



**syndicat**

**interprofessionnel  
de travailleuses et  
travailleurs**

Geneva, April 7<sup>th</sup> 2021

**To our members**

**Coronavirus crisis**

## **Compensation for casual workers**

- 1) You have been living in Geneva since March 2019 at least
- 2) You lost working hours (income) between 17th March 2020 and 16th May 2020 because of the pandemic
- 3) You have not received any financial compensation from Geneva canton nor from the Swiss federal state related to the sanitary crisis during this time

Whether you have a residence permit or not, you can apply for compensation for loss of pay to the Geneva administration.

*All information by scanning the QR code with the camera of a smartphone or on [sit-syndicat.ch](http://sit-syndicat.ch)*



### **Do you need help with this claim?**

Phone 022 818 03 15 for an appointment as soon as Tuesday 13th April on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays between 9am and 12am

**For your appointment, please bring the following documents:**

- Your passport (or Identity Card for Swiss citizens and citizens from European Union states)
- Your own bank card if you have a personal bank account (IBAN)
- Proof that you have been living in Geneva canton since at least 17th March 2019 (examples on the following page)
- Proof that you lost income between 17th March 2020 and 16th May 2020 (examples on the following page)
- Proof of your paid activity and your earnings during the 12 preceding months (17th March 2019 - 16th March 2020).

## **Examples of documents which can prove that you have been living in Geneva (at least since 17 March 2019) :**

- Residence permit (or attestation)
- Information about State Pension (AVS)
- Proofs of payments towards private pension schemes (LPP)
- Tax certificate
- Payslips
- Work contract
- Lease contract
- Proof of Family allowance
- School certificate or school report
- Any school documents addressed personally to the parents (about school meals, sport classes, music classes, etc)
- Health insurance papers, subsidies towards health insurance
- Household insurance papers
- Bus passes with your name or your children's names on
- Bank statements with your name on, showing regular payments to local shops
- Bills with your name on from doctors, electricity board, telephone, etc

## **Examples of documents which prove your income or your loss of income (salaries from February 2019 to May 2020, or at least from December 2019 to May 2020) :**

- Payslips
- Work contracts
- Receipts or proofs of received income (for example, receipts from Chèque Service)
- Texts from your employers asking you not to come to work (textos, e-mails, whatsapp, etc) and mentioning the non-payment of your salary
- Personal notes (such as in your diary, calendar, etc)
- If you have no document at all, a compensation based on a declaration of honour on your part can be considered.

## **Other places that are open to everybody and will help you fill in your application:**

You don't need an appointment to go to these places.

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### **Croix-rouge genevoise** <https://www.croix-rouge-ge.ch/>

Second floor  
2, rue Pictet-de-Bock  
1205 Genève

#### Opening hours:

Monday: 10 am - 1pm

Tuesday to Friday: 10 am - 6pm

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### **Centre social protestant** <https://www.csp.ch/geneve/>

Ground floor, Forum II  
14, rue du Village-Suisse  
1205 Genève

tél. : 022 807 07 00

#### Opening hours:

Monday: 1.30pm - 5pm

Wednesday: 8.30am - 12.30pm

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### **Caritas** <http://www.caritas-geneve.ch/>

53, rue de Carouge  
1205 Genève

tél. : 022 708 04 15

#### Opening hours:

Tuesday and Thursday: 8am - 5pm

Friday: 8am - 12am

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