

COVID-19 Relief Information

<u>Relief</u>	<u>Requirements</u>	<u>How To Access</u>
Special Social Relief of Distress Grant (Unemployment Grant): R350.00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> You must be over 18. You must be unemployed. You must not be receiving other government assistance (e.g. Social grants, UIF, NSFAS etc.). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicants must send WhatsApp message to 082 046 8553, use USSD Code *134*7737# or email SRD@sassa.gov.za They will be required to supply their ID number, name, surname, any disabilities, contact details, proof of residence, banking account details. Applications have now opened Temporary relief; only available for the next 6 months (until October 2020).
Western Cape Department of Social Development Humanitarian relief (Food parcels)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application is conducted via telephone. You provide them with your basic information (e.g. name, address, number of persons etc.), they then submit your application on your behalf, and you are given a reference number. Thereafter a social worker assesses your application and indicates whether or not you qualify for a food parcel. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Call 0800220250 (free call) or 0860142142 or send a please call me to 0797691207.
Child Support Grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be receiving a child support grant. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An additional R300.00 per child for May will automatically be paid. From June to October, the grant will be back to R440.00pm but each caregiver will receive an additional R500.00 automatically.
Other Existing Social (SASSA) Grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be receiving a social (SASSA) grant. These include old age, disability, foster and care dependency, etc. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grants recipients will automatically receive an additional R250.00pm for the next six months (until October).
UIF: Unemployment Insurance Fund: The minimum amount is R3 500.00pm.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must have contributed to UIF. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Register online at https://www.ufiling.co.za/uif/

<p>The maximum amount is R6 730.00pm</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have lost their job or had their hours reduced. 	
<p>Temporary Employer/Employee Relief Scheme (TERS): Minimum paid out from scheme is R3 500.00pm</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employers must apply for this relief. • Available to all businesses with workers who are registered for UIF. • TERS is available to help employers pay their employees. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Register on and complete forms at http://uifecc.labour.gov.za/covid19/covid19Registration • Call 080 003 007 for more information.