What is a Form 1099G?

Form 1099G is a record of the total taxable income the Employment Development Department issued you in a calendar year, and is reported to the IRS.

You will receive a Form 1099G if you collected unemployment compensation from us and must report it on your federal tax return as income. Unemployment compensation is exempt from California state income tax.

Taxable unemployment compensation includes:
- Unemployment benefits, which include:
  - Federal Extensions (FED-ED)
  - Lost Wages Assistance (LWA)
  - Pandemic Additional Compensation (PAC)
  - Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC)
  - Mixed Earner Unemployment Compensation (MEUC)
  - Disability Insurance (DI) benefits received as a substitute for unemployment insurance benefits
  - Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) benefits
  - Paid Family Leave (PFL) benefits

When will I get my Form 1099G?

We provide your Form 1099G by January 31 each year. We will mail you a paper form unless you choose electronic delivery by December 27. If you have a UI Online (edd.ca.gov/UI_Online) account, select Profile to update your Form 1099G Preferences.

Call 1-866-401-2849 if:
- You have a new mailing address. You can also change your contact information in your UI Online account or create an account with the correct information.
- A correction was made to your Form 1099G. This information will not be available online.

How do I request a copy of my Form 1099G?

Form 1099G tax information is available for up to five years in UI Online (edd.ca.gov/UI_Online). You can print your 1099G information from UI Online or request a paper copy by following these steps:
1. Log in to Benefit Programs Online (edd.ca.gov/en/bpo/) and select UI Online.
2. Select Payments, then Form 1099G, then View next to the desired year.
3. Select Request Paper Copy to request an official paper copy of your Form 1099G.
4. Confirm your address on the Form 1099G Address Confirmation screen.

To request a copy by phone, call 1-866-333-4606.*

The amount on my Form 1099G is incorrect.

Confirm the amount on your 1099G by viewing your Payment History in UI Online (edd.ca.gov/UI_Online), or by calling 1-866-333-4606.* If you don’t agree with the amount on your Form 1099G, call 1-866-401-2849 and provide your current address and phone number.**

Refer to Access Tax Information/Form 1099G Using UI Online (YouTube) (youtube.com/watch?v=C3qufLScy2Y) to learn how to get unemployment payment information in UI Online.

I did not collect unemployment but received a Form 1099G.

You might be a victim of fraud. Visit Ask EDD (askedd.edd.ca.gov/AskEDD/s/categorydetails?category=Report_Fraud) and select Report Personal Fraud, or call 1-866-401-2849.** If we find you were a victim of fraud, we will remove the claim from your Social Security number and send you an updated Form 1099G.

Visit Tax Information (Form 1099G) (edd.ca.gov/en/unemployment/Get_Tax_Information_Form_1099G) for additional resources.

If you received a Form 1099G that does not belong to you, write “Return to Sender” on the envelope and mail it back to us. It does not need new postage.

*Self-service phone line available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
**Phone line available Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Pacific time), except on state holidays.