

Respond to the 2020 Census

Messaging to Encourage Response for General Audiences

Prior to Nonresponse Followup	During Nonresponse Followup	Final Week	Beyond
<p>There's still time to respond. Respond now online, by phone, or by mail.</p>	<p>It's not too late to respond. Respond now or when a census taker comes to your door.</p>	<p>This is the final week to respond to the 2020 Census. Respond now.</p>	<p>Thank you for responding!</p>
<p>Respond online now at 2020census.gov or by phone at 844-330-2020.</p> <p>Or, if you have the 2020 Census questionnaire you received in the mail or at your door, fill it out and mail it back.</p> <p>Most households have responded. Don't be left out—your response matters.</p> <p>Respond for where you were living on April 1 and include everyone who usually lived there too, including children.</p> <p>Encourage your family and friends to respond if they haven't already. Remind them that their response matters.</p> <p>If we don't hear from your household, a census taker will visit soon to ask you the census questions in person.</p>	<p>Respond online now at 2020census.gov, by phone at 844-330-2020, or by mail.</p> <p>Respond for where you were living on April 1 and include everyone who usually lived there too, including children.</p> <p>Most households have responded. Don't be left out—your response matters. Remind your family and friends, too.</p> <p>A census taker will visit soon to ask you the census questions in person if you haven't responded already.</p> <p>If a census taker comes to your home, please cooperate. Your community needs your response.</p> <p>Census takers are from your community. They know that a complete and accurate count will benefit your area.</p> <p>Encourage your family and friends to cooperate if a census taker visits their home.</p> <p>Census takers will wear masks and follow the current health and safety guidelines in your community.</p> <p>If you responded without a Census ID, we may visit you to confirm your address and collect your responses in person. We want to ensure we count everyone in the right place.</p>	<p>Don't miss the chance to shape your future—your response matters.</p> <p>If you think you may not have been counted, respond online at 2020census.gov or by phone at 844-330-2020 now.</p> <p>Respond using the address where you were living on April 1 and include everyone who usually lived there too, including children.</p>	<p>The next 10 years of funding for critical services will be informed by your participation in the census.</p> <p>Census results will be shared soon.</p>

See "2020 Census Operational Adjustments Due to COVID-19" for the latest operational timeline at <https://2020census.gov/en/news-events/operational-adjustments-covid-19.html>.

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Responding to the 2020 Census is easy, safe, and important

It's easy.

- Responding takes only a few minutes to complete.
- You can respond online or by phone in one of 13 languages and find assistance in many more. Visit <https://2020census.gov/languages.html>.
- It has never been easier to respond on your own, whether online, over the phone or by mail—all without having to meet a census taker.

It's safe.

- Your response is safe, secure, and confidential. Your information is protected by law.
- We will not share your responses with immigration or law enforcement agencies.
- By law, your answers can only be used to produce statistics.
- Responding now will minimize the need for a census taker to follow up and visit your home later this year.
- Census takers will wear masks when they interview households in person. The interviews are quick and can be done outside your home and 6 feet apart.

It's important. Your response matters.

- Responding to the 2020 Census in this time of social distancing makes a difference for the well-being of your community and helps shape the future.
- Your response helps to direct billions of dollars in federal funds to local communities for health care, emergency response, schools, education programs, roads, and other public services.
- Results from the 2020 Census will determine the number of seats each state has in Congress and your political representation at all levels of government.
- Complete the 2020 Census now so your community will have the resources it needs over the next 10 years.
- An accurate census count helps communities get the resources they need for emergency and disaster response.