

***Are you immunocompromised and considered high risk for Covid-19?
If so, you may be eligible to receive unemployment benefits.***

Who is immunocompromised?

Check with your doctor to see if you have a condition that makes you immunocompromised. The CDC recognizes:

- People with chronic lung disease or moderate to severe asthma
- People with severe obesity (body mass index [BMI] of 40 or higher)
- People with diabetes
- People with chronic kidney disease undergoing dialysis
- People with liver disease
- People who have serious heart conditions, cancer treatment, smoking, bone marrow or organ transplantation, immune deficiencies, poorly controlled HIV or AIDS, and prolonged use of corticosteroids and other immune weakening medications



***I am immunocompromised and considered to be high risk for Covid-19.
If my doctor recommends that I leave my job, will I be eligible for unemployment benefits?***

You may be. Your case will be stronger if you provide the following **TWO** documents in support of your application:

1. A doctor's note certifying that you are immunocompromised, with medical substantiation of your specific ailment;

AND

2. A doctor's note certifying that due to your medical condition, you are advised not to go to work because working in your current job puts you in a compromised position, should you contract Covid-19.

What if I am denied benefits?

- You may appeal the denial, or you may wish to apply for PUA benefits instead. Call us at the number listed for more information.

What if I can't get my doctor's notes?

- These documents will **make for a stronger case**, but are **not required** as part of the application process. If you are immunocompromised and must leave your job, apply even if you don't have these documents.

Questions? Leave us your name, number, and questions to connect:



800-445-9025