INFORMATION ABOUT THE CALIFORNIA EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT

You may qualify for the California Earned Income Tax Credit (Cal EITC) depending on your annual earnings. The Cal EITC is a refundable state income tax credit available to low-income working individuals and families, and started with the 2015 calendar tax year. To determine the potential impact of your receipt of unemployment benefits on your California taxes, you will need to consult with the Franchise Tax Board (FTB) or your tax preparer.

The Cal EITC has no effect on eligibility for Medicaid, Supplemental Security Income, food stamps, or most other temporary assistance for those in need. Even if you do not owe state taxes, you must file a state tax return to receive the Cal EITC. For information regarding your eligibility for the Cal EITC, or to obtain the necessary forms to apply for this refundable tax credit, visit the FTB website at [www.ftb.ca.gov](http://www.ftb.ca.gov) and search EITC or contact the FTB at 1-800-852-5711.

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