

STATE RANKINGS EXHAUSTION RATE

(Percentage of UI Claimants that Exhaust their benefits)

Rank	State	Exhaustion (12 mo. Average)	Unemployment Rate (12 mo. Average)
1	South Dakota	14%	2.8%
2	Vermont	16%	3.5%
3	New Hampshire	18%	3.0%
4	Wisconsin	18%	4.5%
5	Indiana	24%	4.7%
6	Maine	25%	3.9%
7	Iowa	25%	3.7%
8	Utah	26%	3.5%
9	Hawaii	26%	3.3%
10	Ohio	26%	4.9%
11	Idaho	27%	3.9%
12	Washington	27%	5.7%
13	Louisiana	27%	6.0%
14	Mississippi	28%	6.4%
15	Nebraska	28%	3.0%
16	Rhode Island	29%	5.5%
17	Pennsylvania	30%	5.0%
18	Tennessee	30%	5.1%
19	West Virginia	31%	6.4%
20	Oregon	32%	5.2%
21	Connecticut	32%	5.5%
22	Michigan *	32%	4.9%
23	Minnesota	32%	3.7%
24	New York	33%	4.9%
25	Illinois	33%	6.2%
26	Kentucky	33%	5.5%
27	Arkansas *	33%	4.5%
28	Alabama	34%	6.1%
29	Maryland	34%	4.8%
30	Massachusetts	34%	4.6%
31	Montana	35%	4.2%
32	South Carolina *	37%	5.6%
33	Delaware	37%	4.6%
34	Wyoming	38%	2.6%
35	Georgia *	38%	5.5%
36	Missouri *	38%	4.4%
37	New Mexico	38%	6.4%
38	Nevada	39%	6.3%
39	Virginia	40%	4.1%
40	Kansas *	41%	4.0%
41	Arizona	41%	5.8%
42	District of Columbia	41%	6.5%
43	New Jersey	41%	4.9%
44	Alaska	44%	6.6%
45	North Dakota	44%	2.9%
46	Colorado	45%	3.4%
47	Virgin Islands	45%	11.5%
48	Texas	46%	4.5%
49	Puerto Rico	47%	11.9%
50	California	48%	5.7%
51	Oklahoma	48%	4.3%
52	North Carolina *	49%	5.5%
53	Florida *	51%	5.0%

Best Ten Average 21.8%
United States Average 37.1%