

MIXED EARNERS UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION (MEUC) ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTATION

Mixed Earners Unemployment Compensation (MEUC) is a temporary program providing an additional \$100/week to certain individuals who are receiving unemployment benefits under standard Unemployment Insurance (STUI), Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC), or Federal-State Extended Benefits (FDEB). You may be eligible for MEUC if you were previously or are currently self-employed.

To be eligible for MEUC, you must provide documentation to prove **net self-employment earnings** of at least \$5,000 in the tax year prior to your initial STUI claim.

***Note: MEUC does not apply to individuals who are receiving Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA).**

Net Earnings

The amount of revenue left after subtracting all expenses, taxes and costs.

If your initial
STUI claim was
established in 2020

**SUBMIT
DOCUMENTS
FOR TAX YEAR 2019**

If your initial
STUI claim was
established in 2021

**SUBMIT
DOCUMENTS
FOR TAX YEAR 2020**

Acceptable Documentation

If you **HAVE** already filed your taxes for the tax year prior to your initial STUI claim, submit **BOTH**:

- **Schedule C** – Must show the Social Security Number of the person filing for MEUC on the form

AND

- **1040 form** – If filing a joint return, the person filing for MEUC must provide a Schedule C **under their name**

If you have **NOT** already filed your taxes for the tax year prior to your initial STUI claim, submit any of the following to verify your net income:

- **1099 forms**
- **Bank receipts**
- **Business ledgers**
- **Invoices**
- **Business records**
- **Contracts**
- **Billing statements**

**Note: Tax deductible expense total will need to be provided to calculate net income.*

The deadline for MEUC applications will be the first week of September 2021. Because the MEUC program has its own requirements, existing claimants will not automatically receive this benefit. You must submit proper documentation and meet all program qualifications to be approved and receive MEUC payments.

Documentation may be submitted by:

- **Upload** through your online claimant account home page when you apply
- **Fax** documents with claimant ID and issue ID or coversheet to 505-841-8636
- **Mail** documents with claimant ID and issue ID or coversheet to New Mexico Department of Workforce Solutions, P.O. Box 1928, Albuquerque, NM 87103

**The deadline for applications will be the first week of September 2021.
Do not submit more than once.**