

TripTips Independent Sales Representative FAQs

You Have Questions. We Have Answers.

TripTips Independent Sales Representatives help eligible businesses and people join the TripTips referral-marketing marketplace.

Sales Representatives participate as independent contractors, not employees, and may earn compensation from qualifying businesses they validly onboard, qualifying users they directly refer, and other authorized TripTips marketplace activity.

Getting Started

How much does it cost to become a TripTips Independent Sales Representative?

There is currently no fee to apply for or become a TripTips Independent Sales Representative.

You are not required to purchase:

- Training
- Leads
- Inventory
- Starter kits
- Advertising
- Memberships
- Subscriptions
- TripTips products or services

Required TripTips Sales Representative training and the qualification test are provided free of charge.

Am I a TripTips employee?

No.

TripTips Sales Representatives participate as independent contractors, not employees.

You generally determine:

- When you work
- Where you prospect
- How frequently you work
- Which eligible businesses you approach
- Whether you participate at all

TripTips does not require fixed hours, mandatory shifts, minimum merchant visits, minimum sales quotas, mandatory office attendance, or mandatory recruiting.

You are generally responsible for your own business expenses, taxes, insurance, permits, and legally applicable licensing requirements associated with your independent activities.

What do I have to do to become an Official TripTips Independent Sales Representative?

Creating an account does not automatically activate Sales Representative functionality.

You must generally:

1. Create your TripTips account.
2. Accept the applicable TripTips Terms, Privacy Policy, and Independent Sales Representative Agreement.
3. Complete the free TripTips Sales Representative training.
4. Take the Sales Representative Qualification Test.
5. Score at least 90%.
6. Complete applicable account-verification requirements.
7. Receive Sales Representative activation through TripTips.

Before completing qualification, you are considered a Sales Representative Applicant.

After successfully completing the qualification process, TripTips may activate you as an Official TripTips Independent Sales Representative.

What happens if I do not score 90%?

A score below 90% does not qualify you for Sales Representative activation.

TripTips may permit you to review the applicable training material and retake the qualification test.

Training may address subjects including:

- Platform functionality
- Business onboarding
- Compensation
- Referral attribution
- Fraud prevention
- QR-code rules
- Employee PIN security
- Truthful marketing
- Prohibited earnings claims
- Data security
- Independent-contractor requirements
- Marketplace compliance

Sales Representative Activities

What am I allowed to do as a TripTips Sales Representative?

Authorized activities may include:

- Identifying prospective businesses
- Approaching business owners, managers, and authorized representatives
- Explaining TripTips
- Demonstrating authorized TripTips functionality
- Helping eligible businesses create free accounts
- Providing authorized TripTips referral QR codes or links
- Conducting webinars
- Conducting Zoom or video presentations
- Providing online demonstrations
- Using lawful social media
- Conducting lawful in-person business outreach
- Referring Customers
- Referring Promoters
- Referring eligible Sales Representatives
- Referring eligible Businesses

Can I walk into businesses and talk about TripTips?

Yes, subject to applicable law and property rules.

You may independently approach eligible businesses, including restaurants, entertainment venues, attractions, retailers, hospitality businesses, professional-service businesses, automotive businesses, beauty businesses, travel businesses, local-service businesses, and other TripTips-approved categories.

You must comply with applicable:

- Private-property rules
- Casino and resort rules
- Shopping-center or building rules
- Solicitation restrictions
- Permit requirements
- Trespass laws
- Local ordinances and laws

If a business or property owner asks you to leave, you must leave.

Can I promote TripTips through Zoom, webinars, or social media?

Yes.

Authorized Sales Representatives may use lawful:

- Webinars
- Zoom meetings
- Video conferences
- Online presentations
- Social media
- Live streams
- Screen sharing
- Digital demonstrations

You must accurately describe TripTips and comply with applicable advertising, disclosure, intellectual-property, and TripTips brand requirements.

Can I cold call, email, or text businesses?

Yes, where lawful.

You remain responsible for complying with applicable laws governing:

- Telephone solicitation
- Commercial email
- Text messaging
- Marketing consent
- Do-Not-Call requirements
- Automated communications

You may not engage in unlawful robocalling, spam, caller-ID spoofing, deceptive calling, unlawful automated texting, or unauthorized harvesting of personal information.

