

Labor Market Report - Allegheny County

May 2024



644,037
Labor Force*

20,431
Unemployed
Workers*

3.2%
Unemployment
Rate*

61.9%
Labor Force
Participation
Rate*

40,021
Active Online
Job Ads

Labor Force Change
1 Year

May 2024
644,037
+12,371
May 2023
631,666

Unemployment Rate Change
1 Year

May 2024
3.2%
0 pts.
May 2023
3.2%

Labor Force Change
1 Month

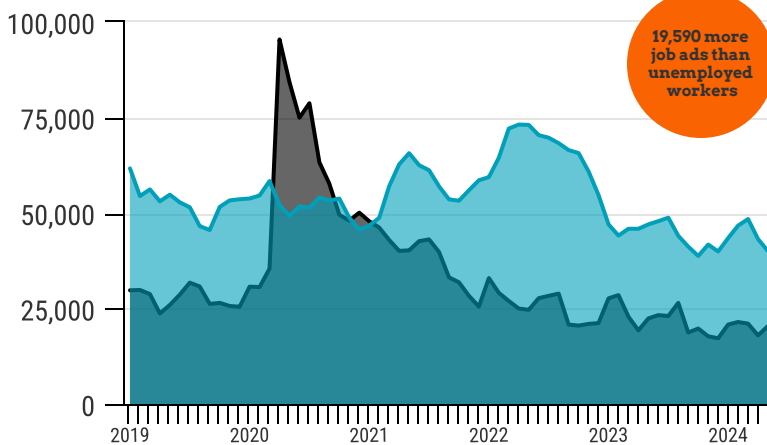
May 2024
644,037
+3,370
Apr. 2024
640,667

Unemployment Rate Change
1 Month

May 2024
3.2%
+0.4 pts
Apr. 2024
2.8%

* preliminary and not seasonally adjusted

● Number Unemployed ● Active Job Ads



In May 2024, there is **more than one (1.9x)** active online job advertisement for every unemployed worker in Allegheny County.

Labor market data sourced from **U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics**.
Online job ad data sourced from **Lightcast**

Occupation	Active Job Advertisements (May 2024)
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	5,812
Management	4,103
Sales	3,902
Office and Administrative Support	3,390
Computer and Mathematical	2,836
Business and Financial Operations	2,735
Food Preparation and Serving	2,115
Transportation and Material Moving	1,823
Healthcare Support	1,656
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	1,472

The occupation group with the most active new job advertisements in May 2024 was **Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations**. Common job titles for this occupation group include **Registered Nurse, Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurse and Health Technologists and Technicians**.

Occupation (May 2024)	MoM Change	YoY Change
Architecture and Engineering	-7.0%	-19.2%
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	1.3%	-5.8%
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	-9.6%	-10.2%
Business and Financial Operations	-3.2%	-25.7%
Community and Social Service	-11.1%	-19.7%
Computer and Mathematical	2.7%	-30.6%
Construction and Extraction	-2.0%	11.4%
Educational Instruction and Library	0.1%	-21.4%
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	-25.0%	0.0%
Food Preparation and Serving	-8.5%	-12.3%
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	-15.1%	-3.8%
Healthcare Support	-6.5%	-3.0%
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	-10.6%	-10.4%
Legal	-4.5%	7.4%
Life, Physical, and Social Science	-8.3%	-14.3%
Management	-5.0%	-17.5%
Military	100.0%	-50.0%
Office and Administrative Support	-4.9%	-19.7%
Personal Care and Service	-7.5%	-18.8%
Production	-10.6%	-22.2%
Protective Service	-6.6%	-13.4%
Sales	-5.1%	-6.7%
Transportation and Material Moving	-4.6%	-7.9%
Total Across All Occupations	-6.9%	-14.6%

The above table shows percent decrease/increase in online job ads on a month over month/year over year basis. In May 2024, there were **14.6% less** online job advertisements in all occupations compared to May 2023.

May 2024 had a **6.9% decrease in online job ads** compared to Apr. 2024. Computer and Mathematical occupations had the **largest YoY negative change** in non-military job ads with **30.6% fewer online job ads** in May 2024 compared to May 2023. With job advertisements **down 14.6%** between May 2024 and May 2023, there are still more job advertisements than unemployed workers in Allegheny County.