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Question

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Answer

Starting April 28, the Treasury began sending economic stimulus payments to more than 130 million households. To find out if you are eligible for a stimulus payment or if you have other questions about the stimulus bill, please go to the IRS website at www.irs.gov. The [IRS website](#) has the best and most up-to-date information to answer your questions about the stimulus payment.

If you prefer, you may call IRS on their toll-free number at 1-800-829-1040.

Social Security beneficiaries, who are filing a 2007 tax return only to obtain the stimulus payment, will not need a replacement Form 1099 for IRS to determine if they are eligible to receive a stimulus payment. An estimate of Social Security benefits received in 2007 is sufficient.