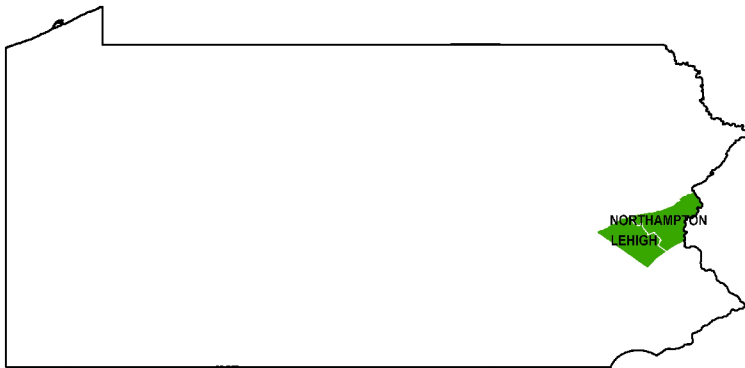
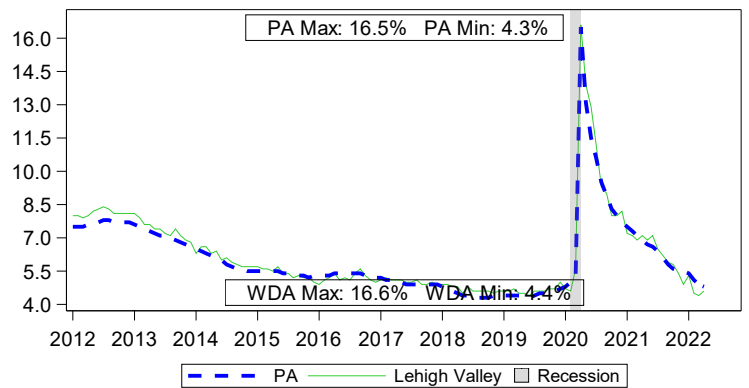


Lehigh Valley WDA Profile

May 2022



Workforce Development Area (WDA) Unemployment, Jan 2012 to Apr 2022



2020 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	671,571	12,794,885
Female	342,265	6,525,743
Male	329,306	6,269,142
Population by Race		
White	79.4%	79.4%
Black	6.7%	11.1%
Other	13.9%	9.5%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	20.1%	7.6%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	21.5%	20.7%
Ages 18 to 24	9.4%	9.0%
Ages 25 to 34	12.7%	13.2%
Ages 35 to 44	12.1%	11.7%
Ages 45 to 54	13.0%	12.9%
Ages 55 to 64	13.6%	14.1%
Ages 65 to 74	9.9%	10.3%
Ages 75 and Older	7.8%	8.0%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	42.9%	43.6%
Some College or Associate Degree	28.2%	26.3%
Bachelor's Degree	18.2%	18.7%
Graduate or Professional Degree	10.7%	11.5%

Source: U.S. Census-2020 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
Apr 2022	WDA	PA
Unemployment Rate	4.6%	4.8%
Labor Force	362,300	6,410,000
Employed	345,800	6,102,000
Unemployed	16,500	308,000

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

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q4 of 2021	
Lehigh Valley Hospital Center	
Saint Luke's Hospital	
Amazon.com Services Inc	
Wal-Mart Associates Inc	
United Parcel Service Inc	
Lehigh Valley Physician Group	
Saint Luke's Physician Group Inc	
Mack Trucks Inc	
Giant Food Stores LLC	
FedEx Ground Package System Inc	

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
April 2022	8,453	147,703
April 2021	6,217	124,390
Annual Volume Change	2,236	23,313
Annual Percent Change	36.0%	18.7%

