



Update on Payments Awarded for Covid-19 Pandemic Unemployment Payment And Enhanced Illness Benefit - Statistics

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Analysis of Pandemic Unemployment Payments

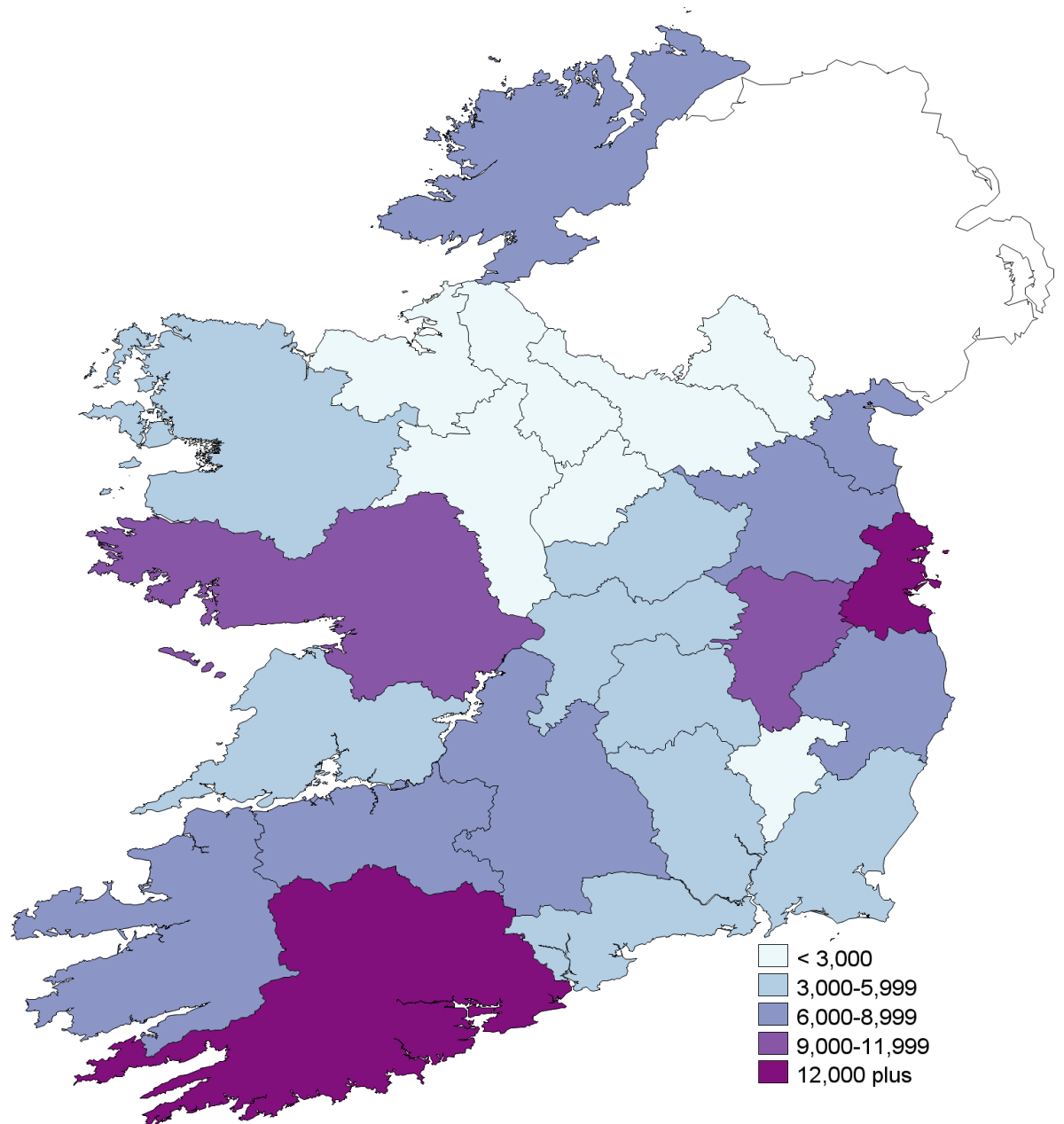
There are 219,900 people in receipt of a Pandemic Unemployment Payment of which 104,100 are female and 115,800 are male.

A total of 709,100 people have received at least one payment since the scheme started.

