

# Welcome

to the Unemployment Benefits Services Tutorial



## How to View Your IRS 1099-G Information

## **Tutorial Overview**

Unemployment benefits are taxable under federal law.



### Paying Taxes on Your Benefits

- You may choose to have TWC withhold federal income tax from your unemployment benefits at a tax rate of 10 percent before we send them to you.
- Withholding taxes is not required.
- In January, TWC sends you the IRS Form 1099-G: Certain Government Payments, Statement for Recipient. This form shows the total amount of benefits paid in the previous calendar year.

This tutorial includes instructions for viewing your Internal Revenue Service (IRS) 1099-G information over the Internet.

#### You may view:

- TWC's address and federal identification number
- how much income tax was withheld from your unemployment benefits, if any, and
- IRS 1099-G information for prior year(s)

### Viewing Your IRS 1099-G Information



Viewing your IRS 1099-G information over the Internet is fast, easy, and secure. The Internet is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, in English and Spanish.

### To view your IRS 1099-G information:

- 1. go to our Web site at <u>ui.texasworkforce.org</u>
- 2. select the link, View IRS 1099-G
- 3. log on to Unemployment Benefits Services.

## **Unemployment Benefits Services**



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#### **Unemployment Benefits Services**

#### On this page:

- Logon Options
- Apply for Benefits
- Request a Payment
- View Claim and Payment Status
- View Appeal Status
- View IRS 1099-G Information
- Submit a Work Search Log
- Change Payment Option
- Estimate Unemployment Benefits
- Technology Requirements

Under the Logon Options heading, select either of these links, Returning users logon here or Logon with a User ID from another TWC Internet application. Both will take you to the Logon page.

#### Logon Options

- Returning users, logon here.
- Logon with a User ID from another TWC Internet application, such as WorkInTexas.com.
- Sign up for a TWC Internet User ID.

- This is the first page you see when you go to <u>ui.texasworkforce.org</u>.
- Before you can access the View IRS 1099-G Information option, you must log on to UBS using your User ID and Password.
- For instructions on how to create, retrieve or reset a User ID and Password, go to the <u>How to Create</u> <u>User IDs and Passwords Tutorial.</u>

**Note:** If you want to print pages from this tutorial and don't have a printer, you may use a printer at your local <u>Workforce Solutions</u> office.

### My Home Page

After you log on, the **"My Home"** page displays.

### This page provides:

- Quick Links to various topics and resources
- Messages from TWC

To view your IRS 1099-G information, select the link, **IRS 1099-G Information,** under the **Quick Links** heading.

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Quick Links	My Home		
Apply For Benefits	my nome		
Claim and Payment Status Payment Request Work Search Log	Beware of e-mail scams asking for your Social Security number (SSN), debit card number, or PIN. TWC never asks for your P or debit card number, and requests your SSN number only after you make an inquiry if you receive benefits by debit card from Chase Bank, a Chase representative may call you to verify transactions as part of a fraud detection program Chase will no t as for your card number or PIN. Do not volunteer that information.		
WorkInTexas.com IRS 1099-G Information	You can apply for unemployment benefits free of charge on 🗗 <u>ui texasworkforce org</u> or at 800-939-6631. TWC unemployment staff does not perform home visits. Give TWC personal information only when applying for benefits online at <u>ui texasworkforce org</u> or when calling a Tele-Center.		
Payment Option Appeal List	If you have moved to another state or Canada you need to register for work search assistance in your place of residence at a public workforce office or online. You must register within seven (7) days of moving and continue to meet your required weekly work search activities. TWC will verify that you registered with your state of residence. If you do not register for work search, you benefits may be delayed or denied.		
Change My Profile Contact Information	See the list of state 🗗 Public Workforce Offices for help finding out how to register in your state. PDF files require Adobe Reader for viewing		
Password Security Information	VRU TEST-DP, welcome to Unemployment Benefits Services.		
Personal Information	Here are your messages:		
	<ul> <li>You are required to do at least 5 work search activities each week.</li> <li>Check G Guidelines for a Productive Work Search (PDF) for examples of activities.</li> </ul>		

