



“I’m grateful for their contributions to our state, including this commitment to 500 additional tech jobs by 2023, recent work to launch the ‘CRUSH COVID RI’ app that is helping get the pandemic under control, and participation in Back to Work RI.”

— Gov. Gina Raimondo, September 10, 2020, on the decision by Infosys to bring 500 more jobs to the Digital Innovation and Design Center it opened in Providence in 2019

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Rhode Island

Pop. (2020): 1,071,846

Median household income (2020): \$64,761

Credit Rating: AA/Stable

Pop. growth 2020–2025: 0.22%

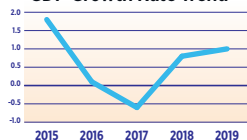
Median age (2020): 41

Right-to-work state: No

GDP

44th

GDP Growth Rate Trend



2019 GDP

(in millions of current US\$)

\$61,884

Legislative Update

- In January, Gov. Raimondo today signed an executive order committing Rhode Island to be powered by 100% renewable electricity by the end of the decade.
- Gov. Raimondo in July announced an investment of \$45 million for a workforce development partnership that will create thousands of job opportunities for Rhode Islanders displaced by COVID-19 and help break down traditional barriers to hiring. The initiative – Back to Work RI – uses CARES Act funding to accelerate Rhode Island’s economic comeback, pairing a unifying approach to job training with critical wraparound supports. “If we embrace this opportunity and supercharge the collaborative approach to job training that has helped us rebound over the past six years,” Raimondo said, “Rhode Island’s economy will be stronger, more equal, and more resilient than ever before.”

