

Orange County Department of Child Support Services

Child Support Debt Reduction Program

The Child Support Debt Reduction Program may reduce the amount of past due child support owed for a time period your child(ren) received public assistance.

Child Support Debt Reduction Program Essentials

You must meet certain criteria to apply for this program, including:

- Past due owed to the state
- Ability to pay some of the balance due to the state

Contact our office for more information about qualifying for the program.

The application process requires documentation such as:

- Federal tax returns
- Paystubs and bank statements
- Auto registration on all vehicles owned by you
- Income and Expense form provided by our office
- Other documentation as needed

Preparing your documentation in advance expedites the application process. A representative will contact you once a determination of eligibility is made.



What can impact eligibility to the Child Support Debt Reduction Program?

Certain occurrences may impact your eligibility, including:

- Concealing income and/or assets
- Withholding or falsifying financial information
- Being found in contempt of court for failure to pay support within six months prior to applying for Child Support Debt Reduction Program
- Intentionally failing to pay child support in anticipation of your debt being reduced

Contact Us

Do you need assistance completing Child Support Debt Reduction Program forms? Our team is dedicated to navigating the Child Support Debt Reduction Program process with you - at no cost. If you need help, give us a call, visit our office or visit us online.



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