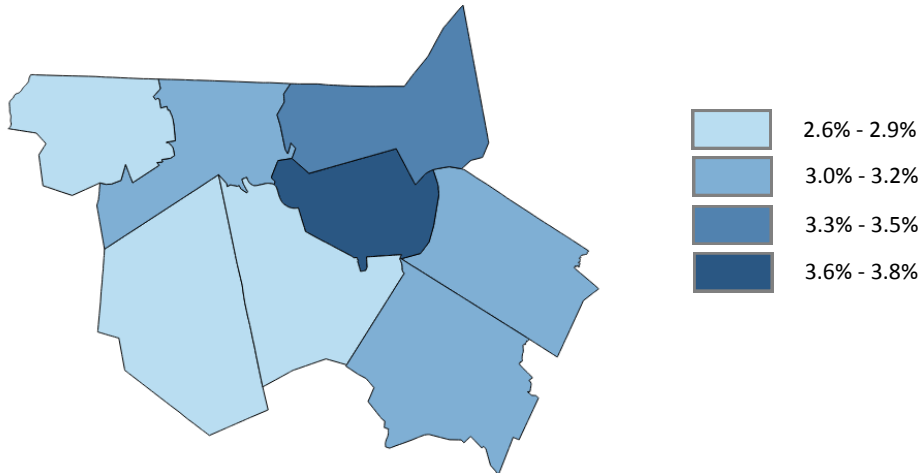


Greater Lowell WDA

Labor Force and Unemployment Rate

April 2018

MA Department of
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City/Town	Labor Force		Employed		Unemployed		Unemployment Rate			
	Apr-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	Mar-18	OTM Δ	OTY Δ
Billerica	24,464	24,321	23,720	23,464	744	857	3.0%	3.5%	↓ -0.5%	↓ -0.3%
Chelmsford	19,706	19,579	19,158	18,952	548	627	2.8%	3.2%	↓ -0.4%	↓ -0.4%
Dracut	18,438	18,341	17,837	17,644	601	697	3.3%	3.8%	↓ -0.5%	↓ -0.3%
Dunstable	1,940	1,926	1,888	1,874	52	52	2.7%	2.7%	↓ 0.0%	↓ 0.0%
Lowell	56,958	56,680	54,801	54,210	2,157	2,470	3.8%	4.4%	↓ -0.6%	↓ -0.5%
Tewksbury	17,727	17,592	17,197	17,012	530	580	3.0%	3.3%	↓ -0.3%	↓ -0.4%
Tyngsborough	7,207	7,180	6,984	6,909	223	271	3.1%	3.8%	↓ -0.7%	↓ -0.4%
Westford	13,014	12,929	12,666	12,529	348	400	2.7%	3.1%	↓ -0.4%	↓ -0.4%
Greater Lowell WDA	159,454	158,548	154,251	152,594	5,203	5,954	3.3%	3.8%	↓ -0.5%	↓ -0.4%

Source: BLS Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) compiled by MA DUA, not adjusted for seasonality

Estimates for towns with 2010 Census population of less than 1,000 were produced using the BLS methodology, but are not official BLS estimates.

For more economic and labor statistics, please go to: <http://www.mass.gov/lmi/>

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OTM Δ = Over-the-Month Change
OTY Δ = Over-the-Year Change