

# FIGHT COVID-19 OFFER PAID LEAVE



## Get paid back for offering paid leave

Thanks to the American Rescue Plan, immediate tax credits are available through most of 2021 to businesses that offer their employees paid sick and family leave. You could see these credits in your bottom line as soon as your next quarterly filing.

These credits make it easy to keep your employees safe and healthy. And, they are good for more than just your business: Offering paid sick and family leave helps fight the virus by helping employees get vaccinated and encouraging sick employees to stay home.

If you:

- Are a business with under 500 employees;
- Offer paid sick or family leave to your employees through September 30, 2021; and
- Have employees who take paid leave due to COVID including for illness, quarantine, getting tested or vaccinated, or caregiving.

Your business may be eligible for tax credits of more than \$17,000 per employee who takes sick or family leave from April 1 through September 30, 2021.



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Your business may also be eligible for additional credits for those who took sick leave January 1 through March 31, 2021.



Beginning April 1, 2020, any businesses with fewer than 500 employees were entitled to a tax credit equal to 100% of emergency paid leave they provided

## Find out how to claim your paid leave credit at TREASURY.GOV

Please note that this is a simplified description of the paid leave credit rules. Business owners should consult with their tax advisors regarding the specifics of their situation.