Source: Burning Glass Technologies Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	May 2021 to Apr 2022				Apr 2022 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 & Mining	20	920	0.5%	1.0%	0	520	0.0%	1.5%	30	4,290	0.0%	1.5%
Construction	270	9,940	5.5%	11.0%	200	6,440	10.0%	16.5%	2,240	65,640	14.0%	20.5%
Manufacturing	490	9,050	10.0%	10.0%	240	3,860	12.0%	10.0%	2,240	31,410	14.0%	10.0%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	1,410	17,820	28.5%	19.5%	500	8,120	25.0%	20.5%	3,800	57,060	24.0%	18.0%
Information	50	1,060	1.0%	1.0%	10	400	0.5%	1.0%	110	3,960	0.5%	1.0%
Financial Activities	190	4,030	4.0%	4.5%	50	1,250	2.5%	3.0%	530	12,410	3.5%	4.0%
Professional & Business Services	1,030	15,300	21.0%	16.5%	390	5,470	19.5%	14.0%	2,730	46,870	17.5%	14.5%
Education & Health Services	760	18,220	15.5%	20.0%	250	5,670	12.5%	14.5%	2,130	53,520	13.5%	17.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	430	9,370	8.5%	10.0%	90	2,950	4.5%	7.5%	990	22,940	6.0%	7.0%
Other Services	130	2,780	2.5%	3.0%	40	700	2.0%	2.0%	340	6,920	2.0%	2.0%
Government	120	2,910	2.5%	3.0%	20	370	1.0%	1.0%	210	4,520	1.5%	1.5%
Info Not Available	30	600	0.5%	0.5%	190	3,630	9.5%	9.0%	430	8,610	2.5%	2.5%
Total	4,930	92,000	100%	100%	2,000	39,380	100%	100%	15,780	318,140	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, 2021 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.		Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA	LQ	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	15,719	1.00	305,333	5,650,131	100.0%	100.0%	\$60,330	\$64,698
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	53	ND	ND	26,286	ND	0.5%	ND	\$40,385
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	13	ND	ND	21,095	ND	0.4%	ND	\$93,190
22	Utilities	43	0.72	1,319	33,677	0.4%	0.6%	\$99,660	\$104,954
23	Construction	1,286	0.79	11,148	262,659	3.7%	4.6%	\$71,721	\$72,863
31-33	Manufacturing	751	1.17	34,498	544,309	11.3%	9.6%	\$75,364	\$69,399
42	Wholesale Trade	760	1.05	11,594	204,747	3.8%	3.6%	\$85,510	\$91,617
44-45	Retail Trade	1,958	0.97	31,247	596,656	10.2%	10.6%	\$34,513	\$35,155
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	714	2.07	36,362	325,678	11.9%	5.8%	\$52,204	\$54,663
51	Information	212	0.69	3,340	89,337	1.1%	1.6%	\$73,097	\$112,642
52	Finance and Insurance	801	0.56	8,030	266,547	2.6%	4.7%	\$98,308	\$110,319
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	579	0.85	2,951	64,086	1.0%	1.1%	\$56,974	\$69,673
54	Professional and Technical Services	1,475	0.63	12,758	375,149	4.2%	6.6%	\$86,132	\$108,778
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	174	0.93	6,952	137,811	2.3%	2.4%	\$151,176	\$146,979
56	Administrative and Waste Services	880	1.25	20,125	298,293	6.6%	5.3%	\$44,710	\$45,867
61	Educational Services	447	0.97	24,147	462,280	7.9%	8.2%	\$58,077	\$63,829
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,247	1.04	58,509	1,044,949	19.2%	18.5%	\$65,248	\$58,612
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	252	1.01	4,530	82,825	1.5%	1.5%	\$26,161	\$39,464
72	Accommodation and Food Services	1,442	0.99	21,329	397,869	7.0%	7.0%	\$24,178	\$22,075
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	1,476	0.82	8,244	184,954	2.7%	3.3%	\$37,898	\$40,489
92	Public Administration	156	0.60	7,524	230,925	2.5%	4.1%	\$63,180	\$67,428
	Total, Suppressed Industries	66		727		0.2%			

Company Ownership

Total, All Ownership	15,719	1.00	305,333	5,650,131	100.0%	100.0%	\$60,330	\$64,698
Private Ownership	15,211	1.02	275,173	4,998,581	90.1%	88.5%	\$60,492	\$64,743
Federal Ownership	75	0.36	1,937	98,915	0.6%	1.8%	\$79,353	\$82,423
State Ownership	46	0.27	1,822	126,265	0.6%	2.2%	\$61,519	\$67,722
Local Ownership	387	1.15	26,400	426,370	8.6%	7.5%	\$57,163	\$59,170

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 (2018) and Wages (2021)

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	331,680	6,329,070	\$26,538	\$25,950	\$53,583	\$55,490
11-0000	Management	13,830	322,280	\$57,603	\$57,920	\$117,984	\$120,590
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	11,640	302,930	\$44,449	\$45,760	\$76,227	\$78,910
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	5,640	164,370	\$46,903	\$48,230	\$82,819	\$87,530
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	5,960	110,120	\$52,475	\$51,520	\$83,741	\$84,720
19-0000	Life, Physical & Social Science	1,820	54,250	\$38,864	\$41,600	\$66,360	\$74,920
21-0000	Community & Social Services	5,760	139,080	\$32,200	\$32,330	\$49,859	\$49,900
23-0000	Legal	1,290	50,520	\$42,239	\$46,450	\$94,917	\$101,960
25-0000	Education, Training & Library	17,900	341,820	\$31,453	\$31,870	\$64,407	\$66,170
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports & Media	4,360	83,130	\$28,098	\$28,750	\$51,777	\$55,050
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	24,660	421,720	\$43,632	\$42,370	\$89,776	\$84,800
31-0000	Healthcare Support	11,330	200,560	\$25,157	\$24,070	\$32,716	\$31,720
33-0000	Protective Service	5,410	128,960	\$27,074	\$26,920	\$51,488	\$52,360
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	26,290	505,660	\$19,599	\$18,930	\$27,671	\$27,190
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	11,520	208,360	\$23,693	\$22,980	\$33,955	\$32,680
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	16,430	321,070	\$19,617	\$19,650	\$30,537	\$31,280
41-0000	Sales & Related	28,670	591,150	\$21,576	\$21,060	\$42,989	\$43,410
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	51,200	957,620	\$28,419	\$27,930	\$42,392	\$42,970
45-0000	Farming, Fishing & Forestry	1,080	39,530	\$20,268	\$23,240	\$34,392	\$36,900
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	11,060	260,640	\$35,501	\$35,470	\$56,580	\$56,870
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance & Repair	13,120	251,580	\$34,660	\$32,850	\$54,552	\$52,840
51-0000	Production	23,380	391,230	\$30,068	\$28,510	\$44,809	\$43,470
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	39,330	482,490	\$27,328	\$25,330	\$40,105	\$39,450

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.