

PROFILE OF IOWA'S UNEMPLOYED PERSONS

(UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT RECIPIENTS)

GENDER

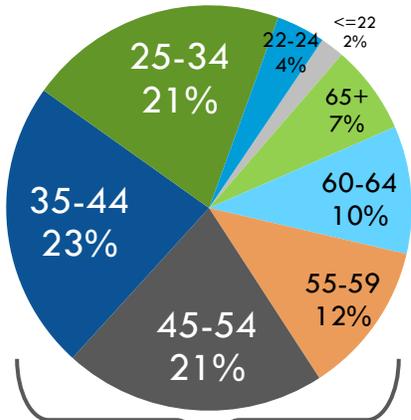


69% of claimants were **MALE**

30% of claimants were **FEMALE**

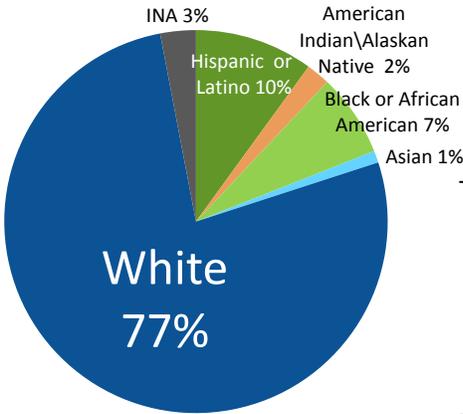
1% of gender responses, N/A

AGE



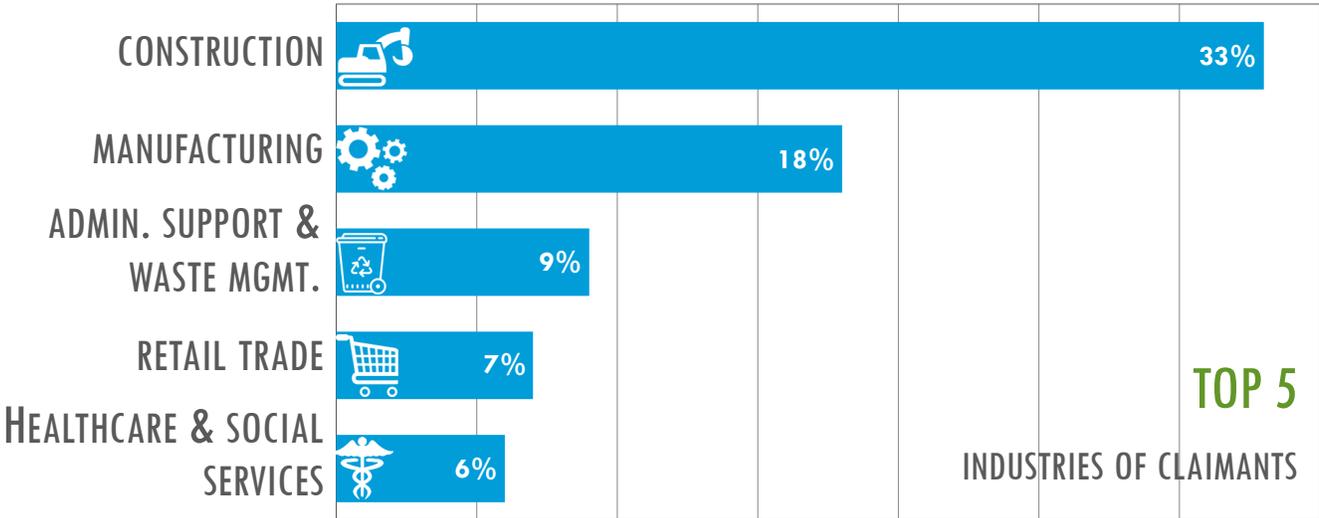
65% of all claimants were between the ages of **25 & 54**.

RACE/ETHNICITY



77% of all claimants were white followed by **10%** Hispanic or Latino.

