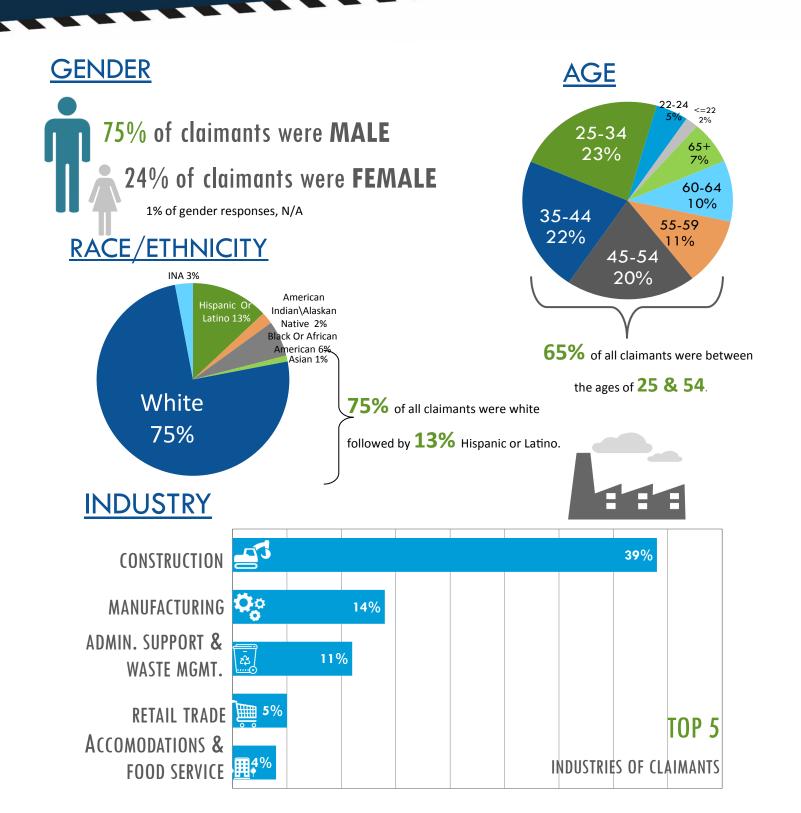


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PROFILE OF IOWA'S UNEMPLOYED PERSONS

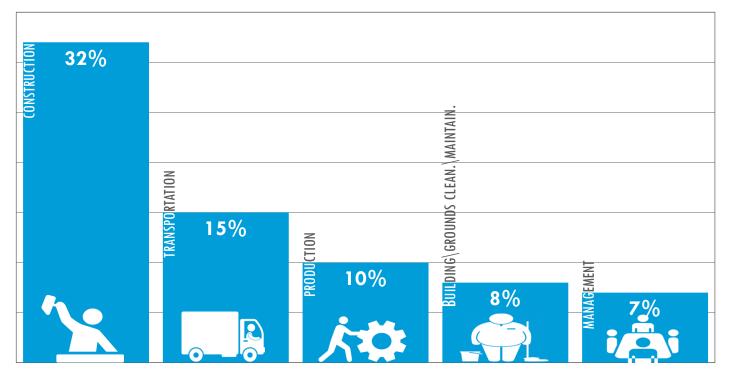
(UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT RECIPIENTS)



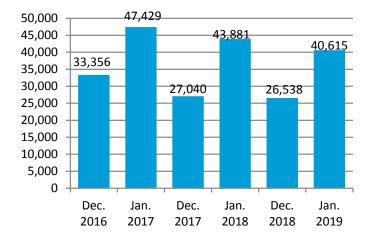
TOP 5



OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORIES OF CLAIMANTS



NUMBER OF UI RECIPIENTS



DURATION OF UI BENEFITS 12 MONTH AVG.



 Recipients represent the number of persons receiving at least one UI benefit payment during the month.

 The number of UI recipients experiences a high increase from the months of December to January due to an uptick in UI claims from seasonal workers, (example: construction). • The maximum duration of UI benefits for most UI claimants is 26 weeks.

The duration of benefits for January 2019 is 12.9 weeks, down from 13.5 weeks one year ago in January 2018. The duration of benefits was 12.8 weeks in December 2018.

Source: Iowa Unemployment Insurance Statistics. Note: The UI system was primarily designed to serve people who lost their last job. These characteristics do not necessarily reflect job leavers, new entrants, reentrants, and benefit exhaustees. According to the UI Data Summary publication, about 38% of unemployed persons in Iowa received UI benefits.