

**REVISED H LINE (NIGHTS) UNEMPLOYMENT INSTRUCTIONS (2 WEEKS)**

**EVERYONE NEEDS TO CALL THEIR PROCESSING CENTER TO REOPEN THEIR APPLICATION FOR BENEFITS.** The number is located on the top of past correspondences you've received from the ODJFS. Business hours are 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Monday – Friday, except holidays. The reason you have to call them to open your claim is because you were laid off a few weeks ago and all of those weeks haven't cleared yet, meaning the correct date won't be offered online OR on the 877#. **Whether you go online or call the 877# to reopen your application for benefits, the correct date you need will not be available.** The only way to get your benefits is to call your processing center.

**Please tell the processing center this as soon as you get them on the phone:**

The date offered by ODJFS as the effective date is incorrect because I am on a two week on / two week off mass layoff and all of the weeks from the last layoff haven't cleared yet. My last day worked was **2/21/25** so my effective date is **2/23/25**. **DO NOT use the date ODJFS is offering** because it will create a break in claim and I won't get paid. **Don't answer the union questions** because we're not a hiring hall. **Don't answer NO to the job search.** If asked for jobs click YES, then enter Ohio Assembly Plant, 650 Miller Road, Avon Lake, OH 44012 in both job spaces and type **2500087** after Ohio Assembly plant.

Reopen your application for unemployment benefits using **Mass Layoff # 2500087**. Your last day worked is **02/21/2025** and your return to work date is **03/10/2025**. **PLEASE NOTE: You will need to call your PROCESSING CENTER to reopen your application ONE TIME on Monday, 2/24/2025 and then visit the ODJFS web site TWO TIMES on the dates below to file claims for unemployment benefits.**

- 1. MON., FEBRUARY 24, 2025 – CALL YOUR PROCESSING CENTER to reopen application.**
- 2. SUN., MARCH 2, 2025 – Claim layoff week ending **MARCH 1, 2025**.**
- 3. SUN., MARCH 9, 2025 – Claim layoff week ending **MARCH 8, 2025**.**

**FOR ASSISTANCE WITH CLAIMS ISSUES (pay held, denied, break in claim)** please call the processing center and schedule a return call or use the *Submit A Question* option at <https://odjfs2.my.site.com/OUIForm/s/connect-ohio-inquiry-form>. You'll be taken to an online form that allows you to provide detailed information about your issue(s). The *Submit A Question* option generates a notification directly to an ODJFS team member for follow up.

**GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING:** The next General Membership meeting is **Sunday, March 9th** at 2:30 PM at UAW Local 2000, 3151 Abbe Road, Sheffield Village. Please attend and be informed. We haven't had a quorum since last April and decisions are being made by the Executive Board. While that is okay, we would like to see more input from the membership. **YOU are your union!**

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