

# COVID-19

## Pandemic Scenarios & Benefits Available

### If you are an employee who:

- For any reason, has had reduced hours or wages (including hourly and tipped employees) OR have been furloughed and will be returning to your job
- Has been laid off permanently with no intention of returning to your job
- Is unable to go to work because the place of employment is closed as a result of an Executive Order or other shelter-in-place order
- \*\* Has been diagnosed with COVID-19
- \*\* Has a member of your household who has been diagnosed with COVID-19
- \*\* Is unable to reach the place of employment because you have been advised by a health care provider to self-quarantine
- \*\* Has primary caregiving responsibility for a child or other person who is unable to attend school or another facility as a result of COVID-19

### Then you could be eligible for:

Regular unemployment benefits  
(26 weeks)

### You might also be eligible for:

(Under the CARES ACT - No action needed)  
\$600/week on top of your  
regular unemployment benefits  
  
Up to 13 additional weeks  
of expanded unemployment benefits

**File a regular unemployment claim online and request payment every two weeks**

\*\*NOTE: You may be eligible for Employer Paid Sick Leave, Emergency Paid Sick Leave, Paid Family Medical Leave in these situations. Your employer must pay you these first. You are not eligible for any unemployment benefits at the same time you are being paid one of these leave types

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**If you had a regular unemployment claim and exhausted your benefits:**

**Then you could be eligible for:**

**13 weeks of expanded benefits**  
(through the new Pandemic Unemployment Assistance application)

**You might also be eligible for:**

**\$600/week**  
on top of your regular benefits

**File a Pandemic Unemployment Assistance claim online  
and request payment every week**

**Under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security (CARES) Act, if you:**

- Are self employed, an independent contractor, a 1099 worker with less than \$2,500 in W-2 wages in 2019
- Have no work history and were scheduled to start work and do not have a job as a result of COVID-19
- Have no work history and have become the major support for a household because the head of the household died as a direct result of COVID-19

**Then you could be eligible for:**

**39 weeks of expanded benefits**  
(through the new Pandemic Unemployment Assistance application)

**You might also be eligible for:**

**\$600/week**  
on top of your regular benefits

**File a Pandemic Unemployment Assistance claim online  
and request payment every week**