



Dislocated Worker

A dislocated worker is someone who falls into at least one of these categories:

A person who meets all of the following requirements:

1) He/she was terminated or laid off from employment or received a notice of termination or layoff;

2) He/she is eligible for or has exhausted his/her unemployment compensation, or he is not eligible for it because, even though he has been employed long enough to demonstrate attachment to the workforce, he had insufficient earnings or performed services for an employer that weren't covered under a state's unemployment compensation law; **and**

3) He/she is unlikely to return to a previous industry or occupation.

A person who was terminated or laid off from employment or received a notice of termination or layoff as a result of my permanent closure of, or any substantial layoff at a plant, facility, or enterprise.

A person who is employed at a facility at which the employer made a general announcement that it will close within 180 days.

A person who is employed at a facility at which the employer made a general announcement that it will close.

A self-employed person (including farmers, ranchers, or fishermen) who is unemployed because of natural disasters or because of general economic conditions in his/her community.

A displaced homemaker, someone who meets all of the following requirements:

1) He/she has been providing unpaid services to family members in the home;

2) He/she has been dependent on the income of another family member but is no longer supported by that income; **and**

3) He/she is unemployed or underemployed and is having difficulty obtaining or upgrading employment. An "underemployed" person is one who is working part time but wants to work full time or one who is working below the demonstrated level of his/her education or job skills.