

WHAT YOU WILL NEED TO APPLY FOR SOCIAL SECURITY DISABILITY BENEFITS

Information about what is needed to complete the disability application is available at Social Security offices and at their website, www.socialsecurity.gov.

Included with these materials are three documents that make up the Adult Disability Starter Kit:

1. Brochure: “What You Should Know Before You Apply for Social Security Disability Benefits.” This brochure answers frequently asked questions.
2. Checklist – Adult Disability Interview As the form explains, you do not need all of the documents on the checklist to begin the process. If you think you will need to apply for benefits in the near future, you can begin to gather the documents ahead of time.
3. Medical and Job Worksheet – Adult Use this form to begin to gather the necessary information for the Adult Disability Report.

Forms that constitute the disability application include the following:

1. Application
2. Adult Disability Report – Form SSA-3368
3. Medical Authorization forms – Form SSA-827