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## Jobs helping to stabilize Ohio's population

[JobsOhio](#) recently announced that Ohio's population is poised to grow, thanks to new employers. This is great news, given that [previous reports](#) forecast Ohio's population to fall by about 675,000 people by 2050 due to an aging population and declining fertility. JobsOhio sees growth because data from the Census Bureau shows that from 2019-2023, a net of 97,000 people came to Ohio for job-related reasons. Moreover, a 2024 analysis by Bloomberg reveals that Ohio's 25-44-year-old population from 2020-2023 was stable or increasing in at least three-quarters of the state's counties.