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EMPLOYEE RETENTION CREDIT

A refundable tax credit, resulting in a refund check, designed to reward and encourage your business to keep your employees on payroll.

The potential maximum credit for 2021 is \$21,000 per employee. Receiving a Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) loan does not instantly exclude you from qualifying.

The Employee Retention Credit (ERC) is a fiscal incentive created by Congress in the form of a refund check. The intent of the credit is to combat the negative impact on the economy caused by the COVID-19 Pandemic.







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HOW TO QUALIFY:



WAS YOUR BUSINESS IMPACTED BY A GOVERNMENT MANDATE DURING 2021?

Businesses impacted by closures and restrictions on hours or capacity automatically qualify. If your business can prove its operations were negatively impacted as a result of the inability to obtain goods or materials from its suppliers, you may qualify for the ERC. If any aspect of your business was impacted by a government mandate, you may qualify.



DID YOUR BUSINESS HAVE A REDUCTION IN GROSS RECEIPTS OF AT LEAST 20% FOR ANY QUARTER IN 2021 WHEN COMPARED TO THE **SAME QUARTER IN 2019?**

The second way to qualify is based on a reduction of gross receipts. This is measured on a quarter by quarter basis. To qualify for a quarter in 2021, you need at least a 20% reduction of gross receipts compared to the same quarter in 2019.