

UNEMPLOYMENT TRENDS FOR MERRIMACK VALLEY SERVICE DELIVERY AREA

(Three Year Comparison)

(Previous Five Months)

Major Labor Area	February 2020	February 2019	February 2018	February 2020	January 2020	December 2019	November 2019	October 2019	September 2019
Massachusetts	3.3	3.6	4.2	3.3	3.5	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.8
National	3.8	4.1	4.4	3.8	4.0	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3
Lawrence/ NH NECTA Division	4.4	4.7	5.4	4.4	4.5	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.8
Lower Merrimack Valley (WDA)	3.6	4.0	4.5	3.6	3.8	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.2
Amesbury	2.9	2.9	3.5	2.9	3.0	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.3
Andover	2.5	2.7	3.0	2.5	2.7	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.5
Boxford	2.3	2.4	2.9	2.3	2.5	1.7	1.7	1.8	2.1
Georgetown	2.4	2.9	3.1	2.4	2.5	1.8	1.8	2.1	2.2
Groveland	2.8	2.8	3.1	2.8	2.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	2.1
Haverhill	3.6	3.9	4.2	3.6	3.8	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.1
Lawrence	6.2	6.6	7.7	6.2	6.1	5.0	4.8	4.7	5.1
Merrimac	2.4	2.8	3.1	2.4	2.8	2.1	2.0	1.9	2.3
Methuen	3.6	4.0	4.6	3.6	3.7	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.3
Newbury	2.9	3.4	3.7	2.9	3.2	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.3
Newburyport	2.3	2.7	3.1	2.3	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.4
North Andover	2.5	2.8	3.2	2.5	2.8	2.2	2.1	2.5	2.7
Rowley	3.2	3.5	4.0	3.2	3.4	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.5
Salisbury	3.6	4.0	4.5	3.6	3.9	2.9	2.3	2.6	2.5
West Newbury	2.3	2.2	3.0	2.3	2.6	2.6	2.5	1.7	2.0

(Data not seasonally adjusted. Statewide unemployment rate and labor force estimates have been revised)

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