



# What Do I Need to Do to Get an Economic Impact Payment?

## STEP 1: ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

You qualify for an Economic Impact Payment if you:

- are a U.S. citizen, permanent resident or qualifying resident alien,
- cannot be claimed as a dependent on someone else's return,
- have a Social Security number that is valid for employment, and
- are under income requirements, see [www.irs.gov/eip](http://www.irs.gov/eip).

The payment amount is up to **\$1,200** per eligible person and up to an additional **\$500** per qualifying child under 17.

Visit [IRS.gov/eip](http://IRS.gov/eip) to find out how much you are eligible to receive.

## STEP 2: FIGURE OUT NEXT STEPS. START HERE:

Did you file a 2019 or 2018 federal tax return?

NO

YES

Are you required to file a federal tax return?

Find out using our online tool at [www.irs.gov/ITA](http://www.irs.gov/ITA).

NO

YES

Go to the next chart below.

### YOU NEED TO:

File your 2019 return as soon as possible, which will also be used to calculate your Economic Impact Payment. File electronically and choose direct deposit for the quickest way to get both your refund and Payment. If you owe tax, once your return is processed, use [Get My Payment](#) to enter direct deposit information.

Do you receive any of these benefits?

- Social Security retirement benefits
- Social Security survivor benefits
- Social Security Disability Insurance
- Supplemental Security Income
- Railroad Retirement benefits
- Veterans Affairs benefits

NO

YES

### YOU NEED TO:

Use the [Non-filers: Enter Payment Info Here](#) tool to provide basic information the IRS needs to issue your payment. Provide direct deposit information for faster receipt of your Payment.

IRS will calculate the Payment amount for you, your spouse and any qualifying children from your tax return.

Did you get a refund and choose direct deposit?

NO

YES

### NO ACTION NEEDED

If you owed tax or your refund was mailed, you don't need to do anything else to get your Economic Impact Payment in the mail. You may be able to provide direct deposit information to the IRS by using the [Get My Payment](#) tool to get your payment more quickly.

### NO ACTION NEEDED

You don't need to do anything else. Your Economic Impact Payment will be sent by direct deposit to the same account.

### NO ACTION NEEDED

You will receive your Payment as a direct deposit or by mail, just as you would normally receive your federal benefits.

Use the [Get My Payment](#) tool on [IRS.gov](http://IRS.gov) to track the status of your Economic Impact Payment.