

EMPLOYER FAQ

Q: Why can't I send money straight to the CSEA? Why is there a central processing?

The Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunities Reconciliation Act of 1996 (PRWORA) requires every state to have a centralized collection and disbursement unit. This is federal legislation that the State of Ohio, as well as all other states, must comply with. This was not a state or local decision, but rather a federal decision.

Q: Where are the payments mailed to?

Employers and Financial Institutions should send payments to:
Ohio Child Support Payment Central
PO Box 182394
Columbus OH 43218

LINKS:

[Employer Resources Overview](#): Great Link for More Info from ODJFS including: Remittance Coupons, Electronic Options and FAQs

[Employer's Resource Guide](#)

[Employer Brochure for Guide to Electronic Payment](#)