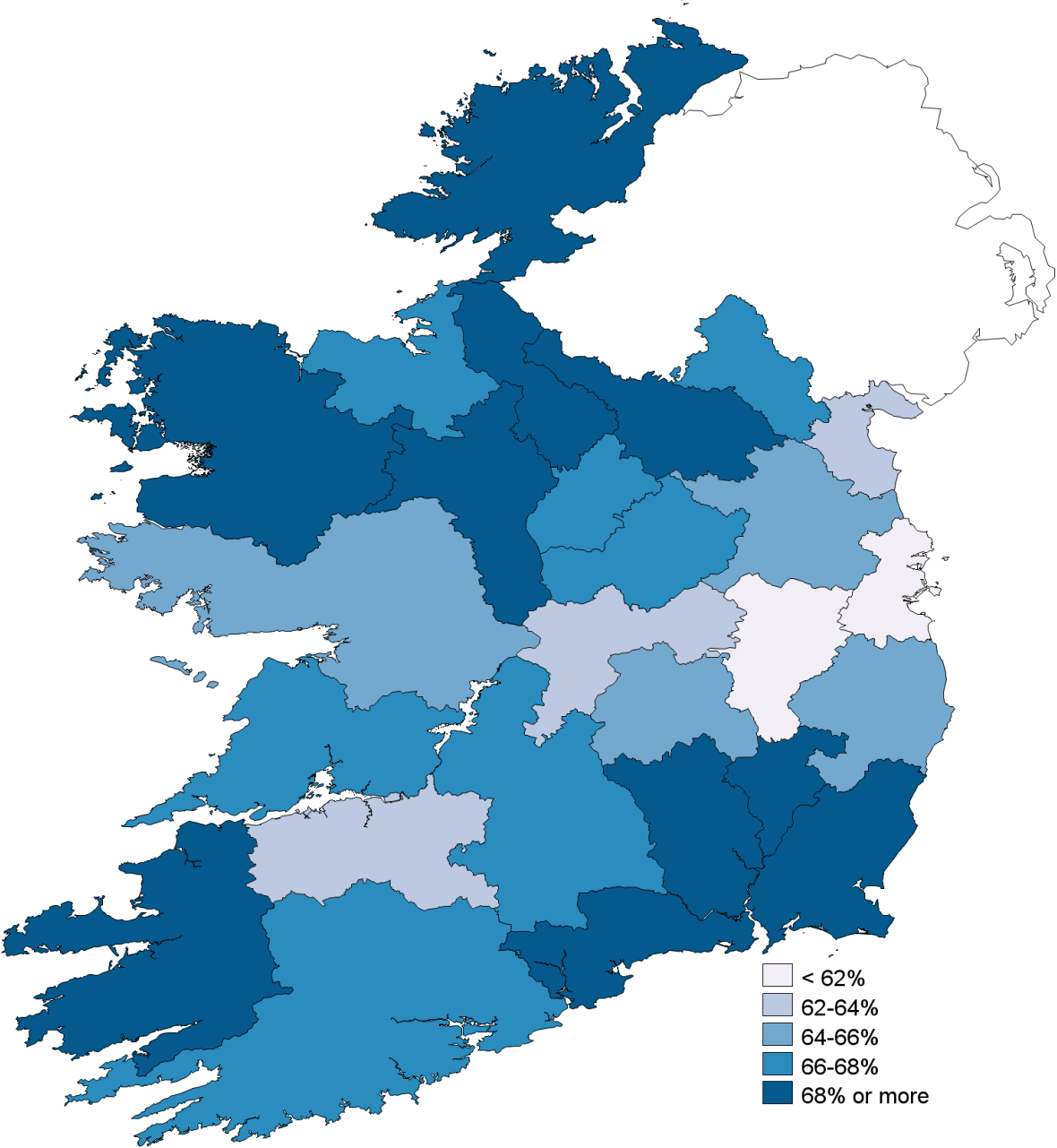
County Breakdown

County	Number of people in receipt of a Pandemic Unemployment Payment on 8 th September	Number of people in receipt of a Pandemic Unemployment Payment on 1 st September	Number of people in receipt of Pandemic Unemployment Payment on 5 th May
Carlow	2,400	2,500	7,800
Cavan	2,900	3,000	9,700
Clare	4,800	4,900	14,600
Cork	20,500	21,100	61,900
Donegal	6,500	6,700	22,700
Dublin	77,900	78,800	174,200
Galway	11,450	11,800	32,300
Kerry	6,700	6,900	22,200
Kildare	11,100	11,300	26,100
Kilkenny	3,300	3,300	10,600
Laois	3,150	3,400	8,600
Leitrim	1,300	1,300	4,100
Limerick	8,400	8,600	22,300
Longford	1,500	1,500	4,500
Louth	6,600	6,700	17,300
Mayo	5,000	5,200	16,400
Meath	8,800	9,000	25,000
Monaghan	2,700	2,800	8,200
Offaly	3,200	3,300	8,900
Roscommon	2,200	2,300	7,100
Sligo	2,500	2,600	7,700
Tipperary	6,300	6,500	18,800
Waterford	4,500	4,700	14,100
Westmeath	3,800	3,900	11,700
Wexford	5,600	5,800	20,500
Wicklow	6,500	6,700	18,700
County not included	300	400	2,000
Total	219,900	225,000	598,000

