



RANKING OF COUNTY DATA  
Unemployment Rates by County

September 2017 (Preliminary)

Prepared October 18, 2017

RANK	AREA	RATE	RANK	AREA	RATE
1	Vermillion	5.5	47	Ripley	3.5
2	Lake	5.3	48	Fulton	3.4
3	Fayette	5.0	49	Knox	3.4
4	Newton	4.8	50	Morgan	3.4
5	Greene	4.6	51	Rush	3.4
6	Huntington	4.5	52	Shelby	3.4
7	Delaware	4.3	53	Floyd	3.3
8	LaPorte	4.3	54	Harrison	3.3
9	Lawrence	4.3	55	Pike	3.3
10	Starke	4.3	56	Putnam	3.3
11	Grant	4.2	57	Vanderburgh	3.3
12	Jasper	4.2	58	Noble	3.2
13	Owen	4.2	59	Warren	3.2
14	Vigo	4.2	60	Wells	3.2
15	Blackford	4.1	61	White	3.2
16	Cass	4.1	62	Benton	3.1
17	Fountain	4.1	63	Brown	3.1
18	Parke	4.1	64	Carroll	3.1
19	Sullivan	4.1	65	Hancock	3.1
20	Dearborn	4.0	66	Martin	3.1
21	Orange	4.0	67	Montgomery	3.1
22	Perry	4.0	68	Spencer	3.1
23	Porter	4.0	69	Tippecanoe	3.1
24	Randolph	4.0	70	Warrick	3.1
25	Switzerland	4.0	71	Boone	3.0
26	Crawford	3.9	72	Clinton	3.0
27	Madison	3.9	73	Gibson	3.0
28	Wayne	3.9	74	Hendricks	3.0
29	Jefferson	3.8	75	Jackson	3.0
30	Scott	3.8	76	Johnson	3.0
31	Washington	3.8	77	Marshall	3.0
32	Clay	3.7	78	Posey	3.0
33	Franklin	3.7	79	Tipton	3.0
34	Henry	3.7	80	Union	3.0
35	Jay	3.7	81	DeKalb	2.9
36	Marion	3.7	82	Whitley	2.9
37	Miami	3.7	83	Daviess	2.8
38	Wabash	3.7	84	Hamilton	2.8
39	Clark	3.6	85	Steuben	2.8
40	Howard	3.6	86	Adams	2.7
41	Jennings	3.6	87	Bartholomew	2.7
42	Ohio	3.6	88	Decatur	2.7
43	St. Joseph	3.6	89	Kosciusko	2.7
44	Allen	3.5	90	Dubois	2.6
45	Monroe	3.5	91	LaGrange	2.6
46	Pulaski	3.5	92	Elkhart	2.5
				INDIANA	3.6



AREA	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	UNEMPLOYED	RATE
<b>HENRY</b>				
September 2017	22,209	21,391	818	3.7
August 2017	22,402	21,449	953	4.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	21,950	21,037	913	4.2
<b>HOWARD (KOKOMO MSA)</b>				
September 2017	38,855	37,452	1,403	3.6
August 2017	39,516	37,898	1,618	4.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	37,946	36,425	1,521	4.0
<b>HUNTINGTON</b>				
September 2017	18,649	17,819	830	4.5
August 2017	18,663	17,839	824	4.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	18,669	17,968	701	3.8
<b>JACKSON</b>				
September 2017	22,596	21,907	689	3.0
August 2017	22,973	22,189	784	3.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	22,246	21,490	756	3.4
<b>JASPER (GARY MSA)</b>				
September 2017	16,084	15,406	678	4.2
August 2017	16,328	15,549	779	4.8
September 2016 (Benchmark)	16,364	15,653	711	4.3
<b>JAY</b>				
September 2017	9,564	9,213	351	3.7
August 2017	9,691	9,277	414	4.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	9,819	9,405	414	4.2
<b>JEFFERSON</b>				
September 2017	14,982	14,417	565	3.8
August 2017	15,002	14,346	656	4.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	15,164	14,511	653	4.3
<b>JENNINGS</b>				
September 2017	13,217	12,736	481	3.6
August 2017	13,430	12,854	576	4.3
September 2016 (Benchmark)	13,056	12,511	545	4.2
<b>JOHNSON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	80,896	78,499	2,397	3.0
August 2017	81,475	78,713	2,762	3.4
September 2016 (Benchmark)	79,601	76,970	2,631	3.3
<b>KNOX</b>				
September 2017	18,548	17,924	624	3.4
August 2017	18,768	18,012	756	4.0
September 2016 (Benchmark)	18,854	18,093	761	4.0
<b>KOSCIUSKO</b>				
September 2017	41,192	40,098	1,094	2.7
August 2017	41,693	40,356	1,337	3.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	41,352	39,945	1,407	3.4
<b>LAGRANGE</b>				
September 2017	19,484	18,985	499	2.6
August 2017	19,860	19,241	619	3.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	19,388	18,782	606	3.1
<b>LAKE (GARY MSA)</b>				
September 2017	229,311	217,146	12,165	5.3
August 2017	229,874	216,894	12,980	5.6
September 2016 (Benchmark)	232,443	218,853	13,590	5.8
<b>LA PORTE (MICHIGAN CITY-LAPOORTE MSA)</b>				
September 2017	46,502	44,481	2,021	4.3
August 2017	46,735	44,450	2,285	4.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	48,199	45,670	2,529	5.2
<b>LAWRENCE</b>				
September 2017	20,675	19,779	896	4.3
August 2017	20,482	19,476	1,006	4.9
September 2016 (Benchmark)	20,696	19,693	1,003	4.8
<b>MADISON (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	60,178	57,842	2,336	3.9
August 2017	60,590	58,027	2,563	4.2
September 2016 (Benchmark)	59,426	56,774	2,652	4.5
<b>MARION (INDIANAPOLIS-CARMEL-ANDERSON MSA)</b>				
September 2017	492,706	474,373	18,333	3.7
August 2017	494,889	474,720	20,169	4.1
September 2016 (Benchmark)	484,579	464,381	20,198	4.2

## 2017 Huntington County Unemployment Statistics

Source – Indiana Department of Workforce Development & the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Month	Total Labor Force		Employed	Unemployed	%
	2016	2017			
January	18,585	18,608	17,760	848	4.6
February	18,788	18,602	17,794	808	4.3
March	18,774	18,515	17,850	665	3.6
April	18,595	18,584	18,140	444	2.4
May	18,805	18,732	18,264	468	2.5
June	19,100	18,747	18,194	553	2.9
July	18,781	18,630	18,018	612	3.3
August	18,855	18,700	17,874	826	4.4
September	18,669	18,649	17,819	830	4.5
October					
November					
December					