

ⓘ USAC's Emergency Broadband Benefit Program is experiencing high demand. We appreciate your patience as we respond to consumer calls and emails as quickly as we can. Thank you.

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Stay Connected

The Emergency Broadband Benefit Program -
Helping people stay connected during the
COVID-19 pandemic



The Emergency Broadband Benefit Program is administered by USAC with oversight from the Federal Communications Commission (FCC).

A video thumbnail featuring a blue overlay on the left with the FCC logo and the text "Emergency Broadband Benefit Program". The background shows a young boy wearing headphones and looking at a screen. A white play button icon is centered over the image.

Federal Communications Commission
FCC
Emergency Broadband Benefit Program

What is the Emergency Broadband Benefit Program?

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The Emergency Broadband Benefit Program is a Federal Communications Commission (FCC) program [that](#) provides a temporary discount on monthly broadband bills for qualifying low-income households. If your

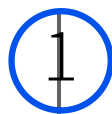
(/do-i-household-is-eligible-qualify/) can receive:

- Up to a \$50/month discount on your broadband service and associated equipment rentals
- Up to a \$75/month discount if your household is on qualifying Tribal lands
- A one-time discount of up to \$100 for a laptop, tablet, or desktop computer (with a co-payment of more than \$10 but less than \$50)

Only one monthly service discount and one device discount is allowed per household. To receive the connected device discount, consumers need to enroll in the EBB Program with a participating provider that offers connected devices (not all service providers offer device discounts). The service provider will provide the discount to the consumer.

The program will end when the fund runs out of money, or six months after the Department of Health and Human Services declares an end to the COVID-19 health emergency, whichever is sooner.

Receive Your Benefit



Check If You Qualify

See if your household (/do-i-qualify/what-is-a-household/) fits into any eligible categories (/do-i-qualify/)

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Apply for the Emergency Broadband Benefit

Choose how you want to apply (/how-to-apply/) and submit all necessary documents (/how-to-apply/show-you-qualify/)

[Apply Now](#)

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Find a Broadband Provider Near You

Use our search tool (/companies-near-me/) to find a company that offers Emergency Broadband Benefit discounts

Enhanced Tribal Benefit

The Emergency Broadband Benefit helps to connect Tribal communities during the pandemic with an enhanced benefit for consumers living on Tribal lands.

[Learn More \(/do-i-qualify/tribal-benefit/\)](#)

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[Do I Qualify? \(/do-i-qualify/\)](#)

[How to Apply \(/how-to-apply/\)](#)

Companies Near Me (/companies-near-me/)

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