

# Information for persons who could access compensation payments for lost income

## What you need to know :

- The main information is available on the Geneva canton website, at the address :  
<https://www.ge.ch/covid-19-aide-financiere-exceptionnelle-perte-revenus>;
- You can only access compensation payment if you have resided (with or without a permit) **in Geneva at least since 17 March 2019** ;
- You can access compensation payment if you have been **working since at least 17 December 2019**, declared or undeclared, documented or undocumented;
- The payment will compensate income lost between **17 Mars 2020 and 16 May 2020**, because of the coronavirus crisis ;
- Compensation payment is only available to persons who have not received other forms of public financial compensation (unemployment benefits, social benefits, coronavirus-specific compensation funds) for the income lost between 17 March and 16 May 2020 ;
- Compensation payments can be requested online on the Geneva canton website as of 19 September 2020 and for the following 90 days, **if there is no referendum against the law**;
- **As of 19 September, associations and trade unions listed below will be available to help you fill in the request if needed** ;
- Beware of persons asking for money to help you file a request ;
- **Public information sessions** about this law and how to file a request will be organized by associations and trade unions **between 31 August and 18 September 2020**. Information about these sessions will follow and be communicated broadly.

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