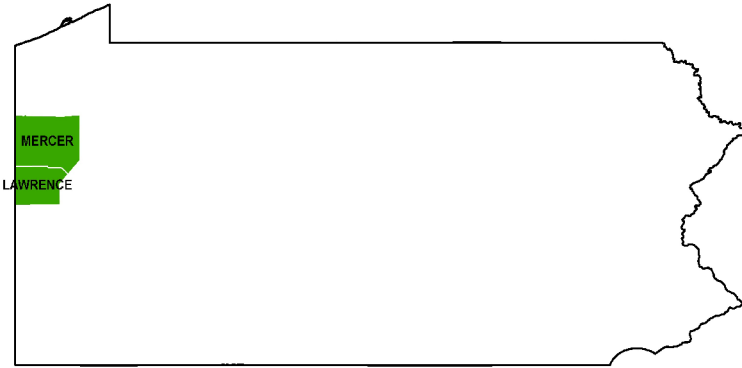
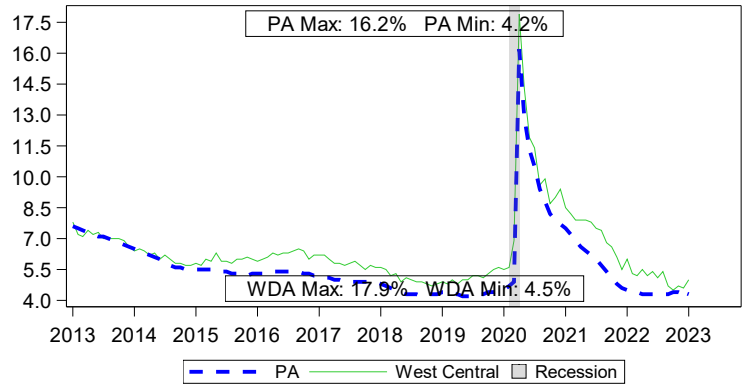


West Central WDA Profile

March 2023



Workforce Development Area (WDA) Unemployment, Jan 2013 to Jan 2023



2021 Population		
Demographic	WDA	PA
Total Population	197,527	12,970,650
Female	100,246	6,576,433
Male	97,281	6,394,217
Population by Race		
White	90.7%	78.3%
Black	5.0%	11.0%
Other	4.3%	10.7%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	1.6%	7.9%
Population by Age		
Ages 0 to 17	19.8%	20.9%
Ages 18 to 24	8.8%	8.9%
Ages 25 to 34	10.7%	13.1%
Ages 35 to 44	10.8%	12.0%
Ages 45 to 54	12.8%	12.7%
Ages 55 to 64	15.3%	14.2%
Ages 65 to 74	12.3%	10.6%
Ages 75 and Older	9.5%	7.6%
Educational Attainment, Ages 18 and Older		
High School Diploma or Less	51.9%	43.0%
Some College or Associate Degree	27.5%	26.1%
Bachelor's Degree	14.2%	19.1%
Graduate or Professional Degree	6.5%	11.8%

Source: U.S. Census-2021 ACS 5-Year Estimates - DP05, B01001, and B15001

Local Area Unemployment Statistics		
Jan 2023	WDA	PA
Unemployment Rate	5.0%	4.3%
Labor Force	87,300	6,492,000
Employed	82,900	6,211,000
Unemployed	4,300	281,000

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are Seasonally Adjusted.

Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q3 of 2022
State Government
Wal-Mart Associates Inc
Wabtec US Rail Inc
UPMC Jameson
Joy Cone Company
Steward Sharon Regional Health Sys
UPMC Horizon
DON Services Inc
First National Bank of Pennsylvania
Excel Companion Care LLC

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Online Job Postings	WDA	PA
January 2023	1,661	188,745
January 2022	1,292	240,229
Annual Volume Change	369	-51,484
Annual Percent Change	28.6%	-21.4%

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

Unemployment Compensation (UC) by Pre-UC Industry	Feb 2022 to Jan 2023				Jan 2023 Initial (IC) and Continued (CC) UC Claims							
	Exhaustees		Exh. Percent		IC Total		IC Percent		CC Total		CC Percent	
	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
Natural Resources & Mining	0	330	0.0%	1.0%	20	1,100	2.0%	1.5%	140	9,340	1.5%	2.0%
Construction	140	6,600	24.5%	18.0%	400	15,540	34.5%	23.5%	3,910	116,690	38.0%	23.5%
Manufacturing	100	3,390	17.5%	9.0%	150	7,360	13.0%	11.0%	1,040	48,410	10.0%	10.0%
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	60	6,790	10.5%	18.5%	170	11,800	14.5%	18.0%	1,310	81,400	13.0%	16.5%
Information	0	460	0.0%	1.0%	0	640	0.5%	1.0%	80	6,370	0.5%	1.5%
Financial Activities	20	1,810	3.5%	5.0%	10	2,120	1.0%	3.0%	190	20,310	2.0%	4.0%
Professional & Business Services	80	6,240	14.0%	17.0%	140	11,320	12.0%	17.0%	1,270	90,620	12.5%	18.5%
Education & Health Services	80	6,790	14.0%	18.5%	80	5,260	7.0%	8.0%	900	50,600	8.5%	10.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	50	2,550	9.0%	7.0%	120	6,180	10.5%	9.5%	1,080	47,440	10.5%	9.5%
Other Services	20	850	3.5%	2.5%	10	1,040	1.0%	1.5%	170	8,890	1.5%	2.0%
Government	20	1,050	3.5%	3.0%	0	540	0.5%	1.0%	100	7,040	1.0%	1.5%
Info Not Available	0	140	0.0%	0.5%	40	2,930	3.5%	4.5%	90	6,730	1.0%	1.5%
Total	570	37,000	100%	100%	1,160	65,830	100%	100%	10,280	493,840	100%	100%

Notes: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Claims data are not comparable to claims data released in any other report.

Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2021 Annual Averages									
NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.		Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		WDA	LQ	WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
	Total, All Industries	4,887	1.00	68,869	5,650,194	100.0%	100.0%	\$47,320	\$64,704
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	45	0.90	288	26,292	0.4%	0.5%	\$34,610	\$40,399
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	26	1.21	311	21,083	0.5%	0.4%	\$113,847	\$93,262
22	Utilities	27	1.19	487	33,683	0.7%	0.6%	\$104,390	\$104,950
23	Construction	427	1.01	3,235	262,685	4.7%	4.6%	\$57,768	\$72,858
31-33	Manufacturing	334	1.64	10,912	544,312	15.8%	9.6%	\$62,157	\$69,381
42	Wholesale Trade	180	0.74	1,853	204,784	2.7%	3.6%	\$59,044	\$91,565
44-45	Retail Trade	668	1.25	9,074	596,672	13.2%	10.6%	\$31,067	\$35,155
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	171	0.69	2,744	325,671	4.0%	5.8%	\$53,358	\$54,668
51	Information	38	0.43	463	89,145	0.7%	1.6%	\$49,813	\$112,881
52	Finance and Insurance	225	0.72	2,328	266,579	3.4%	4.7%	\$76,017	\$110,313
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	116	0.65	508	64,092	0.7%	1.1%	\$40,551	\$69,691
54	Professional and Technical Services	306	0.38	1,759	375,288	2.6%	6.6%	\$54,705	\$108,786
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	52	0.65	1,099	137,768	1.6%	2.4%	\$84,476	\$147,181
56	Administrative and Waste Services	183	0.50	1,818	298,207	2.6%	5.3%	\$35,059	\$45,861
61	Educational Services	111	1.01	5,711	462,285	8.3%	8.2%	\$51,993	\$63,834
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	919	1.14	14,519	1,044,836	21.1%	18.5%	\$46,036	\$58,613
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	62	0.72	723	82,902	1.0%	1.5%	\$20,997	\$39,463
72	Accommodation and Food Services	419	1.24	6,022	397,999	8.7%	7.0%	\$16,643	\$22,081
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	466	1.02	2,296	184,995	3.3%	3.3%	\$28,084	\$40,512
92	Public Administration	117	0.97	2,721	230,917	4.0%	4.1%	\$51,884	\$67,444
	Total, Suppressed Industries	0		0		0.0%			

Company Ownership									
	Total, All Ownership	4,887	1.00	68,869	5,650,194	100.0%	100.0%	\$47,320	\$64,704
	Private Ownership	4,630	1.00	60,836	4,998,532	88.3%	88.5%	\$46,527	\$64,750
	Federal Ownership	45	0.37	447	98,915	0.6%	1.8%	\$58,379	\$82,423
	State Ownership	38	0.84	1,297	126,259	1.9%	2.2%	\$63,395	\$67,725
	Local Ownership	175	1.21	6,288	426,489	9.1%	7.5%	\$50,897	\$59,163

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of WDA employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

Occupational Employment (2020) and Wages (2021)							
SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Estimated Employment		Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		WDA	PA	WDA	PA	WDA	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	75,440	5,923,090	\$23,020	\$25,950	\$45,440	\$55,490
11-0000	Management	3,210	329,650	\$47,450	\$57,920	\$98,070	\$120,590
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	2,240	307,330	\$39,560	\$45,760	\$67,600	\$78,910
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	580	168,390	\$39,870	\$48,230	\$68,020	\$87,530
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	960	102,710	\$47,090	\$51,520	\$72,710	\$84,720
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	500	56,570	\$37,680	\$41,600	\$61,930	\$74,920
21-0000	Community & Social Service	2,130	129,510	\$27,730	\$32,330	\$42,700	\$49,900
23-0000	Legal	ND	48,600	\$35,650	\$46,450	\$72,960	\$101,960
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	3,900	322,980	\$30,290	\$31,870	\$58,070	\$66,170
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	710	76,840	\$22,310	\$28,750	\$39,210	\$55,050
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	5,060	410,120	\$36,340	\$42,370	\$74,450	\$84,800
31-0000	Healthcare Support	5,240	323,520	\$22,200	\$24,070	\$28,540	\$31,720
33-0000	Protective Service	1,440	123,720	\$29,200	\$26,920	\$51,890	\$52,360
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	6,120	403,000	\$17,320	\$18,930	\$24,530	\$27,190
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	2,520	185,730	\$20,720	\$22,980	\$28,430	\$32,680
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	2,790	159,270	\$17,920	\$19,650	\$28,960	\$31,280
41-0000	Sales & Related	7,440	525,290	\$19,210	\$21,060	\$35,860	\$43,410
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	9,260	811,460	\$25,090	\$27,930	\$38,080	\$42,970
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	ND	42,050	\$20,750	\$23,240	\$35,010	\$36,900
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	3,340	244,620	\$32,840	\$35,470	\$51,450	\$56,870
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	3,470	232,680	\$30,060	\$32,850	\$48,170	\$52,840
51-0000	Production	6,950	361,760	\$28,530	\$28,510	\$41,510	\$43,470
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	6,480	557,300	\$23,140	\$25,330	\$36,470	\$39,450

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.

