

UNEMPLOYMENT TRENDS FOR MERRIMACK VALLEY SERVICE DELIVERY AREA

(Three Year Comparison)

(Previous Five Months)

Major Labor Area	December 2022	December 2021	December 2020	December 2022	November 2022	October 2022	September 2022	August 2022	July 2022
Massachusetts	3.2	4.1	7.4	3.2	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.5	3.5
National	3.3	3.7	6.5	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.8	3.8
Lawrence/ NH NECTA Division	4.5	5.9	10.1	4.5	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.9	4.8
Lower Merrimack Valley (WDA)	3.7	4.8	8.5	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.6	4.0	4.0
Amesbury	2.3	3.0	5.7	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.6	3.1	3.0
Andover	2.4	2.9	5.9	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6
Boxford	2.2	2.3	5.3	2.2	2.1	2.2	1.9	2.2	2.3
Georgetown	2.2	3.1	5.3	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.7
Groveland	2.3	2.3	5.2	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.6	2.6
Haverhill	3.6	4.9	8.3	3.6	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.5
Lawrence	6.3	8.7	15.1	6.3	5.9	5.8	6.4	7.3	7.4
Merrimac	2.8	2.2	6.4	2.8	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.8	2.9
Methuen	4.1	5.4	8.6	4.1	3.7	3.6	4.0	4.3	4.5
Newbury	2.4	3.7	6.2	2.4	1.7	2.0	1.9	2.9	2.6
Newburyport	2.3	2.1	5.5	2.3	2.3	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.5
North Andover	3.2	3.8	6.3	3.2	2.9	2.9	2.8	3.2	3.1
Rowley	2.3	3.5	6.7	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.9	2.7
Salisbury	3.2	3.9	6.6	3.2	2.6	2.7	2.7	3.1	3.1
West Newbury	2.2	2.6	5.1	2.2	1.9	2.6	2.2	2.4	2.4

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