How to Set Up a PIN for the First Time

Go to https://unemployment.ohio.gov/ and select

New users, select Register Now

Complete these fields to create your log-in credentials and establish a security question. Select Next to continue.

NOTE – Use caution when entering your Social Security number. Mistyped numbers are a common problem and could prevent you from successfully logging on for the first time.

You will then receive a temporary PIN. You will need this to log in for the first time. If you do not have it, you will not be able to log in and will need to use our Chat feature or call for a PIN reset.
If you try to register again, this message will appear. You will need to use our Chat feature or call for a PIN reset.