

# Are you leaving money on the table?

TAX CREDITS/BENEFITS YOU MIGHT BE MISSING  
IF YOU DON'T FILE A TAX RETURN THIS YEAR



## Why should I file if I don't owe?

Many people don't file tax returns because they don't owe any income tax, but they may be missing out on important cash credits they can only receive through filing. Even households with zero taxable income may be eligible for a refund.



## Massachusetts Credits for kids/dependents/elderly: **NO INCOME NECESSARY**

- The **MA Family and Dependent Credit** is bigger this year: \$310 each for kids under 13, and other household dependents who are disabled or over 65. Immigrant filers and dependents with ITINs are eligible!
- Over 65? If you have high rent/property tax and don't receive housing subsidies, you may be eligible for the **Senior Circuit Breaker** credit.



## Credits for households with earned income

- If you work for pay, you may be eligible for both the federal AND Massachusetts **Earned Income Tax Credits**, as well as the **Child Tax Credit**.
- Did you pay for care of a child under 13, incapacitated spouse or other dependent? You may qualify for the **Child and Dependent Care Credit**.
- Was too much tax withheld from your paycheck? You can only get your tax **withholdings** back if you file a tax return!



## Are you missing any 2020/2021 COVID stimulus payments or the 2021 expanded Child Tax Credit? It's not too late!

You can still file 2020 or 2021 tax returns for any missing Economic Impact Payments or the 2021 expanded Child Tax Credit.

You did NOT need to have had ANY taxable income in 2020 or 2021 to be eligible for these credits.



## Get more information about Tax Credits and FREE FILING HELP

IRS certified volunteers can prepare your tax returns for free at a VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) site near you. Go to [FindYourFunds.org](https://FindYourFunds.org); [Bostontaxhelp.org/tax-sites/](https://Bostontaxhelp.org/tax-sites/); and [Masscap.org/freetaxprep/](https://Masscap.org/freetaxprep/)

Are you an immigrant needing an ITIN to file your tax returns?

Contact Greater Boston Legal Services, Low Income Taxpayer Clinic [lirc-intake@gblls.org](mailto:lirc-intake@gblls.org); 617-603-1510

# Èske w'ap kite lajan sou tab la?

KREDI TAKS/BENEFIS OU KA AP RATE SI OU PA RANPLI TAKS ANE SA.



## Poukisa m ta dwe ranpli taks si m pa dwe?

Anpil moun pa ranpli taks paske yo pa dwe taks sou revni yo, men yo ka ap rate kredi lajan kash ki enpòtan ke yo ka sèlman jwenn lè yo ranpli taks. Menm kay ki pa gen moun ki gen revni taksab ka elijib pou yon ranbousman.



## Massachusetts Kredi pou Timoun/depandan/granmoun aje:

Li pa nesesè pou gen revni

- **Kredi pou Timoun ak Depandan pou eta MA la** pi plis ane sa: \$310 pou chak timoun ki gen mwens ke 13 an, e lòt depandan ki andikape oubyen ki gen plis ke 65 an. Imigran k'ap ranpli taks ak depandan, ki gen ITIN elijib.
- Ou gen plis ke 65 an? Si ou gen pri lwaye ki wo/taks sou pwopriyete epi ou pa resevwa sibvansyon pou lojman, ou ka elijib pou kredi **Senior Circuit Breaker** a.



## Kredi pou kay ki gen moun k'ap touche lajan de travay yo

- Si w'ap travay pou yon salè, ou ka elijib pou **Kredi Taks sou Revni**, federal ak eta Massachusetts, **avèk Kredi Taks pou Timoun**.
- **Èske ou te depanse lajan pou w' okipe yon timoun ki gen mwens ke 13 an**, yon mari/madanm ki pèdi kapasite'l oubyen lòt depandan? Ou ka kalifye pou **Kredi pou Swen Timoun ak Depandan (Child and Dependent Care Credit)**.
- Èske yo te pran twòp taks sou chèk ou? Ou ka jwenn ekstra kòb ke yo te pran sou ou a sèlman si ou ranpli yon deklarasyon taks!



## Èske w rate nenpòt pèman stimilis COVID 2020/2021 oswa Kredi Taks elaji pou Timoun pou 2021? Li pa twò ta!

Ou ka toujou ranpli deklarasyon taks 2020 oswa 2021 pou nenpòt Pèman Enpak Ekonomik ke w rate oswa Kredi Taks elaji pou Timoun pou ane 2021 an.

Ou PA t bezwen gen OKENN revni taksab an 2020 oswa 2021 pou w ka kalifye pou kredi sa yo.



## Jwenn plis enfòmasyon sou Kredi Taks ak ÈD GRATIS POU DEPOZE

Benevòl sètifye IRS ka prepare deklarasyon taks ou gratis nan yon sit VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) ki toupre w. Ale sou [FindYourFunds.org](http://FindYourFunds.org); [Bostontaxhelp.org/tax-sites/](http://Bostontaxhelp.org/tax-sites/); ak [Masscap.org/freetaxprep/](http://Masscap.org/freetaxprep/)

Èske w se yon imigran ki bezwen yon ITIN pou ranpli deklarasyon taks ou? Kontakte Greater Boston Legal Services, Low Income Taxpayer Clinic [litc-intake@gblls.org](mailto:litc-intake@gblls.org); 617-603-1510