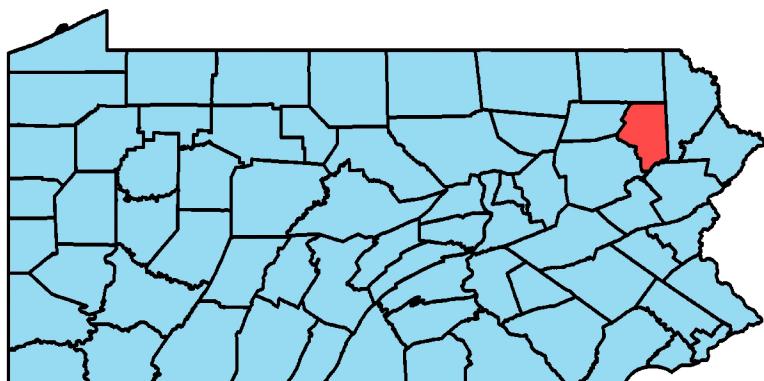
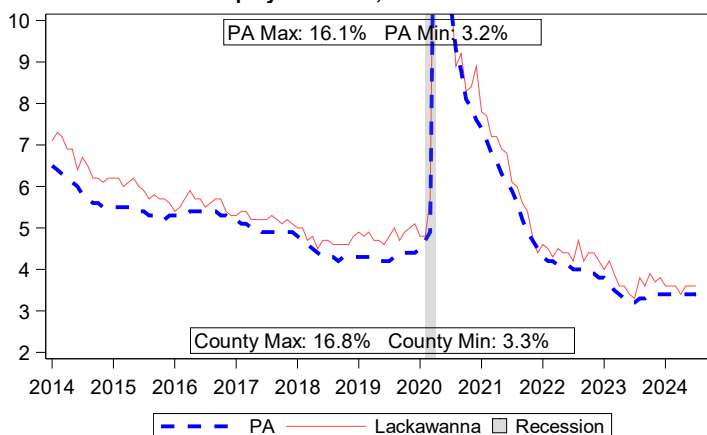


# Lackawanna County Profile

August 2024



Unemployment Rate, Jan 2014 to Jul 2024



## 2022 Population

Demographic	County	PA
Total Population	215,672	12,989,208
Female	109,772	6,578,442
Male	105,900	6,410,766

## Population by Race

White	85.3%	77.1%
Black	2.7%	10.8%
Other	12.0%	12.1%
Hispanic Origin (all races)	9.0%	8.1%

## Population by Age

Ages 0 to 17	20.4%	20.5%
Ages 18 to 24	9.1%	9.2%
Ages 25 to 34	12.2%	13.1%
Ages 35 to 44	11.8%	12.1%
Ages 45 to 54	12.4%	12.4%
Ages 55 to 64	14.0%	14.0%
Ages 65 to 74	11.4%	10.8%
Ages 75 and Older	8.6%	7.9%
Median Age	41.9	40.8

Source: U.S. Census 5 Year Estimate 2018-2022 (Tables: DP05 and B01001)

## Online Job Postings

	County	PA
July 2024	2,487	236,108
July 2023	1,705	209,827
Annual Percent Change	45.9%	12.5%
Annual Volume Change	782	26,281

Source: The Conference Board - LightCast - Help Wanted OnLine™

## 2022 Veterans

	County	PA
Total Veterans	11,569	680,824
Veteran Median Income	\$42,416	\$46,106
Non-Veteran Median Income	\$33,261	\$37,475
Veteran Unemployment Rate	7.8%	4.2%
Non-Veteran Unemployment Rate	4.7%	5.3%

Source: U.S. Census 5 Year Estimate 2018-2022 (Table: S2101)

## 2022 Resident Income

	County	PA
Per Capita Income	\$54,607	\$64,506
Total Personal Income (in thousands)	\$11,774,144	\$836,778,334
Total Earnings (in thousands)	\$6,744,338	\$511,019,899
Total Dividends/Interest/Rent (in thousands)	\$1,939,269	\$151,238,652
Total Transfer Payments (in thousands)	\$3,090,537	\$174,519,783

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

## Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Jul 2024	County	PA
Unemployment Rate	3.6%	3.4%
Labor Force	107,500	6,602,000
Employed	103,600	6,378,000
Unemployed	3,800	224,000

Notes: Current month's data are preliminary. Data are Seasonally Adjusted.

## Unemployment Compensation Exhaustees

Aug 2023 to Jul 2024	Volume		Percent of Total	
	County	PA	County	PA
Natural Resources and Mining	10	470	1.0%	1.0%
Construction	140	6,840	14.5%	12.5%
Manufacturing	120	6,440	12.5%	11.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	200	10,250	20.5%	18.5%
Information	20	1,430	2.0%	2.5%
Financial Activities	50	3,030	5.0%	5.5%
Professional and Business Services	180	11,870	18.5%	21.5%
Education and Health Service	120	8,180	12.5%	14.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	80	4,120	8.0%	7.5%
Other Services	20	1,340	2.0%	2.5%
Public Administration	20	1,040	2.0%	2.0%
Unclassified Industry	10	800	1.0%	1.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>970</b>	<b>55,810</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

Note: Percentages less than 0.5% will be displayed as 0.0%.  
Source: Pennsylvania Unemployment Compensation System

## Top 10 Employers by Employment in Q1 of 2024

- State Government
- Community Medical Center
- Allied Services Foundation
- Amazon.com Services LLC
- Chewy Inc
- Scranton School District
- University of Scranton
- Lackawanna County
- Scranton Hospital Company LLC
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc

Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

## Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

NAICS	NAICS Description	Estab.		Employment		Employment %		Wages	
		County	LQ	County	PA	County	PA	County	PA
	Total, All Industries	5,534	1.00	96,884	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$51,822	\$69,252
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	23	1.02	450	27,249	0.5%	0.5%	\$34,622	\$44,014
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil & Gas	3	ND	ND	22,118	ND	0.4%	ND	\$101,711
22	Utilities	22	ND	ND	34,054	ND	0.6%	ND	\$110,867
23	Construction	461	0.87	3,787	268,718	3.9%	4.5%	\$71,579	\$77,927
31-33	Manufacturing	215	1.11	10,251	566,896	10.6%	9.5%	\$61,509	\$74,597
42	Wholesale Trade	247	1.06	3,748	216,986	3.9%	3.6%	\$67,897	\$99,656
44-45	Retail Trade	799	1.17	11,443	601,132	11.8%	10.1%	\$33,395	\$36,721
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	203	1.31	7,366	345,491	7.6%	5.8%	\$49,916	\$59,247
51	Information	51	0.64	1,007	96,556	1.0%	1.6%	\$61,073	\$119,947
52	Finance and Insurance	285	0.82	3,624	273,127	3.7%	4.6%	\$83,524	\$118,105
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	174	0.77	845	67,704	0.9%	1.1%	\$50,133	\$74,573
54	Professional and Technical Services	480	0.49	3,169	398,002	3.3%	6.7%	\$70,837	\$117,065
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	49	0.56	1,332	147,596	1.4%	2.5%	\$75,494	\$153,152
56	Administrative and Waste Services	253	0.97	4,787	303,622	4.9%	5.1%	\$43,707	\$51,067
61	Educational Services	124	1.03	8,132	485,148	8.4%	8.1%	\$55,811	\$67,022
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	922	1.15	20,635	1,108,490	21.3%	18.6%	\$55,311	\$63,414
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	79	0.88	1,460	102,276	1.5%	1.7%	\$25,889	\$43,044
72	Accommodation and Food Services	562	1.07	8,045	461,744	8.3%	7.7%	\$21,327	\$24,729
81	Other Services (Except Public Administration)	489	0.93	3,057	203,144	3.2%	3.4%	\$34,837	\$43,903
92	Public Administration	97	0.88	3,339	232,974	3.4%	3.9%	\$62,329	\$73,804
	Total, Suppressed Local Industries	25		411		0.4%			

### Company Ownership

Total, All Ownership	5,534	1.00	96,884	5,963,025	100.0%	100.0%	\$51,822	\$69,252
Private Ownership	5,311	1.01	86,692	5,301,081	89.5%	88.9%	\$50,679	\$69,300
Federal Ownership	45	0.56	918	101,636	0.9%	1.7%	\$80,764	\$90,018
State Ownership	35	1.14	2,346	126,229	2.4%	2.1%	\$64,559	\$71,770
Local Ownership	144	0.98	6,928	434,079	7.2%	7.3%	\$57,971	\$63,079

Notes: 'Estab.'-Establishments. 'LQ'-(Location Quotient) is the percent of county employment by sector divided by the percent of PA's employment by sector.

## Occupational Wages, 2023 Annual Averages

SOC Code	Major Occupational Group	Entry-Level Wage		Average Wage	
		County	PA	County	PA
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	\$28,250	\$29,860	\$53,610	\$61,920
11-0000	Management	\$57,760	\$64,540	\$113,140	\$131,660
13-0000	Business & Financial Operations	\$42,750	\$47,270	\$72,180	\$82,990
15-0000	Computer & Mathematical	\$48,920	\$54,840	\$84,080	\$98,060
17-0000	Architecture & Engineering	\$55,020	\$57,460	\$83,360	\$92,950
19-0000	Life, Physical, & Social Science	\$43,420	\$48,260	\$72,480	\$82,210
21-0000	Community & Social Service	\$34,810	\$36,700	\$50,960	\$55,040
23-0000	Legal	\$45,500	\$51,470	\$103,640	\$120,620
25-0000	Educational Instruction & Library	\$34,260	\$34,430	\$65,370	\$68,610
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	\$29,530	\$32,120	\$52,440	\$61,640
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$43,550	\$48,400	\$86,200	\$97,160
31-0000	Healthcare Support	\$25,510	\$26,680	\$33,670	\$35,120
33-0000	Protective Service	\$29,040	\$30,510	\$54,060	\$56,120
35-0000	Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$20,630	\$21,170	\$30,090	\$31,550
37-0000	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	\$26,040	\$27,390	\$34,880	\$37,490
39-0000	Personal Care & Service	\$21,320	\$22,380	\$33,460	\$35,260
41-0000	Sales & Related	\$23,480	\$24,850	\$42,890	\$50,440
43-0000	Office & Administrative Support	\$30,620	\$31,640	\$43,970	\$46,810
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	\$25,690	\$25,510	\$38,080	\$41,590
47-0000	Construction & Extraction	\$39,160	\$40,300	\$58,490	\$61,810
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	\$34,510	\$36,690	\$53,330	\$57,200
51-0000	Production	\$31,360	\$32,920	\$44,860	\$48,120
53-0000	Transportation & Material Moving	\$29,450	\$30,290	\$43,460	\$45,770

Note: 'ND' represents Non-Disclosable information.