 Individual Employment Supports
An Easy Read Guide

Your service plan lists the things that you want help with so that you can live your life.

The services in a service plan might be things like
• someone to help you cook
• someone to help you with your medication
• someone that drives you to work

One service you can list in your service plan is individual employment supports.

You can only get individual employment supports if you have a job in the community.

Individual employment supports can help you learn how to do your job and help you keep it.
Individual employment support can

• help you learn different job tasks,

• help you learn about technology that can make your job easier,

• and help you work better with other people.

With individual employment supports you can also have a job coach.

A job coach is someone who helps you learn to do your job. If you need them to, a job coach can also help with personal needs while you are at work.

A job coach may help you a lot when you first get a job. As you get more comfortable in your job and need less help, they will be with you less.

If you would like to know more about individual employment supports, contact your Service and Support Administrator or your SSA.

If you are not sure who your SSA is, read Your Service and Support Administrator, an Easy Read Guide.