



# WELCOME TO METAL A-KASSE

For members working in  
the aviation sector.



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A-KASSE**

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Your membership provides you with financial support in case of unemployment.

## RECEIVE UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS DURING PERIODS OF UNEMPLOYMENT

If you are a full-time insured wage earner, you can receive up to 22,041 DKK per month (2026 figures) for 2 years in unemployment benefits while unemployed. If you meet certain conditions, you may receive an employment supplement and receive up to 26,198 DKK per month in unemployment benefits during the first 3 months of total unemployment.

## WHAT CAN METAL A-KASSE DO FOR YOU?

Metal A-kasse possesses extensive knowledge of the labor market. Metal A-kasse has strong company contacts and insight into potential job opportunities. Metal A-kasse acts as a career service provider and has broad expertise in education and upskilling.

Metal A-kasse helps clarify options and provides guidance for job interviews. In addition, Metal A-kasse maintains ongoing contact with you during periods of unemployment, including job follow-ups and coaching conversations, where we assist and advise you on upskilling, job searching, and the use of job logs.

## METAL A-KASSE MAKES AN EXTRA EFFORT

In many areas, Metal A-kasse provides better and more targeted services to its members than the law requires.

## METAL JOBSERVICE

Our JobService matches jobs with members and helps companies find employees with the right skills. You can also search for available positions yourself in the Metal Jobportal. [ledige job i Metal Jobportal.](#)

## PERSONALIZED JOB PLACEMENT

Our hands-on approach is a personalized job placement service, where Dansk Metal finds a company that matches your career goals, skills, and qualifications.

## TRACK CHANGE OUTSIDE THE AVIATION SECTOR

It is your opportunities for moving forward that matter most. That is why Metal A-kasse continuously focuses on possible job openings and on opening doors at companies both within and outside Dansk Metal's industries.

## JOBTEAM

The Metal A-kasse job team consists of eight specialists in motivation and job searching. Our job consultants hold workshops on topics such as job applications and LinkedIn,

MORE THAN  
**11,000**  
MEMBERS HAVE FOUND  
NEW JOBS WITH METAL  
JOBSERVICE

themed days, and 'My Path to Employment' conversations, which are coaching-style sessions, and they also participate in joint meetings at the municipality.

The Metal A-kasse job team is ready to provide you with hands-on support if you are unemployed. They excel at motivating, identifying new opportunities, and giving individual advice on job searching, upskilling, and education.

## ENHANCED INITIATIVE

Metal A-kasse's enhanced initiative against long-term unemployment focuses on hands-on and individualized service for unemployed members at risk of long-term unemployment.

## METAL JOBSTARTER

If you find yourself in a situation where you are dismissed from your job, Dansk Metal is ready to support you. You can receive a two-hour consultation focused on job opportunities, job searching, and upskilling during your notice period.

# ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ELIGIBILITY FOR UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

You must meet the following requirements as an unemployed person in order to be entitled to unemployment benefits:

**1. You must have been a member of an unemployment insurance fund (a-kasse) for at least one year prior to registering as unemployed.**

If you transfer from another unemployment fund to Metal A-kasse, your seniority from your previous fund will be maintained upon transferring to Metal A-kasse.

**2. You must be registered as a jobseeker at the municipality (jobnet.dk)**

**3. You must have residence and stay in Denmark.**

If you live in another EU/EEA country, such as Sweden or Norway, and work in Denmark, and you become partially unemployed or periodically unemployed from your job in Denmark, while still covered by a contract with a Danish employer, you can reside in the other EU/EEA country and remain a member of Metal A-kasse and receive Danish supplementary unemployment benefits. However, if you become fully unemployed from your job in Denmark—for example, if you resign or are dismissed and are no longer covered by a contract with the employer—you must apply for unemployment benefits in your country of residence.

**4. You must be available to the labor market.**

This means, among other things, that you must:

- ▶ be healthy
- ▶ be able to accept work under normal employment conditions
- ▶ actively seek jobs and record your job search activities in your job log on jobnet.dk
- ▶ create a CV at the municipality (jobnet.dk) no later than two weeks after you have registered as unemployed with the municipality
- ▶ attend meetings, activities, and offers at the unemployment fund (a-kasse) and the municipality

**5. You must meet the income requirement prior to registering as unemployed. The income requirement means the following:**

As a full-time insured member, you must have had an income from salaried work or profits from self-employment of at least 286,632 DKK (2026 figures) within the last three years before registering as unemployed, and while you have been a member of an unemployment fund (a-kasse). When calculating your income, you can count a maximum of 23,886 DKK per month. Part-time insured members must have had an income of at least 191,088 DKK and can count a maximum of 15,924 DKK per month (2026 figures). The salaried work must be performed under normal wage and employment conditions.

## ENROLLMENT

You enroll in the Metal A-kasse at [danskmetal.dk/indmeld](https://danskmetal.dk/indmeld)

If you live and work in Denmark but later take up employment in another EU/EEA country, such as Sweden or Norway, the general rule is that you must be insured against unemployment in your country of employment and leave the Danish unemployment fund.

If you live in another EU/EEA country, such as Sweden or Norway, but work in Denmark, you must, as a rule, be insured against unemployment in the country where you work (Denmark).

## IF YOU BECOME UNEMPLOYED

If you become unemployed, you must fill out an unemployment declaration at [danskmetal.dk/dp](https://danskmetal.dk/dp).

Here, you can also write to us using the messaging function.

Remember to also register as unemployed at [jobnet.dk](https://jobnet.dk).

You can access your mailbox with us using MitID or a PIN code.

## QUESTIONS

Contact Metal A-kasse if you have any questions.

If you need a personal meeting, you can call us to schedule an appointment.

We hope you will be satisfied with your membership in Metal A-kasse.

## METAL A-KASSE

Phone: (+45) 3363 2200

## TELEPHONE HOURS

Monday–Thursday: 8:30–17:00

Friday: 8:30–14:00

## PROFESSIONAL QUESTIONS

If you have professional questions, please contact your union.



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