This summary presents a sampling of economic information for the area; supplemental data are provided for regions and the nation. Subjects include unemployment, employment, wages, prices, spending, and benefits. All data are not seasonally adjusted and some may be subject to revision. Area definitions may differ by subject. For more area summaries and geographic definitions, see www.bls.gov/regions/economic-summaries.htm.

Unemployment rates for the nation and selected areas

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Source: U.S. BLS, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.

Average weekly wages for all industries by county

Lexington area, third quarter 2021

(U.S. = $1,251; Area = $1,028)

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Source: U.S. BLS, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages.

Over-the-year changes in employment on nonfarm payrolls and employment by major industry sector

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<td></td>
<td>Number</td>
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<td>Total nonfarm</td>
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