Business Onboarding

Does a Business have to purchase anything from me?

No.

Businesses may create eligible TripTips accounts and listings without purchasing anything from the Sales Representative.

Your role is generally:

Introduce → Educate → Demonstrate → Assist With Onboarding

The Business's contractual relationship is directly with TripTips.

Can I personally charge a Business to join TripTips?

No.

You may not require a Business to personally pay you to obtain access to TripTips.

You also may not personally collect, hold, transmit, route, settle, escrow, or redirect TripTips-related money belonging to:

- TripTips
- Businesses
- Customers
- Promoters
- Other Sales Representatives
- Payment providers

Authorized TripTips financial transactions are handled through TripTips and/or authorized financial-service providers.

Can I sign contracts on behalf of TripTips?

No.

You cannot legally bind TripTips unless TripTips separately gives you specific lawful authority to do so.

You may not:

- Sign TripTips agreements on behalf of the Company
- Modify TripTips contracts
- Waive TripTips rights
- Create unauthorized payment terms
- Guarantee Business approval
- Guarantee customers
- Guarantee sales
- Guarantee ROI
- Guarantee earnings
- Open accounts in TripTips' name
- Incur debt in TripTips' name
- Provide legal opinions on TripTips' behalf
- Make regulatory guarantees

Only an authorized TripTips officer or other authorized representative may legally bind the Company.

Business Acquisition Compensation

How do I earn from Businesses I onboard?

A Sales Representative does not earn a commission merely because a Business signs up, creates an account, or completes onboarding.

When an eligible Business is originally and validly attributed to your Sales Representative account through a TripTips-approved attribution method, you may earn:

\$0.50 Per Validated and Settled Transaction generated through that Business while the applicable merchant attribution remains valid and the Business remains active and eligible, subject to the Sales Representative Agreement and applicable rules.

Example

1,000 Validated and Settled Transactions × \$0.50 = \$500.00

If no Sales Representative validly referred or is attributed to a Business, TripTips receives and retains the applicable \$0.50 transaction allocation.

How long do I earn the \$0.50 Business commission?

TripTips may describe this as lifetime merchant attribution.

An eligible Business originally and validly attributed to you generally remains associated with you for the applicable \$0.50 transaction commission while:

- The Business remains active and eligible on TripTips
- Validated and Settled Transactions continue
- Your attribution remains valid
- Applicable law permits compensation
- The applicable TripTips compensation program remains operational

Each eligible Validated and Settled Transaction through that Business may generate the applicable \$0.50 commission.

“Lifetime attribution” does not mean you own the Business, have an exclusive territory, are guaranteed transaction volume, or are guaranteed that TripTips or any compensation program will operate indefinitely.

What makes a Business officially attributed to me?

TripTips determines Business attribution through authenticated platform technology.

This may include:

- Your Sales Representative QR code
- Unique referral link
- Invitation code
- Account identifier
- Merchant onboarding records
- Database records
- Platform records
- Authenticated system logs
- Another TripTips-approved attribution method

Simply speaking with a Business, walking into a Business, sending an email, possessing a business card, or adding a Business to your private prospecting list does not automatically establish attribution.

TripTips' authenticated records generally control attribution absent demonstrable error.

Can another Sales Representative take a Business I already validly onboarded?

Generally, no.

Once an eligible Business is validly attributed to you through TripTips' authenticated system, another Sales Representative cannot simply overwrite that legitimate attribution.

Fraudulent, stolen, fabricated, collusive, or manipulated attribution is not protected.

Customer & Promoter Referral Earnings

Can I refer Customers and Promoters?

Yes.

Sales Representatives may participate in authorized TripTips marketplace-referral functionality.

When an eligible person you directly and validly refer completes a Qualified Purchase through TripTips, you may earn applicable Referral Earnings.

Under the current Version 1.5 compensation structure:

Minimum Gross Referral Tip: \$8.00

Promoters, Customers, and Sales Representatives may currently earn approximately:

\$1.83-\$100+ Per Qualified Purchase

made by a valid direct referral.

Actual Referral Earnings depend on factors including:

- Participating Business
- Business category
- Merchant-selected Referral Tip
- Applicable promotion
- Minimum-spend requirements
- Transaction economics
- Applicable TripTips fees
- Transaction qualification
- Location
- Marketplace terms

No particular earnings amount is guaranteed.

