

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

## UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE

If you become unemployed, you may be eligible for unemployment insurance benefits. If you are still employed but working fewer hours than your regular full-time work week and are earning less than your regular full-time wages, you may be entitled to partial benefits. Unemployment insurance benefits are made possible by taxes paid by this employer. No deductions are made from your paycheck for unemployment insurance.

**The same week you become unemployed,  
you may file a new unemployment insurance claim online or in-person.**



### ONLINE

Go to  
**[www.iowaworkforcedevelopment.gov](http://www.iowaworkforcedevelopment.gov)**

and click on the  
Apply for Unemployment link.

You should file an initial claim the same week you are  
unemployed or working reduced hours.

Your unemployment insurance claim **DOES NOT**  
begin on the date your job ended or your hours  
were reduced.

Your claim is effective the Sunday of the week you apply.



### IN-PERSON

If you do not have access to  
a computer, visit the nearest  
**IowaWORKS Center.**

Delay in filing an  
unemployment insurance  
claim can result in the  
loss of all or part of the  
benefits you may be  
entitled to receive.



### INFORMATION

For complete information about your  
unemployment insurance rights  
and responsibilities, review the  
Unemployment Handbook at  
**[www.iowaworkforcedevelopment.gov](http://www.iowaworkforcedevelopment.gov)**.

To register for work and learn more  
about available work in your area, go to  
**[www.iowaworks.gov](http://www.iowaworks.gov)**  
or visit your nearest **IowaWORKS Center.**

## IOWAWORKS CENTER LOCATIONS



**IowaWORKS Centers are  
located in 17 cities.**

- Burlington
- Carroll
- Cedar Rapids
- Council Bluffs
- Creston
- Davenport
- Decorah
- Des Moines
- Dubuque
- Fort Dodge
- Iowa City
- Marshalltown
- Mason City
- Ottumwa
- Sioux City
- Spencer
- Waterloo



For the location of the **IowaWORKS** Center nearest you, call: **866-239-0843** or visit  
**[www.iowaworkforcedevelopment.gov](http://www.iowaworkforcedevelopment.gov)**.



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available upon request to individuals with disabilities. For deaf and hard  
of hearing, use Relay 711.

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BY ALL EMPLOYEES.**

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