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**Fwd: Advance Child Tax Credit**

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Subject: Advance Child Tax Credit

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Hello,

My name is Leslie Chambers. I am with the Communications division of the IRS. Like you, we are concerned about parents or grandparents, that are struggling financially with their children or grandchildren, and may not realize they may be eligible to receive this benefit. So, we have some social media or news releases for schools and school districts to send to parents through the school's newsletter or social media about the Advance Child Tax Credit payments. Is there any way that you could help us spread the good news to the parents? We encourage school districts to share our information with their students' families. I would simply appreciate it if you would let me know when you post it or send it out. The IRS estimates that about 75,000 Pennsylvania children who may be eligible to be claimed for the expanded and newly-advanceable Child Tax Credit have not been claimed on a recent tax return. This means that these Pennsylvania residents could be losing out on approximately \$226,000,000 in Child Tax Credits.

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It's not too late for low-income families to sign up for [advance child tax credit payments](#).

The IRS urges anyone who normally isn't required to file a tax return to explore the tools available on IRS.gov. The Eligibility Assistant can help determine eligibility for the advance child tax credit. The [Non-filer Sign-up tool](#) can help people file a simplified tax return to sign up for these payments. Some non-filers may also be eligible for the \$1,400 per person Economic Impact Payments and the recovery rebate credit. People can get these benefits, even if they don't work, have no income or don't have a permanent address.

For these families, each advance CTC payment is up to \$300 per month for each [qualifying child](#) under age 6 and up to \$250 per month for each child ages 6 through 17.

Payments are generally issued on the 15th of each month through December 2021.

Here are more details and information about how to get the payments:

- The IRS sends advance child tax credit payments to eligible families who filed a 2019 or 2020 income tax return. This includes people who successfully use the [Non-filer Sign-up tool](#) for advance CTC, available only on IRS.gov. People can access the [Non-filer Sign-up tool](#) or the [step-by-step guide](#) for using it on IRS.gov.

- Aside from filing a simplified return from the Non-filer Sign-up tool, families don't have to do anything else if they are eligible to receive monthly payments.

- The Non-filer Sign-up tool is available until October 15, 2021. Using the tool by 11:59 p.m. ET on any month's deadline will apply to the next month's payment.

- Families who receive their first monthly payment in any month after July will still receive their total advance payment for the year. This means that the total payment will be spread over fewer months, rather than six months, making each monthly payment larger.

- The IRS encourages people to request payments by direct deposit, which is faster and more secure than other payment methods. People who don't have a bank account should visit the [Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation](#) website for details on opening an account online. They can also use the FDIC's [BankFind](#) tool to locate an FDIC-insured bank.

- Finally, [BankOn](#), [American Bankers Association](#), [Independent Community Bankers of America](#) and [National Credit Union Administration](#) have lists of banks and credit unions that can open an account online. Veterans can see the [Veterans Benefits Banking Program](#) for financial services at participating banks.

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Thank you,

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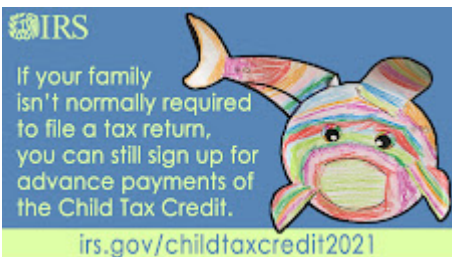
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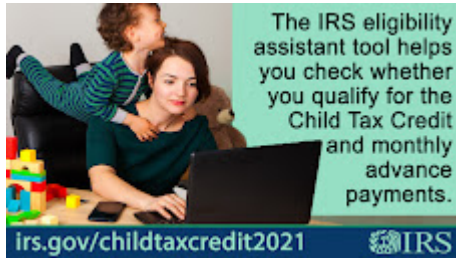


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