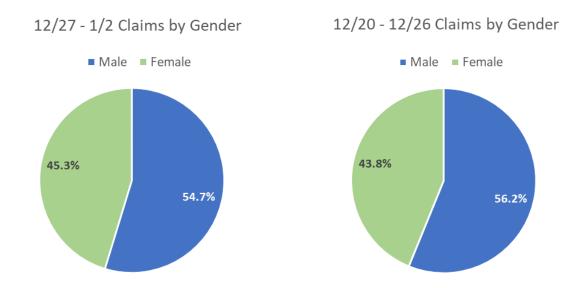


## **Virginia Unemployment Claims Data Demographics**

Week Ending January 2, 2021 Prepared by EIA/VEC

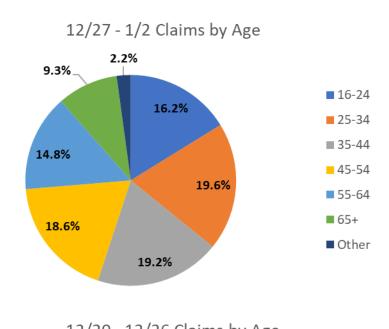
The week of December 27<sup>th</sup> – January 2<sup>nd</sup> marks the 42<sup>nd</sup> week since the COVID-19 crisis began in the Commonwealth. There were 19,530 initial unemployment benefit claims this week, a 64.3% increase from the week before. Note that because of the New Year holiday there were no initial claims processed on January 1<sup>st</sup>. The following analysis was completed using intrastate and interstate claims data, but not agent claims<sup>1</sup>; therefore, the totals below will not match the state totals when aggregated.

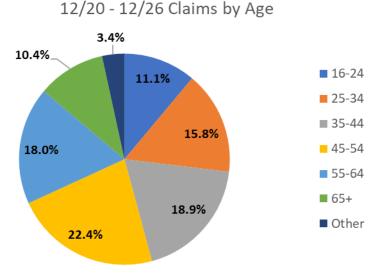
The gender breakdown of initial claims has experienced two distinct phases during the COVID-19 crisis. During the first 14 weeks of the crisis, from the week ending March 21<sup>st</sup> until the week ending June 20<sup>th</sup>, female claimants accounted for 56.2% of all initial claims while males accounted for 43.8%. In the weeks that followed, however, male claimants have made up 53.9% of initial claims while females have made up 46.1%. The BLS estimates that 53.0% of Virginia's workforce is male while 47.0% is female. This leads us to believe that female workers were more negatively affected by the crisis for the first 14 weeks; however, the disparity has shrunk over the 28 weeks that have followed.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> When a participant is enrolled, they might receive benefits from a different location than that which is providing them with assistance. Those intermediary claims are considered agent claims.

To analyze the age of initial claimants we first break them up into age cohorts. Since the beginning of the crisis workers in the first two cohorts, ages 16-24 and 25-34, have accounted for the largest amount of initial unemployment benefit claims. Workers in these two cohorts have filed roughly 43.2% of all initial claims since the week ending March 21<sup>st</sup>. For comparison, workers in the next two cohorts, ages 35-44 and 45-54, have made up 35.4% of initial filings during the same time period. According to a BLS survey of the Virginia workforce, 33.8% of workers are between the ages of 16 and 34 and 41.0% of workers are between the ages of 35 and 54. This disparity between the BLS estimates and the age breakdown of claims leads us to believe that younger workers have been more negatively impacted by the COVID-19 crisis than older workers.





The locality with the most initial unemployment claims this week was Norfolk City which saw 1,067 initial filings. Virginia Beach City and Fairfax County followed with 1,043 and 928 initial claims respectively. Of the 133 counties and independent cities in the Commonwealth, 118 localities saw an increase in the number of filings this week compared to the week before. The locality with the largest increase was Norfolk City which had 521 more initial claims compared to the previous week.

