

WORKFORCE REDUCTION RESOURCES For State Employees

Employee Referral Service (WISCERS) <http://ers.state.wi.us/public/indexers.asp>
Instructional Manual for Users of Employee Referral Service
<http://oser.state.wi.us/docview.asp?docid=1350>

State Government Job Opportunities (Wisc.Jobs) <http://wiscjobs.state.wi.us/public>

Employee Assistance Program http://oser.state.wi.us/section_detail.asp?linkcatid=332

Frequently Asked Questions and Answers for “At Risk” Employees
<http://oser.state.wi.us/docview.asp?docid=1278>

Dislocated worker resources

The Department of Workforce Development has a resource website for dislocated employees. It provides helpful information for all types of dislocated workers and web links to job resources.

http://dwd.wisconsin.gov/dislocatedworker/dislocated_worker_program.htm

Unemployment Insurance <http://www.dwd.state.wi.us/ui/default.htm>

Fringe Benefits and Health Insurance

Effect of Layoff on Fringe Benefits (October 2004 bulletin from Department of Employee Trust Funds) http://etf.wi.gov/employers/bulletins_state/ebs20041013.htm

Badger Care is a program that provides health insurance for the uninsured in Wisconsin
<http://www.badgercareplus.org/>

Wisconsin Department of Health Services provides information to people who have lost their group health insurance. <http://dhs.wisconsin.gov/guide/pay/losing.htm>

U.S. Department of Labor has information for dislocated workers about health care and retirement benefits.
http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/publications/dislocated_workers_brochure.html

Benefits for Veterans

If you are a veteran, go to the Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs web site for information about employment assistance <http://dva.state.wi.us/Ben-Employment.asp> and other benefits like job retraining grants, subsistence aid grants, personal loans and educational benefits <http://dva.state.wi.us/benefits.asp>. Information about Veterans employment services from the Department of Workforce Development can be found at <http://dwd.wisconsin.gov/veterans/>

Benefit Information for Laid-Off Employees

<http://oser.state.wi.us/docview.asp?docid=7088>

Starting a Small Business

The Wisconsin Economic Development Cooperation (WEDC) has a wealth of information and resources on starting a business in Wisconsin, including regulatory requirements, financing alternatives, and assistance programs. <http://inwisconsin.com/entrepreneurs-and-innovators/>

Small Business Development Center (UW-Madison) <http://exed.wisc.edu/sbdc/>

Job Center of Wisconsin

<https://jobcenterofwisconsin.com/> Offers quick access to Job Center services.

Labor Market Information

<http://worknet.wisconsin.gov/worknet/> Excellent resource for LMI information.

State Agency Directory

<http://www.wisconsin.gov/Pages/AllAgencies.aspx>

University of Wisconsin Office of Human Resources. <http://www.ohr.wisc.edu>