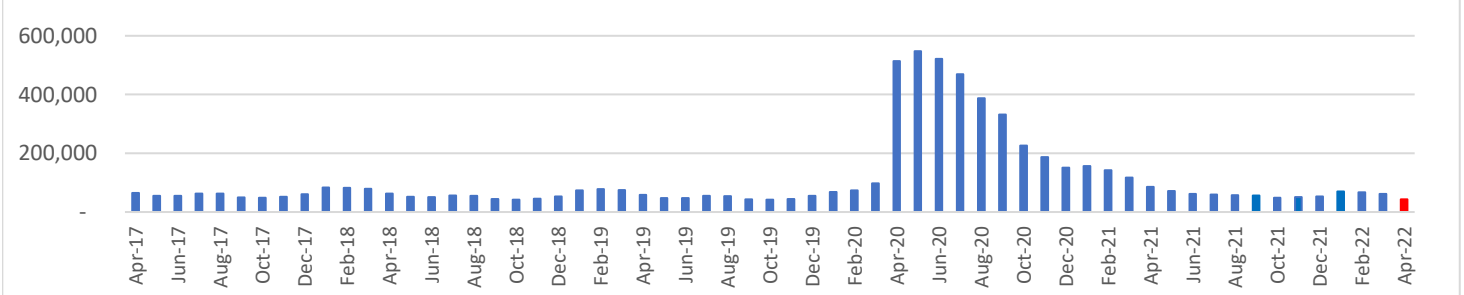
Labor Force and Unemployment Rate <sup>^</sup>	Apr-22	Mar-22	Feb-22
MA Labor Force (in thousands):	3,775.7	3,775.1	3,772.5
MA Unemployed (thousands):	154.1	160.5	175.9
MA Labor Participation Rate:	66.0	66.0	65.9
MA Unemployment Rate:	4.1%	4.3%	4.7%
National Unemployment Rate:	3.6%	3.6%	3.8%

<sup>^</sup> Seasonally Adjusted

### Claimants by Workforce Development Area

WDA	Apr-22	Mar-22	M/M chg..	Apr-21	Y/Y chg.	Feb-22	Jan-22
Statewide	43,123	61,383	↓ (18,260)	85,098	↓ (41,975)	67,011	69,872
Berkshire County WDA	912	1,407	↓ (495)	1,874	↓ (962)	1,487	1,520
Boston WDA	3,642	4,563	↓ (921)	8,497	↓ (4,855)	5,083	5,669
Bristol County WDA	3,038	4,730	↓ (1,692)	5,077	↓ (2,039)	5,101	5,180
Brockton WDA	1,947	2,658	↓ (711)	3,848	↓ (1,901)	2,871	3,010
Cape & Islands WDA	2,784	5,098	↓ (2,314)	4,089	↓ (1,305)	5,700	5,506
Central MA WDA	3,870	5,302	↓ (1,432)	7,771	↓ (3,901)	5,845	6,044
Franklin/Hampshire WDA	1,249	2,041	↓ (792)	2,474	↓ (1,225)	2,240	2,339
Greater Lowell WDA	1,823	2,463	↓ (640)	3,658	↓ (1,835)	2,663	2,712
Greater New Bedford WDA	2,121	3,404	↓ (1,283)	3,541	↓ (1,420)	3,781	3,975
Hampden County WDA	3,799	5,127	↓ (1,328)	7,199	↓ (3,400)	5,489	5,864
Lower Merrimack Valley WDA	2,496	3,349	↓ (853)	5,232	↓ (2,736)	3,590	3,689
Metro North WDA	3,800	4,825	↓ (1,025)	8,511	↓ (4,711)	5,351	5,785
Metro South/West WDA	3,745	5,277	↓ (1,532)	7,606	↓ (3,861)	5,706	6,048
North Central WDA	1,802	2,669	↓ (867)	3,309	↓ (1,507)	2,846	2,977
North Shore WDA	2,596	3,748	↓ (1,152)	5,542	↓ (2,946)	4,013	4,167
South Shore WDA	3,499	4,722	↓ (1,223)	6,870	↓ (3,371)	5,245	5,387

Total Number of Claimants

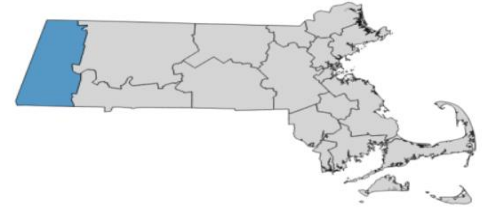


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April 2022

## Berkshire County WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation	M/M				Y/Y			
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chng.	%	Apr-21	chng.	Feb-22	
<b>Total</b>	<b>912</b>	<b>1,407</b>	<b>↓ (495)</b>	<b>-35%</b>	<b>1,874</b>	<b>↓ (962)</b>	<b>1,487</b>	
Management	93	115	↓ (22)	-19%	163	↓ (70)	131	
Business and Financial Operations	18	17	↑ 1	6%	16	↑ 2	21	
Computer and Mathematics	-	-	-	#DIV/0!	12	↓ (12)	-	
Architecture and Engineering	6	10	↓ (4)	-40%	15	↓ (9)	11	
Life, Physical, and Social Science	8	9	↓ (1)	-11%	5	↑ 3	6	
Community and Social Service	13	11	↑ 2	18%	28	↓ (15)	20	
Legal Occupations	-	-	-	#DIV/0!	5	↓ (5)	-	
Education, Training, and Library	20	18	↑ 2	11%	29	↓ (9)	19	
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	8	15	↓ (7)	-47%	16	↓ (8)	15	
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	19	29	↓ (10)	-34%	47	↓ (28)	26	
Healthcare Support	50	50	-	0%	82	↓ (32)	58	
Protective Service	9	15	↓ (6)	-40%	17	↓ (8)	13	
Food Preparation and Serving	63	99	↓ (36)	-36%	201	↓ (138)	92	
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	97	215	↓ (118)	-55%	173	↓ (76)	230	
Personal Care and Service	30	36	↓ (6)	-17%	123	↓ (93)	44	
Sales and Related	45	58	↓ (13)	-22%	135	↓ (90)	54	
Office and Administrative Support	73	99	↓ (26)	-26%	184	↓ (111)	110	
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	9	26	↓ (17)	-65%	19	↓ (10)	30	
Construction and Extraction	209	380	↓ (171)	-45%	317	↓ (108)	382	
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	25	45	↓ (20)	-44%	63	↓ (38)	47	
Production Occupations	35	46	↓ (11)	-24%	76	↓ (41)	50	
Transportation and Material Moving	76	106	↓ (30)	-28%	136	↓ (60)	117	
Military	1	1	-	0%	-	↑ 1	-	
INA - SOC Code Unknown	5	7	↓ (2)	-29%	12	↓ (7)	11	

