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2010 UNEMPLOYMENT EXTENSIONS

With unemployment rates reaching an all time high, the State and Federal governments have passed legislation to extend benefits up to 99 weeks on qualifying claims.

Regular Unemployment Compensation - up to 26 weeks

26 wks - 100% funded by and charged to employer

Federal Emergency Extended Unemployment Compensation 08' – up to 53 weeks

20 wks – Tier 1 EUC08 - 0% charged to the employer

14 wks – Tier 2 EUC08 - 0% charged to the employer

13 wks – Tier 3 EUC08 - 0% charged to the employer

6 wks – Tier 4 EUC08 - 0% charged to the employer

Ohio State Extended Benefits – up to 20 weeks

20 wks – 80% charged to the employer

Total eligible weeks in Ohio = 99

**Individuals must exhaust Regular UC benefits on or before 11/27/2010 in order to be eligible for Tier 1 EUC08 benefits.

**Individuals must exhaust Regular UC benefits and Tiers 1 - 3 EUC08 benefits on or before 11/27/2010 to be eligible to receive Tier 4 EUC08 benefits.

**Individuals with a remaining balance of EUC08 benefits may continue to collect benefits until 04/30/2011 if they had a remaining entitlement on such claims on or before 06/02/2010.

**Individuals can qualify for Ohio state extended benefits once all EUC08 benefits have been exhausted.

**No state extended benefits will be paid for any week after 12/04/2010.

**No EUC08 benefits will be paid for any week after 04/30/2011.

If you have any questions, please contact our Unemployment Department at (800) 486-6652.