

**States Qualifying for Counting Up To Six Additional Weeks of Job Search and Job Readiness
FY 2010**

	Oct-09	Nov-09	Dec-09	Jan-10	Feb-10	Mar-10	Apr-10	May-10	Jun-10	Jul-10	Aug-10	Sep-10
Alabama	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Alaska	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Arizona	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Arkansas	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
California	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Colorado	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Connecticut	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Delaware	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
District of Columbia	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Florida	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Georgia	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Guam	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Hawaii	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	C	C	C
Idaho	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Illinois	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Indiana	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Iowa	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Kansas	BC	BC	BC	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	BC	BC
Kentucky	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Louisiana	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Maine	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Maryland	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Massachusetts	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Michigan	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Minnesota	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Mississippi	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Missouri	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Montana	BC	C	C	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Nebraska	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Nevada	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	ABC	BC	BC
New Hampshire	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	C	C	C	C
New Jersey	B	B	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
New Mexico	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
New York	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
North Carolina	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
North Dakota	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Ohio	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Oklahoma	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Oregon	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Pennsylvania	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Puerto Rico	AB	AB	B	AB	AB	AB	AB	AB	AB	AB	AB	AB
Rhode Island	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
South Carolina	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
South Dakota	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Tennessee	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Texas	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Utah	C	C	C	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Vermont	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	C	C	C	C	C	C
Virgin Islands	B	B	BC	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	
Virginia	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Washington	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
West Virginia	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Wisconsin	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
Wyoming	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	BC	BC
Total	54	54	54	54	54	54	54	54	54	54	54	53

A: Unemployment rate is at least 50 percent greater than the unemployment rate of the United States.

B: Unemployment rate for the 3 month period equals or exceeds 6.5 percent and equals or exceeds 110 percent of the corresponding 3-month average in either of the two preceding years (also part of the "Needy State" definition for TANF Contingency Funds).

C: Number of Food Stamp recipients above the USDA threshold (also part of the "Needy State" provision for TANF Contingency Funds)

Unemployment data: Through February 2011

Food Stamp data: Through January 2011

Note: A state is eligible to access the TANF Contingency Fund if they meet requirement B or C. Only the 50 states and Washington DC are eligible for TANF Contingency Funds.

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