



Department of Labor and Training
RHODE ISLAND

Monthly Update of Claims Activity

Month Ending : August 31, 2025

	Current Month	Previous Month	Year Ago	Percent Change		Year to Date	
				Previous Month	Year Ago	2025	2024
Initial Claims Processed	3,812	4,152	3,306	-8.2%	15.3%	40,189	38,906
Initial Claims Verified (to date)	3,793	4,104	3,158	-7.6%	20.1%	39,421	36,782
Monetary Determinations	2,804	3,176	2,512	-11.7%	11.6%	27,761	26,559
Monetary Ineligible	309	236	259	30.9%	19.3%	2,407	2,297
Weeks Claimed	49,738	52,964	44,337	-6.1%	12.2%	413,732	376,935
Number of Payments	44,074	44,785	39,388	-1.6%	11.9%	358,955	328,125
Amount of Payments	\$19,960,000	\$20,401,154	\$16,740,620	-2.2%	19.2%	\$169,945,774	\$149,122,089
Average Payment	\$453	\$456	\$425	-0.6%	6.6%	\$473	\$454
Partial Payments	3,265	3,494	2,756	-6.6%	18.5%	26,946	23,065
Average Duration (12 Months)	15.8	15.7	15.2	0.5%	3.8%	15.8	15.2
Exhaustion Ratio (12 Months)	31.9	31.5	29.3	1.3%	8.9%	31.9	29.3
First Payments	2,036	3,287	1,932	-38.1%	5.4%	22,497	21,345
Final Payments	776	842	617	-7.8%	25.8%	6,648	5,950
Workshare Initial Claims	81	101	68	-19.8%	19.1%	1,014	843
Workshare Initial Claims Equiv.	22	25	16	-12.0%	37.5%	265	217
Workshare Weeks Claimed	1,994	1,937	2,022	2.9%	-1.4%	15,505	12,804
Workshare Weeks Claimed Equiv	509	526	508	-3.2%	0.2%	3,960	3,251