

Weekly Update of Claims Activity

Week Ending : May 2, 2026

	Current Week May 2, 2026	Previous Week April 25, 2026	Year Ago May 3, 2025	Two Years Ago May 4, 2024
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Unemployment Insurance Claims

Claims Received				
Total Initials	916	2,729	739	729
New Claims	512	809	555	547
Additional Claims	404	1,920	184	182
Presumed Valid Claims				
Total Initials	913	2,726	736	689
New Claims	509	806	552	507
Additional Claims	404	1,920	184	182
Presumed or Verified Fraud				
Total Initials	3	3	3	40
New Claims	3	3	3	40
Additional Claims	0	0	0	0
Weeks Claimed	10,925	9,319	9,454	8,344
Final Claims	190	191	182	189

Workshare

Initials	6	61	24	2
Initial Equivalency	2	14	8	0
Continued	139	488	529	332
Continued Equivalency	34	122	120	87

Interstate Liabe

Total Initials	11	11	9	5
New Claims	0	2	0	2
Additional Claims	11	9	9	3
Weeks Claimed	443	465	304	217

Temporary Disability Insurance Claims (includes TCI)

Total Initials	995	1,035	981	934
New Claims	735	766	721	704
Reopened Claims	260	269	260	230
Weeks Claimed	7,411	7,223	7,353	7,079

Equal Opportunity Employer/Program/Auxiliary aids and services available upon request to individuals with disabilities / TTY via RI Relay 711.