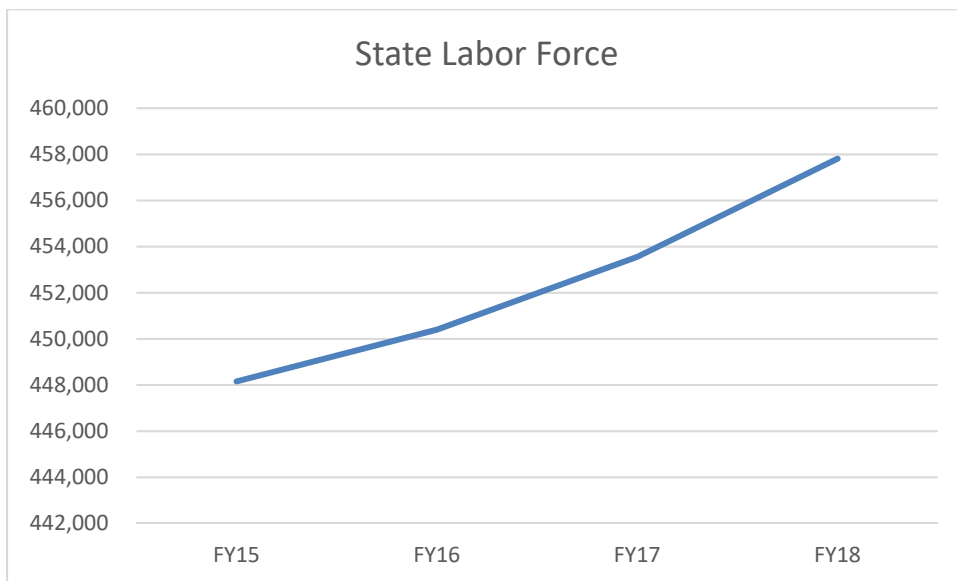
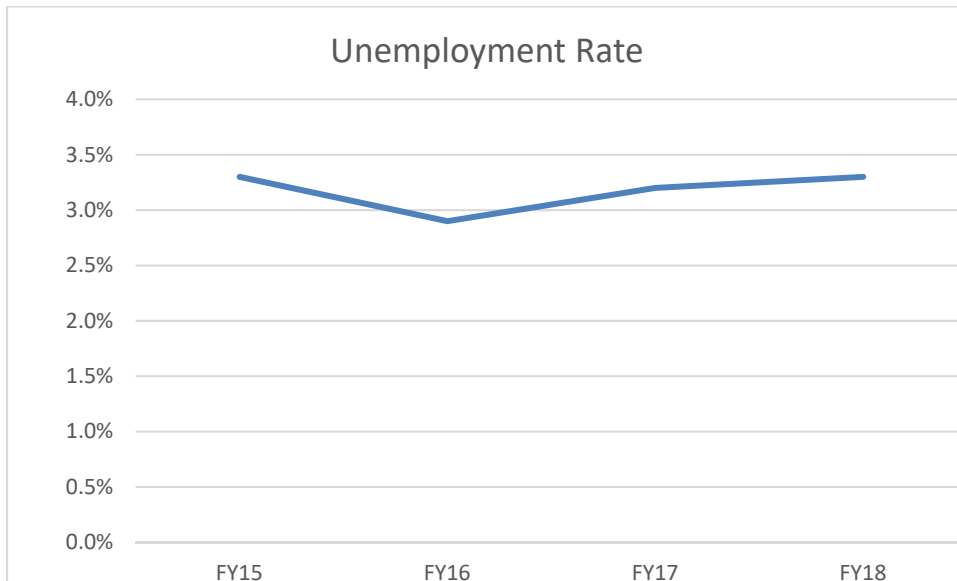
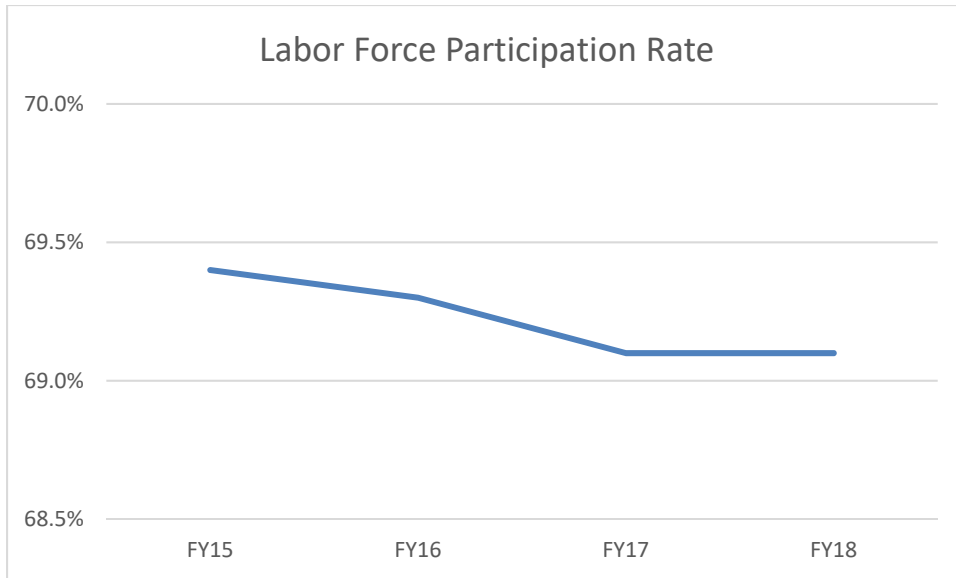


