

IMSS: Digitalization of the Employer Identification Card

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On September 8, 2026, Agreement No. ACDO.AS2.HCT.310826/238.P.DIR (the "Agreement") was published in the Federal Official Gazette (*Diario Oficial de la Federación*, the "DOF"). Through this Agreement, the Mexican Social Security Institute (*Instituto Mexicano del Seguro Social*, "IMSS") implements the Digital Employer Identification Card (*Tarjeta de Identificación Patronal Digital*, the "Digital TIP") via the IMSS Mailbox (*Buzón IMSS*).

The Employer Identification Card (*Tarjeta de Identificación Patronal*, or "TIP") is the document through which employers identify before IMSS the individuals authorized to carry out certain employer-related procedures on their behalf. Under the new framework, employers and other obligated parties will be required to generate the Digital TIP through the IMSS Mailbox. The Digital TIP may be downloaded electronically and will replace the physical card for all procedures in which the TIP is required.

To generate the Digital TIP, employers and other obligated parties may register up to three authorized individuals per Employer Registration Number (*Registro Patronal*). Once the information has been validated, the Digital TIP may be generated and downloaded in PDF format.

The Agreement and its Annexes will become effective 15 calendar days following their publication in the DOF, i.e., on September 23, 2026.

In preparation for the Agreement's entry into force, we recommend that employers verify their access to the IMSS Mailbox and confirm, for each Employer Registration Number, that the information of their authorized individuals is accurate and up to date.

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