



Would you like to reduce what you owe in taxes and help end the cycle of poverty two generations at a time?

Donors who support Almost Home may be eligible to receive 70% of their donation amount back in the form of Missouri Maternity Home Tax Credits.

Corporations and individuals who file a Missouri tax return are eligible for additional tax advantages if they donate to Almost Home. Tax credits offset what a donor owes in state taxes and allows them to maximize their giving.

Here is how the tax credits work:

By utilizing Missouri tax credits, your \$1,000 contribution can have an out-of-pocket cost of \$247! Your generous gift helps provide our young moms and their babies a safe place to live and the support they need to transform their lives.

| | | Example* |
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| A | Gift Amount | \$1,000 |
| B | Mo State Deduction 5.3% ($A \times 5.3\%$) | -\$53 |
| C | State Maternity Home Tax Credit 70% ($A \times 70\%$) | -\$700 |
| | Total Out of Pocket Costs | \$247 |

*Assumes taxpayer's state & local tax deduction **has not yet been capped** at the maximum \$10,000 and is receiving a taxable refund. *Please consult your tax advisor regarding your individual situation. Credits cannot exceed \$50,000 per tax year, and contributions must be a minimum of \$100. Donations for this purpose must be cash, stocks, bonds, securities, or real property.*

It is easy to take advantage of the tax credits. Here's how:

Contribute \$100 or more to Almost Home. A maximum credit of \$50,000 may be used in a single tax year, and credits may be carried over into the next year.

1. Complete and sign the Maternity Home Tax Credit Application that is mailed to you with your gift acknowledgement and return of the completed application to Almost Home along with evidence of your donation (i.e., a copy of the front and back of your cancelled check or credit card receipt).
2. Almost Home will complete its portion of the application and forward it to the Missouri Department of Social Services for processing.
3. The Missouri Department of Social Services will notify you of its decision to approve your tax credit along with the necessary paperwork to include with your tax return.

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