

# Form W-2G

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Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

# Form W-2G Certain Gambling Winnings

File with Form 1096

For calendar year 20\_\_\_\_

OMB No. 1545-0238

2023



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PAYER'S name, street address, city or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code		<b>1</b> Reportable winnings \$	<b>2</b> Date won	OMB No. 1545-0238 <b>Form W-2G</b> <b>Certain Gambling Winnings</b> (Rev. December 2023) For calendar year 20 ____
		<b>3</b> Type of wager	<b>4</b> Federal income tax withheld \$	
		<b>5</b> Transaction	<b>6</b> Race	
		<b>7</b> Winnings from identical wagers \$	<b>8</b> Cashier	
PAYER'S TIN	PAYER'S telephone no.	<b>9</b> WINNER'S TIN	<b>10</b> Window	For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the <b>current General Instructions for Certain Information Returns.</b>
WINNER'S name		<b>11</b> First identification no.	<b>12</b> Second identification no.	
Street address (including apt. no.)		<b>13</b> State/Payer's state identification no.	<b>14</b> State winnings \$	
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code		<b>15</b> State income tax withheld \$	<b>16</b> Local winnings \$	<b>File with Form 1096</b>
		<b>17</b> Local income tax withheld \$	<b>18</b> Name of locality	<b>Copy A</b> <b>For Internal Revenue Service Center</b>
Under penalties of perjury, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the name, address, and taxpayer identification number that I have furnished correctly identify me as the recipient of this payment and any payments from identical wagers, and that no other person is entitled to any part of these payments.				
Signature:			Date:	

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This information  
is being furnished  
to the IRS.

**Copy B**  
**Report this income**  
**on your federal tax**  
**return. If this form**  
**shows federal**  
**income tax**  
**withheld in box 4,**  
**attach this copy**  
**to your return.**

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This is important tax information and is being furnished to the IRS. If you are required to file a return, a negligence penalty or other sanction may be imposed on you if this income is taxable and the IRS determines that it has not been reported.

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**For Winner's Records**

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# Instructions to Winner

**Box 1.** The payer must furnish a Form W-2G to you if you receive:

1. \$1,200 or more in gambling winnings from bingo or slot machines;
2. \$1,500 or more in winnings (reduced by the wager) from keno;
3. More than \$5,000 in winnings (reduced by the wager or buy-in) from a poker tournament;
4. \$600 or more in gambling winnings (except winnings from bingo, keno, slot machines, and poker tournaments) and the payout is at least 300 times the amount of the wager; or
5. Any other gambling winnings subject to federal income tax withholding.

Generally, report all gambling winnings under the "Other income" line of Schedule 1 (Form 1040). You can deduct gambling losses as an itemized deduction, but you cannot deduct more than your winnings. Keep an accurate record of your winnings and losses, and be able to prove those amounts with receipts, tickets, statements, or similar items that you have saved. For additional information, see Pub. 529 and Pub. 525.

**Box 4.** Any federal income tax withheld on these winnings is shown in this box. Federal income tax must be withheld on certain winnings less the wager.

Certain winnings that are not subject to regular gambling withholding may be subject to backup withholding if you did not provide your taxpayer identification number (TIN) to the payer.

Include the amount shown in box 4 on your Form 1040 or 1040-SR as federal income tax withheld. See Pub. 505 for additional information.

**Signature.** You must sign Form W-2G if you are the only person entitled to the winnings and the winnings are subject to regular gambling withholding. Return the signed form to the payer, who will give you your copies.

**Other winners.** Prepare Form 5754 if another person is entitled to any part of these winnings. Give Form 5754 to the payer, who will use Form 5754 to prepare Form W-2G for each person listed as a winner.

**Future developments.** For the latest information about developments related to Form W-2G and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to *[www.irs.gov/FormW2G](http://www.irs.gov/FormW2G)*.

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**Copy 2**  
**Attach this copy**  
**to your state,**  
**city, or**  
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**tax return,**  
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Notice, see the  
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**Returns.**

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**For Payer**

# Instructions for Payer

To complete Form W-2G, use:

- The current General Instructions for Certain Information Returns, and
- The current Instructions for Forms W-2G and 5754.

To order these instructions and additional forms, go to [www.irs.gov/OrderForms](http://www.irs.gov/OrderForms).

**Filing and furnishing.** For filing and furnishing instructions, including due dates, and to request filing or furnishing extensions, see the current General Instructions for Certain Information Returns.

**Withholding.** You may be required to withhold federal income tax from cash or noncash gambling winnings. See the current Instructions for Forms W-2G and 5754 for more information, including the withholding rates.

**Foreign winners.** Use Form 1042-S to report gambling winnings paid to nonresident aliens and foreign corporations. See the Instructions for Form 1042-S and Pub. 515 for more information.

**Form 5754.** If the person receiving the winnings is not the actual winner or is a member of a group of winners, see *Specific Instructions for Form 5754* in the current Instructions for Forms W-2G and 5754.

**Need help?** If you have questions about reporting on Form W-2G, call the Technical Services Operation (TSO) toll free at 866-455-7438 or 304-263-8700 (not toll free). Deaf or hard-of-hearing customers may call any of our toll-free numbers using their choice of relay service.

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