DI Office Locations and Mailing Addresses

Chico ........................................ 645 Salem Street
(PO Box 8190, Chico, CA 95927-8190)

Chino Hills ...1515 Fairfield Ranch Road, Ste. 100
(PO Box 60006, City of Industry, CA 91716-0006)

Fresno ..................................... 2555 S. Elm Avenue
(PO Box 32, Fresno, CA 93707-0032)

Long Beach ........ 4100 Long Beach Blvd., Ste. 600
(PO Box 469, Long Beach, CA 90801-0469)

Los Angeles ...... 888 S. Figueroa Street, Ste. 200
(PO Box 510096, Los Angeles, CA 90051-1096)

Oakland .......... 7677 Oakpark Street, Ste. 325
(PO Box 1857, Oakland, CA 94668-1857)

Sacramento ............... 5009 Broadway
(PO Box 51140, Sacramento, CA 95811-1440)

San Bernardino ....... 171 West 3rd Street
(PO Box 781, San Bernardino, CA 92402-0781)

San Diego ...9246 Lightwave Avenue, Bldg. A, Ste. 300
(PO Box 120811, San Diego, CA 92112-0811)

San Francisco .... 745 Franklin Street, Rm. 300
(PO Box 193514, San Francisco, CA 94119-1514)

San Jose .................. 297 West Hedding Street
(PO Box 617, San Jose, CA 95106-0617)

Santa Ana ........... 2 MacArthur Place, Suite 400
(PO Box 1466, Santa Ana, CA 92702-0146)

Santa Barbara ...... 128 East Ortega Street
(PO Box 1529, Santa Barbara, CA 93102-1529)

Santa Rosa .......... 606 Healdsburg Avenue
(PO Box 700, Santa Rosa, CA 95402-0700)

Stockton .......... 3127 Transworld Dr., Ste. 150
(PO Box 20206, Stockton, CA 95201-2060)

California State Government Employees
(PO Box 2168, Stockton, CA 95201-2168)

Van Nuys ............ 15400 Sherman Way, Rm. 500
(PO Box 10402, Van Nuys, CA 91401-0402)

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Disability is an illness or injury, either physical or mental, which prevents customary work. Disability includes elective surgery, pregnancy, childbirth, or related medical conditions.

Disability Insurance (DI) is a component of the State Disability Insurance (SDI) program, designed to partially replace wages lost due to a non-work-related disability (see “Other Programs,” for job-related disabilities).

SDI contributions are paid by California workers covered by the SDI program. Contribution rates may vary from year to year. For current rates, visit the DI website at www.edd.ca.gov/disability, or contact the Employment Development Department (EDD) Disability Insurance customer service at 1-800-480-3287 or EDD employment tax customer service at 1-888-745-1386.

DI Plans
• State Plan
• Voluntary Plan (VP)

Voluntary Plans may be established if the employer and majority of employees agree to do so. VP information and filing a claim may be done through your employer. If you are covered by a VP, the provisions of this brochure may not apply to you. Obtain information about your coverage and file a VP claim through your employer.

Elective Coverage (EC): Employers and self-employed persons, including general partners, may elect coverage. The method of computing benefits for EC participants is not the same as for mandatory rate payers. The cost of participating, which is set annually, can be observed on the local EDD Employment Tax Customer Service Office.

EC claims are filed in the same manner as State Plan claims; however, there are some differences in eligibility requirements from those listed in this pamphlet.

For additional information or to apply for coverage, contact EDD DI customer service at 1-800-480-3287, EDD employment tax customer service at 1-888-745-1386, or visit our website at www.edd.ca.gov/disability.

How to Claim State Plan Benefits
1. Use SDI Online to securely file for benefits or request a paper claim form online.
   • By Internet: www.edd.ca.gov/disability.
   • By phone: 1-800-480-3287.
   • By mail: EDD, Disability Insurance, PO Box 980777, West Sacramento, CA 95706-7777.

2. When filing using SDI Online, complete all required fields. A receipt number will be generated when your claim is submitted. If using a paper Claim for Disability Insurance (DI) Benefits (DE 2501) form, complete and sign Part A-Claimant’s Statement. Print clearly, and verify your answers are complete and correct as error delay payment.

3. Have your physician/practitioner complete the Part B - Physician/Practitioner’s Certificate online or use the paper claim form. If filing online, your physician/practitioner will need your receipt number to complete the Part B - Physician/Practitioner’s Certificate.

Usually a claim cannot begin more than seven days after you were examined by or under the care of a physician/practitioner. Certification may be made by a licensed medical or osteopathic physician and surgeon, nurse practitioner, physician assistant, chiropractor, dentist, podiatrist, optometrist, designated psychologist, or an authorized medical officer of a United States government facility. Certification may also be made by a licensed nurse-midwife or licensed midwife for disabilities related to normal pregnancy or childbirth.

4. File online or submit your paper claim form within 49 days from the date your disability begins. If your claim is late, you may lose benefits unless your explanation of the delay is accepted as reasonable.