
















SSI: It Pays to Work!

	Earnings		SSI Amount		Total Income	
	- 0 -	+		=		In 2020, the maximum SSI amount for a single person is \$783 per month.
	\$0	+	\$783	=	\$783	Medicaid Eligible
		+		=		“Earnings” are gross wages from a job, or Net Earnings from self-employment. SSI is reduced roughly \$1 for every \$2 earned.
	\$785	+	\$433	=	\$1,218	Medicaid Eligible
		+		=		Even though SSI is reduced to \$0, you remain eligible for SSI and Medicaid. This is called 1619b Status.
	\$1,651	+	\$0	=	\$1,651	Medicaid Eligible
		+		=		You can earn up to at least \$33,480* (2019) and remain eligible for 1619b Status. In some cases, people can earn more.
	\$2,790	+	\$0	=	\$2,790	Medicaid Eligible

*2020 figure not yet released