

The Maryland Mental Hygiene Administration and
the Maryland Department of Disabilities
Present

*Employed Individuals with Disabilities (EID) Program -
Medical Assistance for Workers:
Helping People with Disabilities Enroll*

A FREE Training

[DATES & LOCATIONS: See Registration Form below]

Part 1: Training on EID eligibility and benefits: 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Part 2: Training to help consumers complete EID applications and navigate the enrollment process: 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Light refreshments will be served. Participants are welcome to bring lunch.

To register: Registration form below

Discover this powerful work incentive that provides Medical Assistance for Marylanders with disabilities who work for pay and meet a few other conditions. Medical Assistance provides excellent coverage if you are uninsured, can supplement other insurance and saves thousands of dollars a year for people who receive Medicare.

EID has the highest income limit of any Medical Assistance program in Maryland and a much higher resource (asset) limit than most other programs. This helps people keep Medical Assistance even with substantial earnings or savings.

The EID Outreach Project, operated by the Maryland Department of Disabilities since 2008, will cease its operations on June 30, 2012 due to the end of its federal grant. The project has assisted individuals to apply for EID and has conducted extensive outreach for the program. **This training will enable agency staff to help individuals understand and apply for EID after June 30.**

EID Training Questions

What is EID?

Maryland's EID Program lets people with disabilities work and qualify for (or keep) Medical Assistance. Medical Assistance can:

- Provide excellent health coverage for people with no other insurance.
- Supplement other insurance - covering services that other insurance does not.
- Save Medicare recipients \$1,000 - \$12,000 a year on medical costs.

EID gives people with disabilities an incentive to work, by ensuring health coverage even when earnings are substantial. The monthly premiums for EID range from \$0 - \$55 - much lower than for private insurance.

What Will This Training Do For You?

If you attend Part 1 from 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm

You will learn who is eligible for EID, how to apply, the cost, and how the program helps people who receive other benefits. You will find out what expenses EID covers, how much money it can save a person who enrolls, and how much a person can earn without losing health coverage. **If you are a Medical Assistance service provider, you will find out how you can qualify more of your customers for Medical Assistance so you can get reimbursed for more services.**

If you attend the full training (Parts 1 & 2) from 12:00 pm – 3:30 pm

In addition to the information listed above, you will also learn how to help individuals complete EID applications, and navigate the eligibility process to successfully enroll in EID.

Presenter(s):

Michael Dalto, Work Incentives Project Director, Maryland Department of Disabilities. Michael leads the State's promotional campaign to help Marylanders with disabilities enroll in the EID program.

April 24 (Camp Springs) and May 23 (Frederick) sessions will also feature:

Ms. Jean Quickley, Lead Worker and Ms. Carol Nicholson, Supervisor, Division of Eligibility and Waiver Services, Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. Carol and Jean oversee EID eligibility determinations.

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REGISTRATION

Please check-off which location you wish to attend

- April 11 - PERS event, invitation only

Hearing and Speech

5900 Metro Drive
Baltimore, MD 21215
410 318-6780

- April 17 – Alliance Harford County

Registration deadline April 10

4510 Wharf Point Court
Belcamp, MD 21017
410 994-0600

- April 19 – Central Region

Registration deadline April 12

Hearing and Speech

5900 Metro Drive
Baltimore, MD 21215
410 318-6780

- April 24 – Prince George’s County

Registration deadline April 17

Department of Family Services
6420 Allentown Road
Camp Springs, MD 20148
Multipurpose Room
301 265-8400

- April 25 – Eastern Shore Hospital Center

Registration deadline April 18

5262 Woods Road
Cambridge, MD 21613
410 221-2300

- May 23 – Frederick County Health Department

Registration deadline May 16

350 Montevue Lane
Frederick, MD 21702
Auditorium – please park behind building
301 600-3104

This form must be received by the Deadline dates indicated:

*******Please Complete One Form Per Person*******

(pre-registration is required – there is no fee for this training)

Name _____
(please print or type)

Agency _____

Address _____

E-mail _____

Phone _____

Please note: This training is free; however, you must register to attend

Please fax completed registration form to **Peggie Butler-Watson, MHSTC, at (410) 646-7849.**

DIRECTIONS: visit mapquest (addresses listed above)