

## **HOW CAN I ACCESS SERVICES?**

*Programs are accessible statewide to all SSI or SSDI Beneficiaries with disabilities without regard to disability, ethnic or minority background.*

*Information and referral is available by phone, TDD and 7-1-1. To obtain these services or to contact us to schedule an appointment, please call:*

*702-889-4216 (Clark County Residents) or*

*1-800-870-7003 Statewide*

*Or E-mail: [SNCILWIPA@aol.com](mailto:SNCILWIPA@aol.com)*

*Information can also be downloaded from:*

*[WWW.SNCIL.org](http://WWW.SNCIL.org)*

### **About SNCIL**

**Mission:** SNCIL's mission is to "Remove Barriers Preventing Independent Living" in Southern Nevada. This is accomplished through the provision of services designed to maximize the **ABILITY** of people with significant disabilities.

### **BOARD, STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS**

The majority of SNCIL Board Members, Staff, and Volunteers are individuals with significant disabilities.

### **FUNDING**

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**BENEFITS PLANNING ASSISTANCE  
AND OUTREACH PROGRAM**

A statewide Program designed to assist Supplemental Security Income and Social Security Disability Income Beneficiaries learn about all available options in entering or re-entering the workforce.

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***Removing Barriers Preventing  
Independent Living***

### ***What is WIPA?***

Work Incentives Program Assistance (WIPA) is a new incentive work option in addition to the comprehensive return to work initiative funded by the Social Security Administration.

### ***MISSION***

*WIPA's Mission is to provide education, information, and support about entering or re-entering the workforce in a safe and non-threatening environment.*

### ***Do you have questions about-***

- *Available programs designed to assist you in getting a job?*
- *What happens to your benefits when you return to work, i.e. subsidized housing, food stamps, etc?*
- *What happens to benefits if you return to work and learn that you weren't ready—Is it possible to get back benefits?*
- *How to develop a Plan so benefits can continued while you work, so you can save money to purchase items which you need to continue working?*
- *How to avoid Social Security overpayments when you return to work?*

***There is Certified Work  
Incentives Coordinator (CWIC)  
who can answer these questions  
and more.***

### ***WHO QUALIFIES FOR SERVICES?***

Recipients of Supplemental Security Income and/or Social Security Disability Income benefits based on disability or blindness.

### ***WHAT SERVICES ARE OFFERED***

1. *Analysis of how a return to work plan will affect SSI/SSDI in conjunction with other state & federal benefits (e.g, section 8 housing, food stamps, state Medicaid, prescription drugs and personal assistance services, Federal Medicare, etc.)*
2. *Education and assistance in understanding and evaluating the use of work incentives (e.g PASS Plan, Trial Work Plans, etc., expedited re-entry, what triggers a Continuing Disability Review)*
3. *Provide follow-up to ensure beneficiaries are using the work incentive information provided, monitor the success of plans developed.*