



Media Advisory

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MDES Labor Market Information Releases Monthly Publication Dates for 2026

Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) and Current Employment Statistics (CES) publication dates have been scheduled for 2025. State and Local area monthly unemployment and nonfarm data is tentatively scheduled to be released on the following dates:

Reference Month	MDES Release Date			
December 2025	Tues	January	27	2026
January 2026	Tues	April	7	2026
February 2026	Tues	April	21	2026
March 2026	Tues	May	5	2026
April 2026	Tues	May	26	2026
May 2026	Tues	June	23	2026
June 2026	Tues	July	21	2026
July 2026	Tues	August	25	2026
August 2026	Tues	September	22	2026
September 2026	Tues	October	20	2026
October 2026	Tues	November	24	2026
November 2026	Tues	December	22	2026
December 2026	Tues	January	26	2027

Data is available on [our website](#) by approximately 1 p.m. An email confirming release date and time each month will be sent upon request to imi-info@mdes.ms.gov.

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