

EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION ADVISORY SYSTEM U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR Washington, D.C. 20210	CLASSIFICATION Unemployment Insurance
	CORRESPONDENCE SYMBOL OUI/DUIO
	DATE June 27, 2018

ADVISORY: UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE PROGRAM LETTER NO. 07-18

TO: STATE WORKFORCE AGENCIES

FROM: ROSEMARY LAHASKY
Deputy Assistant Secretary

SUBJECT: Minimum Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) Weekly Benefit Amount: July 1 – September 30, 2018

1. **Purpose.** To transmit the subject computation for State Workforce Agency usage in computing minimum weekly DUA amounts for all major disasters declared during the fourth quarter of Fiscal Year (FY) 2018.
2. **Average Weekly Benefit Amount (AWBA) Utilization.** As required by 20 CFR 625.6, the attached listing sets forth the 50 percent of AWBA computation applicable for major disasters declared during the fourth quarter of FY 2018, from July 1 to September 30, 2018.
3. **Action Requested.** State Workforce Agency Administrators are requested to provide this information to appropriate staff and ensure that the correct AWBA is utilized in determining the weekly DUA amount.
4. **Inquiries.** Inquiries should be directed to the appropriate Regional Office.
5. **Attachment.** Minimum Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) Weekly Benefit Amount: July 1 – September 30, 2018

RESCISSIONS None	EXPIRATION DATE Continuing
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Minimum Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA)
Weekly Benefit Amount: July 1, 2018–September 30, 2018

STATES	AWBA*	50% AWBA CALCULATION	MINIMUM WBA (ROUNDED)
Alabama	\$221.22	\$110.61	\$111
Alaska	\$270.28	\$135.14	\$136
Arizona	\$228.62	\$114.31	\$115
Arkansas	\$269.91	\$134.96	\$135
California	\$326.04	\$163.02	\$164
Colorado	\$424.36	\$212.18	\$213
Connecticut	\$392.19	\$196.10	\$197
Delaware	\$261.04	\$130.52	\$131
District of Columbia	\$347.99	\$173.99	\$174
Florida	\$246.28	\$123.14	\$124
Georgia	\$288.66	\$144.33	\$145
Hawaii	\$499.96	\$249.98	\$250
Idaho	\$318.54	\$159.27	\$160
Illinois	\$378.20	\$189.10	\$190
Indiana	\$286.57	\$143.29	\$144
Iowa	\$395.86	\$197.93	\$198
Kansas	\$381.18	\$190.59	\$191
Kentucky	\$332.67	\$166.33	\$167
Louisiana	\$212.94	\$106.47	\$107
Maine	\$326.50	\$163.25	\$164
Maryland	\$342.10	\$171.05	\$172
Massachusetts	\$509.87	\$254.93	\$255
Michigan	\$308.66	\$154.33	\$155
Minnesota	\$450.26	\$225.13	\$226
Mississippi	\$206.12	\$103.06	\$104
Missouri	\$262.65	\$131.32	\$132
Montana	\$343.02	\$171.51	\$172
Nebraska	\$332.02	\$166.01	\$167
Nevada	\$342.17	\$171.09	\$172
New Hampshire	\$330.10	\$165.05	\$166
New Jersey	\$443.96	\$221.98	\$222
New Mexico	\$330.09	\$165.05	\$166
New York	\$340.40	\$170.20	\$171
North Carolina	\$258.69	\$129.35	\$130
North Dakota	\$473.86	\$236.93	\$237
Ohio	\$367.16	\$183.58	\$184
Oklahoma	\$362.43	\$181.21	\$182
Oregon	\$387.73	\$193.87	\$194
Pennsylvania	\$379.02	\$189.51	\$190
Puerto Rico	\$118.31	\$59.15	\$60
Rhode Island	\$356.13	\$178.06	\$179
South Carolina	\$258.36	\$129.18	\$130
South Dakota	\$330.05	\$165.02	\$166
Tennessee	\$237.06	\$118.53	\$119
Texas	\$398.27	\$199.13	\$200
Utah	\$395.93	\$197.97	\$198
Vermont	\$356.64	\$178.32	\$179
Virgin Islands	\$300.25	\$150.13	\$151
Virginia	\$309.35	\$154.68	\$155
Washington	\$505.43	\$252.72	\$253
West Virginia	\$285.08	\$142.54	\$143
Wisconsin	\$318.41	\$159.20	\$160
Wyoming	\$375.86	\$187.93	\$188

*Based on Average Weekly Benefit Amount (AWBA) for Total Unemployment 04/01/2017 through 03/31/2018

Data supplied by U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Office of Unemployment Insurance