



DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY

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Unemployment Insurance Program

Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) Filing Notice

On March 27, 2020, the President signed into law the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act, which includes the Relief for Workers Affected by Coronavirus Act set out in Title II, Subtitle A. Section 2107 of the CARES Act of 2020 created a new temporary federal program called Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC), which provides up to 13 additional weeks of benefits to an individual who has exhausted all rights to any regular unemployment compensation (UC) and who meets other eligibility requirements of the CARES Act. PEUC benefits will be available for weeks of unemployment starting with the benefit week ending April 4, 2020. If you exhausted your regular Unemployment Insurance (UI) claim and remain unemployed, you may be eligible for PEUC benefits and are encouraged to apply for PEUC starting Sunday, June 7, 2020. The Department will notify you when you are able to file your retroactive and ongoing weekly claims for PEUC benefits.

CARES Act Basic Eligibility Requirements for PEUC

To be eligible for a week of PEUC, in addition to meeting the applicable Arizona state law provisions, an individual must:

- have exhausted all rights to regular compensation under the applicable state or Federal law with respect to the applicable benefit year;
- have no rights to regular compensation with respect to a week under such law or any other state or Federal UC law;
- certify that he or she is not receiving compensation with respect to such week under the UC law of Canada; and
- be able to work, available for work, and actively seeking work (the actively seeking work requirement has been temporarily suspended in Arizona).

How to File

To file a PEUC claim, visit www.azui.com. Then proceed to the initial claim section of UI and use the same credentials you used to file your regular UI claim. If you are unable to file for the Federal extension online, call the UI Call Center toll free at 1-877-600-2722 or TDD: 7-1-1. If you are unable to access either of the above methods of filing, you may complete the included application and mail it to the address below. If you select this method of filing, please allow 21 days for processing.

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