

# WHO WE ARE

Founder Beatrice Johnson discovered her passion for contributing to the community in every possible way early on in life. As a state-appointed Department of Disability Administration Support Broker, Department of Social Services Chairman and faithful servant of God, Beatrice has now entered into the field of Employer Network outsourcing with the Social Security Administration.

She continues to expand her encouragement and passion for helping others, as she paves the way for those looking to seek employment opportunities.



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**Social Security  
Administration Employer  
Network**

# TICKET TO WORK PROGRAM

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## THE TICKET TO WORK PROGRAM

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Social Security's Ticket to Work Program supports career development for Social Security disability beneficiaries or recipients of Supplemental Security Income, age 18 through 64 who want to work. The Ticket Program is free and voluntary. The Ticket Program helps people with disabilities progress toward financial independence.

The Ticket Program is a good fit for people who want to improve their earning potential and are committed to preparing for long-term success in the workforce. This program offers beneficiaries with disabilities access to meaningful employment with the assistance of Ticket to Work employment service providers called Employment Networks. If you are ready to go to work, BKJ staff are ready and waiting to help you!

Through the Ticket program, you work with a service provider to identify your employment goals, as well as the supports and services you need to succeed. You and your provider will develop an agreement called an Individual Work Plan (IWP), an Individualized Plan for Employment (IPE) or an Individual Employment Plan (IEP), depending on the type of service provider you choose. This agreement is a roadmap to success, describing specific employment services, vocational rehabilitation services and supports to help you toward financial independence.

## How it works



B.K.J Ticket To Work EN will serve as an important part of your "employment team" that will help you on your journey to financial independence. What is in your work plan? Every work plan must include:

- **Career Planning:** You and your service provider will discuss short- and long- term employment goals that your service provider determines are reasonable. This includes the amount of earnings when you start working and earnings you expect to earn when your plan ends.
- **Specific supports and services:** Your service provider will describe short- and long-term supports they will provide to you. These may include career counseling, job search and job placement assistance, resume writing and benefits counseling. Once you start working, they can help you maintain employment, find another job or increase your earnings.
- **An agreement:** Think of your work plan as a contract. Your service provider agrees to invest time and resources to help you become employable, find work, keep a job and maximize your earnings potential. You agree to follow the plan and make timely progress toward your goals. The work plan must be written and signed to show you both agree to the goals and services. Over time, if you're not satisfied with your plan or the supports, you may consider revising your agreement or changing service providers.

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## B.K.J TTW SCHEDULE

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### Day 1:

#### **Job Readiness Training**

1. Expectations
2. Requirements
3. TTW Program Overview

### Day 2-3:

#### Job Search Lab/ Interviews

1. Finding the perfect job for you
2. Resource Utilization
3. Mock Interviews

### Day 4-5:

#### Job Readiness Refresher

1. Preparing your mind for the interview
2. Applying yourself for the selected job
3. Networking

Refresher courses subsequently to follow course completion!



Certified Employment Network