



# Is your child on Medicaid? Does your child have a long-term disability?

Your child could qualify for supplemental security income.

*Partners For Kids and Centauri Health Solutions can help you apply.\**



## **If you are struggling to pay rent or buy food, there may be help available.**

We have partnered with Centauri Health Solutions to help you apply for Supplemental Security Income (SSI).

### **What Is SSI?**

SSI is an assistance program for people who have disabilities and who may face financial challenges. It gives money to help pay for food, rent and clothes.

You must apply for SSI. SSI payments come from the federal government. People who qualify receive one payment every month. If you get SSI, you may also be able to get Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits and housing help.

### **2024 SSI rates:**

- **Up to \$943 per month for an eligible person**

## **Can My Child Get SSI?**

If you are applying for your child, to get benefits, your child must:

- Have a medical, physical or mental condition that limits what they can do.
- Have an impairment from a medical condition that lasts at least 12 months or is considered life-limiting. Any severe disability can qualify, but some examples are:
  - Cystic fibrosis
  - Autism
  - Low birth weight
  - Blindness
  - Learning disabilities
  - Emotional disorders
  - Sickle cell disease

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## How Do I Apply for SSI?

We are partnering with Centauri to help you through each step of the process.

A Centauri disability specialist will work with you throughout the process. Centauri keeps all your information secure and follows the same privacy rules as your health insurance.

## What Should I Expect When I Call Centauri?

You will need to provide the following information:

- Patient identification (demographics, contact information, health plan and Health Plan Member ID#, Social Security number for patient and caller)
- Family income and assets
- Other benefits applicant is receiving
- Diagnosis including specific symptoms
- All providers the applicant is seen by
- Prescriptions the applicant takes
- Any previous Social Security Disability applications completed and when they were completed

Please note: You may opt out of Centauri's services and be removed from their call lists.

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\* Please note: Centauri is able to help those who have CareSource, Buckeye Health Plan, Molina or UnitedHealthcare insurance.

If you have AmeriHealth Caritas insurance, call (866) 804-6582 to be screened.

If you have Humana Healthy Horizons, contact Social Security Administration at (800) 772-1213 Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

**To be screened for SSI benefits, call Centauri Health Solutions at (877) 271-7755 or learn more by scanning the QR Code.**



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