

## Expansion of Unemployment Benefits:

The CARES Act expands unemployment benefits in several ways. It authorizes:

Self-employed workers and gig workers to receive unemployment benefits

All unemployed works to receive an Extra \$600 a week for up to six weeks

Unemployed workers to get an extra 13 weeks of benefits beyond the number a state currently allows.

## Alabama Unemployment Insurance Program Overview

General Info:

<https://labor.alabama.gov/uc>

Coronavirus update FAQ's

[https://labor.alabama.gov/newsfeed/news\\_covid19/Coronavirus and Unemployment Insurance Benefits UPDATED FAQ.pdf](https://labor.alabama.gov/newsfeed/news_covid19/Coronavirus_and_Unemployment_Insurance_Benefits_UPDATED_FAQ.pdf)

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