Oregon Unemployment Insurance

COVID-19 GUIDELINES
WHO’S ELIGIBLE FOR UI BENEFITS?

- Workers who stay home because of quarantine, or risk of exposure to, or spread of COVID-19 at the advice of a healthcare provider, or by advice issued by public health official or by directive of a government official.

- Workers who are home solely because they lack childcare due to school closures or day care facility closures.

- Workers who are home to care for family member(s) due to the effects of COVID-19.
HOW DO I CLAIM WEEKLY BENEFITS UNDER COVID-19 RULES?

● What’s my weekly work search obligation?

● Do I need to put in a “return to work date”?

● How do I answer the “employment status” question?

● Do I still need to register with my local WorkSource center?
RAPID RESPONSE SESSIONS FOR LAID OFF WORKERS

- In Depth explanation of Oregon’s Unemployment program and claiming weekly benefits.
- Presentation from Oregon’s Health Insurance MarketPlace on insurance options.
- Additional resources such as 211info and how to access them.
- Question & Answer sessions.
HELPFUL RESOURCE LINKS

● Worksystems bi-weekly Rapid Response sessions for non-union laid off workers: https://www.worksystems.org/WorkerWebinar

● Labor Community Service Agency & AFL-CIO bi-weekly Rapid Response sessions for union laid off workers: https://oraflcio.org/covid19members

● Oregon Employment Department COVID-19 updates, videos and common Q & A: https://govstatus.egov.com/ORUnemployment_COVID19

● Oregon & SW Washington 211info: https://www.211info.org/