Initial Claims for Unemployment Insurance: County or Independent City					
County/City	Number of Claims	Change from the Percentage of previous week Initial Claims		Claims as a percentage of labor force	
Accomack County	78	11	0.39%	0.41%	
Albemarle County	67	12	0.33%	0.09%	
Alexandria City	305	169	1.51%	0.13%	
Alleghany County	10	4	0.05%	0.09%	
Amelia County	11	-1	0.05%	0.19%	
Amherst County	39	19	0.19%	0.13%	
Appomattox County	19	10	0.09%	0.12%	
Arlington County	217	68	1.07%	0.09%	
Augusta County	88	54	0.44%	0.09%	
Bath County	9	5	0.04%	0.16%	
<b>Bedford County</b>	80	13	0.40%	0.17%	
Bland County	1	-2	0.00%	0.11%	
<b>Botetourt County</b>	26	7	0.13%	0.11%	
<b>Bristol City</b>	51	26	0.25%	0.34%	
<b>Brunswick County</b>	38	22	0.19%	0.26%	
<b>Buchanan County</b>	46	18	0.23%	0.41%	
<b>Buckingham County</b>	23	15	0.11%	0.12%	
Buena Vista City	9	3	0.04%	0.16%	
<b>Campbell County</b>	53	20	0.26%	0.13%	
<b>Caroline County</b>	58	29	0.29%	0.19%	
<b>Carroll County</b>	37	-12	0.18%	0.37%	
<b>Charles City County</b>	19	12	0.09%	0.19%	
<b>Charlotte County</b>	18	-1	0.09%	0.36%	
Charlottesville City	102	64	0.50%	0.14%	
Chesapeake City	500	243	2.48%	0.21%	
Chesterfield County	389	146	1.93%	0.13%	
Clarke County	8	3	0.04%	0.06%	
Colonial Heights City	38	16	0.19%	0.25%	
<b>Covington City</b>	24	15	0.12%	0.37%	
Craig County	6	6	0.03%	0.00%	
<b>Culpeper County</b>	54	10	0.27%	0.18%	
<b>Cumberland County</b>	2	-3	0.01%	0.11%	

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Initial Claims for Unemployment Insurance: County or Independent City					
County/City	Number of Claims	Change from the previous week	Percentage of Initial Claims	Claims as a percentage of labor force	
Lunenburg County	20	7	0.10%	0.12%	
Lynchburg City	193	84	0.96%	0.26%	
Madison County	8	1	0.04%	0.16%	
Manassas City	121	71	0.60%	1.09%	
Manassas Park City	8	5	0.04%	0.27%	
Martinsville City	54	48	0.27%	0.16%	
Mathews County	11	3	0.05%	1.01%	
Mecklenburg County	68	31	0.34%	0.44%	
Middlesex County	13	-1	0.06%	0.14%	
<b>Montgomery County</b>	67	29	0.33%	0.21%	
Nelson County	14	-13	0.07%	0.18%	
New Kent County	14	3	0.07%	0.32%	
Newport News City	489	226	2.42%	0.17%	
Norfolk City	1,067	521	5.28%	0.35%	
Northampton County	40	0	0.20%	0.35%	
Northumberland County	42	13	0.21%	0.59%	
Norton City	10	0	0.05%	0.11%	
Nottoway County	37	7	0.18%	0.22%	
Orange County	46	20	0.23%	0.20%	
Page County	63	26	0.31%	0.42%	
Patrick County	29	10	0.14%	0.33%	
Petersburg City	179	72	0.89%	0.74%	
Pittsylvania County	73	43	0.36%	0.21%	
Poquoson City	7	-10	0.03%	0.19%	
Portsmouth City	585	349	2.90%	0.15%	
Powhatan County	28	12	0.14%	0.19%	
Prince Edward County	45	13	0.22%	0.14%	
Prince George County	44	31	0.22%	0.60%	
Prince William County	722	282	3.57%	0.24%	
Pulaski County	58	26	0.29%	0.24%	
Radford City	49	37	0.24%	0.13%	
Rappahannock County	5	3	0.02%	0.20%	
Richmond City	828	387	4.10%	0.37%	
Richmond County	52	41	0.26%	0.53%	
Roanoke City	245	78	1.21%	0.11%	
Roanoke County	85	10	0.42%	0.54%	
Rockbridge County	24	4	0.12%	0.08%	
Rockingham County	59	10	0.29%	0.97%	
Russell County	43	19	0.21%	0.26%	
Salem City	33	5	0.16%	0.55%	

