

Unemployment Resources: Pennsylvania

Please note that these are subject to change given the current global pandemic. For the latest information please checkout this government website www.uc.pa.gov. All information on flyer is compiled from www.uc.pa.gov.

FILING AN INITIAL CLAIM



WHO SHOULD FILE?

You are NOT unemployed if you receive a regular salary and even if you are not working

Only individuals who are working less and are receiving less pay ARE considered unemployed.

When should you file a claim?



You should be opening a claim on the Sunday – Saturday of the week when your hours are actually reduced or eliminated. Opening a claim earlier will result in delays.



What to expect after filing

Learn more about what to expect after filing from [this infographic](#)



INFORMATION YOU NEED TO FILE?

Personal Information:

- SSN
- Home address and mailing address (if different)
- Telephone number
- Valid email
- Direct deposit bank information (optional) - bank name, address, account and routing number.
- In some cases additional information is needed. For a complete list, view our [requirements checklist](#).

Information about Separating Employer:

- Employer's name, address and phone number
- Employer's PA UC account number (if known)
- First and last day worked with employer
- Reason for leaving
- Pension or severance package information (if applicable)

More Questions?

Live Chat available Monday-Friday 8am-5pm on government website

www.uc.pa.gov

Check out these videos

[Filing for Unemployment Online](#)

[Unemployment Compensation Adjudication Process](#)