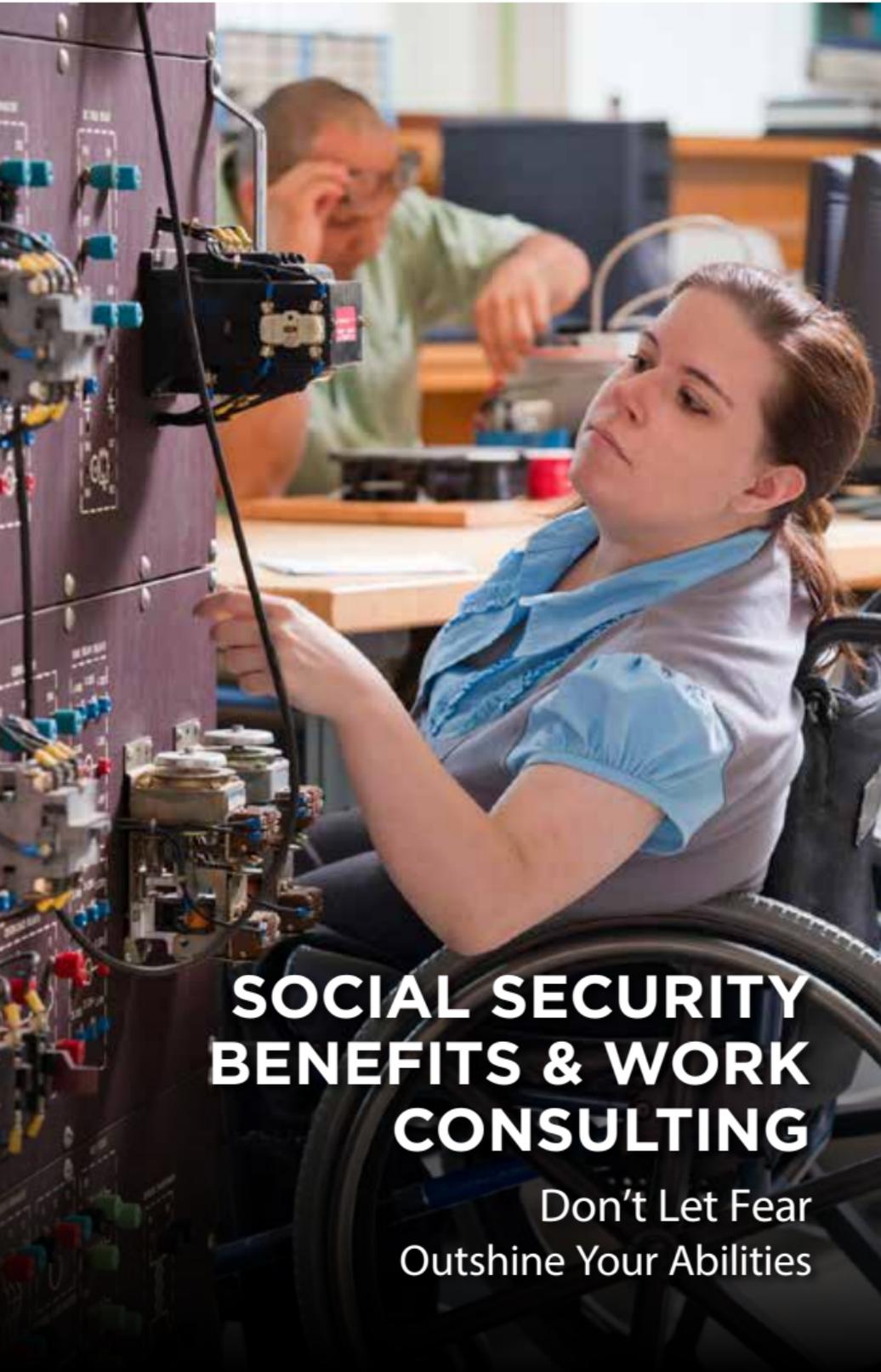


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▶ BENEFITS 2 WORK ARIZONA

A woman with a physical disability, wearing a light blue short-sleeved shirt, is seated in a wheelchair. She is focused on working on a large, complex electronic device with many wires and components. In the background, another person is working at a desk in a workshop or office setting.

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BENEFITS & WORK  
CONSULTING**

Don't Let Fear  
Outshine Your Abilities

## WORK INCENTIVES PLANNING AND ASSISTANCE (WIPA) SERVICES

This service can assist and support your employment choices with information that can help you achieve your goals.

The Social Security Administration (Social Security) has created a variety of work incentives that make it easier to go to work for people who receive Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI).

The **Benefits 2 Work Arizona** program, managed by Ability360, can help you understand the Social Security Work Incentives and how to use them to increase your income through work. We are Centers for Independent Living providing advocacy and services by and for people with disabilities. We can help you make the transition to work with a disability easier.

### IF YOU CHOOSE TO WORK...

- There are SSDI and SSI incentives that may help you retain **Medicare** and **Medicaid**.
- You may be able to get back on cash benefits if you need to without re-applying.
- **SSDI beneficiaries** can work for a while before cash benefits stop.
- **SSI recipients** always earn more working.
- **Students** under the age of 22 can gain work experience without affecting their SSI check.

Visit **Disability Benefits 101:**

An online tool for learning how benefits and work go together. **[www.az.db101.org](http://www.az.db101.org)**



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## **STATEWIDE PARTNERS**

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**Accommodations:** We serve people with all types of disabilities and provide reasonable accommodations and materials in alternate formats upon request.

**All Ability360 locations are fragrance-free, smoke-free environments.** Please do not wear scented products or smoke when visiting any of our offices, programs or events.

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