Data Sources: Massachusetts Department of Unemployment Assistance

#### Berkshire County WDA

Cities and Towns: Adams

Alford  
Becket  
Cheshire  
Clarksburg  
Dalton  
Egremont  
Florida  
Great Barrington  
Hancock

Hinsdale

Lanesborough  
Lee  
Lenox  
Monterey  
Mount Washington  
New Ashford  
New Marlborough  
North Adams  
Otis

Peru

Pittsfield  
Richmond  
Sandisfield  
Savoy  
Sheffield  
Stockbridge  
Tyringham  
Washington  
West Stockbridge

Williamstown

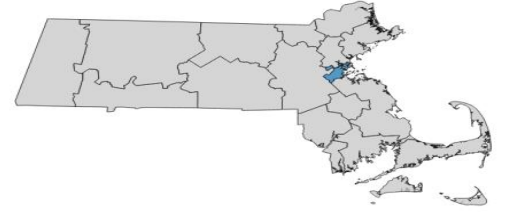
Windsor

# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area

## April 2022



### Boston WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation	Total	Apr-22	Mar-22	M/M		Apr-21	Y/Y chng.	Feb-22	
				chng.	%				
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,642</b>	<b>4,563</b>	↓	<b>(921)</b>	<b>-20%</b>	<b>8,497</b>	↓	<b>(4,855)</b>	<b>5,083</b>
Management	428	460	↓	(32)	-7%	987	↓	(559)	478
Business and Financial Operations	158	166	↓	(8)	-5%	282	↓	(124)	165
Computer and Mathematics	74	90	↓	(16)	-18%	145	↓	(71)	95
Architecture and Engineering	28	33	↓	(5)	-15%	80	↓	(52)	38
Life, Physical, and Social Science	33	32	↑	1	3%	56	↓	(23)	37
Community and Social Service	99	107	↓	(8)	-7%	152	↓	(53)	132
Legal Occupations	21	22	↓	(1)	-5%	35	↓	(14)	29
Education, Training, and Library	75	102	↓	(27)	-26%	180	↓	(105)	111
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	70	79	↓	(9)	-11%	162	↓	(92)	94
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	62	77	↓	(15)	-19%	172	↓	(110)	83
Healthcare Support	176	194	↓	(18)	-9%	300	↓	(124)	206
Protective Service	91	112	↓	(21)	-19%	255	↓	(164)	139
Food Preparation and Serving	283	419	↓	(136)	-32%	873	↓	(590)	543
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	181	420	↓	(239)	-57%	575	↓	(394)	515
Personal Care and Service	87	141	↓	(54)	-38%	637	↓	(550)	176
Sales and Related	232	275	↓	(43)	-16%	836	↓	(604)	297
Office and Administrative Support	400	475	↓	(75)	-16%	1,084	↓	(684)	551
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	9	8	↑	1	13%	13	↓	(4)	12
Construction and Extraction	655	762	↓	(107)	-14%	551	↑	104	773
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	73	99	↓	(26)	-26%	133	↓	(60)	97
Production Occupations	68	82	↓	(14)	-17%	224	↓	(156)	85
Transportation and Material Moving	307	366	↓	(59)	-16%	690	↓	(383)	382
Military	3	3	-	-	0%	9	↓	(6)	-
INA - SOC Code Unknown	29	39	↓	(10)	-26%	66	↓	(37)	45

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Boston WDA  
Cities and Towns:

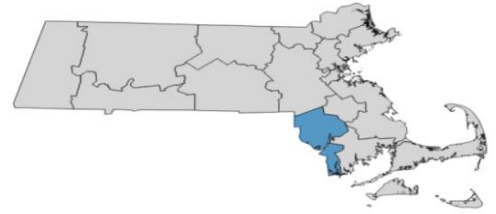
Boston

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## Bristol County WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%	Y/Y		Feb-22	
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chng.	Apr-21		chng.			
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,038</b>	<b>4,730</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(1,692)</b>	<b>-36%</b>	<b>5,077</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(2,039)</b>	<b>5,101</b>
Management	249	325	↓	(76)	-23%	467	↓	(218)	327
Business and Financial Operations	59	70	↓	(11)	-16%	130	↓	(71)	73
Computer and Mathematics	25	33	↓	(8)	-24%	40	↓	(15)	29
Architecture and Engineering	28	36	↓	(8)	-22%	58	↓	(30)	32
Life, Physical, and Social Science	11	15	↓	(4)	-27%	12	↓	(1)	20
Community and Social Service	42	45	↓	(3)	-7%	91	↓	(49)	53
Legal Occupations	11	9	↑	2	22%	10	↑	1	10
Education, Training, and Library	22	28	↓	(6)	-21%	90	↓	(68)	35
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	29	37	↓	(8)	-22%	68	↓	(39)	33
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	67	85	↓	(18)	-21%	118	↓	(51)	90
Healthcare Support	117	134	↓	(17)	-13%	212	↓	(95)	139
Protective Service	41	29	↑	12	41%	52	↓	(11)	37
Food Preparation and Serving	136	201	↓	(65)	-32%	389	↓	(253)	246
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	212	624	↓	(412)	-66%	273	↓	(61)	662
Personal Care and Service	33	65	↓	(32)	-49%	238	↓	(205)	84
Sales and Related	150	198	↓	(48)	-24%	381	↓	(231)	209
Office and Administrative Support	255	298	↓	(43)	-14%	505	↓	(250)	329
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	30	61	↓	(31)	-51%	36	↓	(6)	56
Construction and Extraction	846	1,576	↓	(730)	-46%	897	↓	(51)	1,735
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	91	135	↓	(44)	-33%	133	↓	(42)	147
Production Occupations	165	203	↓	(38)	-19%	287	↓	(122)	201
Transportation and Material Moving	409	494	↓	(85)	-17%	557	↓	(148)	521
Military	-	3	↓	(3)	-100%	7	↓	(7)	-
INA - SOC Code Unknown	10	26	↓	(16)	-62%	26	↓	(16)	33

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Bristol County WDA  
Cities and Towns:

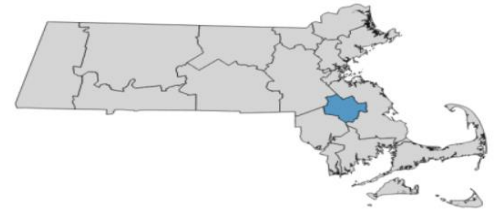
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- Berkley
- Dighton
- Fall River
- Mansfield
- North Attleborough
- Norton
- Raynham
- Rehoboth
- Seekonk
- Somerset
- Swansea
- Taunton
- Westport

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## Brockton WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%	Apr-21	Y/Y chng.	Feb-22	
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chng.						
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,947</b>	<b>2,658</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(711)</b>	<b>-27%</b>	<b>3,848</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(1,901)</b>	<b>2,871</b>
Management	165	209	↓	(44)	-21%	338	↓	(173)	212
Business and Financial Operations	62	63	↓	(1)	-2%	103	↓	(41)	64
Computer and Mathematics	29	25	↑	4	16%	45	↓	(16)	33
Architecture and Engineering	13	15	↓	(2)	-13%	34	↓	(21)	14
Life, Physical, and Social Science	13	14	↓	(1)	-7%	14	↓	(1)	16
Community and Social Service	47	41	↑	6	15%	68	↓	(21)	45
Legal Occupations	9	7	↑	2	29%	6	↑	3	7
Education, Training, and Library	17	24	↓	(7)	-29%	54	↓	(37)	26
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	16	23	↓	(7)	-30%	33	↓	(17)	22
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	55	71	↓	(16)	-23%	122	↓	(67)	66
Healthcare Support	101	102	↓	(1)	-1%	225	↓	(124)	114
Protective Service	35	41	↓	(6)	-15%	44	↓	(9)	46
Food Preparation and Serving	79	122	↓	(43)	-35%	324	↓	(245)	156
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	111	280	↓	(169)	-60%	187	↓	(76)	299
Personal Care and Service	37	58	↓	(21)	-36%	180	↓	(143)	65
Sales and Related	94	137	↓	(43)	-31%	279	↓	(185)	139
Office and Administrative Support	199	240	↓	(41)	-17%	463	↓	(264)	268
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	-	10	↓	(10)	-100%	5	↓	(5)	11
Construction and Extraction	421	637	↓	(216)	-34%	456	↓	(35)	683
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	67	91	↓	(24)	-26%	119	↓	(52)	97
Production Occupations	82	101	↓	(19)	-19%	210	↓	(128)	123
Transportation and Material Moving	276	316	↓	(40)	-13%	513	↓	(237)	337
Military	5	8	↓	(3)	-38%	-	↑	5	6
INA - SOC Code Unknown	14	23	↓	(9)	-39%	26	↓	(12)	22

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Brockton WDA  
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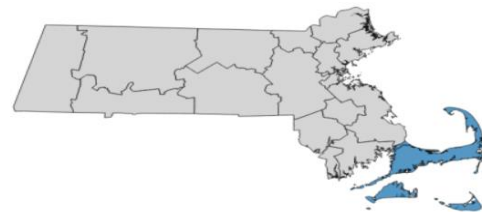
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- Avon
- Bridgewater
- Brockton
- East Bridgewater
- Easton
- Hanson
- Stoughton
- West Bridgewater
- Whitman

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## Cape & Islands WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation	Apr-22	Mar-22	M/M chng.	%	Apr-21	Y/Y chng.	Feb-22
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,784</b>	<b>5,098</b>	<b>↓ (2,314)</b>	<b>-45%</b>	<b>4,089</b>	<b>↓ (1,305)</b>	<b>5,700</b>
Management	460	657	↓ (197)	-30%	608	↓ (148)	724
Business and Financial Operations	43	47	↓ (4)	-9%	72	↓ (29)	45
Computer and Mathematics	9	6	↑ 3	50%	25	↓ (16)	11
Architecture and Engineering	7	11	↓ (4)	-36%	22	↓ (15)	16
Life, Physical, and Social Science	8	15	↓ (7)	-47%	15	↓ (7)	15
Community and Social Service	31	32	↓ (1)	-3%	40	↓ (9)	33
Legal Occupations	8	7	↑ 1	14%	6	↑ 2	6
Education, Training, and Library	23	26	↓ (3)	-12%	53	↓ (30)	34
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	26	39	↓ (13)	-33%	57	↓ (31)	47
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	38	48	↓ (10)	-21%	93	↓ (55)	52
Healthcare Support	61	66	↓ (5)	-8%	83	↓ (22)	64
Protective Service	21	35	↓ (14)	-40%	29	↓ (8)	45
Food Preparation and Serving	738	1,261	↓ (523)	-41%	951	↓ (213)	1,450
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	443	1,409	↓ (966)	-69%	591	↓ (148)	1,576
Personal Care and Service	50	108	↓ (58)	-54%	127	↓ (77)	112
Sales and Related	169	283	↓ (114)	-40%	318	↓ (149)	320
Office and Administrative Support	197	291	↓ (94)	-32%	345	↓ (148)	325
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	18	48	↓ (30)	-63%	41	↓ (23)	61
Construction and Extraction	150	255	↓ (105)	-41%	206	↓ (56)	277
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	87	170	↓ (83)	-49%	93	↓ (6)	171
Production Occupations	43	63	↓ (20)	-32%	92	↓ (49)	74
Transportation and Material Moving	135	187	↓ (52)	-28%	208	↓ (73)	206
Military	2	1	↑ 1	100%	-	↑ 2	-
INA - SOC Code Unknown	17	33	↓ (16)	-48%	14	↑ 3	36

Data Sources: Massachusetts Department of Unemployment Assistance

Cape & Islands WDA  
Cities and Towns:

- Aquinnah
- Barnstable
- Bourne
- Brewster
- Chatham
- Chilmark
- Dennis
- Eastham
- Edgartown
- Falmouth
- Gosnold
- Harwich
- Mashpee
- Nantucket
- Oak Bluffs
- Orleans
- Provincetown
- Sandwich
- Tisbury
- Truro
- Wellfleet
- West Tisbury
- Yarmouth