Total pandemic unemployment payments by county



% decrease in number of recipients of PUP payments since peak, by county



Pandemic Unemployment Payment Sector breakdowns

The sector with the highest number of people in receipt of the Pandemic Unemployment Payment is Accommodation and Food Service Activities (46,750) followed by Wholesale and Retail Trade (31,700) and Administrative and Support Service activities (23,300). The largest weekly drop was in Education (1,250).

Sector Breakdown

Sector Breakdown	Number of people in receipt of Pandemic Unemployment Payment on 8 th September	Number of people in receipt of Pandemic Unemployment Payment on 1 st September	Number of people in receipt of Pandemic Unemployment Payment on 5 th May
Industrial Sector			
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing; Mining and Quarrying	3,100	3,100	8,600
Manufacturing	12,000	12,200	37,400
Electricity, gas supply; Water supply, sewerage and waste management	900	900	2,100
Construction	16,700	17,000	79,300
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and motorcycles	31,700	32,100	90,300
Transportation and storage	9,200	9,500	17,900
Accommodation and food service activities	46,750	47,400	128,500
Information and communication activities	6,200	6,400	11,800
Financial and insurance activities	5,700	5,800	12,500
Real Estate activities	3,400	3,400	8,100
Professional, Scientific and Technical activities	11,300	11,500	24,800
Administrative and support service activities	23,300	23,500	45,800
Public Administration And Defence; Compulsory Social Security	5,200	5,500	14,400
Education	12,850	14,100	22,000
Human Health And Social Work activities	9,100	9,600	22,500
Arts, entertainment and recreation	6,100	6,200	14,200
Other Sectors	9,900	10,100	39,200
Unclassified or unknown	6,500	7,100	18,600
Total	219,900	225,000	598,000

Note: The sector breakdowns are estimated from the NACE code of the last known employer.

Pandemic Unemployment Payment Age Profile

Age category	Number of people in receipt of Pandemic Unemployment Payment on 8 th September	Number of people in receipt of Pandemic Unemployment Payment on 1 st September
< 25	45,200	46,300
25-34	49,900	50,950
35-44	49,100	50,100
45-54	41,500	42,600
55+	34,200	35,050
Total	219,900	225,000

Pandemic Unemployment Payment Rates breakdown by gender

There are 56,600 people receiving €203 this week, while the remainder (163,300) are receiving a payment of €350.

Gender	Number of people in receipt of €350 on 8 th September	Number of people in receipt of €203 on 8 th September
Male	89,500	26,300
Female	73,800	30,300
Total	163,300	56,600

Pandemic Unemployment Payment Rates breakdown by age

Age category	Number of people in receipt of €350 on 8 th September	Number of people in receipt of €203 on 8 th September
< 25	30,500	14,700
25-34	40,800	9,100
35-44	37,800	11,300
45-54	30,500	11,000
55+	23,700	10,500
Total	163,300	56,600

Analysis of People who Closed their PUP Claim to Return to Work

Around 7,700 people who have closed their account for return to work since 29th August will receive a Pandemic Unemployment Payment tomorrow, 8th September. Of these, 3,150 are male and 4,550 are female.

County	Number of people who closed their Pandemic Unemployment Payment from 8 th September	Number of people who closed their Pandemic Unemployment Payment from 1 st September
Carlow	100	100
Cavan	100	100
Clare	200	100
Cork	900	700
Donegal	300	300
Dublin	1,700	1,700
Galway	500	400
Kerry	200	200
Kildare	400	300
Kilkenny	100	100
Laois	200	100
Leitrim	100	50
Limerick	300	250
Longford	100	50
Louth	200	200
Mayo	200	150
Meath	300	200
Monaghan	100	100
Offaly	200	100
Roscommon	100	100
Sligo	100	100
Tipperary	300	200
Waterford	200	200
Westmeath	200	100
Wexford	300	200
Wicklow	300	200
County not included	0	0
Total	7,700	6,300

Closed Pandemic Unemployment Payments - Sector Breakdown

The top three sectors from which employees closed their Pandemic Unemployment Payment in the week ending 8th September are Education (1,500), Accommodation and Food Service Activities (800), and Transportation and Storage (800).

