



LABOR MARKET INFORMATION

(2018, Non-seasonally-adjusted)

Website: qualityinfo.org

LABOR FORCE DATA

Year-over Annual Job Growth	1.8% Oregon	1.7% National
Annual Average Unemployment Rate	4.2% Oregon	3.9% National
Annual Average Labor Force	2,104,516	
Annual Labor Force Participation Rate	61.8% Oregon	62.9% National
Year-over Average Wage Growth	3.5% Oregon	3.3% National

EDUCATION LEVELS*

(Age 25 and older)

Less than high school: **6.8% Oregon** | **12.0% National**



High school: **21.1% Oregon** | **27.1% National**



Some college/Associate degree: **30.3% Oregon** | **28.9% National**



Bachelor's degree +: **41.8% Oregon** | **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)



8.2%
Education and Health Services



7.0%
Construction



4.3%
Mining and Logging



STATE WORKFORCE INNOVATION: OREGON'S ECONOMIC CYCLE PLAN

Proactively prepares the department for workload changes in future recessions and recoveries through awareness of economic conditions, increased communication across divisions, and planning checklists for funding, communication, processes, technology and staffing.

To learn more, visit oregon.gov/EMPLOY/Documents/Economic%20Cycle%20Plan_Optimized.pdf.

STATE PROFILE

OREGON EMPLOYMENT DEPARTMENT

Programs within Agency

- Foreign Labor Certification
- Labor Market Information
- Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers
- Trade Adjustment Assistance
- Unemployment Insurance (UI)
- Veterans Employment and Training Services
- Wagner-Peyser (WP)
- Work Opportunity Tax Credit

WIOA Core Programs: Administering Agencies

- **Higher Education Coordinating Commission's Office of Workforce Investment** – Administers WIOA Adult (A), Dislocated Worker (DW), Youth (Y) programs
- **Higher Education Coordinating Commission's Office of Community Colleges and Workforce Development** – Administers Adult Education (AE) programs
- **Oregon Employment Department** – Administers WP programs
- **Department of Human Services Office of Vocational Rehabilitation Services and Oregon Commission for the Blind** – Administer Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) programs

Approval of Apprenticeships

- State run

Local Regions Governance

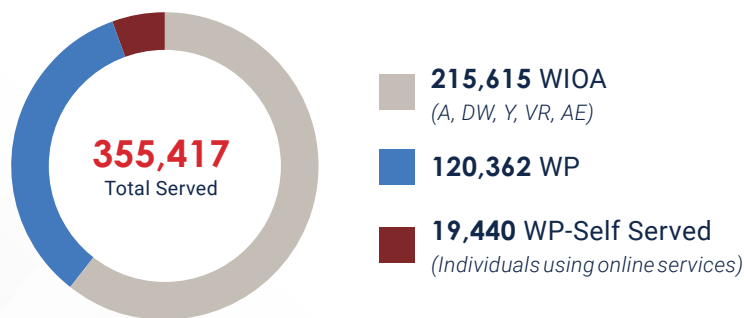
- Local entity oversees workforce personnel and training

NUMBER OF AMERICAN JOB CENTERS

(One-stop centers)

20 Comprehensive Centers | **19** Affiliate Centers

TOTAL INDIVIDUALS SERVED BY OREGON'S WORKFORCE SERVICES*



*See participant definitions under "Programs within Agency"

UNEMPLOYMENT DATA*

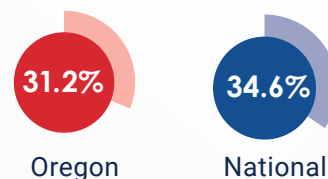
Duration Rate

The average number of weeks people receive unemployment insurance.

15.1 weeks Oregon | **15.0 weeks** 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: PARTNERING WITH DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

The Oregon Employment Department partners with the Department of Human Services to provide E&T services to SNAP customers across the state. Services include job search assistance, creation of employment plans and the provision of support services.

STATE WORKFORCE INNOVATION: WORKFORCE SYSTEM COLLABORATIONS

Culture of close and effective collaboration between the programs and organizations that make up the workforce system: UI, ES, LMI, workforce boards, SNAP, TANF, VR, VETS and TAA. Examples: staff training and modernization stakeholder board.