Can You Work While Receiving Social Security Disability Benefits?

Are you concerned that when you go to work, you will:

- Stop receiving your benefits check if you go to work?
- Lose your health benefits when you go to work?
- Not be able to get back onto your benefits if you lose your job?

The good news is that these are all common myths and misconceptions! The fact of the matter is:

- There are work incentives that ensure you don't lose your benefits prematurely.
- There are Medi-Cal and Medicare programs designed for people with disabilities who work.
- If you have to stop working due to your disability, you can get your benefits back.

Interested in learning more? Don't wait!

- Talk to your DOR Team to find out about Work Incentive Planning Services.
- Register for upcoming webinars.
- Ask for a copy of the Social Security Red Book: A Guide to Work Incentives.

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August 17, 2023

Topic: The Benefits Planning Query (BPQY)

Time: 10:00 – 11:30 am PST

Description: Learn about how you can use a Benefits Planning Query (BPQY)

Statement to learn about your benefits!

September 21, 2023

Topic: Disability Benefits 101 (DB101.org)

Time: 10:00 – 11:30 am PST

Description: Learn about all of the great resources available on the DB101 website!

October 19, 2023

Topic: Wage Reporting

Time: 10:00 - 11:30 am PST

Description: Learn how to report your wages to Social Security.

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