



Department of Job and Family Services

Register for Unemployment Benefits online, 24 hours/day, 7 days/week*

<http://unemployment.ohio.gov>

OR, register by phone by calling toll free 1-877-644-6562, 8 AM to 5 PM Monday through Friday.
For TTY service dial toll free 1-614-387-8408

To register for unemployment compensation, you will need:

Your social security number

Your driver license or state ID number

Your name, address, telephone number, and e-mail address

Name, address, telephone number, and dates of employment with each employer for whom you worked during the past 6 weeks of employment

The reason you became unemployed from each employer

Dependents' names, social security Numbers, and dates of birth

If claiming dependents, your spouse's name, social security number, and birth date

If you are not a U.S. citizen or national, alien registration number and expiration date

Your regular occupation and job skills

You may also have to provide:

If you had out-of-state employment, have worked for the federal government, or are separated from military service, more information is required, including:

Form DD-214-member 4 copy (for military service)

SF-8 or SF-50 form (for federal government employment)

Once your application has been filed, you will receive further information by mail or e-mail.

**Limited service may be available while our system is being updated nightly. Check the website for available services. Be sure to follow the prompts.*