County Unemployment Rates
October 2019
(Lowest to Highest)

Rank	County	Unemployment Rate		Rank	County	Unemployment Rate
1	Adams County	3.1%		34	Mifflin County	5.0%
1	Centre County	3.1%		34	Washington County	5.0%
3	Chester County	3.4%		37	Columbia County	5.1%
3	Lancaster County	3.4%		37	Crawford County	5.1%
5	Cumberland County	3.7%		37	Sullivan County	5.1%
5	Franklin County	3.7%		40	Cambria County	5.2%
5	York County	3.7%		40	Lackawanna County	5.2%
8	Lebanon County	3.8%		40	Monroe County	5.2%
8	Montgomery County	3.8%		40	Wyoming County	5.2%
8	Montour County	3.8%		44	Greene County	5.4%
11	Bucks County	4.1%		44	Lawrence County	5.4%
11	Perry County	4.1%		44	Mercer County	5.4%
13	Union County	4.2%		44	Snyder County	5.4%
14	Berks County	4.3%		48	Clearfield County	5.5%
14	Butler County	4.3%		48	Indiana County	5.5%
14	Delaware County	4.3%		48	Tioga County	5.5%
14	Fulton County	4.3%		48	Venango County	5.5%
18	Dauphin County	4.4%		52	Armstrong County	5.6%
18	Erie County	4.4%		52	Clinton County	5.6%
20	Allegheny County	4.5%		54	McKean County	5.7%
20	Blair County	4.5%		55	Northumberland County	5.8%
20	Susquehanna County	4.5%		55	Philadelphia County	5.8%
23	Juniata County	4.6%		55	Schuylkill County	5.8%
24	Lehigh County	4.7%		55	Somerset County	5.8%
24	Lycoming County	4.7%		59	Carbon County	5.9%
24	Northampton County	4.7%		59	Elk County	5.9%
27	Wayne County	4.8%		61	Luzerne County	6.0%
27	Westmoreland County	4.8%		61	Pike County	6.0%
29	Bedford County	4.9%		63	Huntingdon County	6.2%
29	Bradford County	4.9%		63	Potter County	6.2%
29	Clarion County	4.9%		65	Fayette County	6.5%
29	Jefferson County	4.9%		66	Forest County	6.9%
29	Warren County	4.9%		67	Cameron County	8.7%
34	Beaver County	5.0%				

For Comparison Purposes

Pennsylvania	4.2%		United States	3.6%

northern tier
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commission

Workforce Development Area Unemployment Rates
October 2019
(Lowest to Highest)

Rank	Workforce Development Area	Unemployment Rate
1	Chester County WDA	3.4%
1	Lancaster County WDA	3.4%
3	Montgomery County WDA	3.8%
4	Bucks County WDA	4.1%
4	South Central WDA	4.1%
6	Berks County WDA	4.3%
6	Delaware County WDA	4.3%
8	Three Rivers WDA	4.5%
9	Lehigh Valley WDA	4.7%
10	Central WDA	4.8%
10	Tri-County WDA	4.8%
12	**Northern Tier WDA**	**5.0%**
12	Northwest WDA	5.0%
12	Southwest Corner WDA	5.0%
15	Lackawanna County WDA	5.2%
15	Westmoreland and Fayette Counties WDA	5.2%
17	Southern Alleghenies WDA	5.3%
18	West Central WDA	5.4%
19	North Central WDA	5.6%
20	Pocono Counties WDA	5.7%
21	Philadelphia County WDA	5.8%
22	Luzerne-Schuylkill Counties WDA	5.9%

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Pennsylvania	4.2%
United States	3.6%

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