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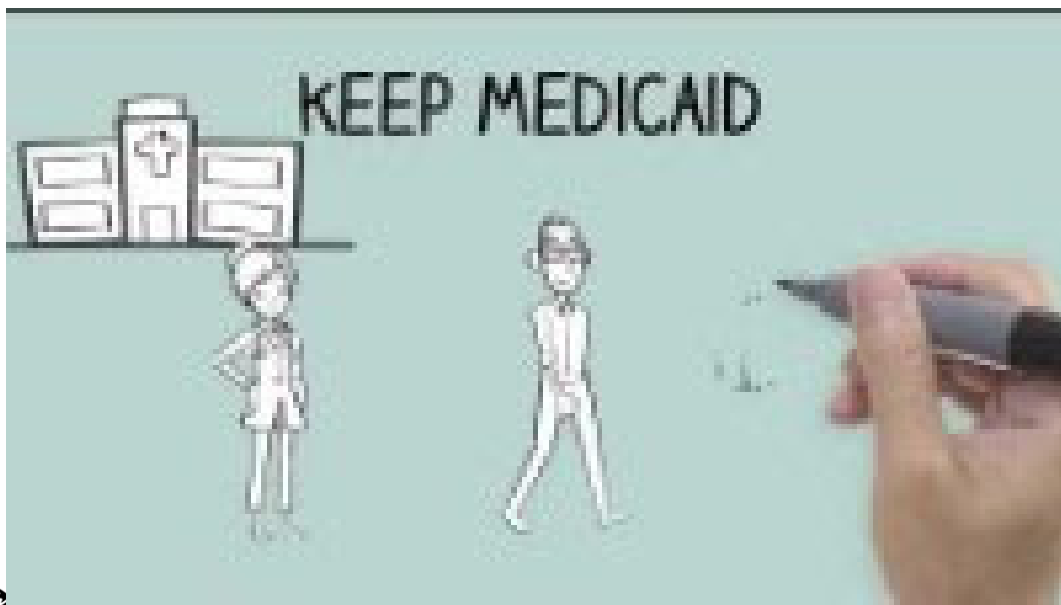
What Benefits Do I Get?

Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)	Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
SSDI is for people who used to work	SSI is for people who have low income and low resources
SSDI amount is based on work history	SSI amount is based on income and living situation
SSDI beneficiaries get Medicare two years after SSDI starts	SSI beneficiaries get Medicaid
SSDI payments are usually deposited on a Wednesday. Which Wednesday depends on your birth date	SSI payments are usually deposited on the first day of the month



https://mi.db101.org/mi/programs/income_support/which_benefits/

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SSI & Work Video: <https://youtu.be/z7G57F1COs4>

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SSI & Work

Fact #1: If You Work, You'll Have More Money

Fact #2: Stay Connected to SSI When You Work

Fact #3: You Keep Medicaid When You Work

Additional Resources

➤ Your SSI Benefit Calculation Tool

https://mi.db101.org/mi/programs/income_support/ssi2/program2e.htm#ssi_benefit_try

➤ SSI & Work Article

https://mi.db101.org/mi/programs/income_support/ssi2/program2f.htm

➤ SSI & Youth Who Work Video

<https://youtu.be/pd0xJxcBz9M>



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SSDI & Planning for Work Video: <https://youtu.be/SAh9pumsjW4>

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SSDI & Planning for Work

Fact #1: Create a Plan to Work and Get Ahead!

Earnings ↓ SGA = SSDI + Earnings **OR** Earnings ↑ SGA = No SSDI, Earnings Only
(Substantial Gainful Activity (SGA) is \$1,350 or \$2,260 if blind (2022))

Fact #2: Use Work Incentives to Keep Medicare and Quickly Restart SSDI

Additional Resources

➤ SSDI and Work Quick Estimate:

https://mi.db101.org/mi/programs/income_support/ssdi/program2e.htm#ssdi_express_pop

➤ SSDI Work Incentives Video:

<https://youtu.be/QPEPikrN1GE>

➤ SSDI & Work Article:

https://mi.db101.org/mi/programs/income_support/ssdi/program2e.htm



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MI DB101 Benefits & Work Estimator: <https://youtu.be/lyQZ90RKXYM>

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