Welcome to the

RESEA Program

Reemployment Services & Eligibility Assessment Program
What is RESEA?

**RESEA** is the Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment Program.

This is a U.S. Department of Labor program that provides *individualized reemployment services* to help people get back to work sooner.
Why were you selected for RESEA?

You fall into one of two categories:

1) You are a transitioning or ex-service member who is receiving unemployment insurance (UI) benefits.

   Or

2) You’re collecting UI benefits and based upon 10 variables you’ve been identified as likely to exhaust your UI benefits before returning to work.
Purpose of the Program

• To reduce the duration of UI benefits through improved employment outcomes, including earnings.

• To ensure an individual claiming UI benefits continues to be eligible for those benefits.
During your virtual RESEA Meeting

You will speak with a staff person to discuss:

• Services/training to help you return to work sooner

• Unemployment Insurance Eligibility
One-on-One Discussion
Reemployment Review

✓ Collaborate and determine what service(s) will be beneficial to your job search.

✓ Schedule mandatory service(s).

Forms:

• *Your Job Search Skills Assessment*

• *UI Eligibility Questionnaire*

• *Individual Reemployment Plan*
One-on-One Discussion
Unemployment Insurance Eligibility Review

Verify that you are in compliance with your rights and responsibilities as a recipient of Unemployment Compensation.

Form:

• *UI Eligibility Questionnaire*
Your Unemployment Rights...

You are responsible for reading and carefully reviewing this online booklet about Unemployment Insurance.

It was emailed to you after you filed for unemployment compensation via the web.
Unemployment Insurance Requirements

Each week you file a claim for benefits you must:

• Be able and available for full-time work.

• Be actively seeking full-time work.

• Keep a record/log of your job search activities.

• Report any wages you earn for the week in which the work was performed NOT when you received payment for that week.

• Immediately report any return to work (or return to school/training) at Report Return to Work.
Just to clarify...

Each week you file a claim for benefits:

You must be **actively** seeking full-time work.

Make a minimum of **3 efforts** per week on **2 (or more) different** days during the week.

Document **all** efforts. Your efforts are subject to verification.

**FAILURE TO MEET ALL EFFORTS REQUIREMENTS COULD RESULT IN AN OVERPAYMENT OR DISQUALIFICATION OF BENEFITS!**

Note: Your efforts could be verified even after you’ve returned to work.

(Currently Waived)
Each week you file a claim for benefits:

You must keep a record/log of your job search efforts that includes the:

1) Contact Date
2) Employer Name, Address and Phone
3) Method of Contact
4) Name of Person Contacted/Job Order Number
5) Job/position applied for
6) Status (waiting, not hired, interviewed, etc.)
Just to clarify...

Acceptable contact methods include:

• In-person
• Mail (postal or email)
• Internet
• Phone
• Fax
American Job Center
Virtual Workshops

• Fundamentals of Résumé Writing

• Successful Job Search Strategies

• Interviewing Strategies & Techniques

• Additional workshops may be available
American Job Center  
Virtual Career Services

- Résumé critiques from Certified Professional Résumé Writers (CPRWs)
- Career Counseling and Assessments
- Referrals to other Services and Programs
Veteran Services

Veterans and eligible spouses are given priority of service for receipt of employment, training and placement services.

Our staff can provide intensive career assistance for individuals facing significant barriers to employment.

Please let us know if you are a veteran or eligible spouse.
WIOA – Education & Training Provided by Partner Services

- Possible funding for short-term training or certifications
- Online training
- Customized job search through Job Developers
No Cost Remote Job Training

• Metrix Learning and 180 Skills offer a full suite of on-line learning classes.

• Classes can yield industry-recognized certificates, apprenticeship instructional hours, college credit, skills to help enhance your resume, and much more.

• Visit CT Back to Work at: https://business.ct.gov/jobs-and-resources
• Find job descriptions that you can use to identify keywords and develop your résumé.
• Find jobs that match your interests, skills, and experience.
• Learn how to translate your job to other careers.
• Explore careers with potential growth.
• Obtain salary information/ranges.
• Learn about skills that are in demand.
What is CTHires?

• The Connecticut Department of Labor’s Job Bank.

• A workforce development system to connect job seekers with employers.

• Features thousands of REAL Connecticut jobs – no spam or duplicates.
For Employers

• Are registered and verified by the Connecticut Department of Labor before they can use CTHires.
• Can search a résumé database at no cost.
• Can contact job seekers about jobs.
• Can post jobs at no cost.

For Job Seekers

• Can search for jobs.
• Can post résumés so they can be found by employers.
• Can set up Virtual Recruiters to be notified about new jobs.
Virtual Recruiter

• A tool that immediately notifies you when new jobs (matching your criteria) have been posted.

• You control the specifics of the search criteria, how often you’re notified and the method of contact.
IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT FILING YOUR WEEKLY CLAIM

- File your weekly claim for benefits on-line at www.filectui.com using your mobile friendly device - smartphone, tablet or computer.

- Filing on-line is available Sunday thru Friday.

- Check your Payment History on-line Sunday thru Friday.

- Select the green button labeled “Current Claims” to access mobile friendly services at www.filectui.com.

- Online filing is Safe, Secure and Convenient.
We look forward to serving you!