SSI Telephone Wage Reporting



What Is Monthly SSI Telephone Wage Reporting?

SSA has made it easier for SSI beneficiaries, deemors and representative payees to report monthly wages by introducing the SSI Telephone Wage Reporting System. You may report wages without having to mail pay slips or contacting our office.

Why Do I Need To Report My Wages?

Reporting your wages each month helps ensure that your SSI payment is timely and accurate. If you receive SSI, the law requires that you report any income you receive, which includes your wages. If you have a representative payee to help you with your money, then your representative payee must report your earnings.

How Do I Report My Wages to Social Security?

• Each month you must call from the 1^{st} to the 6^{th} day of the month.

SSI Wage Reporter Phone Number 1-866-772-0953

- The program will ask you for your date of birth, name, and Social Security Number.
- If you are the Representative Payee the program will also ask for your date of birth, name, and Social Security Number.
- You must report the TOTAL amount of gross wages for the wage earner. Gross wages are the amount of pay before taxes and other deductions.

When Do I call to Report My Wages to Social Security?

• You must call to report the wages from the 1st to the 6th day of the month after you received them. For example, you must call with all your January pay stubs from February 1st to February 6th. You also must report to us if you start or stop work.

Reporting your wages by calling <u>1-866-772-0953</u> each month helps us pay you the correct amount of SSI benefits and may prevent you from being overpaid or allow us to pay you more SSI.