

# GOVERNMENT SUPPORT FOR CREATIVE PROFESSIONALS IMPACTED BY COVID-19

A snapshot guide for people who lost current or upcoming full- or part-time work  
For the first time, 1099 workers will be able to get unemployment insurance.

I have lost all or partial employment, or I am not able to start a job, and I am a...  
(choose one of the following)

W-2 employee

1099  
worker or  
self employed

Both a  
1099 and W-2  
worker

Student/long time  
unemployed  
worker\*

Apply for  
SBA Paycheck  
Protection loan

File for state unemployment insurance  
(You will receive what you normally qualify for plus \$600 per week\*\*)

Exhaust  
unemployment insurance

Access 13 week Pandemic  
Emergency Unemployment  
Compensation

If you don't qualify for  
unemployment insurance

Apply for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance  
(You will receive a determined amount plus \$600 per week\*\*)

\*Someone who has not worked in the last six months

\*\*Through July 31, 2020, all UI and PUA claimants will receive their calculated benefits plus an additional \$600 per week in compensation.

Contact your union for specific information on navigating this process. Creative professionals paid through a loan out corporation should contact their union for specific information.



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