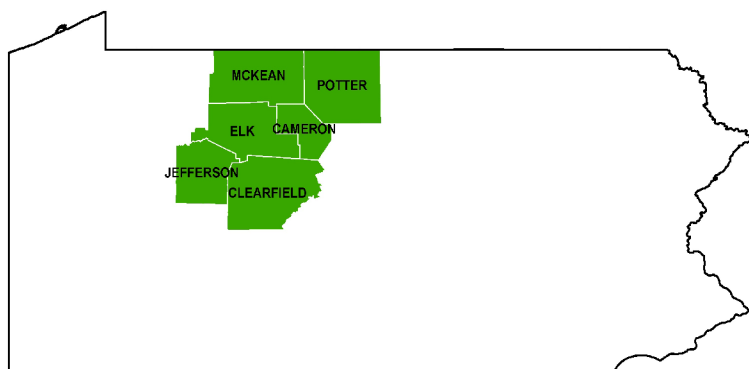
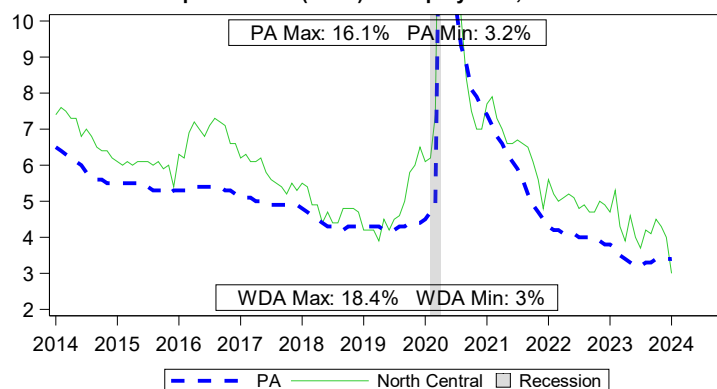


North Central WDA Profile

March 2024



Workforce Development Area (WDA) Unemployment, Jan 2014 to Jan 2024



2022 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	216,304	12,989,208
Female	104,699	6,578,442
Male	111,605	6,410,766
Population by Race		
White	94.8%	77.1%
Black	1.5%	10.8%
Other	3.8%	12.1%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	2.0%	8.1%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	19.4%	20.5%
Ages 18 to 24	7.6%	9.2%
Ages 25 to 34	11.3%	13.1%
Ages 35 to 44	11.3%	12.1%
Ages 45 to 54	13.3%	12.4%
Ages 55 to 64	15.6%	14.0%
Ages 65 to 74	12.4%	10.8%
Ages 75 and Older	9.2%	7.9%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	57.7%	42.5%
Some College or Associate Degree	24.8%	26.1%
Bachelor's Degree	11.7%	19.3%
Graduate or Professional Degree	5.8%	12.1%

Source: U.S. Census-2022 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
Jan 2024	WDA	PA
Unemployment Rate	3.0%	3.4%
Labor Force	93,300	6,544,000
Employed	90,400	6,324,000
Unemployed	2,800	221,000

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are Seasonally Adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2023	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
State Government	
DuBois Regional Medical Center	
Federal Government	
Cen-Clear Child Services Inc	
Zippo Manufacturing Co	
DuBois Area School District	
Goodwill Industries of North Central PA	
Metal Powder Products LLC	
Keystone Powdered Metal Company	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
January 2024	1,054	188,759
January 2023	836	187,537
Annual Percent Change	26.1%	0.7%
Annual Volume Change	218	1,222

