

New Jersey: Partial Unemployment Benefits Are Available for Employees Whose Hours Have Been Reduced as a Result of the COVID-19 Epidemic

Description of Program and Relief

Employees who are still employed, but whose hours have been reduced as a result of the COVID-19 epidemic, may be eligible for partial unemployment insurance benefits under New Jersey law.

Government or Lead Agency

New Jersey Department of Labor Division of Unemployment Insurance

Dates Available

COVID-19 guidance issued on March 19, 2020

Eligibility Requirements/Restrictions

To be eligible for partial unemployment benefits, the person cannot work more than 80% of the hours normally worked.

Application Deadlines (If Applicable)

N/A

Contact for More Information

Contact the New Jersey Department of Labor Division of Unemployment by filling out the form, [here](#).

To contact the New Jersey Department of Labor Division of Unemployment by phone call the number below that corresponds to your location:

North New Jersey: (201) 601-4100

Central New Jersey: (732) 761-2020

South New Jersey: (856) 507-2340

Out-of-state claims: (888) 795-6672 (you must call from a phone with an out-of-state area code)

List of Additional Information

More COVID-19 specific guidance can be found on the New Jersey Department of Labor's website, [here](#).

More information about New Jersey's partial unemployment benefits program in general is available, [here](#).