



3 Different Types of Claims

There are three benefits that you might be eligible for under the CARES Act.

1. Additional Federal Unemployment Compensation (FPUC)

This gives most people an additional \$600 more per week from March 29, 2020 through July 25, 2020.

Additional Information

- If you have a pending application, you don't need to apply again.
- If you are already getting unemployment benefits, you don't need to apply again.
- It can take up to 21 days to get your first payments, but all eligible weeks will be paid.

2. Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA)

This gives up to 39 weeks of insurance benefits to people not usually eligible for regular unemployment.

Example: self-employed, gig economy workers, independent contractors, church employees, nonprofit and government employees, and those who have exhausted their regular or extended benefits.

Additional Information

- You aren't eligible for this if you are already receiving regular unemployment benefits.

3. Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC)

This gives 13 additional weeks of unemployment insurance to people who are still unemployed after exhausting their normal unemployment benefits.

Additional Information

- If you have a pending application, you don't need to apply again.
- If you collected unemployment benefits in the past, but you're currently employed, you don't need to apply for the additional 13 weeks.