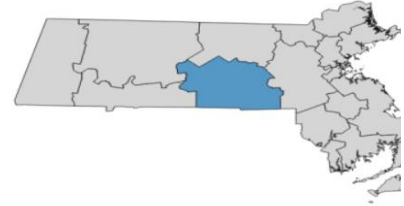


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## Central MA WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%	Apr-21	Y/Y chng.
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chng.				
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,870</b>	<b>5,302</b>	↓	<b>(1,432)</b>	<b>-27%</b>	<b>7,771</b>	↓ <b>(3,901)</b>
Management	450	515	↓	(65)	-13%	806	↓ (356)
Business and Financial Operations	136	138	↓	(2)	-1%	224	↓ (88)
Computer and Mathematics	75	64	↑	11	17%	131	↓ (56)
Architecture and Engineering	55	54	↑	1	2%	103	↓ (48)
Life, Physical, and Social Science	36	35	↑	1	3%	57	↓ (21)
Community and Social Service	78	81	↓	(3)	-4%	142	↓ (64)
Legal Occupations	11	11	-	-	0%	13	↓ (2)
Education, Training, and Library	43	48	↓	(5)	-10%	157	↓ (114)
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	54	56	↓	(2)	-4%	89	↓ (35)
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	106	121	↓	(15)	-12%	615	↓ (509)
Healthcare Support	173	180	↓	(7)	-4%	283	↓ (110)
Protective Service	58	48	↑	10	21%	81	↓ (23)
Food Preparation and Serving	146	244	↓	(98)	-40%	587	↓ (441)
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	254	744	↓	(490)	-66%	400	↓ (146)
Personal Care and Service	77	132	↓	(55)	-42%	439	↓ (362)
Sales and Related	228	275	↓	(47)	-17%	603	↓ (375)
Office and Administrative Support	389	471	↓	(82)	-17%	802	↓ (413)
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	12	30	↓	(18)	-60%	16	↓ (4)
Construction and Extraction	699	1,187	↓	(488)	-41%	766	↓ (67)
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	136	194	↓	(58)	-30%	228	↓ (92)
Production Occupations	233	222	↑	11	5%	427	↓ (194)
Transportation and Material Moving	389	419	↓	(30)	-7%	753	↓ (364)
Military	7	4	↑	3	75%	9	↓ (2)
INA - SOC Code Unknown	25	29	↓	(4)	-14%	40	↓ (15)

Data Sources: Massachusetts Department of Unemployment

#### Central MA WDA

Cities and Towns: Auburn

Blackstone

Boylston

Brookfield

Charlton

Douglas

Dudley

East Brookfield

Grafton

Hardwick

Holden

Hopedale

Leicester

Mendon

Milford

Millbury

Millville

New Braintree

North Brookfield

Northborough

Northbridge

Oakham

Oxford

Paxton

Rutland

Shrewsbury

Southbridge

Spencer

Sturbridge

Sutton

Upton

Uxbridge

Warren

Webster

West Boylston

West Brookfield

Westborough

Worcester

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## April 2022



**Feb-22**

**5,845**

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Job Assistance

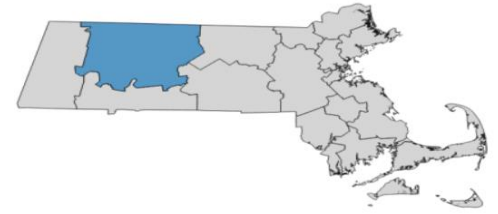


# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area



April 2022

## Franklin/Hampshire WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%			Feb-22	
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chg.	Apr-21		Y/Y chng.			
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,249</b>	<b>2,041</b>	↓	<b>(792)</b>	<b>-39%</b>	<b>2,474</b>	↓	<b>(1,225)</b>	<b>2,240</b>
Management	125	158	↓	(33)	-21%	248	↓	(123)	172
Business and Financial Operations	27	30	↓	(3)	-10%	46	↓	(19)	32
Computer and Mathematics	21	17	↑	4	24%	31	↓	(10)	18
Architecture and Engineering	10	16	↓	(6)	-38%	22	↓	(12)	20
Life, Physical, and Social Science	14	17	↓	(3)	-18%	18	↓	(4)	17
Community and Social Service	41	41	-	-	0%	63	↓	(22)	48
Legal Occupations	-	-	-	-	#DIV/0!	8	↓	(8)	-
Education, Training, and Library	32	34	↓	(2)	-6%	97	↓	(65)	47
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	15	15	-	-	0%	43	↓	(28)	16
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	37	42	↓	(5)	-12%	80	↓	(43)	45
Healthcare Support	59	64	↓	(5)	-8%	73	↓	(14)	66
Protective Service	13	17	↓	(4)	-24%	23	↓	(10)	18
Food Preparation and Serving	58	100	↓	(42)	-42%	245	↓	(187)	107
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	71	301	↓	(230)	-76%	123	↓	(52)	332
Personal Care and Service	23	34	↓	(11)	-32%	115	↓	(92)	50
Sales and Related	61	87	↓	(26)	-30%	169	↓	(108)	89
Office and Administrative Support	103	131	↓	(28)	-21%	253	↓	(150)	130
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	11	24	↓	(13)	-54%	26	↓	(15)	27
Construction and Extraction	274	585	↓	(311)	-53%	359	↓	(85)	642
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	56	68	↓	(12)	-18%	73	↓	(17)	73
Production Occupations	68	68	-	-	0%	132	↓	(64)	87
Transportation and Material Moving	121	178	↓	(57)	-32%	211	↓	(90)	192
Military	3	1	↑	2	200%	-	↑	3	-
INA - SOC Code Unknown	6	13	↓	(7)	-54%	16	↓	(10)	12

Data Sources: Massachusetts Department of Unemployment Assistance

#### Franklin/Hampshire WDA

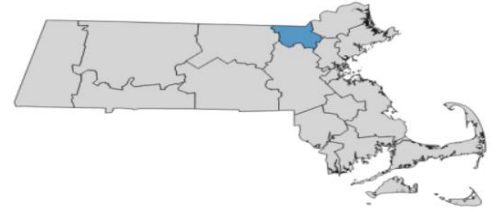
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	Ashfield	Deerfield	Heath	Orange	Southampton
	Athol	Easthampton	Huntington	Pelham	Sunderland
	Belchertown	Erving	Leverett	Petersham	Ware
	Bernardston	Gill	Leyden	Phillipston	Warwick
	Buckland	Goshen	Middlefield	Plainfield	Wendell
	Charlemont	Granby	Monroe	Rowe	Westhampton
	Chesterfield	Greenfield	Montague	Royalston	Whately
	Colrain	Hadley	New Salem	Shelburne	Williamsburg
	Conway	Hatfield	Northampton	Shutesbury	Worthington

# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area



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## Greater Lowell WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%	Apr-21	Y/Y chng.	Feb-22	
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chng.						
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,823</b>	<b>2,463</b>	↓	<b>(640)</b>	<b>-26%</b>	<b>3,658</b>	↓	<b>(1,835)</b>	<b>2,663</b>
Management	209	244	↓	(35)	-14%	352	↓	(143)	272
Business and Financial Operations	73	90	↓	(17)	-19%	112	↓	(39)	85
Computer and Mathematics	56	57	↓	(1)	-2%	102	↓	(46)	52
Architecture and Engineering	44	55	↓	(11)	-20%	96	↓	(52)	48
Life, Physical, and Social Science	15	13	↑	2	15%	33	↓	(18)	13
Community and Social Service	24	25	↓	(1)	-4%	40	↓	(16)	30
Legal Occupations	7	8	↓	(1)	-13%	12	↓	(5)	9
Education, Training, and Library	21	19	↑	2	11%	83	↓	(62)	29
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	20	26	↓	(6)	-23%	38	↓	(18)	26
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	37	50	↓	(13)	-26%	93	↓	(56)	52
Healthcare Support	79	92	↓	(13)	-14%	141	↓	(62)	87
Protective Service	15	16	↓	(1)	-6%	21	↓	(6)	20
Food Preparation and Serving	57	89	↓	(32)	-36%	268	↓	(211)	109
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	89	235	↓	(146)	-62%	159	↓	(70)	257
Personal Care and Service	25	44	↓	(19)	-43%	231	↓	(206)	58
Sales and Related	83	97	↓	(14)	-14%	221	↓	(138)	110
Office and Administrative Support	201	208	↓	(7)	-3%	420	↓	(219)	234
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	-	7	↓	(7)	-100%	6	↓	(6)	8
Construction and Extraction	408	640	↓	(232)	-36%	417	↓	(9)	688
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	59	99	↓	(40)	-40%	118	↓	(59)	104
Production Occupations	101	119	↓	(18)	-15%	347	↓	(246)	136
Transportation and Material Moving	185	212	↓	(27)	-13%	327	↓	(142)	219
Military	3	3	-	-	0%	-	↑	3	-
INA - SOC Code Unknown	12	15	↓	(3)	-20%	21	↓	(9)	17

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#### Greater Lowell WDA

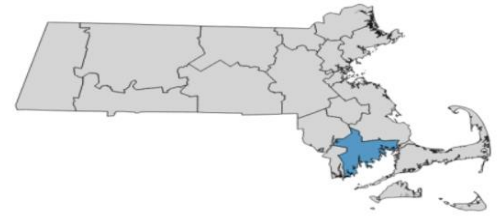
- Cities and Towns:
- Billerica
  - Chelmsford
  - Dracut
  - Dunstable
  - Lowell
  - Tewksbury
  - Tyngsborough
  - Westford

# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area



April 2022

## Greater New Bedford WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation	Total	Apr-22	Mar-22	M/M	%	Apr-21	Y/Y chng.	Feb-22	
		2,121	3,404	chg.		3,541	(1,420)	3,781	
Management	133	162	↓	(29)	-18%	247	↓	(114)	192
Business and Financial Operations	26	28	↓	(2)	-7%	51	↓	(25)	36
Computer and Mathematics	14	16	↓	(2)	-13%	15	↓	(1)	13
Architecture and Engineering	22	22	-	-	0%	25	↓	(3)	21
Life, Physical, and Social Science	10	8	↑	2	25%	8	↑	2	7
Community and Social Service	36	41	↓	(5)	-12%	68	↓	(32)	39
Legal Occupations	-	-	-	-	#DIV/0!	7	↓	(7)	5
Education, Training, and Library	18	24	↓	(6)	-25%	44	↓	(26)	19
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	26	27	↓	(1)	-4%	29	↓	(3)	30
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	56	64	↓	(8)	-13%	98	↓	(42)	62
Healthcare Support	110	118	↓	(8)	-7%	162	↓	(52)	124
Protective Service	22	23	↓	(1)	-4%	44	↓	(22)	28
Food Preparation and Serving	95	171	↓	(76)	-44%	276	↓	(181)	234
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	183	507	↓	(324)	-64%	229	↓	(46)	552
Personal Care and Service	28	47	↓	(19)	-40%	192	↓	(164)	73
Sales and Related	76	103	↓	(27)	-26%	225	↓	(149)	121
Office and Administrative Support	119	174	↓	(55)	-32%	317	↓	(198)	200
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	181	237	↓	(56)	-24%	126	↑	55	236
Construction and Extraction	533	967	↓	(434)	-45%	642	↓	(109)	1,089
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	58	101	↓	(43)	-43%	99	↓	(41)	106
Production Occupations	102	194	↓	(92)	-47%	250	↓	(148)	210
Transportation and Material Moving	253	345	↓	(92)	-27%	368	↓	(115)	357
Military	2	3	↓	(1)	-33%	-	↑	2	-
INA - SOC Code Unknown	18	22	↓	(4)	-18%	19	↓	(1)	27

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#### Greater New Bedford WDA

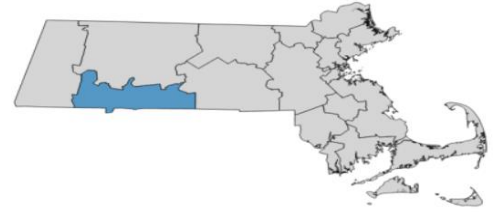
- Cities and Towns:
- Acushnet
  - Dartmouth
  - Fairhaven
  - Freetown
  - Lakeville
  - Marion
  - Mattapoisett
  - New Bedford
  - Rochester
  - Wareham

