



Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment (RESEA) Program

Eligibility for Unemployment Insurance Benefits

The Unemployment Insurance (UI) program provides temporary financial assistance to qualified individuals who meet UI state law eligibility requirements. Each person who collects UI benefits is legally responsible for making sure he or she follows the rules set by state law. Please follow the instructions provided below to remain eligible for UI benefits:

You must be unemployed, be physically able to work, be actively seeking work each week and have no restrictions which would keep you from accepting work.

Actively seeking employment means making at least three job contacts with potential employers each week. Contacts with employers can be made in person, by resume, online application, responding to newspaper ads, etc. You are required to maintain documentation of your work search efforts. Please record your work search contacts on Form NCUI 506E, Work Search Record.

If you are not able and available for work, or refuse work for any reason, benefits may be denied to you for any week(s) the eligibility conditions are not met.

While unemployed, if you accept part-time or temporary work, you are required to report your gross earnings for the week. You may not have received the payment yet, but you must report your earnings for the week in which the work was actually performed.

You must register for work and have an active resume completed using NCWorks Online. NCWorks Online can be accessed by logging onto <http://www.ncworks.gov>.

The Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment (RESEA) program provides assistance to individuals to become reemployed. Once selected for the RESEA Program you are required to participate in activities provided by the RESEA program. Failure to participate in these activities may adversely affect your UI benefits. If for any reason, you are unable to participate in RESEA activities, please contact your RESEA staff person at () _____ or firstname.lastname@nccommerce.com.