How does the current lowest-end \$8 Referral Tip example work?

Under the current payment structure:

Gross Referral Tip: \$8.00

Current example:

- \$8.00 gross Referral Tip
- - \$0.50 ACH pull/payment-processing fee
- Remaining: \$7.50
- - \$2.25 TripTips share, representing 30% of the remaining \$5.25
- - \$0.50 Sales Rep Commission
- - \$0.50 processing fee (ACH PUSH to referrer)
- = \$4.25 Referral Earnings before applicable verification fees

The \$0.50 Sales Rep Commission allocation is paid to the validly attributed Sales Representative for that Business or retained by TripTips if no Sales Representative is validly attributed.

The \$4.25 figure is a lowest-end example under the current payment structure and is not a guarantee of earnings. Bank verification and tax fees apply on first referral earnings.

Referral Attribution

If I refer someone and another Promoter later tries to refer that same person, can they take my referral?

No, assuming your original referral attribution remains valid.

Once you validly refer a person to TripTips and that person's account is legitimately attributed to you through TripTips' referral system, another Promoter, Sales Representative, or participant cannot simply take or overwrite your original referral by later presenting:

- Another QR code
- Another referral link
- Another invitation code
- Another promotion

Your valid direct referral remains associated with you for compensation purposes while the referred person's applicable TripTips account remains active, subject to TripTips' attribution, fraud-prevention, legal, and compensation rules.

How long does someone I directly refer remain attributed to me?

Your valid direct referral generally remains associated with you for the continuing life of the referred person's active TripTips account.

The relationship generally continues while the referred user:

- Keeps the applicable TripTips account active
- Remains eligible under applicable TripTips rules
- Maintains valid referral attribution
- Engages in qualifying marketplace activity

What if my referral goes on vacation and meets another TripTips Promoter?

Another Promoter cannot simply take your existing referral.

Example

You refer Customer A to TripTips.

Customer A later travels to another city.

A different TripTips Promoter meets Customer A and presents another referral QR code.

Customer A already has an active TripTips account legitimately attributed to you.

The other Promoter does not replace your valid original attribution.

Your original referral relationship remains associated with Customer A's active TripTips account, subject to applicable TripTips rules.

Can another person's QR code or referral link overwrite my referral?

Generally, no.

Once a TripTips account already contains valid referral attribution, another participant's QR code or referral link does not automatically transfer that existing attribution.

TripTips' authenticated attribution records generally control absent fraud, manipulation, demonstrable error, invalid accounts, legal restrictions, or another circumstance expressly authorized under TripTips rules.

What if my referral stops using TripTips for a while?

Simply not using TripTips for a period of time does not automatically make that person someone else's referral.

If the original account remains active and the referral attribution remains valid, another Promoter or Sales Representative cannot take the referral merely because the person has not recently used the app.

If the person returns and completes qualifying TripTips marketplace activity, applicable referral compensation may continue under TripTips rules.

What happens if my referral deactivates or permanently deletes their TripTips account?

The referral attribution ends if the referred user deactivates or permanently deletes the applicable TripTips account.

In simple terms:

Active Account + Valid Attribution

Your referral attribution remains associated with you.

Account Deactivated or Permanently Deleted

Future referral attribution associated with that account ends.

Referral Compensation legitimately earned before termination of the applicable attribution remains subject to normal qualification, adjustment, and payout rules.

Does saying someone is “my referral” mean I own that person?

No.

Terms such as “my referral,” “your customer,” or “your Business” refer only to TripTips compensation attribution.

You do not own:

- The person
- Their TripTips account
- Their personal information
- Their purchases
- The Business
- The Business account
- Their legal relationship with TripTips

Referring Other Sales Representatives

Can I refer another Sales Representative?

Yes.

You may directly refer eligible Sales Representatives through TripTips' authorized referral system.

However, you are not paid merely because someone signs up.

You do not earn compensation solely because another person:

- Downloads TripTips
- Creates an account
- Accepts the Agreement
- Attends training
- Passes the qualification test
- Becomes activated
- Joins your referral network

Any applicable future Representative-referral compensation requires qualifying marketplace economic activity.

Do I have to recruit Sales Representatives?

No.

Recruiting is optional.

