

## UNEMPLOYMENT TRENDS FOR MERRIMACK VALLEY SERVICE DELIVERY AREA

(Three Year Comparison)

(Previous Five Months)

Major Labor Area	April 2022	April 2021	April 2020	April 2022	March 2022	February 2022	January 2022	December 2021	November 2021
Massachusetts	3.3	6.1	16.7	3.3	3.8	4.3	5.0	4.1	4.2
National	3.3	5.7	14.4	3.3	3.8	4.1	4.4	3.7	3.9
Lawrence/ NH NECTA Division	4.8	9.1	22.5	4.8	5.3	6.0	6.8	5.9	6.0
Lower Merrimack Valley (WDA)	3.9	7.5	19.1	3.9	4.4	4.9	5.6	4.8	4.9
Amesbury	2.4	4.7	17.1	2.4	3.0	3.4	4.0	3.0	3.4
Andover	2.5	4.7	16.7	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.4	2.9	3.0
Boxford	2.1	3.3	10.5	2.1	2.5	2.7	3.3	2.3	2.5
Georgetown	3.0	4.8	14.6	3.0	3.0	3.2	4.1	3.1	2.9
Groveland	3.0	3.9	15.1	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.6	2.3	2.1
Haverhill	3.6	7.2	20.2	3.6	4.1	4.7	5.4	4.9	4.9
Lawrence	7.0	14.1	29.1	7.0	7.7	8.8	9.8	8.7	8.9
Merrimac	2.1	5.1	15.0	2.1	2.4	2.6	3.3	2.2	2.5
Methuen	4.6	7.9	20.4	4.6	5.0	5.7	6.3	5.4	5.3
Newbury	2.7	4.8	13.9	2.7	3.9	4.2	5.2	3.7	3.7
Newburyport	2.3	4.6	13.0	2.3	2.3	2.5	3.0	2.1	2.6
North Andover	2.9	4.8	13.8	2.9	3.1	3.4	4.2	3.8	4.0
Rowley	2.9	5.2	16.2	2.9	3.3	4.0	4.0	3.5	3.1
Salisbury	3.2	6.6	18.0	3.2	3.5	4.2	4.7	3.9	4.2
West Newbury	1.8	3.0	11.5	1.8	2.6	2.8	3.2	2.6	3.5

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