

(Average number of weeks a claimant receives benefits during a claim - July 2018 - June 2019)

Rank	State	Duration (12 mo. Average)	Unemployment Rate (12 mo. Average)
1	Georgia *	7.9	3.8%
2	North Carolina *	8.7	3.9%
3	Florida *	9.0	3.4%
4	Idaho	9.7	2.8%
5	Arkansas *	10.3	3.7%
6	Nebraska	11.5	2.8%
7	Michigan *	11.8	4.0%
8	Kansas *	12.0	3.4%
9	New Hampshire	12.2	2.4%
10	Utah	12.3	3.1%
11	Indiana	12.4	3.5%
11	North Dakota	12.4	2.5%
11	South Carolina *	12.4	3.3%
11	Wisconsin	12.4	2.9%
15	Iowa	12.5	2.4%
16	Missouri *	12.8	3.2%
17	Mississippi	12.9	4.8%
18	Alabama	13.2	3.8%
18	Wyoming	13.2	3.9%
20	Vermont	13.4	2.4%
21	Maine	13.5	3.4%
21	Montana	13.5	3.7%
23	South Dakota	13.6	2.9%
24	Colorado	13.8	3.5%
25	Ohio	14.0	4.5%
25	West Virginia	14.0	5.1%
27	Tennessee	14.4	3.3%
27	Virginia	14.4	2.9%
29	Nevada	14.6	4.3%
29	Rhode Island	14.6	3.9%
31	Texas	14.7	3.7%
32	Oregon	14.8	4.2%
33	Arizona	14.9	4.9%
33	Hawaii	14.9	2.7%
33	Oklahoma	14.9	3.2%
36	Pennsylvania	15.2	4.1%
37	Louisiana	15.9	4.8%
38	Illinois	16.1	4.3%
38	Minnesota	16.1	3.0%
40	Connecticut	16.3	3.8%
41	New York	16.5	3.9%
42	Puerto Rico	16.6	8.5%
43	Washington	16.7	4.5%
44	Delaware	16.9	3.5%
44	New Mexico	16.9	5.0%
46	Alaska	17.1	6.5%
46	Massachusetts	17.1	3.1%
48	District of Columbia	17.2	5.5%
49	Virgin Islands	17.3	7.0%
50	California	17.4	4.2%
51	New Jersey	17.8	3.9%
52	Maryland	17.9	3.8%
53	Kentucky	18.9	4.2%

Best Ten Average 10.5
United States Average 15.0