

Where do I find information about the stimulus payment?

For stimulus payment information, also known as the economic impact payment, go to the IRS website at this [link](#). The stimulus payment is up to \$600 for an individual, \$1200 for a married couple, and \$600 for each dependent child under 17 years of age.

I received a stimulus payment for the stimulus package passed in March (\$1200/individual, \$500/child) do I need to do anything else to get my next stimulus payment?

No, if you received the first stimulus payment you shouldn't need to take any additional steps to get the next payment. If you received your first payment as a direct deposit, the IRS will direct deposit the next payment as well. If you received an EIP card or paper check for the first payment, you should watch your mail closely as the IRS will mail you either an EIP card or a paper check again.

<https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus/get-my-payment-frequently-asked-questions>

I filed taxes for 2018 or 2019, what do I need to do to get a stimulus payment?

If you filed taxes for 2018 or 2019, you don't have to do anything to get a payment. The first round of payments already went out to those who received their 2018 or 2019 tax refund by direct deposit. Those who do not have a bank account can receive a paper check. You can update your bank account or mailing address through the IRS website at this [link](#).

I did not file taxes for 2018 or 2019, but I receive Social Security Retirement, Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) Benefits, Social Security Survivor Benefits, Railroad Retirement or Railroad Survivor Benefits, what do I need to do to get a stimulus payment?

If you didn't file taxes but do get Social Security Retirement payments, Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) Benefits, Social Security Survivor Benefits, or Railroad Retirement or Survivor Benefits, you don't have to do anything to get a payment.

I receive Supplemental Security Income, what do I need to do to get a stimulus payment?

If you receive SSI, your stimulus payment will be provided in the same way as you receive your monthly SSI Benefit (e.g. bank account direct deposit, Direct Express debit card or paper check). For more information about the process, go to this Department of Treasury [link](#). The payments will likely be sent no later than early May. The stimulus money won't count as a resource (asset) unless you still have all or part of it 12 months after receiving it.

I receive VA benefits, what do I need to do to get a stimulus payment?

If you receive VA benefits, your stimulus payment will be provided in the same way as you receive your monthly VA Benefit.

I have a dependent child who was born in 2020. How do I update the IRS so that I still get the \$600 payment for that child?

Unfortunately the IRS does not have a system in place to update your family size at the moment. However, this doesn't mean you won't be able to get a stimulus payment for your child. When

you file your 2020 taxes, there will be a line where you list the amount of EIP (stimulus) payment you have received. You will then be able to receive the \$600 credit for your new child as part of your tax refund.

I was not required to file taxes and did not file taxes for 2018 or 2019, what do I need to do?

If you were not required to file taxes and did not file taxes, and you do not receive Social Security Retirement payments, Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) Benefits, Social Security Survivor Benefits, SSI Benefits, or Railroad Retirement or Survivor Benefits, you need to go to the IRS website at this [link](#) , and go to the “Non-Filers Enter Payment Info Here” button. You will need to provide information in order to receive a stimulus payment. If you did this already for the first stimulus payment, you do not need to do it again.

I was required to file taxes for 2018 but did not, what do I need to do?

If you were required to file taxes for 2018 but did not do so, you need to file your 2018 tax return with the IRS in order to receive the stimulus payment. The deadline to file your 2019 tax return with the IRS and the State of Nebraska was July 15, 2020.

I do not know if I have to file a tax return, what do I do?

If you are not sure whether you have to file a tax return, check the IRS.gov tool - [Do I Need to File a Tax Return?](#) - to see if you have a filing requirement.

I owe child support, can my stimulus payment be taken?

No. Your stimulus payment cannot be taken to pay child support you owe.

I owe other debts, can my stimulus payment be taken (garnished) from my bank account?

No. Your stimulus check cannot be garnished from your bank account if you have a court judgment against you for debt. Stimulus payments are automatically protected by your bank if the funds are automatically deposited. If you have any issues, you can apply for help from Legal Aid by calling 1-844-268-5627.

I owe money to my bank where my stimulus check is being deposited, can the bank take my stimulus payment?

Yes. If you owe money to your bank, for example for overdraft fees, your stimulus check can be taken (offset) by your bank to pay what you owe. Many banks have determined they will not take stimulus payments for debt you owe to your bank. You can apply for help from Legal Aid by calling 1-844-268-5627. Call Legal Aid as soon as you know your bank account has been garnished or is frozen.

My stimulus payment has been garnished from my bank account/my bank account is frozen, what should I do?

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