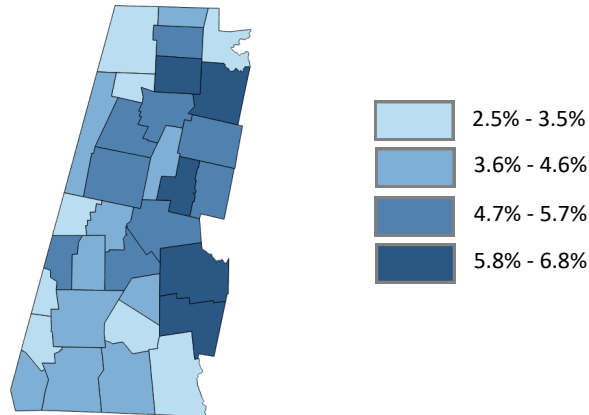


# Berkshire County WDA

Labor Force and Unemployment Rate  
March 2023 (Preliminary)



City/Town	Labor Force		Employed		Unemployed		Unemployment Rate			
	Mar-23	Feb-23	Mar-23	Feb-23	Mar-23	Feb-23	Mar-23	Feb-23	OTM Δ	OTY Δ
Adams	3,908	3,970	3,682	3,714	226	256	5.8%	6.4%	↓ -0.7%	↓ -0.1%
Alford	231	232	225	225	6	7	2.6%	3.0%	↓ -0.4%	↑ 1.0%
Becket	880	900	823	830	57	70	6.5%	7.8%	↓ -1.3%	↑ 0.5%
Cheshire	1,800	1,826	1,707	1,722	93	104	5.2%	5.7%	↓ -0.5%	↓ -2.3%
Clarksburg	849	849	810	812	39	37	4.6%	4.4%	↑ 0.2%	↓ -0.4%
Dalton	3,258	3,307	3,107	3,134	151	173	4.6%	5.2%	↓ -0.6%	↑ 0.3%
Egremont	693	695	676	677	17	18	2.5%	2.6%	↓ -0.1%	↓ -0.3%
Florida	396	394	383	384	13	10	3.3%	2.5%	↑ 0.7%	↓ -1.7%
Great Barrington	3,618	3,647	3,475	3,481	143	166	4.0%	4.6%	↓ -0.6%	↓ -0.3%
Hancock	380	387	365	368	15	19	3.9%	4.9%	↓ -1.0%	↑ 0.6%
Hinsdale	989	1,000	922	930	67	70	6.8%	7.0%	↓ -0.2%	↓ -0.6%
Lanesborough	1,644	1,674	1,554	1,567	90	107	5.5%	6.4%	↓ -0.9%	↑ 0.6%
Lee	3,096	3,132	2,951	2,976	145	156	4.7%	5.0%	↓ -0.3%	↑ 0.2%
Lenox	1,772	1,797	1,690	1,705	82	92	4.6%	5.1%	↓ -0.5%	↓ -0.7%
Monterey	417	424	404	404	13	20	3.1%	4.7%	↓ -1.6%	↓ -1.8%
Mount Washington	82	82	79	79	*	*	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
New Ashford	128	130	124	125	4	*	3.1%	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!
New Marlborough	788	791	755	757	33	34	4.2%	4.3%	↓ -0.1%	↑ 0.8%
North Adams	5,756	5,818	5,464	5,479	292	339	5.1%	5.8%	↓ -0.8%	↓ -0.5%
Otis	760	772	709	710	51	62	6.7%	8.0%	↓ -1.3%	↑ 0.6%
Peru	477	482	454	458	23	24	4.8%	5.0%	↓ -0.2%	↓ -0.5%
Pittsfield	19,700	19,947	18,769	18,931	931	1,016	4.7%	5.1%	↓ -0.4%	↓ -0.1%
Richmond	708	714	688	694	20	20	2.8%	2.8%	↑ 0.0%	↓ -0.3%
Sandisfield	446	450	433	434	13	16	2.9%	3.6%	↓ -0.6%	↓ -1.1%
Savoy	370	373	348	351	22	22	5.9%	5.9%	↑ 0.0%	↑ 0.4%
Sheffield	1,784	1,794	1,718	1,720	66	74	3.7%	4.1%	↓ -0.4%	↓ -0.3%
Stockbridge	894	895	861	862	33	33	3.7%	3.7%	→ 0.0%	↓ -1.4%
Tyringham	148	149	142	142	6	7	4.1%	4.7%	↓ -0.6%	↓ -1.0%
Washington	305	306	290	293	15	13	4.9%	4.2%	↑ 0.7%	↑ 1.3%
West Stockbridge	756	762	716	717	40	45	5.3%	5.9%	↓ -0.6%	↓ -0.1%
Williamstown	3,191	3,219	3,095	3,104	96	115	3.0%	3.6%	↓ -0.6%	↓ -0.2%
Windsor	480	486	454	458	26	28	5.4%	5.8%	↓ -0.3%	↑ 0.7%
<b>Berkshire County WDA</b>	<b>60,704</b>	<b>61,404</b>	<b>57,873</b>	<b>58,243</b>	<b>2,828</b>	<b>3,153</b>	<b>4.7%</b>	<b>5.1%</b>	<b>↓ -0.5%</b>	<b>↓ -0.2%</b>

Source: BLS Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) compiled by MA DER, not adjusted for seasonality

For more economic and labor statistics, please go to: <https://lmi.dua.eol.mass.gov/LMI/>

OTM Δ = Over-the-Month Change  
OTY Δ = Over-the-Year Change

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