You do not need to recruit anyone to:

- Maintain your Sales Representative status
- Qualify for your direct \$0.50 merchant transaction commission
- Preserve legitimate merchant attribution
- Preserve legitimate user referral attribution
- Participate in TripTips

Planned 2028 Direct Sales Representative Referral Program

What is the planned 10% Sales Representative revenue-share program?

TripTips currently intends to introduce an additional Sales Representative referral compensation program approximately mid-to-late 2028.

If formally activated, an eligible Sales Representative may potentially earn:

10% of Defined TripTips Revenue attributable to qualifying marketplace activity generated by a directly referred Sales Representative.

This contemplated program is not currently active merely because it is described in the Agreement.

It remains subject to:

- Legal review
- Regulatory review
- Financial feasibility
- Technology readiness
- Operational readiness
- Management approval
- Formal TripTips activation

TripTips does not guarantee that the program will activate on a particular date.

Does the future 10% come out of the referred Sales Representative's \$0.50 commission?

No.

If the future program is formally activated, the applicable 10% revenue-share payment is intended to be paid directly by TripTips from eligible Defined TripTips Revenue.

It would not reduce or be deducted from the directly referred Sales Representative's applicable:

\$0.50 Per Validated and Settled Transaction Merchant Commission

Do I earn 10% just for recruiting somebody?

No.

TripTips does not pay Sales Representatives merely for enrollment or recruitment.

The contemplated future program requires qualifying marketplace economic activity.

No payment is earned merely because someone becomes a Sales Representative.

What does “Defined TripTips Revenue” mean?

For purposes of any formally activated future 10% program, Defined TripTips Revenue means the portion of revenue recognized by TripTips that TripTips expressly designates as eligible for that program.

Unless TripTips expressly provides otherwise, it may exclude amounts including:

- Merchant proceeds
- Taxes
- Refunds
- Chargebacks
- ACH returns
- Reversed transactions
- Fraudulent transactions
- Customer refunds
- Amounts not recognized as TripTips revenue
- Financing proceeds
- Debt proceeds
- Investor capital
- Equity proceeds
- Bank errors
- Payment reversals

TripTips will establish the applicable revenue base if and when the program is formally activated.

Is there an unlimited downline?

No.

Under the currently contemplated program, Sales Representative referral compensation applies to direct Sales Representative referrals only.

Example

You refer B.

B refers C.

C refers D.

If the future program is formally activated:

- You may potentially qualify from B's eligible marketplace activity.
- B may potentially qualify from C.
- C may potentially qualify from D.
- You do not automatically earn from C or D.

There is no automatic unlimited downline.

Is TripTips a pyramid or recruitment-based compensation program?

TripTips' Sales Representative compensation structure is based on legitimate qualifying marketplace economic activity, not merely recruiting people.

Sales Representatives:

- Are not required to recruit
- Are not paid merely because someone signs up
- Are not required to purchase inventory
- Are not required to buy a starter kit
- Are not required to purchase TripTips products or services
- May earn direct merchant transaction commissions without recruiting anyone
- May not create unauthorized recruitment-based compensation structures

Sales Representatives may not market or describe TripTips as a pyramid scheme or create private pay-to-join or unauthorized downline programs.

Work Schedule & Territory

How many hours do I have to work?

There is no required minimum schedule.

TripTips does not require:

- Minimum daily hours
- Minimum weekly hours
- Fixed shifts
- Mandatory clock-ins
- Mandatory field routes
- Mandatory office attendance
- Mandatory prospecting schedules

You determine whether and when to perform your independent Sales Representative activities.

Do I receive an exclusive territory?

No, unless TripTips expressly provides one in a separate written agreement.

Multiple Sales Representatives may operate in the same:

- City
- County
- State
- Neighborhood
- Industry
- Business category

Merchant attribution is determined through TripTips' authenticated systems, not merely by geography.

Can I work for other companies?

Yes.

You may perform lawful services for other businesses and clients.

You may not misuse:

- TripTips confidential information
- User or Business data
- TripTips intellectual property
- Merchant records
- Attribution systems
- Proprietary technology

Sales & Marketing Rules

What can I call myself?

Approved titles may include:

Independent TripTips Sales Representative

or:

Independent TripTips Business Development Representative

You may not falsely identify yourself as a TripTips:

- Employee
- Owner
- Corporate officer
- Attorney
- Compliance officer
- Financial advisor
- Bank representative
- Payment processor
- Government representative

Do I need to disclose that I am financially connected to TripTips?

