

What is the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)?

The Earned Income Tax Credit is available to people who worked in 2010 and earned less than \$48,362. If you qualify, you could reduce or eliminate your income taxes, even get money back. Last year C.A.S.H. clients claimed an average of \$2,000—money that could be used for savings, home repairs, or even a car. To get your Earned Income Tax Credit, you must file a tax return—even if you don't owe taxes.

What is C.A.S.H.?

C.A.S.H. is an Empire Justice Center and United Way of Greater Rochester-led community coalition that helps working families get the money and assistance they've earned.

What does C.A.S.H. offer?

- C.A.S.H. and its partners provide many programs designed to help improve long-term economic well-being, including:
- free tax return preparation
 - free credit reports
 - home-buying programs
 - affordable health insurance
 - pay yourself first - simple savings solutions
 - free checking and savings accounts
 - money management education

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C.A.S.H. helps working families get, keep, and grow their money - especially during tax season.

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C.A.S.H. Free Tax Return Assistance



**Financial independence doesn't
have to be a dream.**

2010-2011

Who qualifies for the EITC?

To claim the credit you must have:

1. Worked full or part-time in 2010 and
2. Had a 2010 income of less than:
 - \$13,460 (single); \$18,470 (married) for child-less workers between the ages of 25 and 65
 - \$35,535 (single); \$40,545 (married) for families with one qualifying child
 - \$40,363 (single); \$45,373 (married) for families with 2 qualifying children
 - \$43,352 (single); \$48,362 (married) for families with 3 or more qualifying children

To qualify for C.A.S.H. services:

1. Your total household income in 2010 was less than \$50,000 for families with qualifying children and less than \$35,000 for childless workers and
2. You worked and lived only in New York State during 2010 and
3. You don't have rental property income and
4. You did not sell stocks, bonds or other financial assets and
5. If you are self-employed, you did not have employees and your business expenses were less than \$5,000
6. If you have military pay, please schedule an appointment so we are prepared to help you

What you need to bring:

1. Picture IDs for you and your spouse
2. A Social Security card and an accurate birthdate for each family member
3. W-2 forms for all jobs worked in 2010
4. All 1099 forms that you received
5. Copy of last year's tax return, if available
6. Childcare provider's name, address and tax ID number, if applicable
7. For direct deposit, bring account and routing number information for both your checking and savings accounts

C.A.S.H. Super Site Locations

Open January 24, 2011 – April 16, 2011

Super Sites Open to the Public

1/24/11 - 1/29/11 Appointments only
1/31/11 - 4/16/11 Appointments and walk-ins welcome, as time allows

No walk-ins accepted less than

one hour before sites close

585-242-6485

- Downtown - Volunteers of America (behind the Retail Center) 

214 Lake Ave., Rochester 14608
Monday-Saturday, 9 am - 5 pm

- Henrietta - South Town Plaza (next to Plato's Closet) 

3333 W. Henrietta Rd., Rochester 14623
Monday-Thursdays, 2 pm - 8 pm
Friday, 2 pm - 5 pm
Saturday, 9 am - 5 pm

- Irondequoit - Hudson and Titus Plaza (behind Summit Federal Credit Union) 





2111 Hudson Ave., Rochester 14617
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or visit www.empirejustice.org/cash

Partner Sites Open to the Public

Call the site for information and appointments

- Action for a Better Community, Inc. 
49 Stone St., Rochester 14604
585-325-5116, ext. 3410 (Walk-ins only)
Saturdays 9 am - 2 pm
Call ahead if handicap accessibility is needed
- Family Restoration Project, Inc.
360 Wellington Ave., Rochester 14619
585-436-0085 (by appointment only)
Mon, Thu, and Fri 6 pm - 8:30 pm
- Genesee Co-op FCU
395 Gregory St., Rochester 14620
585-244-2944 (by appointment only)
Saturdays 11 am - 4 pm 
- Roberts Wesleyan College - Hastings Center
2301 Westside Dr., N. Chili 14514
585-594-6091 (Appointments preferred) 
Saturdays 9 am - 5 pm
- Rochester Rehabilitation Center (Employment Connection) 
415 South Ave., Rochester, 14620
585-263-2690
Wed 4 pm - 8 pm, Sat 9 am - 12 pm
- 1199 SEIU United Health Care Workers
225 West Broad St., Rochester 14608
585-244-0830, ext. 310 or 318
Tue and Thu 3 pm - 7 pm, Sat 10 am - 2 pm

The AARP Tax Aide Program provides income tax preparation for seniors. To find a site near you, call 1-888-687-2277 or check out their web site, www.AARP.org/TaxAide.