Initial Claims for Unemployment Insurance: County or Independent City					
County/City	Number of Claims	Change from the previous week	Percentage of Initial Claims	Claims as a percentage of labor force	
Scott County	22	13	0.11%	0.24%	
Shenandoah County	85	22	0.42%	0.14%	
Smyth County	57	29	0.28%	0.19%	
Southampton County	29	19	0.14%	0.11%	
Spotsylvania County	138	49	0.68%	0.57%	
Stafford County	158	75	0.78%	0.99%	
Staunton City	45	2	0.22%	0.78%	
Suffolk City	189	83	0.94%	0.79%	
Surry County	13	4	0.06%	0.62%	
Sussex County	25	16	0.12%	0.52%	
Tazewell County	51	11	0.25%	0.27%	
Virginia Beach City	1,043	402	5.16%	0.55%	
Warren County	63	27	0.31%	0.42%	
Washington County	64	8	0.32%	1.43%	
Waynesboro City	39	10	0.19%	0.25%	
Westmoreland County	39	13	0.19%	0.11%	
Williamsburg City	36	24	0.18%	1.37%	
Winchester City	67	24	0.33%	0.20%	
Wise County	57	31	0.28%	0.46%	
Wythe County	74	25	0.37%	0.30%	
York County	37	17	0.18%	0.30%	
Other	6,344	-540	31.40%	N/A	

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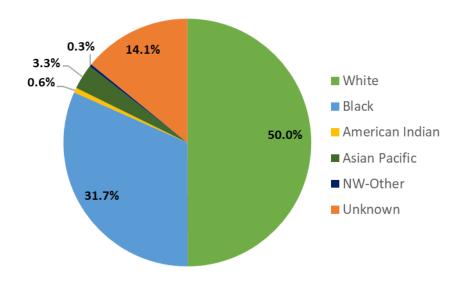
Initial Claims for Unemployment Insurance: Major SOC Code						
SOC Code	Number of Claims	Change from the previous week	Percentage of Initial Claims			
11-0000	1,725	-307	8.54%			
13-0000	657	36	3.25%			
15-0000	243	-20	1.20%			
17-0000	365	-23	1.81%			
19-0000	66	-14	0.33%			
21-0000	131	52	0.65%			
23-0000	67	-17	0.33%			
25-0000	270	110	1.34%			
27-0000	968	136	4.79%			
29-0000	359	100	1.78%			
31-0000	464	240	2.30%			
33-0000	153	51	0.76%			
35-0000	1,736	840	8.59%			
37-0000	1,022	641	5.06%			
39-0000	1,599	564	7.92%			
41-0000	2,693	488	13.33%			
43-0000	1,660	470	8.22%			
45-0000	110	48	0.54%			
47-0000	1,685	506	8.34%			
49-0000	580	204	2.87%			
51-0000	1,079	293	5.34%			
53-0000	1,607	514	7.96%			
55-0000	23	10	0.11%			
Unknown	939	121	4.65%			

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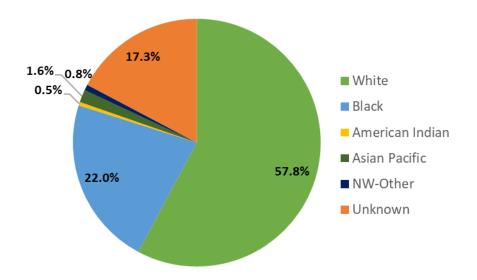
Initial Claims for Unemployment Insurance: Citizenship Status					
Citizenship Status	Number of Claims	Change from the previous week	Percentage of Initial Claims	Percentage of Population (ACS)	
Citizen	19,680	4,872	97.42%	94.23%	
Non-citizen	521	171	2.58%	5.77%	

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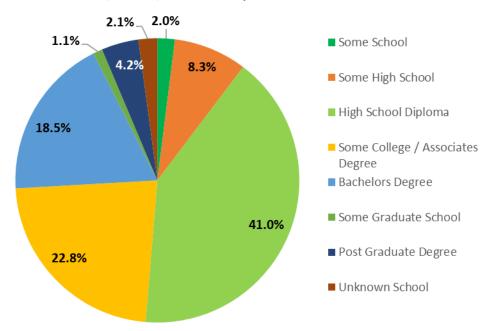
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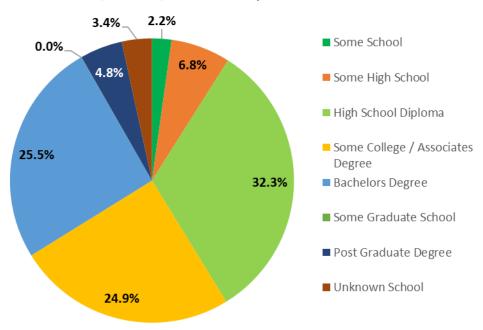
12/20 - 12/26 Claims by Race



12/27 - 1/2 Claims by Education Level



12/20 - 12/26 Claims by Education Level



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12/20 - 12/26 Claims by Ethnicity

