

UNEMPLOYMENT TRENDS FOR MERRIMACK VALLEY SERVICE DELIVERY AREA

(Three Year Comparison)

(Previous Six Months)

Major Labor Area	Current December 2013	December 2012	December 2011	Current December 2013	November 2013	October 2013	September 2013	August 2013	July 2013	June 2013
Massachusetts	7.0	6.5	6.5	7.0	7.1	6.8	6.9	6.8	7.2	7.4
National	6.7	7.8	8.5	6.7	7.0	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.6
Lawrence/NH NECTA Division	10.3	10.9	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.9	11.2	11.1	11.2	11.6
Lower Merrimack Valley (WIA)	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.7	8.2	8.4	8.3	8.5	8.6
Amesbury	5.8	6.3	6.1	5.8	5.6	6.2	6.1	6.6	6.7	6.5
Andover	4.9	4.8	4.5	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.7	5.2	5.7	6.0
Boxford	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.2	5.2	5.9
Georgetown	5.5	4.6	5.2	5.5	5.0	4.9	5.4	5.1	5.8	5.7
Groveland	5.7	5.3	4.9	5.7	5.3	5.7	6.1	5.9	6.7	6.0
Haverhill	7.0	7.1	7.6	7.0	6.8	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.3
Lawrence	13.9	14.1	14.5	13.9	13.9	14.0	15.0	14.9	14.8	15.7
Merrimac	5.7	5.4	5.5	5.7	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.7	6.0	6.2
Methuen	8.0	8.6	8.0	8.0	8.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.6	9.1
Newbury	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.6	6.2	5.9	5.7
Newburyport	5.0	5.0	5.4	5.0	5.1	5.9	5.8	5.0	5.5	5.6
North Andover	5.7	5.3	5.3	5.7	5.5	6.3	6.7	6.5	6.9	6.6
Rowley	6.0	6.0	5.0	6.0	5.5	5.7	5.5	5.0	5.7	5.6
Salisbury	8.2	6.5	6.7	8.2	7.9	7.3	6.8	6.8	7.1	7.3
West Newbury	4.9	4.9	4.1	4.9	5.0	5.4	5.4	4.8	4.5	4.9

(Data not seasonally adjusted)

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