

Central WDA Labor Market Report

December 2024

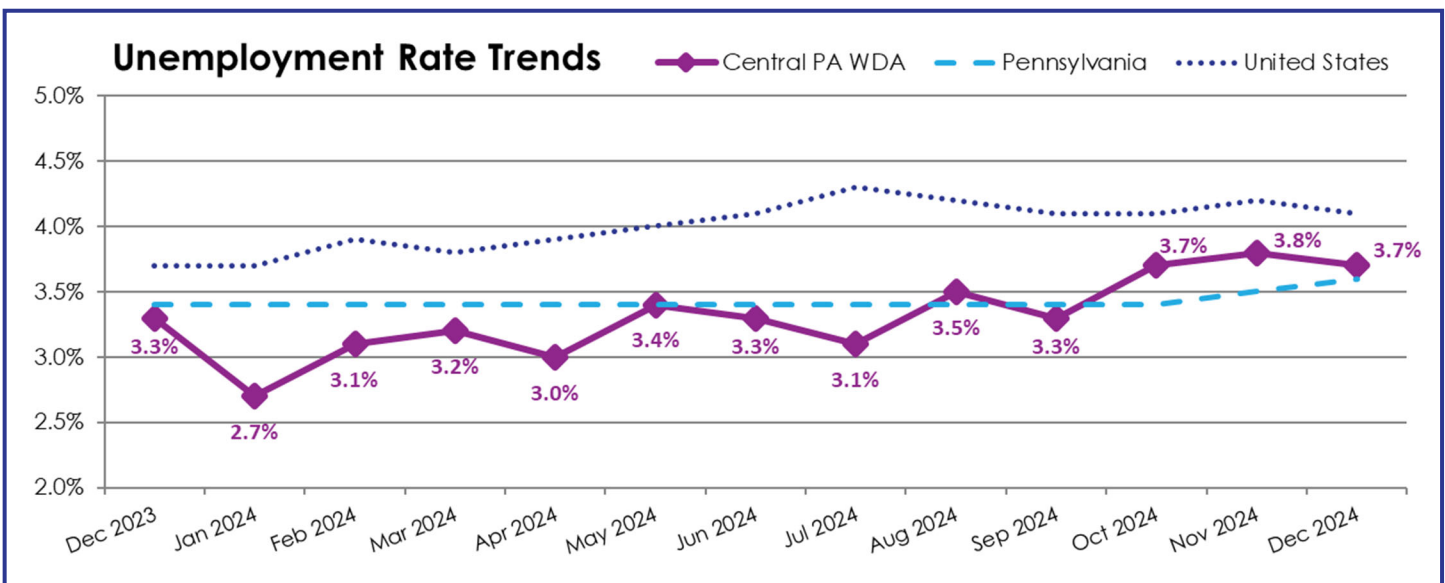
This report provides an overview of the labor market conditions in the Central Workforce Development Area (WDA), which includes Centre, Clinton, Columbia, Lycoming, Mifflin, Montour, Northumberland, Snyder, and Union Counties. In December 2024, the labor force saw a slight increase, with employment rising and unemployment declining, leading to a lower unemployment rate compared to the previous month.

Civilian Labor Force	
298,000	
Monthly Change	Annual Change
↑ 100	↓ -4,600

Employed Population	
287,000	
Monthly Change	Annual Change
↑ 600	↓ -5,800

Unemployed Population	
11,000	
Monthly Change	Annual Change
↓ -400	↑ 1,100

Unemployment Rates			
Region	December 2024	Monthly Change	Annual Change
Centre County	2.8%	↑	↑
Clinton County	4.7%	↑	↑
Columbia County	3.9%	↔	↑
Lycoming County	3.8%	↔	↑
Mifflin County	4.2%	↑	↑
Montour County	3.1%	↑	↑
Northumberland County	4.3%	↑	↑
Snyder County	4.1%	↑	↑
Union County	3.5%	↑	↑
Central WDA	3.7%	↓	↑
Pennsylvania	3.6%	↑	↑
United States	4.1%	↓	↑



December 2024 Preliminary Seasonally Adjusted Data (Downloaded February 2025)

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