Benefit Specialists are advocates who:

- Cut through the red tape
- Explore benefits and programs to which you may be entitled
- Assist in denial of benefits and appealing a decision
- Negotiate to resolve problems

The **Disability Benefit Specialist** (DBS) program is a service of Wisconsin's Aging & Disability Resource Centers. Disability Benefit Specialists are experts at working on behalf of those with a disability.

There is **NO CHARGE** for Disability Benefit Specialist Services.



How to reach your local Disability Benefit Specialist

Visit or Call any of our local offices:

Prairie du Chien Office

225 N. Beaumont Rd, Ste. 117 Prairie du Chien, WI 53821 608.326.0235

ccadrc@crawfordcountrywi.org

Mauston Office

200 Hickory St. Mauston, WI 53948 608.847.9371

jcadrc@co.juneau.wi.us

Richland Center Office:

221 W. Seminary St. Richland Center, WI 53581 608.647.4616 resctr@co.richland.wi.us

Baraboo Office:

505 Broadway Baraboo, WI 53913 608.355.3289

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Disability Benefit Specialists

Free and **confidential** benefits counseling for adults

ages 18 to 59 with:

- Physical disabilities,
- Developmental, intellectual disabilities
- Mental illness and/or
- Substance use disorders

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How Can a Disability Benefit Specialist Help You?

- Present accurate information on public and private benefits and programs;
- Assist in filling out applications for benefits, programs, and services;



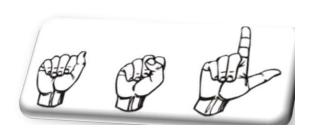
- Support in obtaining or retaining benefits and services;
- Provide referrals, assistance and support on other matters including disability rights and the impact of earnings on financial eligibility for public benefits;
- Discuss formal appeals related to denials of eligibility, termination of benefits or overpayment of public or private benefits.

What Programs Can a Disability Benefit Specialist Help With?

- Medicaid (Medical Assistance)
- Medicare, including Part D
- Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Insurance Issues
- Prescription Drug Assistance
- FoodShare
- Housing and Utility Issues



Deaf & Hard of Hearing Disability Benefit Specialist?



Office of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

141 NW Barstow St, Room 104 Waukesha, WI 53188

Toll free Videophone/Telephone:

(866) 948-9841

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(262) 347-3045

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