

# PANDEMIC EMERGENCY UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION (PEUC) PROGRAM PROGRESSION

## Standard Unemployment Insurance

Available for up to 26 weeks to individuals who have lost their job or had hours reduced through no fault of their own and are found monetarily eligible

*Exhaust Standard UI, apply for PEUC.*

## Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC)

Available for up to 13 weeks after standard unemployment benefits have been exhausted

*Exhaust PEUC or reached program end date of 12/26/2020. May be eligible to apply for FDEB1.*

## End of Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) Program

The PEUC program under the CARES Act ended on December 26, 2020

*Had remaining PEUC balance  
after 12/26/2020*

**OR**

*PEUC balance was  
\$0 before 12/26/2020*

Qualified and started certifying for FDEB1. NMDWS moved the claim back to PEUC to continue certifying until paid the remaining PEUC balance as long as there are no holds or pending issues on the claim.

*Exhaust PEUC. May be eligible to apply to FDEB1  
if PEUC 11-week extension has not started.*

## Federal-State Extended Benefits (FDEB1)

Available for up to 13 weeks after standard unemployment benefits and PEUC benefits have been exhausted or ended with PEUC program end on December 26, 2020

Qualified and started certifying for FDEB1. Will remain on FDEB1 until the 13 weeks are exhausted.

**OR**

Did not qualify for FDEB1 or chose not to apply for extended benefits. Will wait for 11-week PEUC extension to begin.

*PEUC 11-week extension starts*

## PEUC under Continued Assistance for Unemployed Workers Act

- Available for up to 11 weeks
- Available until week ending March 13, 2021 (no new applications accepted after that date), with allowance for 3 additional weeks of benefits for those who have not reached the maximum number of weeks through week ending April 3, 2021

*Exhaust PEUC or reach program end date of 4/3/2021. May be eligible to apply for FDEB1*

## Federal-State Extended Benefits (FDEB1)

If not previously applied for or exhausted, FDEB1 may be available for up to 13 weeks total after PEUC benefits under Continued Assistance for Unemployed Workers Act have been exhausted