When publicly recommending or promoting TripTips in circumstances where your financial relationship would not otherwise be obvious, you should provide any disclosure required by applicable law.

An appropriate disclosure may include:

"Independent TripTips Sales Representative."

Can I guarantee earnings?

No.

You may accurately explain TripTips' compensation structure, but you may not guarantee that someone will:

- Make money
- Earn a particular amount
- Earn six figures
- Replace their job
- Become wealthy
- Generate guaranteed passive income
- Achieve financial freedom merely by joining or recruiting

Actual results vary.

Can I guarantee results to a Business?

No.

You may not guarantee:

- Customers
- Sales
- Traffic
- Revenue
- Profit
- ROI
- Customer retention
- Transaction volume

TripTips is a referral-marketing marketplace. Business results vary.

Can I give legal, tax, banking, or financial advice on behalf of TripTips?

No, unless you independently hold the applicable professional license and TripTips separately authorizes the activity in writing.

Specialized questions involving:

- Law
- Tax
- Accounting
- Banking
- Payment processing
- Securities
- Investments
- Regulation

should be referred to TripTips management or the appropriate qualified professional.

Can I raise investment money for TripTips?

No.

Sales Representative status does not authorize you to:

- Sell TripTips equity
- Offer TripTips securities
- Solicit investors
- Broker ownership interests
- Promise investment returns
- Accept investor funds

TripTips fundraising is separate from the Sales Representative program.

Fraud Prevention

What activities are prohibited?

You may not engage in or facilitate activities including:

- Fake transactions
- Fake purchases
- Fake QR scans
- Fake Customers
- Fake Businesses
- Fake Sales Representatives
- Fake Promoters
- Duplicate accounts
- Account farming
- Circular transactions
- Employee collusion
- Merchant collusion
- Referral manipulation
- Attribution theft
- Refund manipulation
- Transaction splitting
- Identity fraud
- GPS or location spoofing
- Device manipulation
- Bot activity
- Employee PIN theft
- Account takeover
- Fabricated referrals
- Fake receipts

Fraudulent or otherwise invalid activity does not create legitimate compensation.

What happens if TripTips suspects fraud?

TripTips may reasonably investigate suspected fraud, collusion, abuse, or platform manipulation.

During an investigation, TripTips may:

- Temporarily suspend an account
- Restrict platform access
- Hold disputed compensation
- Request supporting documentation
- Review transactions
- Review system records
- Review attribution activity
- Review relevant merchant or employee identifiers

Fraudulent or otherwise invalid compensation may be denied, reversed, or recovered where permitted by law.

Getting Paid

When does TripTips pay Sales Representatives?

After eligible Referral Earnings become Available, the applicable minimum payout balance is satisfied, and all payout requirements are completed, TripTips generally processes and initiates eligible payouts within:

7–10 Business Days Business Days generally exclude:

- Saturdays
- Sundays
- U.S. federal holidays
- Applicable bank holidays
- Days when applicable banks, ACH networks, or payment providers are closed or unavailable

Processing may take longer because of verification, fraud/compliance review, transaction validation, refunds, reversals, ACH returns, payment-provider delays, bank delays, legal requirements, system outages, or similar circumstances affecting payment processing.

Is there a minimum amount required to cash out?

Yes.

Under Version 1.5, TripTips currently requires at least:

\$1.50 Available Balance

before initiating an ACH payout.

If your Available accrued balance is below \$1.50, the amount remains credited to your TripTips ledger and carries forward.

Once future eligible earnings increase the Available accrued balance to at least \$1.50 and all other payout requirements are satisfied, the eligible balance may enter the applicable 7-10 Business Day payout cycle.

What do I need to complete before receiving a payout?

TripTips may require:

- Accurate legal name
- Required address information
- Form W-9 or legally permitted electronic equivalent
- Applicable annual taxpayer-information certification
- Taxpayer Identification Number
- TIN verification or matching
- Identity verification
- Fraud/compliance review
- Eligible payout account
- Connected bank account
- Bank ownership or identity verification
- Applicable tax certifications
- Payment-provider requirements
- Other legally required payment or compliance information

Can I earn compensation before connecting my bank account?

