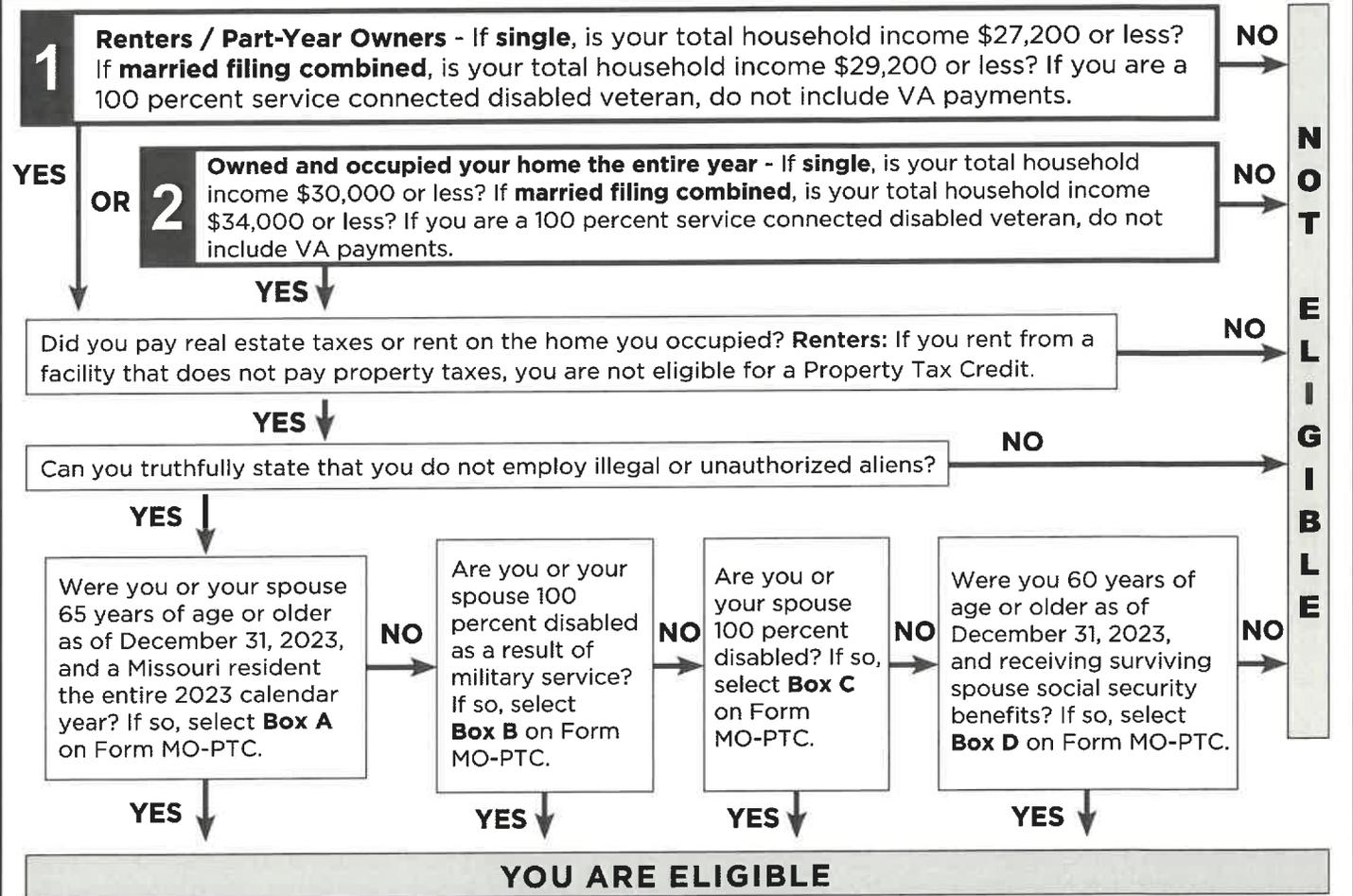


# Am I Eligible?

Use this diagram to determine if you or your spouse are eligible to claim the Property Tax Credit (Circuit Breaker)

Start diagram by choosing Box 1 or Box 2 and follow to conclusion.



*This information is for guidance only and does not state complete law.*

**2-D Barcode Returns** - If you plan to file a paper return, you should consider 2-D barcode filing. The software encodes all your tax information into a 2-D barcode, which allows your return to be processed with fewer errors compared to traditional paper returns.



If you use software to prepare your return, check our website for approved 2-D barcode software companies. Also, check out the Department's fill-in forms that automatically calculate and have a 2-D barcode. You can have your refund directly deposited into your bank account when you use the Department's fill-in forms. All 2-D barcode returns should be mailed to: **Department of Revenue, P.O. Box 3385, Jefferson City, MO 65105-3385.** Email: [Incometaxprocessing@dor.mo.gov](mailto:Incometaxprocessing@dor.mo.gov) (For submission of Individual Income Tax and Property Tax Credit return)

## Assistance with Preparing Your Tax Return

There are a large number of volunteer groups around Missouri providing tax assistance to elderly or lower income taxpayers. To locate a volunteer group near you that offers return preparation assistance:

- Call **800-906-9887** or **888-227-7669**, or
- Visit [irs.gov/Individuals/Free-Tax-Return-Preparation-for-You-by-Volunteers](https://www.irs.gov/Individuals/Free-Tax-Return-Preparation-for-You-by-Volunteers).

You will find a larger volume of volunteer centers open during the filing season, which is typically January through April.