Does the individual have the option to telework or take paid leave?

- No

Does the individual qualify for benefits under the State Unemployment Insurance program?

- Did they work for a covered employer?
- Do they have sufficient wages/work history?

- No

Is the individual unemployed due to COVID-19, including:

- Self-employed individuals
- Independent contractors
- Individuals with short work histories

- Yes

The individual may be eligible for State Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (PUC)

State weekly benefit (max $350) + $600 enhanced federal benefit for up to 12 weeks

- Yes

The individual is not eligible for unemployment benefits

- Has the individual exhausted their benefit duration (12 weeks maximum) in the previous year?

- No

The individual may be eligible for federal Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA)

State weekly benefit + $600, up to 39 weeks of benefits across all programs

- Yes

After exhausting benefits

The individual may be eligible for Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC)

State weekly benefit (max $350) + $600 for 13 weeks

- No

After exhausting benefits

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