

# OKLAHOMA EMPLOYMENT REPORT – June 2021

## Oklahoma's unemployment rate drops in June

Oklahoma's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate fell to 3.7 percent in June, while the U.S. unemployment rate rose to 5.9 percent in June. Over the year, the state's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.5 percentage points lower than June 2020.

<b>June 2021</b>	<b>Unemp. rate*</b>	<b>Labor force*</b>	<b>Employment*</b>	<b>Unemployment*</b>
Oklahoma	3.7%	1,864,283	1,794,740	69,543
United States	5.9%	160,988,000	151,602,000	9,484,000

\* Data adjusted for seasonal factors

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June '21	3.7%	1,864,283	1,794,740	69,543
May '21	3.9%	1,864,522	1,791,479	73,043
April '21	4.1%	1,864,383	1,787,282	77,101
Mar'21	4.3%	1,865,563	1,786,096	79,467
Feb '21	4.4%	1,865,515	1,784,222	81,293
Jan '21	4.4%	1,864,691	1,783,422	81,269
June '20	8.2%	1,838,543	1,687,262	151,281

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In June, statewide seasonally adjusted employment increased by 3,261 persons (0.2 percent), while unemployment decreased by 3,500 persons (-4.8 percent). Over the year, seasonally adjusted unemployment decreased by 81,738 persons (-54.0 percent).

<b>June 2021</b>	<b>Monthly change*</b>		<b>Annual change*</b>	
	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Labor force	-239	0.0%	25,740	1.4%
Employment	3,261	0.2%	107,478	6.4%
Unemployment	-3,500	-4.8%	-81,738	-54.0%

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## Oklahoma nonfarm employment climbs in June

Oklahoma's seasonally adjusted **NONFARM EMPLOYMENT** added 7,600 jobs (0.5 percent) in June 2021. U.S. seasonally adjusted **NONFARM EMPLOYMENT** added 850,000 (0.6 percent), in June. Over the year, statewide **NONFARM EMPLOYMENT** added a seasonally adjusted 34,300 jobs (2.1 percent).

- In June, seven of Oklahoma's supersectors added jobs as **Government** (5,500 jobs) posted the largest monthly gain followed by **Leisure and Hospitality** (2,800 jobs).
- **Professional and Business Services** (-2,000 jobs) posted the largest over-the-month job losses in June.
- Eight of Oklahoma's supersectors reported job gains over the year in June as **Leisure and Hospitality** (16,400 jobs) reported the largest gain, followed by **Government** (6,300 jobs).
- Sectors showing the largest declines in jobs over the year were **Mining and Logging** (-2,900 jobs) and **Information** and **Financial Activities** (-800 jobs each).

	NUMBER OF JOBS*			CHANGE FROM*			
	JUN 2021	MAY 2021	JUN 2020	MAY. 21 TO JUN. 21		JUN. 20 TO JUN. 21	
<b>TOTAL NONFARM EMPLOYMENT</b>	<b>1,634,500</b>	<b>1,626,900</b>	<b>1,600,200</b>	<b>7,600</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>34,300</b>	<b>2.1%</b>
Total Private	1,287,400	1,285,300	1,259,400	2,100	0.2%	28,000	2.2%
Goods Producing	238,700	236,200	238,100	2,500	1.1%	600	0.3%
Service-Providing	1,395,800	1,390,700	1,362,100	5,100	0.4%	33,700	2.5%
Private Service Providing	1,048,700	1,049,100	1,021,300	-400	0.0%	27,400	2.7%
Mining, Logging and Construction	108,100	106,600	109,500	1,500	1.4%	-1,400	-1.3%
<b>Mining and Logging</b>	<b>27,600</b>	<b>26,700</b>	<b>30,500</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>-2,900</b>	<b>-9.5%</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>80,500</b>	<b>79,900</b>	<b>79,000</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>1.9%</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>130,600</b>	<b>129,600</b>	<b>128,600</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>2,000</b>	<b>1.6%</b>
Durable Goods	84,200	83,800	86,100	400	0.5%	-1,900	-2.2%
Non-Durable Goods	46,400	45,800	42,500	600	1.3%	3,900	9.2%
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	<b>304,600</b>	<b>306,100</b>	<b>299,700</b>	<b>-1,500</b>	<b>-0.5%</b>	<b>4,900</b>	<b>1.6%</b>
Wholesale Trade	55,300	55,800	54,200	-500	-0.9%	1,100	2.0%
Retail Trade	178,700	179,400	174,600	-700	-0.4%	4,100	2.3%
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	70,600	70,900	70,900	-300	-0.4%	-300	-0.4%
<b>Information</b>	<b>17,200</b>	<b>17,300</b>	<b>18,000</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>-0.6%</b>	<b>-800</b>	<b>-4.4%</b>
<b>Financial Activities</b>	<b>75,200</b>	<b>75,100</b>	<b>76,000</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>-800</b>	<b>-1.1%</b>
Finance and Insurance	55,700	55,500	56,800	200	0.4%	-1,100	-1.9%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	19,500	19,600	19,200	-100	-0.5%	300	1.6%
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	<b>182,900</b>	<b>184,900</b>	<b>179,600</b>	<b>-2,000</b>	<b>-1.1%</b>	<b>3,300</b>	<b>1.8%</b>
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	74,200	74,000	72,900	200	0.3%	1,300	1.8%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	19,600	19,900	20,000	-300	-1.5%	-400	-2.0%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	89,100	91,000	86,700	-1,900	-2.1%	2,400	2.8%
<b>Education and Health Services</b>	<b>234,400</b>	<b>234,500</b>	<b>233,100</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>0.6%</b>
Educational Services	20,700	20,500	19,300	200	1.0%	1,400	7.3%
Health Care and Social Assistance	213,700	214,000	213,800	-300	-0.1%	-100	0.0%
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	<b>168,900</b>	<b>166,100</b>	<b>152,500</b>	<b>2,800</b>	<b>1.7%</b>	<b>16,400</b>	<b>10.8%</b>
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	16,700	16,800	14,400	-100	-0.6%	2,300	16.0%
Accommodation and Food Services	152,200	149,300	138,100	2,900	1.9%	14,100	10.2%
<b>Other Services</b>	<b>65,500</b>	<b>65,100</b>	<b>62,400</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>3,100</b>	<b>5.0%</b>
<b>Government</b>	<b>347,100</b>	<b>341,600</b>	<b>340,800</b>	<b>5,500</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	<b>6,300</b>	<b>1.8%</b>
Federal Government	50,200	50,200	50,300	0	0.0%	-100	-0.2%
State Government	81,100	80,300	79,900	800	1.0%	1,200	1.5%
Local Government	215,800	211,100	210,600	4,700	2.2%	5,200	2.5%
				<b>Jobs</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>Jobs</b>	<b>Pct.</b>

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