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HOW LONG UNEMPLOYED
(Base: Now Unemployed=27%)

	Less than 1 month %	1-3 months %	4-6 months %	7-12 months %	Over 12 months %	Not Sure %	Median %
Total	31	39	17	7	3	3	2.4
Sex:							
Men	33	38	18	4	3	4	2.2
Women	19	31	13	31	6	-	3.0
Age:							
Under 18	44	30	13	3	10	-	2.6
18-19	30	39	20	9	-	2	2.5
20 or older	24	41	16	8	3	8	2.3
Race:							
Negro	24	40	21	11	1	3	2.9
White	45	31	10	2	7	5	1.3
Screening:							
1st half 1965	25	47	13	9	-	6	2.4
2nd. half 1965	38	15	27	8	12	-	3.4
1966	33	40	16	5	2	4	2.1

The Negro unemployed have had more difficulty than the white unemployed. They have been out of work more than twice as long as the whites. The women have been unemployed longer than the men. By age, there is little difference in the length of time unemployed.

While most of the unemployed are looking for a job, one in seven is trying to rejoin the Job Corps.