

BENEFITS COUNSELING PROGRAM WHERE EMPLOYMENT & BENEFITS MEET

HOW CAN DDA BENEFITS COUNSELING PROGRAM HELP ME?

The Benefits Counseling Program (BCP) helps individuals see a clearer pathway to employment by helping them understand how work may impact their benefits such as Social Security, Social Security Disability Insurance, Medicaid and Medicare.

DDA BENEFITS COUNSELING PROGRAM INFORMATION:

INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT: The BCP provides free, one-on-one support to help individuals see the relationship between working and benefits. DDA's Benefits Coordinators assist with exploring work incentives to make achieving employment goals possible.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING: The BCP provides education and training to disability service professionals and other stakeholders to increase their knowledge and awareness of how working impacts benefits.

WHEN SHOULD I REFER TO THE DDA BENEFITS COUNSELING PROGRAM?

- Before starting employment
- While job searching, currently working, or self-employment
- When the beneficiary has additional benefits related questions
- The beneficiary still feels they can't move forward with the decision to work; worry/fear

Want to Work? Beneficiaries can work and still keep cash payments.

Scan the QR Code or visit the link to learn more about how work affects your benefits!

Visit: tn.gov/disability-and-aging





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