## Viewing Your IRS 1099-G Information Online

### In this section you will learn how to:

- View recipient's information
- View payer's information
- View IRS 1099-G details
- View IRS 1099-G information for

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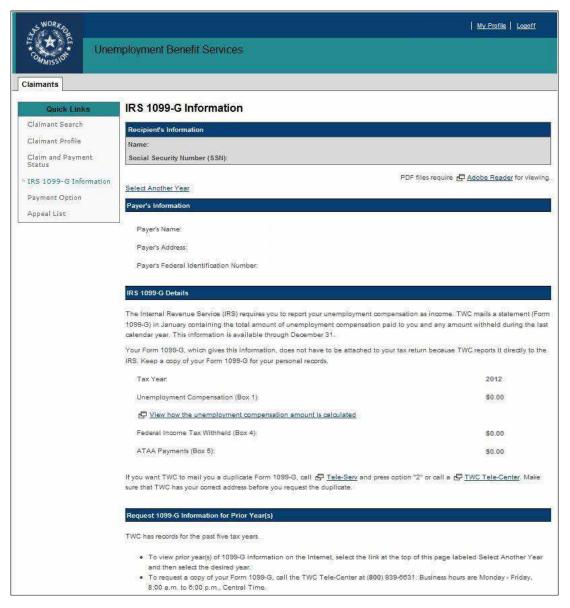
prior years

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### **IRS 1099-G Information**

The **IRS 1099-G Information** page displays:

- Your name and Social Security number
- TWC's address and federal identification number
- IRS 1099-G details, such as the tax year, amount of benefits paid and federal income tax withheld, if any



### Income Tax Withheld

The **IRS 1099-G Details** section shows:

- The tax year you're viewing
- Total unemployment paid during that calendar year
- Federal income tax withheld, if any
- Alternative Trade
   Adjustment Assistance
   (ATAA) payments, if any

#### IRS 1099-G Details

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) requires you to report your unemployment compensation as income. TWC mails a statement (Form 1099-G) in January containing the total amount of unemployment compensation paid to you and any amount withheld during the last calendar year. This information is available through December 31.

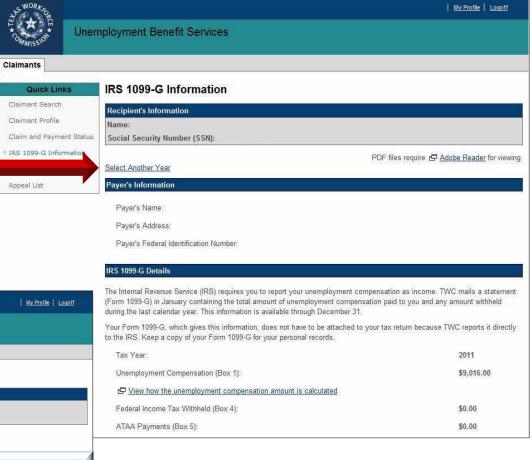
Your Form 1099-G, which gives this information, does not have to be attached to your tax return because TWC reports it directly to the IRS. Keep a copy of your Form 1099-G for your personal records.

Tax Year	2009
Unemployment Compensation (Box 1)	\$9,432.00
View how the unemployment compensation amount is calculated	
Federal Income Tax Withheld (Box 4):	\$38.00
ATAA Payments (Box 5)	\$0.00

### Select Another Year

To view 1099-G information for another year, choose the link, **Select Another Year,** located above the **Payer's Information** heading.

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» IRS 1099-G Information		
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	2010	Another Year, choose the link
	2009	to the year you want to view.
	2008	to the year you want to view.
	2007	



## Still need help?

Call the TWC Tele-Center at 800-939-6631 to speak with one of our customer service representatives.