

Electronic Income Withholding Order

California Child Support Services

Fact Sheet

Do you receive numerous paper Income Withholding Orders? Register for the Electronic Income Withholding Order.

Employers have three options when registering for the Electronic Income Withholding Order (e-IWO) process. The choices are e-IWO Online, No Programming and System-to-System.

- **e-IWO Online**

No server is required, and great for employers that are not able to enroll in the System-to-System or No Programming choices. To enroll, register on the Child Support Portal at ocsp.acf.hhs.gov/csp/home/employer. Employers will become active within 5 to 15 business days.

- **No Programming**

The best choice for employers that receive a low volume of IWOs. With the No Programming option, employers have the option to receive a PDF copy of the IWO, and a PDF or Excel acknowledgement. The implementation time is 2 to 4 weeks.

- **System-to-System**

This choice is optimal for employers that receive a high volume of IWOs and have the technical support for programming and implementation. Please allow 3 to 5 months to begin receiving the e-IWOs.

The federal Office of Child Support Services (OCSS) created an efficient and cost effective method for child support agencies and employers to electronically exchange the following information:

- ⇒ Receive Income Withholding Orders (IWOs)
- ⇒ Send Acknowledgement of acceptance or rejection of IWOs
- ⇒ Notification of employee receiving a bonus/Lump Sum payment
- ⇒ Notification of employee terminations

For additional information visit:

<https://www.acf.hhs.gov/css/employers/e-iwo>
Or contact the e-IWO Team at eiwomail@acf.hhs.gov

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