

Active Job Applicants Registered for Work With ESC Offices



By Applicants' County of Residence

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INTRODUCTION

Job applicants are persons who have completed job applications with local Employment Security Commission offices and who are considered to be available for referral to job openings or training situations.

Data for this report are compiled by computer through the Commission's Automated Reporting System and are summarized in terms of applicants' county of residence.

This active job applicant summary data should be useful as an indicator of available labor supply throughout the state. When using this information in connection with industrial development efforts, it is important to consider the following points:

- ◆ All potential job seekers do not register for work with local ESC offices and many applicants who do register fail to keep their applications active. Thus, the data in this report does not represent the total available labor supply.
- ◆ Applicants are assigned occupational classification codes by ESC staff, according to their previous work experience, training, education, interests, etc. Classifications include all types of workers from professional to unskilled.
- ◆ New and expanding industries seldom draw their workers from a single county; therefore, applicants from adjacent counties should also be considered. Reports on the job applicants residing within a desired commuting radius of a specific location may be obtained upon request from the Labor Market Information Division. Such reports also show the principal occupational classification of job applicants.

EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION OF NORTH CAROLINA
ACTIVE JOB APPLICANTS REGISTERED FOR WORK WITH ESC OFFICES BY COUNTY
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County of Residence	ACTIVE JOB APPLICANTS (1)					
	Registered For Work			Experience		
				0 - 6 Months	7 - 24 Months	Over 24 Months
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Total	Total
STATEWIDE	481,487	265,489	215,998	68,090	100,321	274,338
Alamance	6,874	3,784	3,090	1,256	1,496	3,798
Alexander	2,392	1,318	1,074	321	435	1,471
Alleghany	545	304	241	90	122	284
Anson	1,931	1,042	889	429	451	821
Ashe	1,747	914	833	305	350	938
Avery	663	388	275	100	122	390
Beaufort	2,846	1,687	1,159	385	601	1,588
Bertie	1,051	537	514	183	223	513
Bladen	2,259	1,339	920	350	420	1,258
Brunswick	6,097	3,512	2,585	541	1,072	4,059
Buncombe	9,376	5,227	4,149	976	1,920	5,777
Burke	5,788	3,272	2,516	955	1,147	3,224
Cabarrus	9,001	5,239	3,762	920	1,752	5,514
Caldwell	5,791	3,145	2,646	612	830	3,926
Camden	465	249	216	47	99	290
Carteret	3,340	1,812	1,528	432	684	1,916
Caswell	1,201	677	524	167	274	663
Catawba	10,386	5,743	4,643	1,371	2,022	6,135
Chatham	1,843	1,078	765	227	375	1,142
Cherokee	1,904	1,104	800	386	288	933
Chowan	1,172	595	577	147	262	658
Clay	500	273	227	80	95	274
Cleveland	7,371	4,016	3,355	759	1,461	4,688
Columbus	3,406	1,999	1,407	387	616	2,154
Craven	4,553	2,458	2,095	957	846	2,397
Cumberland	14,945	7,383	7,562	2,670	3,268	8,166
Currituck	945	494	451	73	161	666
Dare	2,843	1,364	1,479	155	466	2,034
Davidson	9,855	5,723	4,132	1,204	1,805	6,241
Davie	1,977	1,158	819	166	369	1,260
Duplin	2,834	1,561	1,273	408	549	1,354
Durham	10,285	5,586	4,699	1,437	2,597	5,540
Edgecombe	4,145	2,157	1,988	744	908	2,184
Forsyth	15,243	7,977	7,266	2,181	3,384	8,648
Franklin	2,786	1,513	1,273	290	613	1,609
Gaston	13,917	7,752	6,165	1,901	2,855	8,487
Gates	363	186	177	63	65	214
Graham	666	391	275	89	115	377
Granville	2,625	1,483	1,142	432	495	1,354
Greene	879	470	409	103	196	523
Guilford	24,297	13,431	10,866	3,449	5,604	13,478
Halifax	3,633	2,005	1,628	668	837	1,832
Harnett	4,696	2,586	2,110	609	1,022	2,692
Haywood	3,927	2,190	1,737	1,090	763	1,699
Henderson	4,203	2,504	1,699	400	825	2,497
Hertford	2,792	1,676	1,116	418	572	1,637
Hoke	2,067	1,077	990	281	441	1,120
Hyde	268	121	147	27	49	179
Iredell	9,495	5,500	3,995	1,382	1,950	5,392
Jackson	1,434	819	615	214	316	754

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Johnston	7,095	3,980	3,115	708	1,387	4,484
Jones	456	264	192	76	90	264
Lee	3,251	1,902	1,349	424	689	1,918
Lenoir	3,870	2,083	1,787	402	786	2,464
Lincoln	4,558	2,635	1,923	455	933	2,776
McDowell	3,186	1,841	1,345	323	581	1,924
Macon	1,929	1,064	865	423	357	918
Madison	716	416	300	67	137	427
Martin	1,571	863	708	237	273	876
Mecklenburg	46,007	24,361	21,646	7,102	9,971	24,693
Mitchell	1,034	600	434	107	156	688
Montgomery	1,560	886	674	387	314	739
Moore	3,511	1,958	1,553	504	675	2,113
Nash	5,107	2,605	2,502	710	1,131	2,939
New Hanover	9,332	5,472	3,860	924	1,940	5,849
Northampton	900	463	437	153	231	432
Onslow	5,476	2,633	2,843	829	1,171	3,133
Orange	2,696	1,529	1,167	436	572	1,532
Pamlico	502	272	230	92	104	257
Pasquotank	2,582	1,307	1,275	344	599	1,502
Pender	2,555	1,469	1,086	289	552	1,518
Perquimans	790	430	360	95	170	465
Person	1,992	1,125	867	255	383	1,221
Pitt	7,579	4,109	3,470	1,117	1,879	4,072
Polk	596	355	241	62	124	345
Randolph	6,918	3,790	3,128	1,038	1,498	3,892
Richmond	3,731	1,976	1,755	828	895	1,711
Robeson	8,133	4,133	4,000	1,579	1,624	4,042
Rockingham	5,964	3,362	2,602	875	1,323	3,171
Rowan	9,228	5,411	3,817	1,281	1,769	5,368
Rutherford	4,875	2,643	2,232	604	925	2,888
Sampson	3,391	1,821	1,570	593	673	1,624
Scotland	2,724	1,455	1,269	489	653	1,392
Stanly	3,760	2,221	1,539	546	693	2,090
Stokes	1,854	1,132	722	225	404	1,084
Surry	4,081	2,217	1,864	466	708	2,488
Swain	934	511	423	125	216	435
Transylvania	1,336	734	602	178	132	800
Tyrrell	263	121	142	29	77	139
Union	7,070	4,199	2,871	881	1,561	4,119
Vance	2,602	1,364	1,238	337	593	1,369
Wake	29,556	16,570	12,986	3,537	6,110	17,903
Warren	897	466	431	118	197	451
Washington	715	378	337	105	173	394
Watauga	1,532	923	609	351	306	749
Wayne	5,759	3,035	2,724	1,043	1,222	2,896
Wilkes	3,748	2,101	1,647	491	772	2,119
Wilson	5,276	2,658	2,618	820	1,134	2,867
Yadkin	1,646	963	683	162	232	1,098
Yancey	823	480	343	100	141	515
Other (3)	12,198	7,384	4,814	1,931	2,897	6,437

(1)"Registered for work" totals include all individuals with an application on file at an ESC office, regardless of D.O.T. coding. "Experience" includes only those assigned a complete D.O.T. code.