



# Advance Child Tax Credit Payments for Americans Experiencing Homelessness

## You don't need a permanent address to receive advance payments.

You qualify for advance Child Tax Credit payments if you have a **qualifying child**. Also, you — or your spouse, if married filing a joint return — must have your main home in one of the 50 states or the District of Columbia for more than half the year.

## Your main home can be any location where you regularly live.

For this credit, in addition to a house, apartment or mobile home, a qualifying home can also be a shelter, temporary lodging or other location and doesn't need to be the same physical location throughout the taxable year.

### If you aren't sure you're eligible or need to submit information to the IRS, these online tools can help.

- Use the **Eligibility Assistant** to see if you're eligible for the payments.
- Use the **Non-filer Sign-up Tool** to submit basic information if you aren't required to file a tax return and haven't given the IRS your information previously.
- Use the **Child Tax Credit Update Portal** to check if you're enrolled for the advance payments. You may also use this tool to unenroll from advance payments and to provide or update your bank account information.