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Feb 2023 to Jan 2024				Jan 2024 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	20	320	4.0%	1.0%	40	1,100	2.5%	1.5%	360	9,240	3.5%	1.5%
Construction	100	5,580	20.5%	14.0%	530	16,930	33.0%	23.5%	3,710	111,310	33.5%	20.5%
Manufacturing	110	4,100	22.5%	10.5%	300	6,110	18.5%	8.5%	1,820	53,950	16.5%	10.0%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	100	6,830	20.5%	17.0%	220	11,070	13.5%	15.5%	1,490	89,880	13.5%	16.5%
Information	0	1,030	0.0%	2.5%	10	400	0.5%	0.5%	90	7,070	1.0%	1.5%
Financial Activities	0	2,240	0.0%	5.5%	10	1,230	0.5%	1.5%	90	20,220	1.0%	4.0%
Professional and Business Services	70	8,140	14.5%	20.5%	130	9,650	8.0%	13.5%	1,070	97,490	9.5%	18.0%
Education and Health Service	60	5,500	12.0%	14.0%	70	4,630	4.0%	6.5%	670	56,840	6.0%	10.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	30	2,740	6.0%	7.0%	80	6,170	5.0%	8.5%	870	50,380	8.0%	9.5%
Other Services	0	920	0.0%	2.5%	20	960	1.5%	1.5%	160	10,510	1.5%	2.0%
Public Administration	0	850	0.0%	2.0%	20	480	1.0%	0.5%	350	6,850	3.0%	1.5%
Unclassified Industry	0	1,740	0.0%	4.5%	180	13,590	11.5%	19.0%	340	25,050	3.0%	4.5%
Total	490	39,990	100%	100%	1,610	72,320	100%	100%	11,020	538,780	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2022 Annual Averages										
NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.		Employment		Employment %		Wages		
		WDA	LQ	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	
	Total, All Industries	6,059	1.00	77,753	5,863,297	100.0%	100.0%	\$47,395	\$67,279	
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	114	1.82	657	27,150	0.8%	0.5%	\$47,374	\$42,543	
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	102	4.02	1,153	21,631	1.5%	0.4%	\$78,724	\$102,977	
22	Utilities	70	1.30	576	33,477	0.7%	0.6%	\$73,671	\$106,982	
23	Construction	422	0.76	2,695	267,291	3.5%	4.6%	\$52,231	\$75,093	
31-33	Manufacturing	456	2.22	16,592	564,391	21.3%	9.6%	\$57,347	\$72,172	
42	Wholesale Trade	173	0.60	1,708	213,153	2.2%	3.6%	\$58,358	\$95,505	
44-45	Retail Trade	769	1.19	9,544	603,195	12.3%	10.3%	\$30,656	\$36,323	
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	447	ND	ND	344,384	ND	5.9%	ND	\$56,878	
51	Information	84	0.64	814	96,291	1.0%	1.6%	\$49,480	\$114,641	
52	Finance and Insurance	214	0.39	1,394	269,171	1.8%	4.6%	\$63,291	\$114,792	
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	89	ND	ND	67,208	ND	1.1%	ND	\$73,430	
54	Professional and Technical Services	312	0.34	1,787	395,104	2.3%	6.7%	\$50,151	\$113,475	
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	50	0.72	1,387	145,205	1.8%	2.5%	\$78,799	\$145,955	
56	Administrative and Waste Services	173	0.52	2,134	311,279	2.7%	5.3%	\$37,040	\$49,964	
61	Educational Services	130	0.84	5,265	474,147	6.8%	8.1%	\$47,867	\$65,366	
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,071	0.94	13,244	1,063,096	17.0%	18.1%	\$52,268	\$62,217	
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	68	0.33	424	96,469	0.5%	1.6%	\$19,927	\$41,986	
72	Accommodation and Food Services	498	0.94	5,523	443,283	7.1%	7.6%	\$15,739	\$23,614	
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	568	1.20	3,141	197,858	4.0%	3.4%	\$26,275	\$42,746	
92	Public Administration	251	1.34	4,083	229,515	5.3%	3.9%	\$54,820	\$70,964	
	Total, Suppressed Industries	536		5,633		7.2%				

Company Ownership										
	Total, All Ownership	6,059	1.00	77,753	5,863,297	100.0%	100.0%	\$47,395	\$67,279	
	Private Ownership	5,505	0.97	67,030	5,210,523	86.2%	88.9%	\$46,698	\$67,336	
	Federal Ownership	117	0.68	890	99,050	1.1%	1.7%	\$64,703	\$85,530	
	State Ownership	96	1.54	2,545	124,829	3.3%	2.1%	\$69,653	\$71,477	
	Local Ownership	341	1.28	7,288	428,895	9.4%	7.3%	\$43,919	\$61,144	

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2020) and Wages (2022)								
SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage		
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	84,040	5,923,090	\$25,770	\$27,980	\$48,230	\$58,470	
11-0000	Management	3,510	329,650	\$51,710	\$61,570	\$102,800	\$126,450	
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	2,260	307,330	\$38,610	\$46,220	\$64,850	\$80,280	
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	690	168,390	\$43,080	\$52,800	\$71,710	\$94,730	
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	1,460	102,710	\$48,000	\$53,320	\$75,060	\$89,330	
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	600	56,570	\$43,420	\$44,240	\$72,190	\$75,920	
21-0000	Community & Social Service	2,060	129,510	\$32,320	\$33,860	\$47,770	\$51,980	
23-0000	Legal	280	48,600	\$30,440	\$48,780	\$76,590	\$109,460	
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	3,730	322,980	\$29,830	\$32,650	\$57,560	\$66,040	
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	790	76,840	\$25,920	\$30,610	\$47,060	\$59,420	
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	5,380	410,120	\$38,880	\$45,120	\$77,500	\$89,820	
31-0000	Healthcare Support	4,670	323,520	\$24,200	\$25,040	\$31,720	\$33,120	
33-0000	Protective Service	1,670	123,720	\$32,060	\$27,470	\$56,320	\$52,870	
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	6,200	403,000	\$18,740	\$20,130	\$27,260	\$29,460	
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	3,180	185,730	\$22,440	\$25,020	\$30,900	\$34,860	
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	2,050	159,270	\$19,610	\$20,700	\$29,830	\$33,020	
41-0000	Sales & Related	6,440	525,290	\$20,970	\$23,000	\$37,210	\$47,010	
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	9,980	811,460	\$26,720	\$29,710	\$39,970	\$44,850	
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	1,100	42,050	\$32,490	\$25,180	\$41,440	\$39,290	
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	4,000	244,620	\$34,600	\$38,120	\$51,470	\$59,770	
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	4,300	232,680	\$33,510	\$35,130	\$52,500	\$55,080	
51-0000	Production	10,860	361,760	\$29,710	\$31,100	\$43,900	\$45,620	
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	8,830	557,300	\$26,740	\$28,010	\$40,940	\$42,490	

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.

