

# School and Work Estimator: A sample scenario



Use the scenario information below to do a sample School and Work Estimator session on <u>mn.db101.org</u>. If you have any questions as you work through this scenario, you can call a Hub expert at 1-866-333-2466 or chat with them online at <u>disabilityhubmn.org</u>.

- 1. On the DB101 website, sign into your My Vault account so your session can be saved.
- From the DB101 homepage, follow the link to the <u>School and Work Estimator</u>. Then click on the "Get Started" button.
- **3.** Complete a sample estimator session based on this scenario: Zaire is attending school and gets \$914 of SSI a month. She's thinking about getting a job where she'll work 10 hours a week making \$15 an hour. She's wondering how this job will affect her benefits and how much money she'll have.

# Enter the following information about Zaire into the estimator:

#### **About You**

- Give your session a nickname: Zaire's example
- In what month and year were you born? *Enter:* Birth month and year for a person between the ages of 15-25
- What is your living situation?
  Select: Live with my parent(s) or guardian
- Do you have a disability determination from Social Security or the State Medical Review Team (SMRT)? *Select:* Yes. I have a disability determination

#### **Current Cash Benefits**

Fill in the following numbers in the boxes:

- Supplemental Security Income (SSI): Enter: \$ 914 per month
- MSA (Minnesota Supplemental Aid): Enter: \$ 0 per month
- Disabled Adult Child (DAC):
  Enter: \$0 per month

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- Other Unearned Income: Enter: \$ 0 per month
- Do you currently have any income from work?
  Select: No



# **Your Health Coverage**

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• What type(s) of health coverage do you currently have? (Choose all that apply): *Select:* Free Medical Assistance (MA)

#### Your Life and Work: Today

 Are you in school at least half time? Select: Yes

Remaining questions in the table will be grayed out. Click 'Continue' to move on to the next section.

### Your Life and Work: The Future

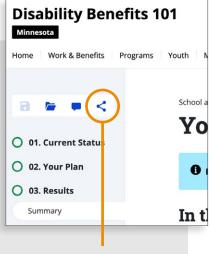
 Will you be attending school at least half time in this plan? Select: Yes

Fill in the following numbers in the boxes:

- How many hours will you work per week? *Enter:* 10 hours per week
- What will be your hourly wage? *Enter:* \$15 per hour
- How much will you make in tips per hour? *Enter:* \$0 per hour

# Zaire's Results

- Once you've completed the session, it will automatically save in your My Vault account in 'Saved Estimator Sessions.' You can use this as a quick way to get back into a sample session.
- Look through the results page. Pay special attention to 'The Bottom Line' messages as you scroll down the page.
- *Click on the 'Share this session' icon* on the left side of the page. Use this feature to email a copy of the session to anyone you want.



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