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## Hampden County WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%			Feb-22	
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chg.	Apr-21		Y/Y chng.			
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,799</b>	<b>5,127</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(1,328)</b>	<b>-26%</b>	<b>7,199</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(3,400)</b>	<b>5,489</b>
Management	249	303	↓	(54)	-18%	500	↓	(251)	332
Business and Financial Operations	92	98	↓	(6)	-6%	113	↓	(21)	111
Computer and Mathematics	25	26	↓	(1)	-4%	48	↓	(23)	30
Architecture and Engineering	26	29	↓	(3)	-10%	48	↓	(22)	36
Life, Physical, and Social Science	16	19	↓	(3)	-16%	19	↓	(3)	18
Community and Social Service	67	84	↓	(17)	-20%	164	↓	(97)	100
Legal Occupations	6	9	↓	(3)	-33%	15	↓	(9)	9
Education, Training, and Library	42	53	↓	(11)	-21%	151	↓	(109)	55
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	18	37	↓	(19)	-51%	55	↓	(37)	41
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	81	81	-	-	0%	171	↓	(90)	88
Healthcare Support	457	427	↑	30	7%	435	↑	22	427
Protective Service	68	55	↑	13	24%	98	↓	(30)	67
Food Preparation and Serving	203	248	↓	(45)	-18%	624	↓	(421)	274
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	246	563	↓	(317)	-56%	389	↓	(143)	604
Personal Care and Service	110	203	↓	(93)	-46%	737	↓	(627)	244
Sales and Related	195	224	↓	(29)	-13%	515	↓	(320)	259
Office and Administrative Support	350	398	↓	(48)	-12%	780	↓	(430)	410
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	21	28	↓	(7)	-25%	21	-	-	29
Construction and Extraction	548	1,117	↓	(569)	-51%	789	↓	(241)	1,202
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	116	174	↓	(58)	-33%	187	↓	(71)	190
Production Occupations	298	326	↓	(28)	-9%	491	↓	(193)	325
Transportation and Material Moving	519	573	↓	(54)	-9%	778	↓	(259)	584
Military	8	9	↓	(1)	-11%	10	↓	(2)	8
INA - SOC Code Unknown	38	43	↓	(5)	-12%	61	↓	(23)	46

Data Sources: Massachusetts Department of Unemployment Assistance

#### Hampden County WDA

Cities and Towns: Agawam

Blandford

Brimfield

Chester

Chicopee

East Longmeadow

Granville

Hampden

Holland

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Palmer

Russell

Southwick

Springfield

Tolland

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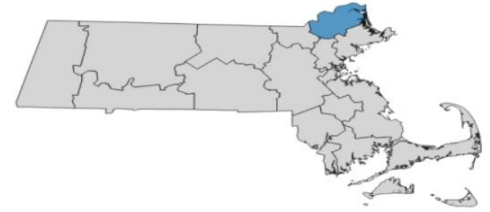
Wilbraham

# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area



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## Lower Merrimack WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation	M/M		%	Y/Y			
	Apr-22	Mar-22		Apr-21	Feb-22		
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,496</b>	<b>3,349</b>	<b>(853)</b>	<b>-25%</b>	<b>5,232</b>	<b>(2,736)</b>	<b>3,590</b>
Management	293	328	(35)	-11%	487	(194)	340
Business and Financial Operations	85	81	4	5%	123	(38)	88
Computer and Mathematics	40	45	(5)	-11%	76	(36)	40
Architecture and Engineering	35	36	(1)	-3%	83	(48)	39
Life, Physical, and Social Science	11	16	(5)	-31%	24	(13)	16
Community and Social Service	39	45	(6)	-13%	61	(22)	51
Legal Occupations	12	11	1	9%	10	2	12
Education, Training, and Library	29	40	(11)	-28%	83	(54)	40
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	26	31	(5)	-16%	53	(27)	37
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	60	82	(22)	-27%	120	(60)	73
Healthcare Support	150	163	(13)	-8%	274	(124)	176
Protective Service	40	28	12	43%	45	(5)	21
Food Preparation and Serving	95	173	(78)	-45%	424	(329)	165
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	166	368	(202)	-55%	296	(130)	401
Personal Care and Service	37	74	(37)	-50%	361	(324)	93
Sales and Related	101	105	(4)	-4%	278	(177)	130
Office and Administrative Support	251	281	(30)	-11%	557	(306)	340
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	11	22	(11)	-50%	20	(9)	24
Construction and Extraction	508	794	(286)	-36%	600	(92)	870
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	66	102	(36)	-35%	126	(60)	104
Production Occupations	115	171	(56)	-33%	478	(363)	176
Transportation and Material Moving	312	329	(17)	-5%	614	(302)	330
Military	1	3	(2)	-67%	5	(4)	-
INA - SOC Code Unknown	13	21	(8)	-38%	34	(21)	24

Data Sources: Massachusetts Department of Unemployment Assistance

#### Lower Merrimack WDA

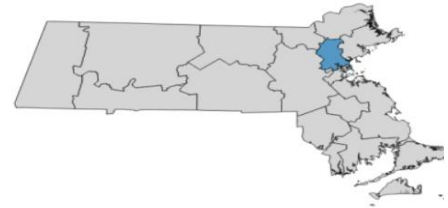
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- Amesbury
  - Andover
  - Boxford
  - Georgetown
  - Groveland
  - Haverhill
  - Lawrence
  - Merrimac
  - Methuen
  - Newbury
  - Newburyport
  - North Andover
  - Rowley
  - Salisbury
  - West Newbury

# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area



April 2022

## Metro North WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%	Apr-21	Y/Y chng.
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chng.				
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,800</b>	<b>4,825</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(1,025)</b>	<b>-21%</b>	<b>8,511</b>	<b>↓ (4,711)</b>
Management	545	633	↓	(88)	-14%	1,218	↓ (673)
Business and Financial Operations	202	189	↑	13	7%	354	↓ (152)
Computer and Mathematics	143	140	↑	3	2%	277	↓ (134)
Architecture and Engineering	68	72	↓	(4)	-6%	133	↓ (65)
Life, Physical, and Social Science	60	55	↑	5	9%	100	↓ (40)
Community and Social Service	64	67	↓	(3)	-4%	92	↓ (28)
Legal Occupations	29	32	↓	(3)	-9%	44	↓ (15)
Education, Training, and Library	82	90	↓	(8)	-9%	228	↓ (146)
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	85	91	↓	(6)	-7%	187	↓ (102)
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	91	103	↓	(12)	-12%	176	↓ (85)
Healthcare Support	116	118	↓	(2)	-2%	225	↓ (109)
Protective Service	66	60	↑	6	10%	157	↓ (91)
Food Preparation and Serving	227	351	↓	(124)	-35%	947	↓ (720)
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	170	461	↓	(291)	-63%	468	↓ (298)
Personal Care and Service	73	121	↓	(48)	-40%	432	↓ (359)
Sales and Related	220	250	↓	(30)	-12%	715	↓ (495)
Office and Administrative Support	385	437	↓	(52)	-12%	999	↓ (614)
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	10	10	-	-	0%	10	-
Construction and Extraction	688	976	↓	(288)	-30%	700	↓ (12)
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	71	99	↓	(28)	-28%	147	↓ (76)
Production Occupations	85	107	↓	(22)	-21%	216	↓ (131)
Transportation and Material Moving	291	334	↓	(43)	-13%	626	↓ (335)
Military	5	3	↑	2	67%	10	↓ (5)
INA - SOC Code Unknown	24	26	↓	(2)	-8%	50	↓ (26)

