

Spanish Web Site

www.irs.gov/Spanish

Provides internet access for practitioners and LEP taxpayers to IRS information, applications, and materials in Spanish.

Interactive Applications

Asistente EITC (EITC Assistant)

Presentación Free File (Free File)

¿Dónde está mi Reembolso? (Where's my refund?)

Spanish Topics

- Information for individuals who arrive at the U.S. and need tax-related information
- Information for small businesses
- Identity theft
- Criminal investigation
- Individual Taxpayer
 Identification Numbers (ITINs)
- Taxpayer Advocate Service
- Disaster-related information
- Tax Topics

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Introduction

IRS' Spanish web site (http://www.irs.gov/spanish) provides taxpayers with IRS filing season tax information, interactive on-line applications, and downloadable forms and publications in Spanish. It meets the needs of limited English proficient (LEP) customers for whom Spanish is the primary language: individuals, small business owners, and tax practitioners. This web site, based on feedback from customer surveys and research, addresses Spanish-speaking LEP customers' concerns about filing requirements and enhances IRS' promotion of voluntary compliance.

Background Information

The Spanish web site launched in 2001 and visits to the site have increased steadily since it was started. IRS' Multilingual and Agency Services Branch continually revises the Spanish web site content to address issues of highest customer concern. Topics are chosen based on customer feedback.

Highlights

- Spanish language forms and publications making it easier for Spanish-speaking taxpayers to understand IRS
 tax information in the language they are most comfortable with.
- Asistente EITC (EITC Assistant)— an interactive application that helps taxpayers determine eligibility for EITC by answering some basic questions.
- Presentación Free File (Free File) an interactive application that allows certain taxpayers to complete and
 electronically file their tax returns for free using Spanish-language tax software provided by our Free File Alliance
 partners.
- ¿Dónde está mi Reembolso? (Where's My Refund?)- an interactive application helping taxpayers track the status of their return and expected date for receiving their federal tax refund.

The Spanish web site is the source of and your link to a whole world of Spanish language IRS services, filing season information, and downloadable tax materials. It offers user friendly categories, content, and links.

Log on to www.irs.gov/spanish and see all the features for yourself!

How Can You Help?

We need your help to ensure the information is available to and used by our LEP customers and stakeholders. Please refer your Spanish-speaking taxpayers to our Spanish web site for up-to-date information in Spanish. Familiarize them with our products, services, and ability to interact with IRS. Also, please share this information with your managers and coworkers.

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