



## Notice to Workers of Employer's Designation as Seasonal

The Unemployment Insurance Agency (UIA) has determined that

Western Michigan University

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meets the requirements of Section 27(o) of the *Michigan Employment Security Act* for designation as a seasonal employer, and that this employer's normal seasonal work period is from

mid-August

through

mid-April

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**This means that you may be denied unemployment benefits based on work with this employer, during the period between the employer's normal seasonal work periods. Benefits could be denied if this employer gives you a "reasonable assurance" at the end of a season that there will be similar work for you next season.**

Even if you are denied unemployment benefits between seasons, you may still be able to receive those benefits later if the employer does not actually offer you similar work in the new season. **To protect your right to receive these benefits, you must file a claim with the UIA as soon as you become unemployed either by calling 1-866-500-0017 (TTY customers use 1866-366-0004) or by going online at [www.michigan.gov/uia](http://www.michigan.gov/uia). You must continue to report to the UIA (by calling MARVIN, or mailing in your biweekly certification forms as directed by the UIA).**