

ASSEGNO UNICO: HELP FOR YOUR FAMILY

The "assegno unico" is an economic benefit for families with dependent children.



DEPENDENT CHILDREN:

Your family will receive the benefit each month for the period between March and February of the following year for each dependent child:

- **minor**, right from the 7th month of pregnancy;
- **adult**, up to the 21st year (if he/she attends a training course, university, the civil service, an internship, or if he/she is registered as unemployed);
- **with disability**, without age limits.

THE VALUE OF THE BENEFIT INCREASES FOR:

- each child after the second one;
- children who are not independent, who have serious and moderate disabilities (even if older than 21 years);
- mothers who are less than 21 years old;
- parents who both work;
- families with an ISEE of no more than € 25,000.

YOU ARE ELIGIBLE IF:

- You have a long-term permit to stay or a work or awaiting employment permit to stay for a period of more than 6 months;
- You are resident and live in Italy and pay income tax;
- You have been resident in Italy for at least 2 years (or you have a permanent employment contract, or a fixed-term contract that lasts no less than 6 months).

SINGLE BENEFIT: HOW TO APPLY

From 1 January, families can ask for the benefit to obtain monthly economic assistance beginning from 1 March.

To obtain the benefit, you can contact Patronage.

The benefit will be paid from the month of March, if you submit the request before 30 June; otherwise, from the month following the application if you submit the application from July onwards.

If you don't yet have the ISEE, you may request it, for free, by contacting the CAF.

REMEMBER:



- You can submit the benefit application even if you don't have your ISEE or believe that its value exceeds € 40,000 and you will be paid the minimum amount stipulated.
- If you supplement the benefit application with the ISEE certificate by 30 June, you will be entitled to any back payments.

For subsequent years, it will not be necessary to submit a new application to INPS; only if there are changes in the family (number of children, different ISEE...) will it be essential to notify INPS by 28 February.

CALCULATE THE AMOUNT OF THE BENEFIT
YOUR FAMILY IS ENTITLED TO USING THE
INPS SIMULATOR

FOR INFORMATION



PATRONAGE

Offers assistance and protection to workers, retirees, and, in general, to all citizens within Italy, including foreigners, in managing bureaucracy and in knowing and exercising their rights.

PATRONAGE PROVIDES INFORMATION, ASSISTANCE, AND CONSULTANCY ON:

- Pensions;
- Work injuries and occupational illnesses;
- Disabilities;
- Income support: family allowances, unemployment, and maternity;
- Immigration: requests for and renewal of permits to stay.

The majority of services offered by Patronage is free.

FISCAL ASSISTANCE CENTRES (CAF)

Fiscal assistance centres (CAF) are offices that help citizens to fill in and send tax documents and are spread throughout Italy.

SERVICES

The procedures for sending pre-filled forms are always free, as well as some other services, like filling in the ISEE. On the other hand, as far as regards assistance for some bureaucracy, such as income tax returns, the CAF service is paid. The figure varies based on whether the applicant is enrolled in a trade union.

In any case, every CAF is obliged to display their price list inside every office.

OTHER PAID SERVICES OFFERED BY THE CAF INCLUDE:

- income tax returns
- property tax (IMU) declarations;
- land registry surveys;
- IMU and property service tax (TASI) F24 calculations;
- registering a lease agreement;
- managing a domestic employment relationship (cleaners and caregivers).

Generally, however, the cost of paperwork done by CAFs is not high; if you are enrolled in a trade union, you can also save up to half of the rate.

GLOSSARY



- The Indicator of equivalent economic situation (ISEE) measures the overall economic status of the family, i.e. of the people who are included in the family state and who are fiscally dependent on the applicant.

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