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### **Pandemic Unemployment Assistance Monetary Determination**

**You've applied for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance. Please read this entire letter for important details on your claim.**

**This letter explains how much money you may receive each week that you qualify for benefits.** Your weekly benefit amount is the amount you may receive each week before any deductions. It is based on the wages or income you earned during the most recently completed tax year. Your benefit year is the period of time you will be eligible to receive benefits if you continue to qualify.

**We have determined:**

- **Your weekly benefit amount is \$0.**
- **Your benefit year is Feb 2 2020 to Dec 26 2020.**

Whether you qualify to receive these benefits each week is determined based on the information you provide when you file your weekly claim.

**If your weekly benefit amount is more than \$0, you have a valid claim.** If you don't have a valid claim, the reason why is explained later in this letter.

Search more than 60,000 Washington jobs on WorkSourceWA.com. Visit WorkSource for free employment workshops and expert job-hunting advice.  
Read the Handbook for Unemployed Workers at [esd.wa.gov](http://esd.wa.gov) to find everything you need to know about benefits, including training for a new career.





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### Review your work history

Employers report their employees' hours and wages to us on a quarterly basis. We received wage and hour information for you from the employer(s) listed below. Please note, if you are self-employed, an independent contractor, or work only in employment not covered by unemployment insurance, the table below will not include any hours or wage information until we have verified this information with your earnings documentation.

Employer	Jan to Mar 2019		Apr to Jun 2019		Jul to Sep 2019		Oct to Dec 2019	
	Wages	Hours	Wages	Hours	Wages	Hours	Wages	Hours
DART CONTAINER CORP OF	7,876.80	476	6,679.70	348	8,762.85	458	8,618.83	495
<b>Quarterly Totals</b>	7,876.80	476	6,679.70	348	8,762.85	458	8,618.83	495

**Total Wages** 31,938.18                      **Total Hours** 1777

**You have the right to request reconsideration of this determination by the department within one year of the date of this letter if you disagree with this determination.**

### How to request a redetermination by the department

If any information looks wrong or is missing, call the claims center between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday at 800-318-6022, if you need help. During high call volumes, our claims center hours may be extended. Check esd.wa.gov for our current hours.

If you have a hearing or speech impairment and need to call us, use the Washington Relay Service at 711.

You may also submit a written request for reconsideration by visiting your eServices account and attaching it, by faxing it to 800-301-1796, or by mailing it to:

Employment Security Department  
UI Imaging - Pandemic Unemployment Assistance  
P.O. Box 19019  
Olympia, WA 98507-0019

Anytime there is an adjustment to your determination, we will send you a Pandemic Unemployment Assistance Monetary Redetermination.

Be sure to file your weekly claims, even if you are waiting for an answer from us.

### Important details

- If you filed your claim for weeks between March 29 and July 25, 2020, and you are eligible for at least \$1 of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance in each week, you will also receive an additional \$600 Pandemic Unemployment Compensation in your weekly payment.
- If you are self-employed, an independent contractor, or worked in other employment not covered by regular unemployment insurance, we asked you to provide documentation of your earnings. Once we review your documentation, we will apply your earnings (if applicable), recalculate your weekly benefit amount, and send you a redetermination.





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- If you didn't provide earnings documentation with your application, you have 21 days from the date of your application to submit it.
- You may submit your earnings documentation by visiting your eServices account and attaching it, by faxing it to 800-301-1796, or by mailing it to:  
Employment Security Department  
UI Imaging - Pandemic Unemployment Assistance  
P.O. Box 19019  
Olympia, WA 98507-0019
- We will review your claim regularly and may adjust your benefit amount or determine that you are instead eligible for regular unemployment benefits or extensions. If we do that, we will notify you.

### **Deductions**

The amount of Pandemic Unemployment Assistance payable to you for a week of unemployment is reduced by the amount of any of the following that you have received for the week:

- Earnings (earnings deduction equals gross earnings minus \$5, times 75%)
- Benefits or insurance proceeds from any source not defined as compensation for loss of wages due to illness or disability
- Supplemental unemployment benefits as part of a collective bargaining agreement
- Private income protection insurance
- Workers' compensation by virtue of the death of the head of household as a result of the COVID-19 public health emergency
- Prorated amount of a retirement pension or annuity under a public or private retirement plan or system

### **Continued eligibility**

To remain eligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance, you must:

- Not be eligible to receive unemployment benefits for the same period,
- Not be receiving workers' compensation or Paid Family and Medical Leave benefits for the same period,
- Not be able to telework (work from home or remotely) the same number of hours as you worked before the public health emergency with pay, and
- Be otherwise able and available for work except that you can't work due to continuing to meet one or more of the following COVID-19 public health emergency criteria:
  - Your place of employment closed as a direct result of the COVID-19 public health emergency
  - You are an independent contractor or self-employed individual and the COVID-19 public health emergency has severely limited your ability to do your customary work activities
  - A child or other household member for whom you have primary caregiving responsibilities is unable to attend school, daycare, or other facility that is closed as a direct result of the COVID-19 public health emergency, and such school or child care is necessary for you to be able to work
  - You cannot reach your place of employment because of quarantine imposed by a state or municipal order restricting travel as a result of the COVID-19 public health emergency
  - You are unable to reach your place of work because you have been advised by a health care provider





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to self-quarantine due to concerns related to COVID-19

- You were scheduled to start a job but no longer have a job or are unable to reach the job as a direct result of the COVID-19 public health emergency
- You had to quit as a direct result of COVID-19
- You were diagnosed with COVID-19
- You have symptoms of COVID-19 and are seeking a medical diagnosis
- An individual in your household has been diagnosed with COVID-19
- You are providing care for a family member or household member who has been diagnosed with COVID-19
- You became the breadwinner or major support for a household because the head of household died as a direct result of COVID-19

### **About Your Claim**

We will deduct \$12.00 from your weekly benefit amount. The Division of Child Support (DCS) deduction will continue until your debt is repaid. If you have questions, call DCS at 800-442-KIDS.

### **Reason(s) you don't have a valid claim**

Eligibility for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance requires that you met and continue to meet one or more of the COVID-19 public health emergency criteria.

You told us the reason you were unemployed, partially unemployed, unable or unavailable for work was not due to the COVID-19 public health emergency. You are not eligible for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance under the CARES Act.

The laws that apply are 20 CFR 625.4 and Public Law 116-136





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## How to file an appeal

You can appeal this determination.

You must file your appeal by Sep 8 2020. Your appeal must include:

- Your claimant ID or Social Security Number.
- Your name.
- Your current mailing address.
- Your phone number.
- Which determination you want to appeal.
- The reason(s) you disagree with the determination.
- Your handwritten or electronic signature. We will return unsigned appeals.

If you file your appeal late, you must explain why in your appeal. Your late appeal will be dismissed unless you have a good reason.

Choose one method to submit your appeal.

- By logging into your eServices account
- By Fax, 800-301-1795
- By mail

If you mail or fax your appeal, you may use our appeal template or write your own letter. To get our template, go to <http://esd.wa.gov/benefits-appeal-form>.

Submit the letter or template to:

Employment Security Department  
Claims Center Appeals  
P.O. Box 19018  
Olympia, WA 98507-0018  
Fax: 800-301-1795

For more information about the appeal process, refer to the Appeals section of the Handbook for Unemployed Workers. Call the Claims Center at 800-318-6022 if you need help.

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If you file an appeal, continue to file your weekly claim each week you want to receive benefits.

