





To help people during the pandemic, the Internal Revenue Service has tax benefits and special programs.

- Eligible people can claim the **Recovery Rebate Credit** when they file their 2020 tax return. They can get a bigger tax refund or owe less tax if they didn't receive all or part of their **Economic Impact Payments** in 2020. Eligible people who file a 2020 tax return will also automatically receive the new 2021 stimulus payment.
- S People facing financial difficulties may qualify for the **Earned Income Tax Credit** when they file their tax return.
- \$ IRS has **payment options** for those struggling to pay taxes.
- Some people qualify for free tax preparation options.
- Spread the word. Some people especially those who don't normally file a tax return may not realize they're eligible for a stimulus payment. They can file a 2020 tax return to get all the stimulus payments they qualify for.