Data Sources: Massachusetts Department of Unemployment #

#### Metro North WDA

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|-------------------|---------------|------------|
| Cities and Towns: | Arlington     | Reading    |
|                   | Belmont       | Revere     |
|                   | Burlington    | Somerville |
|                   | Cambridge     | Stoneham   |
|                   | Chelsea       | Wakefield  |
|                   | Everett       | Watertown  |
|                   | Malden        | Wilmington |
|                   | Medford       | Winchester |
|                   | Melrose       | Winthrop   |
|                   | North Reading | Woburn     |

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**Feb-22**

**5,351**

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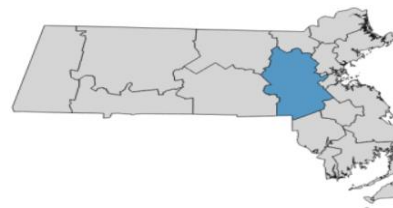


# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area



April 2022

## Metro South/West WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%	Apr-21	Y/Y chng.
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chng.	chng.			
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,745</b>	<b>5,277</b>	↓	<b>(1,532)</b>	<b>-29%</b>	<b>7,606</b>	↓ <b>(3,861)</b>
Management	915	1,051	↓	(136)	-13%	1,698	↓ (783)
Business and Financial Operations	221	235	↓	(14)	-6%	356	↓ (135)
Computer and Mathematics	162	157	↑	5	3%	321	↓ (159)
Architecture and Engineering	78	80	↓	(2)	-3%	163	↓ (85)
Life, Physical, and Social Science	69	68	↑	1	1%	101	↓ (32)
Community and Social Service	47	54	↓	(7)	-13%	100	↓ (53)
Legal Occupations	36	39	↓	(3)	-8%	49	↓ (13)
Education, Training, and Library	60	85	↓	(25)	-29%	222	↓ (162)
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	86	96	↓	(10)	-10%	195	↓ (109)
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	127	128	↓	(1)	-1%	253	↓ (126)
Healthcare Support	74	74	-	-	0%	165	↓ (91)
Protective Service	28	32	↓	(4)	-13%	61	↓ (33)
Food Preparation and Serving	129	205	↓	(76)	-37%	491	↓ (362)
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	231	851	↓	(620)	-73%	369	↓ (138)
Personal Care and Service	61	108	↓	(47)	-44%	295	↓ (234)
Sales and Related	225	267	↓	(42)	-16%	643	↓ (418)
Office and Administrative Support	352	428	↓	(76)	-18%	816	↓ (464)
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	6	15	↓	(9)	-60%	15	↓ (9)
Construction and Extraction	465	801	↓	(336)	-42%	557	↓ (92)
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	72	130	↓	(58)	-45%	155	↓ (83)
Production Occupations	70	77	↓	(7)	-9%	162	↓ (92)
Transportation and Material Moving	205	259	↓	(54)	-21%	365	↓ (160)
Military	4	2	↑	2	100%	11	↓ (7)
INA - SOC Code Unknown	22	35	↓	(13)	-37%	43	↓ (21)

Data Sources: Massachusetts Department of Unemployment

#### Metro South/West WDA

Cities and Towns:	Acton	Dover	Marlborough	Plainville	Weston
	Ashland	Foxborough	Maynard	Sharon	Westwood
	Bedford	Framingham	Medfield	Sherborn	Wrentham
	Bellingham	Franklin	Medway	Southborough	
	Boxborough	Holliston	Millis	Stow	
	Brookline	Hopkinton	Natick	Sudbury	
	Canton	Hudson	Needham	Walpole	
	Carlisle	Lexington	Newton	Waltham	
	Concord	Lincoln	Norfolk	Wayland	
	Dedham	Littleton	Norwood	Wellesley	

# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area

## April 2022



**Feb-22**

**5,706**

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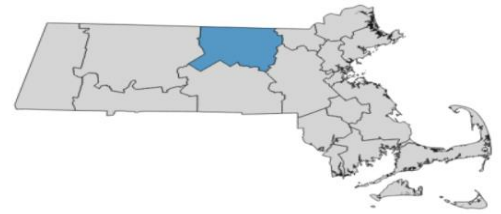
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# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area



April 2022

## North Central WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%			Y/Y chng.	Feb-22
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chng.	Apr-21					
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,802</b>	<b>2,669</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(867)</b>	<b>-32%</b>	<b>3,309</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(1,507)</b>	<b>2,846</b>
Management	201	240	↓	(39)	-16%	374	↓	(173)	256
Business and Financial Operations	51	49	↑	2	4%	88	↓	(37)	54
Computer and Mathematics	33	31	↑	2	6%	53	↓	(20)	36
Architecture and Engineering	31	35	↓	(4)	-11%	49	↓	(18)	40
Life, Physical, and Social Science	14	18	↓	(4)	-22%	12	↑	2	25
Community and Social Service	28	34	↓	(6)	-18%	52	↓	(24)	32
Legal Occupations	8	10	↓	(2)	-20%	5	↑	3	9
Education, Training, and Library	18	26	↓	(8)	-31%	65	↓	(47)	25
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	25	33	↓	(8)	-24%	39	↓	(14)	36
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	40	47	↓	(7)	-15%	151	↓	(111)	52
Healthcare Support	68	70	↓	(2)	-3%	87	↓	(19)	75
Protective Service	33	30	↑	3	10%	31	↑	2	34
Food Preparation and Serving	57	102	↓	(45)	-44%	241	↓	(184)	102
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	109	386	↓	(277)	-72%	165	↓	(56)	405
Personal Care and Service	26	39	↓	(13)	-33%	142	↓	(116)	38
Sales and Related	80	93	↓	(13)	-14%	222	↓	(142)	110
Office and Administrative Support	162	179	↓	(17)	-9%	351	↓	(189)	200
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	14	15	↓	(1)	-7%	20	↓	(6)	21
Construction and Extraction	463	782	↓	(319)	-41%	489	↓	(26)	837
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	59	78	↓	(19)	-24%	87	↓	(28)	86
Production Occupations	78	105	↓	(27)	-26%	228	↓	(150)	97
Transportation and Material Moving	191	250	↓	(59)	-24%	338	↓	(147)	258
Military	-	-	-	-	#DIV/0!	-	-	-	-
INA - SOC Code Unknown	13	17	↓	(4)	-24%	20	↓	(7)	18