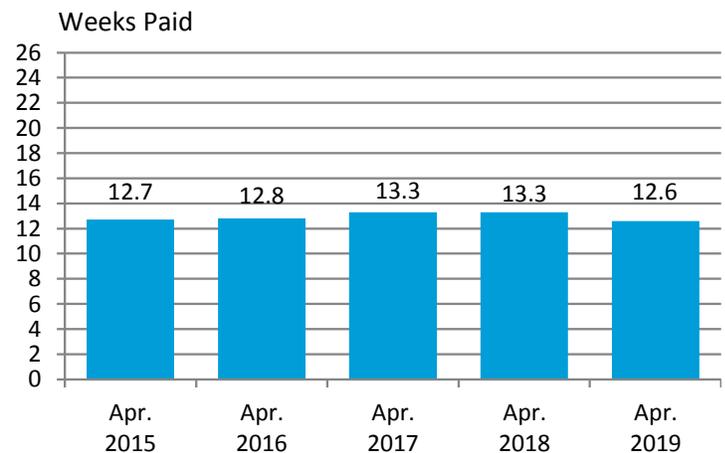
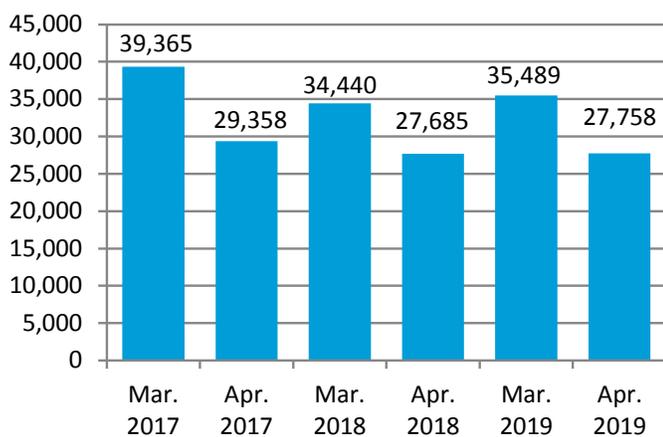
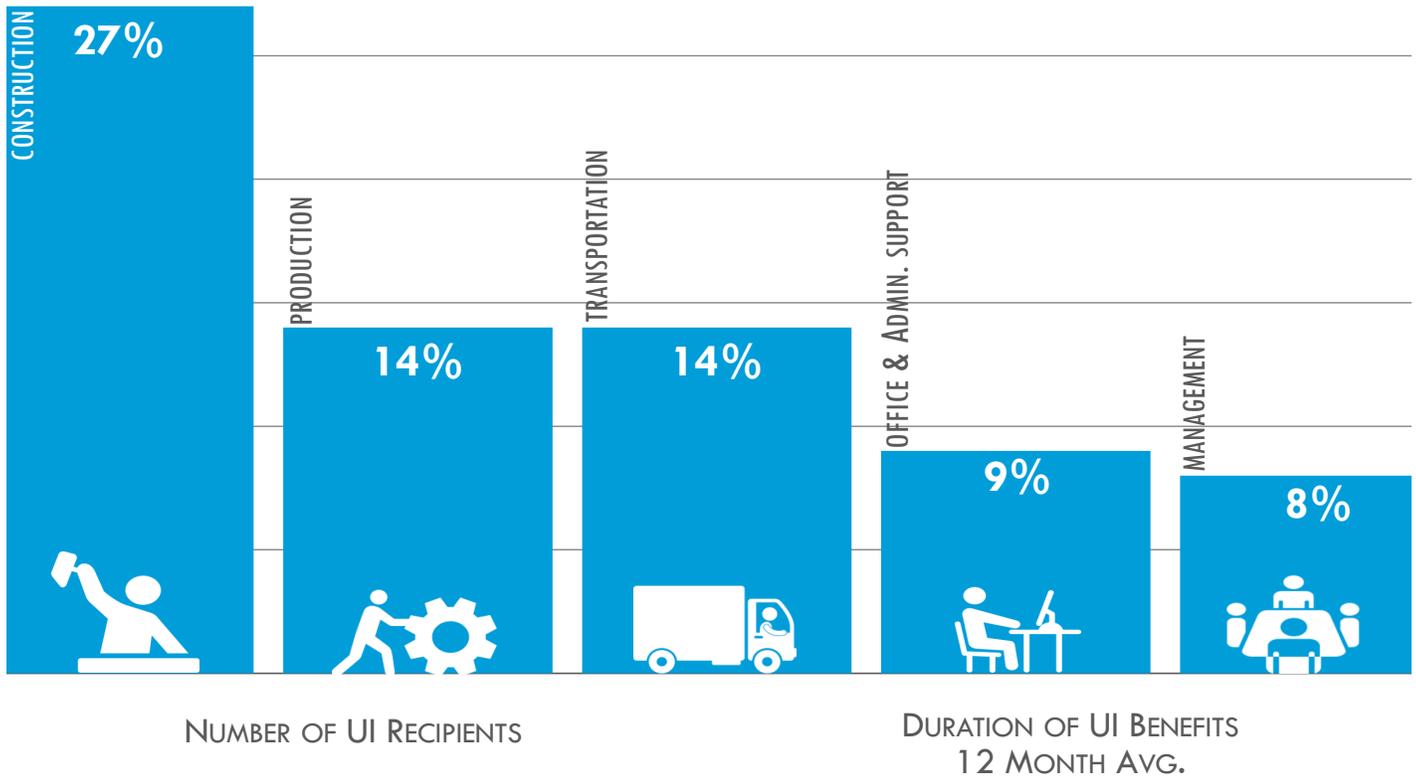
INDUSTRY





OCCUPATION

OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORIES OF CLAIMANTS



- Recipients represent the number of persons receiving at least one UI benefit payment during the month.
- The number of UI recipients decreased to 27,758 in April 2019 from 35,489 in March 2019 as seasonal and temporary layoffs in construction and manufacturing continued to decrease.
- The maximum duration of UI benefits for most UI claimants is 26 weeks.
- The duration of benefits for April 2019 remained at 12.6 weeks for a third month. The duration of benefits was 13.3 weeks in April 2018.

Source: Iowa Unemployment Insurance Statistics. Note: The UI system was primarily designed to serve people who lost their last job. These characteristics do not necessarily reflect job leavers, new entrants, reentrants, and benefit exhaustees. According to the UI Data Summary publication, about 40% of unemployed persons in Iowa received UI benefits.