

**New Claims for Unemployment Insurance  
 By Residence of Unemployed Worker  
 Cleveland-Akron-Lorain-Elyria PMSA and State of Ohio  
 Third Week of November 1999-2003  
 Four Week Moving Average through Week Ending November 15, 2003  
 Source: CEOGC and ODJFS**

<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>% INCR 1999-2003</u>
Cuyahoga	940	1,152	1,801	1,637	1,503	59.9%
Lorain	188	516	1,195	421	346	84.0%
Medina	91	100	188	192	176	93.4%
Lake	143	174	297	284	267	86.7%
Geauga	41	48	85	76	70	70.7%
Summit	397	416	652	664	605	52.4%
Portage	91	106	217	179	222	144.0%
Ashtabula	103	131	200	164	154	49.5%
<b>7 Counties</b>						
Crain's	1,891	2,512	4,435	3,453	3,189	68.6%
<b>8 Counties</b>						
Cle-Akr-Lor	1,994	2,643	4,635	3,617	3,343	67.7%
<b>88 Counties</b>						
State of Ohio	7,503	10,672	15,661	14,568	12,584	67.7%