



# Did You Know...?

- You don't have to know all the answers about your patients' income and benefits if they are interested in returning to work.
  - There are agencies, like **Work Incentives Planning and Assistance (WIPA) Projects** who provide free benefits counseling to Social Security Disability beneficiaries.
- You can find lots of resources about the **Ticket to Work** and other programs at [choosework.ssa.gov](http://choosework.ssa.gov).
- Getting your patients back to work helps them:
  - Feel more independent.
  - Be more financially independent.
  - Stay active.
  - Meet new people.
  - Develop a routine outside of dialysis treatment.
  - Have a better future.



Visit the [choosework.ssa.gov/findhelp](http://choosework.ssa.gov/findhelp) to get more information and help your patients get the assistance they need!

Adapted from: <https://choosework.ssa.gov/about/meet-your-employment-team/index.html#WIPA>

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