

Plan for Work is the Work Incentive Planning and Assistance (WIPA) project serving Oregon and Southern Washington.

Our services are FREE.

Community Work Incentives Coordinators (CWICs) at Plan for Work are available to provide Benefits Counseling Services:

1. To SSI and SSDI beneficiaries between the ages of 14 to retirement,
2. Who want to work or are currently employed, and
3. Live in the state of Oregon or in Washington's southern counties of Benton, Clark, Cowlitz, Franklin, Klickitat, Lewis, Pacific, Skamania, Wahkiakum, and Walla Walla.

By working with Plan for Work, Social Security Administration (SSA) beneficiaries will be better equipped to make informed choices about work.

The CWICs can:

- ❖ Provide individualized work incentives planning and assistance;
- ❖ Help beneficiaries and their families understand what other Federal or State work incentives programs are available;
- ❖ Refer beneficiaries with disabilities to appropriate Employment Networks or State Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) agencies;
- ❖ Provide general information about potential employer-based or federally subsidized health benefits coverage available to beneficiaries once they enter the workforce; and
- ❖ Inform beneficiaries with disabilities of further protection and advocacy services available to them.

We do not assist beneficiaries in finding employment, but can refer beneficiaries to an appropriate employment network that can help with job placement.