

Table 7: Top 10 Occupations with the Greatest Number of Unemployment Insurance Benefit Recipients in Wyoming by Gender, 2020

Women						
Rank	SOC ^a Code	Title	Educational Requirement	N	Weeks Claimed	
					Total	Average
1	35-3031	Waiters & Waitresses	No formal education	1,394	15,282	8.5
2	39-5012	Hairdressers, Hairstylists, & Cosmetologists	Postsecondary non-degree award	705	4,104	5.3
3	35-3011	Bartenders	No formal education	624	6,727	7.4
4	37-2012	Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	No formal education	573	5,779	8.9
5	41-2031	Retail Salespersons	No formal education	556	4,959	6.4
6	41-2011	Cashiers	No formal education	470	4,253	7.0
7	43-6014	Secretaries, Except Legal, Medical, & Exec.	High school diploma or equivalent	432	5,202	11.7
8	43-9061	Office Clerks, General	High school diploma or equivalent	411	4,949	11.3
9	39-9011	Childcare Workers	High school diploma or equivalent	403	3,693	9.0
10	43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	High school diploma or equivalent	379	4,265	8.3
Total				20,518	212,896	10.4

Men						
Rank	SOC ^a Code	Title	Educational Requirement	N	Weeks Claimed	
					Total	Average
1	53-3032	Truck Drivers, Heavy & Tractor-Trailer	Postsecondary non-degree award	1,632	19,570	10.9
2	47-2073	Operating Engineers & Other Construction Equipment Operators	High school diploma or equivalent	1,508	18,526	11.4
3	47-2061	Construction Laborers	No formal education	1,365	15,397	10.2
4	51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, & Brazers	High school diploma or equivalent	916	11,900	12.4
5	51-9199	Production Workers, All Other	High school diploma or equivalent	803	11,113	11.7
6	35-2014	Cooks, Restaurant	No formal education	638	5,522	6.2
7	47-5012	Rotary Drill Operators, Oil & Gas	No formal education	620	9,511	15.3
8	51-1011	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Production & Operating Workers	High school diploma or equivalent	563	7,304	11.9
9	47-2111	Electricians	High school diploma or equivalent	543	6,082	10.8
10	49-9071	Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	High school diploma or equivalent	519	5,966	10.6
Total				28,863	341,327	11.8

^aStandard Occupational Classification Code.

Source: Wyoming Unemployment Insurance Claims database.

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