Sector Breakdown

Industrial Sector	Number of people who closed their Pandemic Unemployment Payment from 8th September	Number of people who closed their Pandemic Unemployment Payment from 1st September
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing; Mining and Quarrying	100	100
Manufacturing	400	400
Electricity, gas supply; Water supply, sewerage and waste management	0	0
Construction	400	400
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and motorcycles	700	700
Transportation and storage	800	300
Accommodation and food service activities	800	1,000
Information and communication activities	200	200
Financial and insurance activities	200	150
Real Estate activities	100	100
Professional, Scientific and Technical activities	300	250
Administrative and support service activities	500	500
Public Administration And Defence; Compulsory Social Security	500	250
Education	1,500	950
Human Health And Social Work activities	700	500
Arts, entertainment and recreation	100	150
Other Sectors	300	250
Unclassified or unknown	100	100
Total	7,700	6,300

Note: The sector breakdowns are estimated from the NACE code of the last known employer.

Closed Pandemic Unemployment Payments – Age Profile

Age category	Number of people who closed their Pandemic Unemployment Payment from 8th September	Number of people who closed their Pandemic Unemployment Payment from 1st September
< 25	1,100	1,200
25-34	1,500	1,400
35-44	1,700	1,400
45-54	1,800	1,300
55+	1,600	1,000
Total	7,700	6,300

Analysis of COVID-19 Enhanced Illness Benefit

There are 58,800 people medically certified for receipt of a Covid-19 related Illness Benefit payment, of whom 32,650 are female and 26,150 are male.

For 4,300 people the date of their first certificate was issued from August 1st 2020 onwards, of which 356 have been certified for Covid-19.

1,147 people are currently in receipt of the payment.

The following Table shows the number of people medically certified for meeting the conditions for receipt of a Covid-19 Enhanced Illness Benefit payment, by start date entered on the medical certificate.

The number of people medically certified with having Coronavirus is given in brackets and is included in the weekly overall figure shown.

Certificate start date	September 8 th
Before March 2020	200 (7)
March 2020	31,100 (996)
April 2020	14,500 (2,027)
May 2020	5,000 (772)
June 2020	1,500 (129)
July 2020	2,200 (145)
August 2020	4,000(348)
September 2020	300(8)
Total	58,800 (4,432)

County Breakdown (based on the county recorded on the Illness Benefit certificate)

County	Number of people who are medically certified for receipt of Enhanced Illness Benefit on 8th September
Carlow	800
Cavan	1,400
Clare	1,100
Cork	6,600
Donegal	1,300
Dublin	16,800
Galway	3,500
Kerry	1,300
Kildare	3,200
Kilkenny	1,200
Laois	1,100
Leitrim	200
Limerick	2,100
Longford	500
Louth	1,700
Mayo	1,400
Meath	2,200
Monaghan	900
Offaly	1,000
Roscommon	900
Sligo	500
Tipperary	2,100
Waterford	1,800
Westmeath	1,100
Wexford	1,900
Wicklow	1,800
Other (NI & Foreign Address)	400
Total	58,800

Covid-19 Enhanced Illness Benefit - Sector Breakdown

Sector Breakdown	Number of people who are medically certified for receipt of Enhanced Illness Benefit on 8th September
Industrial Sector	
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing; Mining and Quarrying	600
Manufacturing	8,200
Electricity, gas, steam supply; Water supply; Sewerage, waste management	300
Construction	2,300
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and motorcycles	12,500
Transportation and storage	2,300
Accommodation and food service activities	2,600
Information and communication activities	1,000
Financial and insurance activities	2,400
Real Estate activities	500
Professional, Scientific and Technical activities	1,900
Administrative and support service activities	5,700
Public Administration And Defence; Compulsory Social Security	2,300
Education	1,000
Human Health And Social Work activities	12,500
Arts, entertainment and recreation	400
Other Sectors	1,800
Unclassified or unknown	500
Total	58,800

Note: The sector breakdowns are estimated from the NACE code of the last known employer.

Enhanced Illness Benefit Age Profile

Age category	Number of people medically certified to receive Enhanced Illness Benefit on 8th September
< 25	7,000
25-34	14,400
35-44	16,700
45-54	12,300
55+	8,400
Total	58,800