

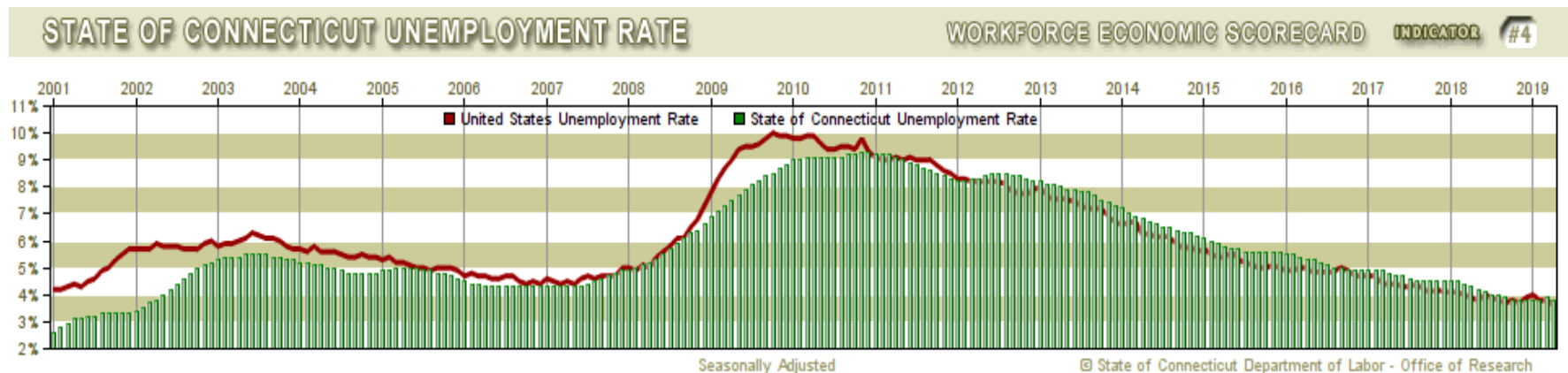


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DID YOU KNOW??

Connecticut Unemployment Rate Drops

As of April 2019 Connecticut, unemployment rate is 3.8%, slightly higher than the national average of 3.6% according to the Connecticut Department of Labor (CT DOL), Labor Market Report out May 16, 2019. It is believed that Connecticut has now recovered 81.9% of the jobs that were lost in the “Great Recession” (3/2008-1/2010), with the Private Sector recovering 101.2%.



Areas that saw the most growth was the Private Sector, Trade/Transportation & Utilities, Education & Health Services, Leisure & Hospitality. According to the Connecticut Department of Labor the labor market areas that saw the most growth was Bridgeport/Stamford/Norwalk, Enfield, Torrington-Northwest and Danielson-Northeast. Employee earnings also saw an increase on average of 2.2%.

According to the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers over the last 12 months ending April, all items increased 2%.

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