

Medical Assistance for Workers with Disabilities (MAWD)

✓ What is MAWD?

- An incentive for people with disabilities to return to work or remain working
- Healthcare coverage through Medicaid

✓ Why would MAWD be good for me?

- MAWD allows you to earn more than traditional Medicaid limits allow
- MAWD allows you to save more than traditional Medicaid limits allow
- MAWD allows you to remain on or become eligible for healthcare coverage through Medicaid

✓ **How do I qualify for MAWD?**

- Must be employed
- Must have a significant disability
- Must have countable resources of less than \$8,000
- Must have less than \$694 of monthly unearned income (such as VA benefits or SSDI - not money earned from your job or business)

✓ **Who do I contact to learn more about or to apply for MAWD?**

- local Department of Social Services office -
1-877-999-5612 or
<http://dss.sd.gov/offices>
- local Division of Rehabilitation Services office -
<http://dhs.sd.gov/drs/vocrehab/vr.aspx>
- local Division of Service to the Blind and Visually Impaired office -
<http://dhs.sd.gov/sbvi/address.aspx>

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