### Labor Force Indicators

These indicators illustrate the employer and labor needs of South Dakota:



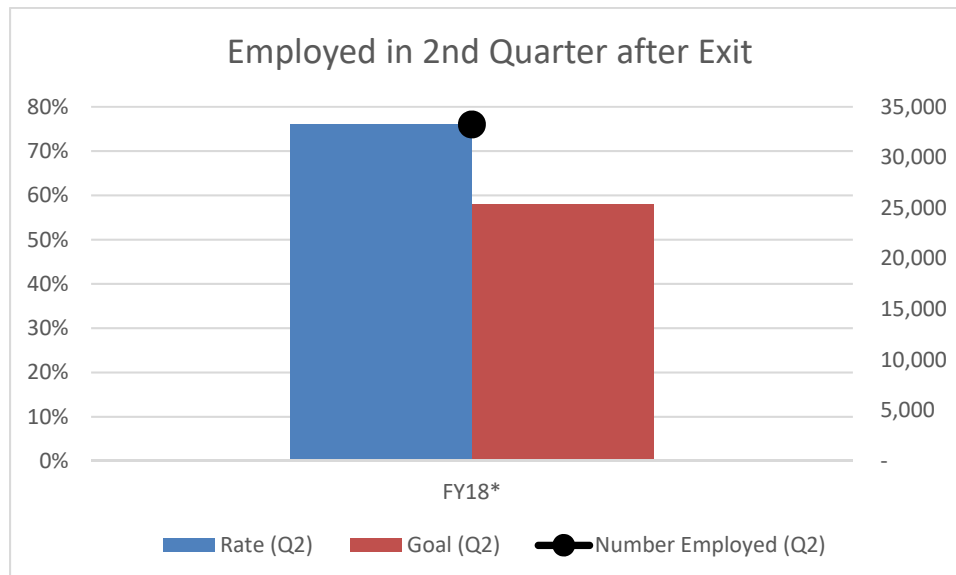


## Mission Statement

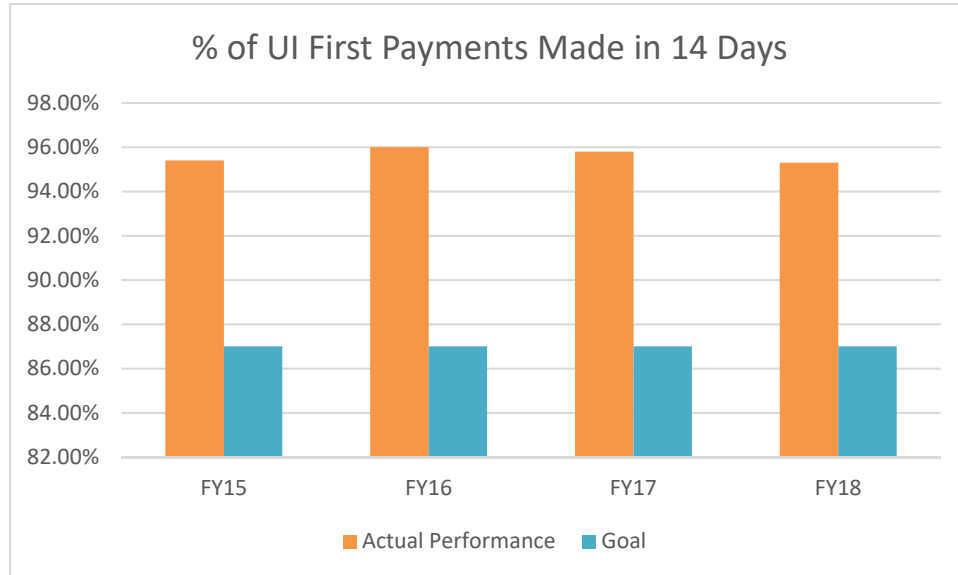
The mission of the Department of Labor and Regulation is to promote economic opportunity and financial security for individuals and businesses through quality, responsive, and expert services; fair and equitable employment solutions; and safe and sound business practices.

## Quality, Responsive, and Expert Services

- Employed in 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter after Exit** indicates the number of people who participated in DLR’s job services programs who were employed six months after they exited the job services programs. This is the new performance metric under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA). FY2017 was the baseline year allowed to states to modify their systems to accurately track this metric.

