

## What is PABSS?

Protection and Advocacy for Beneficiaries of Social Security is a program for people who receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI) or Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) benefits based on disability or blindness.

Co-Ad provides advocacy to help you get or keep a job. Our purpose is to protect your right to secure or regain employment.

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Comprehensive Advocacy, Inc.  
Idaho's Protection and Advocacy System

Protection & Advocacy  
for Beneficiaries of  
Social Security  
(PABSS)



If you have questions about disability rights or services call:

1-866-COADING (1-866-262-3462)  
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### Why should I consider working?

Because you may be able to:

Increase your income

Increase your independence

Expand your choices for living

Expand your community involvement

Develop new goals

### If you want our help. . .

1. Call any Co-Ad office. We will help you apply for services over the phone.
2. Write or e-mail any Co-Ad office. Tell us your issue and how we can contact you.
3. Visit any Co-Ad office.

### Who can get PABSS Services?

People with disabilities who receive SSI or SSDI, and:

- ▶ Need help returning to work
- ▶ Have questions about their benefits when returning to work
- ▶ Have problems getting work place accommodations
- ▶ Have complaints about employment service providers, employers, or other organizations involved in return to work efforts
- ▶ Experience work place discrimination

These materials are available in alternate formats upon request.

### What will happen to my benefits if I return to work?

The PABSS Program works with Community Work Incentives (CWIC) Coordinators. They can help you plan for changes in your benefits caused by getting a job.

They will also help you understand programs that will gradually reduce your benefits as you reach self-sufficiency.

This information will help you decide how and when you can go to work.

Most Co-Ad services are provided free of charge