

## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Labor to Launch Spanish Version of Unemployment Insurance Benefit System**

The Idaho Department of Labor will release a Spanish language version of its unemployment insurance benefits internet application on Nov. 9.

The enhancements will allow Spanish-speaking claimants the ability to apply for benefits, file weekly certifications and view and update information at [labor.idaho.gov/claimantportal](http://labor.idaho.gov/claimantportal).

The new online claim filing program will increase Spanish claim processing speed and will result in taxpayer savings. The filing process should take less time for claimants than before and can be done at their convenience.

Idaho has formed a consortium with Iowa and Vermont to use Labor's iUS - Internet Unemployment System - as the core system to be customized to meet the needs of the other states.

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