

Financial Security and Work Resources

Find a WIPA provider in your area:

Social Security Administration provides a search engine by zip code. To search for a local WIPA provider enter a zip code and choose the dropdown option Benefits Counseling (WIPA)

<http://www.choosework.net>

Contact the Ticket to Work helpline:

If there are difficulties with the search engine or WIPA services are not currently available in an area, contact the Ticket to Work Helpline at 1-866- 968-7842

SSA Benefits and Work Supports:

To learn more about SSA benefits and work supports, by visiting: Social Security Administration:

www.socialsecurity.gov/redbook/

Money Smart Financial Education Program:

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's (FDIC) Money Smart is a financial education program designed to help low and moderate-income individuals increase their financial skills and create positive banking relationships.

<https://www.fdic.gov/resources/consumers/money-smart/index.html>

Taking Control of your finances:

To learn how to take control of your finances and build a financially independent future, we recommend visiting MyMoney.gov. MyMoney.gov is the U.S. government's website dedicated to teaching all Americans the basics about financial education. The site can help you prepare for [life events](#) (e.g. births, buying a home, losing a job, retirement) that can affect your finances.

Check out the money management [tools](#), such as [worksheets for setting up a household budget](#) and a [financial savings calculator](#) to get started today!

For more money management tips blog series:

Created to teach and inspire, the blog series provides detailed information on managing money to help you achieve financial independence. Check it out here: [Money Mondays: Your Path to Financial Independence](#). [Sign up to receive blog updates](#) so you don't miss weekly tips!

Blog tips for young adults:

<https://choosework.ssa.gov/blog/2018-04-16-mm-calling-all-young-adults-with-disabilities>