



2023 Eligible Weeks Update

The Kentucky General Assembly enacted changes to the state’s unemployment insurance program during the 2023 regular session through House Bill 146.

How are eligible weeks determined after July 1, 2023

State Average Unemployment Rate* means the seasonal adjusted statewide unemployment rate that applies to a six-month period beginning January 1st and July 1st. Those lookback dates will provide the average rate for the preceding months.

**United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics*

Duration of Benefits

State Average Unemployment Rate of less than or equal Percent	Weeks of Benefits Available
Less than or equal to 6.5%	16
Greater than 6.5% up to and including 7%	17
Greater than 7% up to and including 7.5%	18
Greater than 7.5% up to and including 8%	19
Greater than 8% up to and including 8.5%	20
Greater than 8.5% up to and including 9%	21
Greater than 9% up to and including 9.5%	22
Greater than 9.5% up to and including 10%	23
Greater than 10%	24

→ Benefit starting July, 2023

This is how benefit duration will now be determined starting July 1, 2023

**TO LEARN MORE,
SCAN THE QR CODE**

