Data Highlights from the New York State Department of Labor’s Jobs and Labor Force Press Release:
July 2021

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Seasonally Adjusted Current Employment by Industry Jobs Data
(Note: When comparing different months, seasonally adjusted data provide the most valid comparison; for example, June 2021 versus July 2021.)

- In July 2021, the number of seasonally adjusted private sector jobs in New York State increased by 43,800, or 0.6%, to 7,496,400. Over the same period, the number of nonfarm jobs in the state (private plus public sectors) increased by 53,500, or 0.6%, to 8,945,300.

- Industry sectors adding the most jobs in July 2021 included: educational and health services (+26,900), leisure and hospitality (+18,900), government (+9,700), professional and business services (+7,800) and manufacturing (+1,900).

- Industry sectors that lost the most jobs in July 2021 were financial activities (-7,700), trade, transportation and utilities (-3,000), other services (-1,400) and construction (-600).

Not Seasonally Adjusted Current Employment by Industry Jobs Data
(Note: Not seasonally adjusted data are valuable in year-to-year comparisons of the same month; for example, July 2020 versus July 2021.)

- From July 2020 to July 2021, the number of private sector jobs in New York State increased by 493,200, or 7.0%. Nationally, the number of private sector jobs increased over the past year by 5.8%.
All 15 metro areas in New York State added private sector jobs in July 2020-July 2021. The following areas gained at least 7.5% of their private sector jobs over the past year: Buffalo-Niagara Falls (+10.1%), Glens Falls (+8.6%), Rochester (+8.5%), Orange-Rockland-Westchester (+8.2%) and New York City (+7.8%).

% Change in Private Sector Jobs, by Area, 12-Month Period Ending July 2021 (not seasonally adjusted)

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Seasonally Adjusted Labor Force Data
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- In July 2021, New York State’s unemployment rate decreased from 7.7% to 7.6%. The comparable rate for the U.S. was 5.4% in July 2021.

- In addition, the number of unemployed New Yorkers decreased from 725,700 in June to 708,600 in July 2021. The statewide civilian labor force decreased by 64,900 to 9,353,300 in July 2021.

- New York City’s unemployment rate decreased from 10.6% in June to 10.5% in July 2021.

- The unemployment rate in the balance of state region (NYS-NYC) decreased from 5.5% to 5.4% in July 2021.

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