

USES OF QCEW

BLS Publications

- **QCEW:** Quarterly Releases: County by detailed NAICS - 5 month lag
- Annual Employment and Wages
- Special publications/maps

BED: Job Creation/Destruction

- Quarterly and Annual
- Size Class Dynamics
- Firm and establishment births/ deaths
- Business Survival Rates
- Monthly Labor Review

Census Bureau Uses of QCEW

- **LEHD:** QCEW is essential matching key and source of geography and industry and link to other datasets, and employment
- **Business Register:** Sharing to reduce costs, burden and improve consistency
- **Industry Code Sharing** (3 M/year)
- **COS:** Multi-unit sharing- reduces cost and improves consistency
- **CPS Redesign:** QCEW used after decennial Census to improve sample design

State and Local Government

- Services Planning
- Transportation planning
- Emergency planning

Economic Development Indicators

- Cluster Analysis
- Shift Share
- Industry Diversity Indexes
- Location Quotients
- Local Impact analysis
- Site planning decisions

