



## **Provider Resources for Vocational Rehabilitation**

### ***2011 Red Book***

A summary guide to employment support for individuals on Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) and Supplemental Social Security Income (SSI) programs.

<http://www.socialsecurity.gov/redbook/>

### ***Unit Self Assessment Tool for Renal Rehabilitation (USAT)***

A 100-item, self-scored checklist that provides a user-friendly, practical, framework to help renal professionals assess rehabilitation programming in dialysis units.

<http://www.lifeoptions.org/catalog/pdfs/booklets/evaluation.pdf>

### ***Cornell University: Employment and Disability Institute (EDI)***

A leading resource on employment and disability information for businesses, lawmakers, federal and state agencies, educational institutions, unions, and service providers.

<http://www.ilr.cornell.edu/edi/>

### ***Building Quality of Life: A Practical Guide to Renal Rehabilitation***

A guide to help dialysis facilities incorporate rehabilitation into facility dialysis activities.

<http://www.lifeoptions.org/catalog/pdfs/booklets/qualoflife.pdf>

### ***Ticket to Work***

An educational and resource website containing information about the various aspects of the Ticket to Work program.

<http://www.yourtickettowork.com/>

## **Patient Resources for Vocational Rehabilitation**

### ***Working While Disabled: How We Can Help***

This booklet for patients explains the basics of working while on Social Security.

<http://www.ssa.gov/pubs/10095.pdf>

### ***Working with Chronic Kidney Disease***

A booklet for patients reviewing issues with working.

<http://www.kidney.org/atoz/pdf/working.pdf>

### ***Dialysis Facility Compare***

A Social Security website that lists dialysis facilities by area. The website allows patients to identify facilities that operate evening shifts or offer home treatment options.

<http://www.medicare.gov/dialysis>

### ***Home Dialysis Central***

A website with information about home treatment modalities to suit individual schedule needs and enhance quality of life.

<http://www.homedialysis.org>

### ***The Work Site***

This Social Security website explains Ticket to Work and provides contact information for the following partner agencies: Work Incentive Planning Assistance (WIPA) agencies, Vocational Rehabilitation agencies, Employment Networks, and Protection and Advocacy agencies.

<http://www.socialsecurity.gov/work/whocanhelp.html>

### ***Taking Control: Money Matters for People with Chronic Kidney Disease***

This booklet was written for the National Kidney Foundation as a public service by the National Endowment for Financial Education. The 72-page booklet contains information on Medicare, Medicaid, Medicare Savings Programs, etc. Patients may request a free copy of the booklet by contacting the Network at **1.800.262.1514**.

### ***Network Consumer News: Remaining Active with Kidney Disease***

This newsletter summarizes some of the benefits of remaining active and provides a list of resources and contact numbers. Dialysis facilities are free to reproduce the newsletter and distribute to patients.

<http://www.nwrenalnetwork.org/P/NCN/NCNv1.2.pdf>

### ***Maximus***

Social Security's contractor for Ticket to Work

[www.yourtickettowork.com](http://www.yourtickettowork.com) or **1.866.968.7842**

### ***Career One Stop***

Tools to help job seekers and students. Sponsored by the Department of Labor.

<http://www.careeronestop.org/>