



After obtaining the client's signature and any required authentication, the tax preparer will submit Form 8879 and the tax return to the IRS electronically. This electronic submission is typically done through an authorized e-file provider or tax preparation software approved by the IRS.

Here's how the process typically works:

1. Transmission of Form 8879 and Tax Return:

- The tax preparer securely transmits Form 8879 and the tax return to the IRS using authorized e-file software.
- The software encrypts the data to ensure the security and confidentiality of the information being transmitted.

2. Acknowledgment Receipt:

- Upon successful transmission, the IRS issues an acknowledgment receipt to confirm receipt of the tax return.
- This acknowledgment serves as confirmation that the tax return has been received and accepted by the IRS for processing.

3. Review and Processing by the IRS:

- The IRS reviews the tax return and performs various checks and validations to ensure accuracy and compliance with tax laws.
- If any errors or discrepancies are identified, the IRS may request additional information or clarification from the tax preparer.



4. Processing Time:

- The processing time for electronically filed tax returns varies depending on factors such as the volume of returns received by the IRS and the complexity of the return.
- Typically, electronically filed returns are processed faster than paper returns, with refunds issued more quickly as well.

5. Confirmation of Acceptance:

- Once the tax return has been processed and accepted by the IRS, they issue a confirmation of acceptance.
- This confirmation indicates that the tax return has been successfully filed and processed without any issues.
- They provide any relevant updates or information regarding the status of the return and any expected refunds.

By electronically submitting Form 8879 and the tax return to the IRS, we ensure efficient processing and timely completion of the filing process. This electronic filing method is secure, convenient, and environmentally friendly, reducing the time and resources required for paper-based filing. If you have any questions or concerns about the electronic filing process, please feel free to reach out to us. We're here to assist you every step of the way!