



Reporting Wages if You Receive Social Security Disability and/or Supplemental Security Income

If you receive Social Security because of a disability, you or your representative must tell us right away if you:

- Start or stop work;
- Previously reported your work, but your duties, hours, or pay change; or
- Start paying expenses for work because of your disability. (Visit www.socialsecurity.gov/redbook for more information about income-related work expenses.)

Starting June 2, 2018, more individuals receiving benefits can report wages online using their *my Social Security* account. In addition to Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) beneficiaries and their representative payees, Supplemental Security Income (SSI) recipients, their spouses, parents, sponsors, and representative payees can now report wages online. Individuals receiving both SSDI and SSI benefits and their representative payees can also report wages online.

- Using your *my Social Security* account will make it easier and faster to report wages to Social Security.
- This online process will help reduce the need to visit a Social Security office.
- Timely wage reporting helps prevent incorrect payments. Your *my Social Security* account is accessible via desktop, laptop, and mobile devices with internet capability.
- The Wage Reporting screen lists current employers that you have reported to Social Security. We will list your employer(s) on the wage report screen. If you can provide the employer identification number (EIN), this will quicken the process.
- Have your pay stubs accessible while completing the online Wage Reporting screens. Required pay stub information includes frequency of pay (for example, daily, weekly, bi-weekly, etc.), pay period start date, pay period end date, gross pay, and pay date.
- After reporting wages online, you can save or print a copy of your receipt.
- SSI wage reporters can still use the SSI Telephone Wage Reporting (SSITWR) and SSI Mobile Wage Reporting (SSIMWR) applications. (Visit www.socialsecurity.gov/benefits/ssi/wage-reporting.html for more information.)
- If you need to report wages for an employer not shown on the Wage Reporting screens, have self-employment earnings to report, are reporting work activity for the first time, or start paying expenses for work because of your disability, please contact your local Social Security office or contact us at **1-800-772-1213 (TTY-800-325-0778)**.

What Representative Payees Need to Know When Reporting:

- Representative payees are able to use their *my Social Security* account to report wages for the beneficiaries they represent. Representative payees will not have full access to the beneficiary's information.
- If you are a representative payee and the person for whom you are representative payee is not listed on the *my Social Security* portal, please contact your local Social Security office or call **1-800-772-1213 (TTY-800-325-0778)**.

This information is general. For more information, call 1-800-772-1213 (TTY-800-325-0778).
