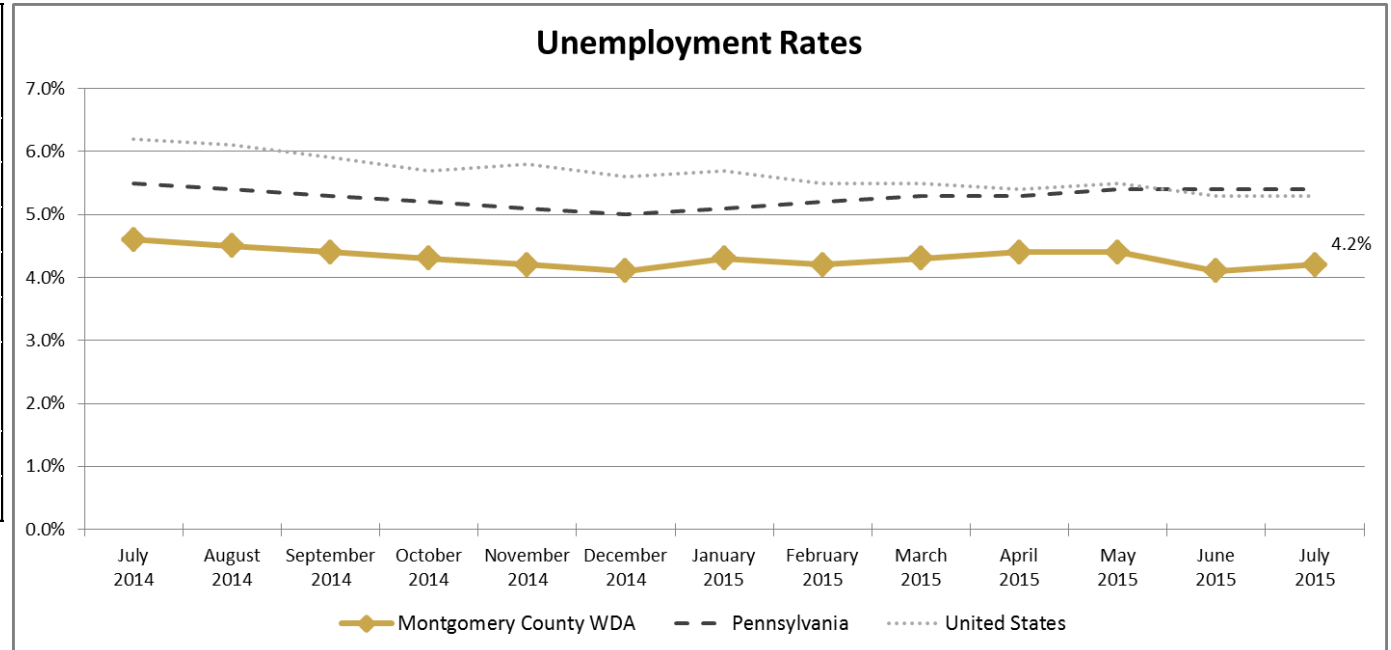


July 2015 Labor Market Information

Montgomery County Workforce Development Area

Unemployment Rates			
	Current Month	Monthly Change	Annual Change
Montgomery	4.2%	↑	↓
Bucks	4.7%	↑	↓
Chester	3.8%	↑	↓
Delaware	4.9%	↑	↓
Philadelphia	7.2%	↔	↓
Montgomery County WDA	4.2%	↑	↓
Pennsylvania	5.4%	↔	↓
United States	5.3%	↔	↓

Surrounding counties are provided for comparison purposes only



	Current Month	Last Month	Monthly Change	Last Year	Annual Change
Montgomery County WDA					
Labor Force	437,600	437,100	↑ 500	435,000	↑ 2,600
Employed	419,200	419,300	↓ -100	414,900	↑ 4,300
Unemployed	18,400	17,900	↑ 500	20,200	↓ -1,800
Unemployment Rate	4.2%	4.1%	↑ 0.1%	4.6%	↓ -0.4%
Pennsylvania					
Labor Force	6,426,000	6,425,000	↑ 1,000	6,363,000	↑ 63,000
Employed	6,077,000	6,078,000	↓ -1,000	6,010,000	↑ 67,000
Unemployed	349,000	347,000	↑ 2,000	353,000	↓ -4,000
Unemployment Rate	5.4%	5.4%	↔ 0.0%	5.5%	↓ -0.1%
United States					
Labor Force	157,106,000	157,037,000	↑ 69,000	156,048,000	↑ 1,058,000
Employed	148,840,000	148,739,000	↑ 101,000	146,401,000	↑ 2,439,000
Unemployed	8,266,000	8,299,000	↓ -33,000	9,648,000	↓ -1,382,000
Unemployment Rate	5.3%	5.3%	↔ 0.0%	6.2%	↓ -0.9%

Source: **Preliminary July 2015 seasonally adjusted data** provided by the Center for Workforce Information and Analysis (CWIA) (September 2015)
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