Yes.

You may earn qualifying compensation before completing applicable payout verification.

For example, your TripTips ledger may indicate that compensation has been earned while showing:

Status: Payout Restricted

You cannot receive an ACH payout until the applicable tax, identity, banking, and compliance requirements have been completed.

Tax & Bank Verification

Do I need to complete a W-9?

TripTips may require U.S. Sales Representatives to complete a valid Form W-9 or legally permitted electronic substitute as a condition of receiving applicable nonemployee-compensation payouts.

In each calendar year in which you earn Referral Compensation, TripTips requires you to complete, confirm, update, or re-certify the applicable taxpayer information before cashing out Referral Compensation for that year.

The annual requirement is generally triggered when you earn your first Referral Tip or other eligible Referral Compensation of the new calendar year.

Once successfully completed for that calendar year, you ordinarily do not need to repeat the process during that same year unless TripTips reasonably requires corrected or updated information for tax, identity, fraud-prevention, or legal-compliance reasons.

Does the IRS require everyone to submit a new W-9 every January?

TripTips' annual W-9/tax-certification requirement is a TripTips payout and compliance requirement.

TripTips does not represent that the IRS independently requires every taxpayer to submit an entirely new Form W-9 solely because a new calendar year begins.

What is the current annual tax-verification and administration fee?

Under Version 1.5, the current fee is:

\$1.34 This represents TripTips' annual W-9/TIN/1099-NEC tax-verification and reporting administration fee.

In each calendar year in which you earn applicable Referral Compensation, TripTips may assess this fee one time when the annual tax-verification/reporting administration process for that year is required.

It is not represented as an IRS fee, tax, fine, or government penalty.

What is the current bank-verification fee?

Under Version 1.5, the current initial bank-verification fee is:

\$1.08 This may apply when your payout bank account is initially connected and verified through Plaid or another TripTips-approved bank-verification provider.

The bank-verification fee is not an annual fee.

If you later replace or change your verified payout bank account and a new verification is required, another applicable bank-verification fee may apply.

What is deducted when both verification fees apply for the first time?

Under Version 1.5:

- Annual tax-verification/reporting administration fee: \$1.34
- Initial bank-verification fee: \$1.08

Combined Initial Verification Deduction: \$2.42

These amounts are disclosed administrative, processing, and verification charges and are not represented as taxes or government filing fees.

What happens on the lowest-end \$8 Referral Tip if it is also my first ever Referral Tip?

Under the current Version 1.5 example:

Referral Earnings Waterfall

\$8.00 Gross Referral Tip

- - \$0.50 ACH pull/payment-processing fee
- - \$2.25 TripTips share
- - \$0.50 Sales Rep Commission
- - \$0.50 payment processing (ACH PUSH to referrer)

\$4.25 remains before first-time verification fees.

If both first-time verification fees apply:

- - \$1.34 annual tax-verification/reporting administration fee
- - \$1.08 initial bank-verification fee

\$1.83 remains credited to your TripTips ledger.

What happens at the beginning of the next calendar year?

If you earn your first Referral Tip or other eligible Referral Compensation in a new calendar year, TripTips may place payout functionality into Payout Restricted status until you complete the applicable annual W-9/ tax-certification requirement.

The applicable \$1.34 annual tax-verification/reporting administration fee may then be assessed one time for that calendar year.

You ordinarily would not pay the initial bank-verification fee again simply because a new year began if your existing eligible payout bank account remains connected and verified.

What happens if I change my bank account?

If you replace or change your verified payout bank account, TripTips may require the replacement account to be verified before additional payouts are initiated.

Under the current Version 1.5 structure, another \$1.08 bank-verification fee may apply if a new verification is required.

What happens if I do not complete tax or payout verification?

Qualifying compensation may still appear in your TripTips ledger, but payout may remain:

Payout Restricted until applicable tax, identity, banking, and compliance requirements have been satisfied.

Compensation Statuses

What do TripTips compensation statuses mean?

Pending

The underlying event has been recorded but remains subject to qualification, cancellation, settlement, fraud review, or another applicable review.

Earned

TripTips has determined that the applicable earning requirements have been satisfied.

Payout Restricted

The compensation has been earned but cannot yet be paid because one or more payout-eligibility requirements remain incomplete.

