

Quick Guide to State & Federal Assistance Programs

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 If You Are...							
	<p><u>Economic Impact Direct Cash Payment</u> \$1200 pp + \$500 per child, with some limits</p>	<p><u>Traditional State UI benefits</u> Quarantined, laid off, furloughed, or workplace shut down temporarily</p>	<p><u>Federal Pandemic U/I Assistance</u> New Federal benefits, includes \$600 week boost & extra 13 weeks</p>	<p><u>Paycheck Protection Program</u> Forgivable grants based on payroll costs, if under 500 employees</p>	<p><u>Economic Injury Disaster loan & advance</u> Low interest loan with emergency advance feature</p>	<p><u>Families First Coronavirus Response Act</u> Emergency paid sick leave and family & medical leave</p>	<p><u>Mass. Transitional Assistance</u> SNAP, Cash assistance, SSP</p>
Self employed/ Sole proprietor	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES, via a refundable tax credit	Possibly, if you meet income & eligibility rules
Gig economy/ Independent Contractor	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES, via a refundable tax credit	Possibly, if you meet income & eligibility rules
Small Business / Non-Profit	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO, but if employees use it you get tax credit	NO
Laid Off/ Unemployed	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES, for most employers under 500	YES, assuming you meet income & eligibility rules
Left work for health/family reasons	YES	YES*	YES	NO	NO	YES, for most employers under 500	YES, assuming you meet income & eligibility rules
Availability:	Starting mid-April	Available Now	Coming Soon!	Available Now, depending on lender	Available now, some delays in processing	Available now thru Dec 31,2020	Available Now

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