



COMUNE DI CERVIA

INFORMATIVA



ASSEGNO DI MATERNITA' MATERNITY ALLOWANCE

1) Preliminaries

The Financial Act n. 448/98 art. 66 and its consecutive amendments, set a Maternity Allowance contribution to all the mothers who are not entitled of any benefit released by INPS or any other Assistance Dept. due to their status.

2) Who is entitled to ask for a Maternity Allowance contribution:

- Italian Citizen
- European Union Citizen
- Non-EU citizen holding a Residence Card*
- Non-EU citizen holding a Long Term EU Residence Permission*
- Non-EU citizen holding a 5 years long EU-Citizen or Italian family member Residence Card.
- Non-EU citizen holding a permanent Residence Card for non-EU citizenship family members
- Citizen with residence in the Municipal Territory
- Citizen with an ISEE family unit income (easy terms for under-aged) not beyond the threshold set by ISTAT, up-to-dated annually.

Presidenza del Consiglio dei Ministri – Dipartimento per le politiche familiari has set the ISEE Threshold to € 17,330.01 for the year 2019 (Official Gazette no. 82 dated 06.04.2019).

For child birth, adopted child in foster or pre-adoptive care, from the 01.01.2019 till 31.12.2019, the allowance is set at € 346.39 (if the mother is awarded of the whole amount) for a period of 5 months, equal to a total amount of € 1,713.95.

3) Time frame in which applications must be presented

Maternity Allowance applications **must** be presented within and not beyond 6 months from the childbirth, for each child birth or adopted in foster or pre-adoptive care.

4) Notes and recommendation

- Worker mothers holding a welfare contribution below the figures specified in the Financial Act n. 448/98 art. 66 and its consecutive amendments, can forward Applications to gain the total amount.
- ISEE Certification is released by a Fiscal Assistance Centre (CAF) or by a Trade-Union Organization
- Maternity Allowance is allocated by INPS according to the data supplied by the Municipality.
- Financial Police shall operate investigations on applications with an ISEE figure set to 0.
- Applications must be done filling the specific form and forwarded to Servizio CerviaInforma Cittadini, Viale Roma 33 (phone 0544.979350) with all the documents required, attached.
- Application Form can be downloaded from the official site www.comunecervia.it , Form Section. Alternatively, can be requested at CerviaInforma Cittadini, directly and where information about the service are available.



Point (2): * Residence Card must not be understood as Residence Permission. Residence Cards are released by the Provincial Chief of Police to the citizen who have been living in Italy regularly for 5 years minimum and holding a Residence Permission. Law by Decree 3/2007 has replaced the “Residence Card” with “Long Term EU Residence Permission”. As a result, non-EU citizen holding that Permit together with the specified requisites, are entitled to receive Maternity Allowance contribution.

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