Available

The compensation has been earned and applicable payout requirements have been satisfied, making the amount eligible for payment under the applicable payout schedule.

ACH Initiated

TripTips or its authorized payment provider has submitted the applicable payment instruction.

ACH Settled

TripTips has received confirmation that the applicable payment process has completed according to information available to TripTips or its payment provider.

Is my TripTips balance a bank account?

No.

Your TripTips ledger is an accounting record used to track contractual compensation and payment status.

It is not represented as:

- A bank account
- An FDIC-insured deposit account
- A general-purpose payment account

Account Termination

Can I stop being a TripTips Sales Representative?

Yes.

Either you or TripTips may terminate the relationship subject to the Sales Representative Agreement and applicable law.

TripTips may also suspend or terminate Sales Representative privileges for serious misconduct including fraud, theft, serious misrepresentation, unauthorized investment solicitation, unauthorized collection of funds, material privacy violations, data theft, identity fraud, merchant manipulation, customer abuse, unlawful conduct, serious harassment, or repeated material violations.

What happens to Businesses I already validly onboarded if my Sales Representative relationship ends?

Subject to applicable law and the circumstances of termination, TripTips intends legitimate preexisting merchant attribution to remain eligible for the applicable:

\$0.50 Per Validated and Settled Transaction Commission where:

- The attribution was validly obtained
- The Business remains active and eligible
- Validated and Settled Transactions continue
- The attribution was not created through fraud or manipulation
- Compensation remains legally payable
- The applicable compensation program continues

TripTips may deny, reverse, or terminate compensation associated with merchant attribution obtained through fraud, theft, collusion, identity manipulation, or material misconduct.

What happens to Customers or Promoters I already validly referred if my Sales Representative relationship ends?

Subject to applicable law, fraud-prevention rules, account standing, and the circumstances surrounding termination, TripTips intends legitimate preexisting Customer and Promoter referral attribution to remain associated with the originating Representative while the referred user maintains the applicable TripTips account in active status.

Referral attribution ends if the referred user deactivates or permanently deletes the applicable account.

TripTips may deny, reverse, or terminate compensation associated with fraud, attribution manipulation, invalid accounts, material misconduct, or legally ineligible activity.

TripTips Independent Sales Representative in 30 Seconds

- Joining is currently free.
- Required Sales Representative training is free.
- Score at least 90% on the Sales Representative Qualification Test.
- You are an independent contractor, not a TripTips employee.
- Choose when and whether you work.
- No minimum hours.
- No mandatory sales quota.
- No mandatory recruiting.
- No commission merely because a Business signs up.
- Validly onboard an eligible Business and potentially earn \$0.50 for every Validated and Settled Transaction generated through that Business while valid attribution continues.
- Merchant attribution may continue for the life of the valid attribution while the Business remains active and eligible.
- Directly refer eligible TripTips users and potentially earn approximately \$1.83-\$100+ per Qualified Purchase under the current Version 1.5 compensation structure.
- The current minimum gross Referral Tip is \$8.00.
- Your valid direct referral generally stays associated with you while the applicable referred-user account remains active and attribution remains valid.
- Another participant cannot simply overwrite your valid original referral.
- If the referred user deactivates or permanently deletes the applicable account, that referral attribution ends.
- TripTips currently intends to introduce a direct Sales Representative revenue-share program approximately mid-to-late 2028, subject to formal activation and applicable review.
- The contemplated program may provide 10% of Defined TripTips Revenue attributable to qualifying marketplace activity generated by a directly referred Sales Representative.
- The contemplated 10% would not reduce the directly referred Representative's applicable \$0.50 merchant transaction commission.

- No payment merely for recruiting someone.
- No automatic unlimited downline.
- Complete applicable annual tax and bank verification before payout.
- Current annual tax-verification/reporting administration fee: \$1.34.
- Current initial bank-verification fee: \$1.08.
- Current combined first-time verification deduction when both apply: \$2.42.
- Current minimum Available payout balance: \$1.50.
- Eligible payouts generally operate on a 7-10 Business Day payout cycle after compensation becomes Available, the minimum balance is satisfied, and payout requirements are completed.
- Never guarantee earnings or Business results.
- Never personally collect Business funds.
- Never manipulate referrals, transactions, QR codes, employee PINs, accounts, or attribution

Important

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