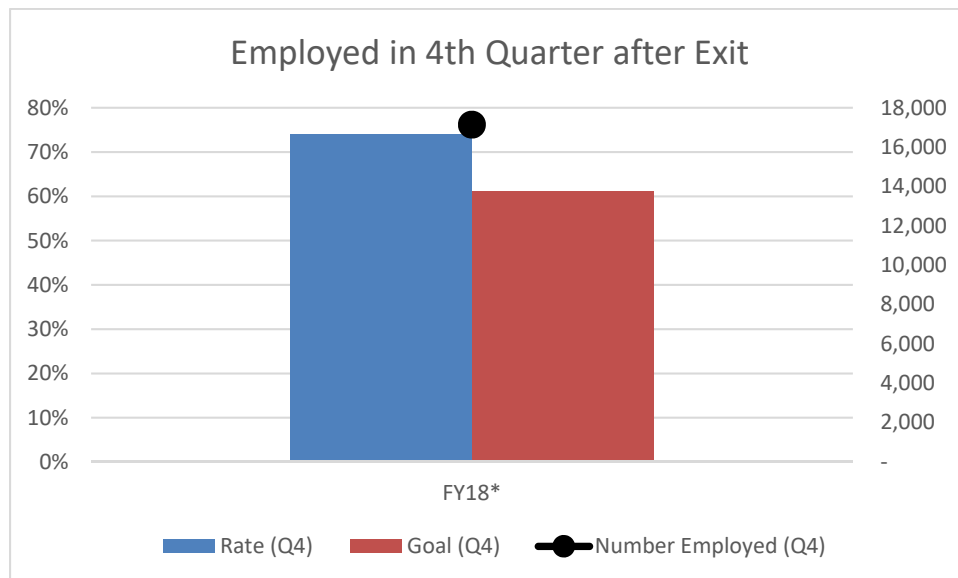


- **% of UI First Payments Made in 14 days** indicates the timeliness in providing unemployment benefits to unemployed individuals seeking assistance.



**Fair and Equitable Employment Solutions**

- **Employed in 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter after Exit** indicates the number of people who participated in DLR’s job services programs who were employed 12 months after they exited the job services programs. This is the new performance metric under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA). FY2017 was the baseline year allowed to states to modify their systems to accurately track this metric.



**Safe and Sound Business Practices**

- **Total Practitioners** from Boards/Commissions and Regulation Divisions reflects the number of individuals and businesses which we must review and ensure proper compliance with established laws.