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#### North Central WDA

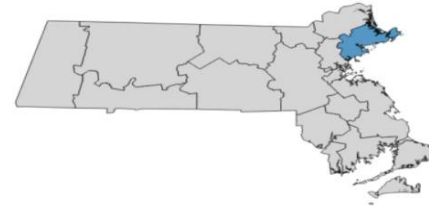
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	Ashby	Hubbardston	Westminster
	Ayer	Lancaster	Winchendon
	Barre	Leominster	
	Berlin	Lunenburg	
	Bolton	Pepperell	
	Clinton	Princeton	
	Fitchburg	Shirley	
	Gardner	Sterling	
	Groton	Templeton	

# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area



April 2022

## North Shore WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%	Apr-21	Y/Y chng.	
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chng.					
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,596</b>	<b>3,748</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(1,152)</b>	<b>-31%</b>	<b>5,542</b>	<b>↓</b>	<b>(2,946)</b>
Management	326	428	↓	(102)	-24%	696	↓	(370)
Business and Financial Operations	123	121	↑	2	2%	154	↓	(31)
Computer and Mathematics	42	45	↓	(3)	-7%	78	↓	(36)
Architecture and Engineering	30	32	↓	(2)	-6%	71	↓	(41)
Life, Physical, and Social Science	11	18	↓	(7)	-39%	23	↓	(12)
Community and Social Service	41	50	↓	(9)	-18%	79	↓	(38)
Legal Occupations	13	13	-	-	0%	27	↓	(14)
Education, Training, and Library	37	42	↓	(5)	-12%	95	↓	(58)
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	39	58	↓	(19)	-33%	90	↓	(51)
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	63	76	↓	(13)	-17%	131	↓	(68)
Healthcare Support	103	106	↓	(3)	-3%	186	↓	(83)
Protective Service	33	36	↓	(3)	-8%	68	↓	(35)
Food Preparation and Serving	202	344	↓	(142)	-41%	642	↓	(440)
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	145	477	↓	(332)	-70%	335	↓	(190)
Personal Care and Service	41	58	↓	(17)	-29%	262	↓	(221)
Sales and Related	132	179	↓	(47)	-26%	516	↓	(384)
Office and Administrative Support	288	338	↓	(50)	-15%	652	↓	(364)
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	76	91	↓	(15)	-16%	52	↑	24
Construction and Extraction	441	688	↓	(247)	-36%	470	↓	(29)
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	71	112	↓	(41)	-37%	123	↓	(52)
Production Occupations	115	130	↓	(15)	-12%	275	↓	(160)
Transportation and Material Moving	212	278	↓	(66)	-24%	476	↓	(264)
Military	-	3	↓	(3)	-100%	-	-	-
INA - SOC Code Unknown	12	25	↓	(13)	-52%	41	↓	(29)

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#### North Shore WDA

Cities and Towns: Beverly

Danvers

Essex

Gloucester

Hamilton

Ipswich

Lynn

Lynnfield

Manchester-by-the-Sea

Marblehead

Middleton

Nahant

Peabody

Rockport

Salem

Saugus

Swampscott

Topsfield

Wenham

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**Feb-22**

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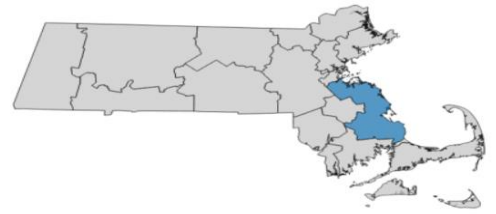
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# Massachusetts Unemployment Claims by Workforce Development Area



April 2022

## South Shore WDA



### Claimants by Occupation

Occupation			M/M		%	Apr-21	Y/Y chng.	Feb-22	
	Apr-22	Mar-22	chng.						
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,499</b>	<b>4,722</b>	↓	<b>(1,223)</b>	<b>-26%</b>	<b>6,870</b>	↓	<b>(3,371)</b>	<b>5,245</b>
Management	489	573	↓	(84)	-15%	970	↓	(481)	606
Business and Financial Operations	149	153	↓	(4)	-3%	277	↓	(128)	169
Computer and Mathematics	46	52	↓	(6)	-12%	118	↓	(72)	67
Architecture and Engineering	38	43	↓	(5)	-12%	85	↓	(47)	53
Life, Physical, and Social Science	30	38	↓	(8)	-21%	32	↓	(2)	43
Community and Social Service	44	58	↓	(14)	-24%	130	↓	(86)	66
Legal Occupations	17	19	↓	(2)	-11%	37	↓	(20)	23
Education, Training, and Library	46	56	↓	(10)	-18%	150	↓	(104)	68
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	58	75	↓	(17)	-23%	104	↓	(46)	74
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	111	115	↓	(4)	-3%	207	↓	(96)	120
Healthcare Support	96	99	↓	(3)	-3%	161	↓	(65)	123
Protective Service	60	62	↓	(2)	-3%	91	↓	(31)	73
Food Preparation and Serving	219	332	↓	(113)	-34%	713	↓	(494)	433
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	176	521	↓	(345)	-66%	326	↓	(150)	607
Personal Care and Service	51	84	↓	(33)	-39%	357	↓	(306)	105
Sales and Related	197	256	↓	(59)	-23%	569	↓	(372)	277
Office and Administrative Support	363	409	↓	(46)	-11%	767	↓	(404)	441
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	15	29	↓	(14)	-48%	12	↑	3	29
Construction and Extraction	877	1,184	↓	(307)	-26%	903	↓	(26)	1,278
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	104	137	↓	(33)	-24%	173	↓	(69)	144
Production Occupations	64	98	↓	(34)	-35%	172	↓	(108)	90
Transportation and Material Moving	225	297	↓	(72)	-24%	475	↓	(250)	324
Military	3	2	↑	1	50%	8	↓	(5)	-
INA - SOC Code Unknown	21	30	↓	(9)	-30%	33	↓	(12)	32

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#### South Shore WDA

Cities and Towns:	Braintree	Marshfield	Scituate
	Carver	Middleborough	Weymouth
	Cohasset	Milton	
	Duxbury	Norwell	
	Halifax	Pembroke	
	Hanover	Plymouth	
	Hingham	Plympton	
	Holbrook	Quincy	
	Hull	Randolph	
	Kingston	Rockland	