

Wage Reporting Information

Reporting Income

All Affinity Employment Network Ticket holders are required to report earnings and employment changes to the Affinity Employment Network **AND** to the Social Security Administration (SSA). Not reporting your income to the SSA regularly may result in over-payment status and cause a reduction or loss of disability benefits.

To locate your local Social Security office nearest you,

Go to: <https://secure.ssa.gov/ICON/main.jsp>

YOU CAN CREATE A SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT ON-LINE TO REPORT WAGES AND RECEIVE IMPORTANT INFORMATION

You will first need to create a *My Social Security Account*.

Go to: <https://www.ssa.gov/myaccount/>



With this account you can:

- Report your wages if you work and receive Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) and/or Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits
- Get your benefit verification letter
- Request a replacement Social Security Card
- Check your benefit and payment information
- Change your address and phone number
- Start or change direct deposit of your benefit payment
- Request a replacement Medicare card
- Get a replacement SSA-1099 or SSA-1042S for tax season

Please Note: if your job is not listed within your *My Account*, you will need to inform the Social Security Administration as you will not be able to report income via *My Account* until your job is listed in the account.

Additional Income Reporting Options and for SSI Beneficiaries

Report by automated phone call to: 1-866-772-0953

Report Your Income Via Your Smartphone: SSI recipients can now report income on a smartphone by going to Google Play or Apple store on a smartphone and/or tablet. Download the SSI wage-reporting app by searching for “SSI Wage Reporting.”

NOTE: SSI beneficiaries must report their income from the 1st to the 6th day of the month. SSA adjusts SSI cash payments based on the month in which earned income is paid. There is a two month lag time between the month earned income is paid and when the check of the SSI beneficiary is reduced. For, example, the SSI beneficiary is paid in January, they report their income to SSA in the first six days of February and their March SSI check is adjusted based on the January earned income.