

UNEMPLOYMENT IN THE TIME OF COVID-19

COVID-19 presents unique challenges for employees as unemployment rises, furloughs increase, and questions become more complicated to answer. Join the **City of Cambridge Department of Human Service Programs' Office of Workforce Development and Community Learning Center**, and the **Job Connector by MIT** as we discuss unemployment in the time of COVID-19.

FREE Zoom Webinar Employee Rights & Unemployment Benefits

Thursday, May 14, 2020
10:00am-11:00am

Local employment attorney Beth Myers discusses the legal aspects of employment and unemployment during COVID-19.

- Laws that protect an employed person's rights to timely payment and benefits
- CARES Act & new eligibility for unemployment
- New protections for employees under the Families First Coronavirus Response Act

Helpful for: Local employment service providers, Cambridge residents

FREE Zoom Webinar Applying for Unemployment Benefits

Thursday, May 21, 2020
10:00am-11:00am

The City's Community Learning Center and Office of Workforce Development explain the application process for Unemployment Insurance.

- Step-by-step walkthrough of the unemployment application
- Overview of common pitfalls users experience when trying to apply
- Question and answer session

Helpful for: Cambridge residents

FREE Zoom Webinar

Staying Job Ready

Thursday, May 28, 2020
10:00am-11:00am

The Job Connector by MIT presents tips and strategies on how to stay "job ready" during COVID-19.

- Tips on writing an effective resume and cover letter
- Professionally navigating phone and Zoom interviews
- Debunking common employment rumors during COVID-19

Helpful for: Cambridge residents

To register, please visit:

jobconnector.mit.edu/covid-19



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