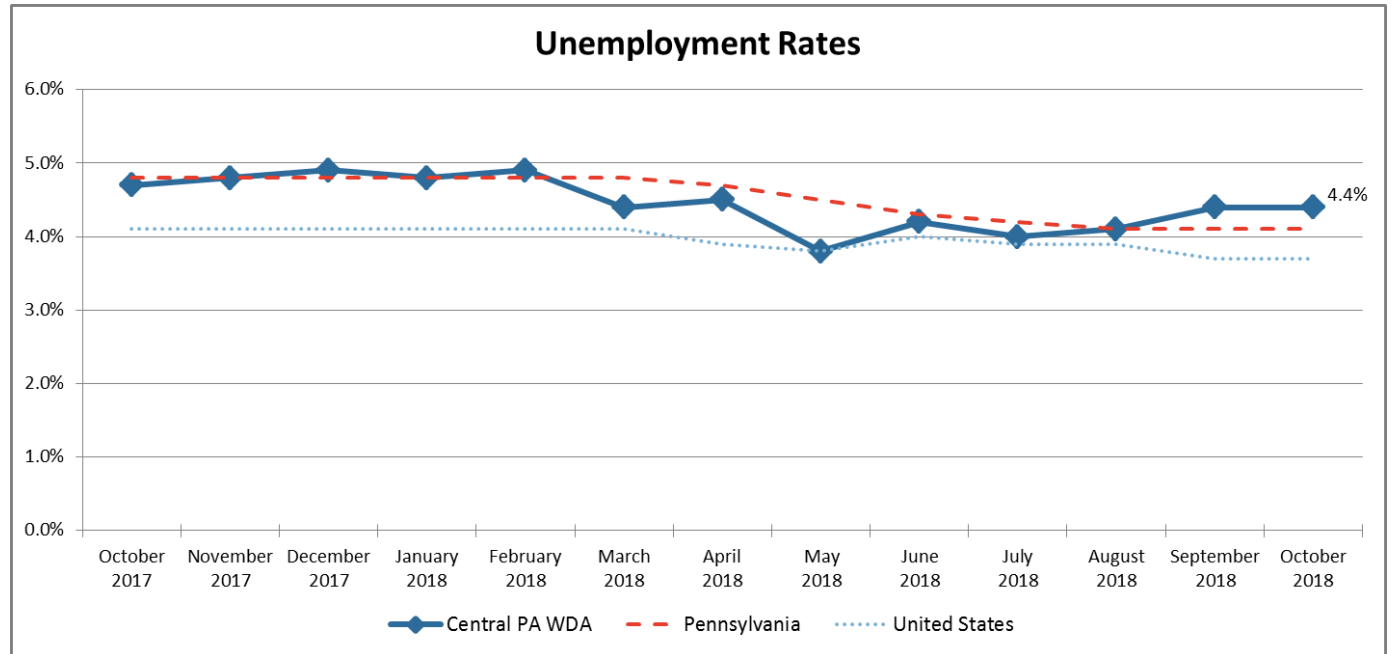


October 2018 Labor Market Information

Central Pennsylvania Workforce Development Area

Unemployment Rates			
	October 2018	Monthly Change	Annual Change
Centre	3.4%	↑	↓
Clinton	5.4%	↑	↓
Columbia	4.8%	↔	↓
Lycoming	4.9%	↓	↓
Mifflin	4.8%	↔	↓
Montour	3.5%	↑	↓
Northumberland	5.3%	↑	↓
Snyder	3.9%	↓	↓
Union	3.8%	↔	↓
Central PA WDA	4.4%	↔	↓
Pennsylvania	4.1%	↔	↓
United States	3.7%	↔	↓



	October 2018	September 2018	Monthly Change	October 2017	Annual Change
Central PA WDA					
Labor Force	301,300	299,700	↑ 1,600	299,900	↑ 1,400
Employed	288,100	286,600	↑ 1,500	285,700	↑ 2,400
Unemployed	13,200	13,200	↔ 0	14,100	↓ -900
Unemployment Rate	4.4%	4.4%	↔ 0.0%	4.7%	↓ -0.3%
Pennsylvania					
Labor Force	6,420,000	6,397,000	↑ 23,000	6,418,000	↑ 2,000
Employed	6,155,000	6,134,000	↑ 21,000	6,109,000	↑ 46,000
Unemployed	265,000	262,000	↑ 3,000	309,000	↓ -44,000
Unemployment Rate	4.1%	4.1%	↔ 0.0%	4.8%	↓ -0.7%
United States					
Labor Force	162,637,000	161,926,000	↑ 711,000	160,371,000	↑ 2,266,000
Employed	156,562,000	155,962,000	↑ 600,000	153,846,000	↑ 2,716,000
Unemployed	6,075,000	5,964,000	↑ 111,000	6,524,000	↓ -449,000
Unemployment Rate	3.7%	3.7%	↔ 0.0%	4.1%	↓ -0.4%

Source: **Preliminary October 2018 seasonally adjusted data** provided by the Center for Workforce Information and Analysis (CWIA) (November 2018)
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