

**ARE YOU DISABLED?  
ARE YOU BETWEEN 16 and 64?**

**Are you single with monthly income less than \$2,684.00  
or married with monthly income of less than \$3,630.00  
(for 2021)?**

**Do you have resources of less than \$10,000?  
(A car and your home are not considered resources.)**

You may be eligible for Medical Assistance (*Medicaid*) in  
the **MAWD** Program

**MAWD** is medical assistance for persons with disabilities and if you are eligible, your benefits (for a low monthly premium) may include: doctor visits; durable medical equipment; prescription drugs; emergency care; mental health services; drug and alcohol treatment; hospital stays; rehabilitation services; and medical transportation services.

To qualify for MAWD you must have a disability that would satisfy the Social Security Administration's definition of "disability", but **you are not required to be receiving or to apply for SSI or SSDI benefits to be eligible for MAWD.**

**Information on how to make yourself eligible for  
Medical Assistance in the MAWD Program  
can be found on the back of this flyer**

For a detailed description of the MAWD Program and its eligibility requirements and income/resource disregards visit the Pennsylvania Health Law Project website at [www.phlp.org](http://www.phlp.org)

To qualify for MAWD you must be working on a regular basis, receive wages from that work, and be able to provide proof of your employment and earnings. Self-employment qualifies as work so long as it generates income. **There is no minimum amount of work required to qualify for MAWD and there are no restrictions on the type of work a person can perform to qualify for Medical Assistance in the MAWD Program.**

## **YOU CAN WORK AS LITTLE AS 1 HOUR A WEEK TO SATISFY THE EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENT OF MAWD**

If you can (at least) once a month stuff envelopes for mailing at your church or community center, walk a dog or house-sit for a neighbor, read to a shut-in, or watch your grand-children for an evening and receive a wage for your efforts, then you can qualify for MAWD.

You can apply for Medical Assistance (*Medicaid*) in the MAWD Program by visiting your local County Assistance Office (the “welfare office”) and completing a **PA 600WD** form. This form can also be downloaded at,

<http://www.php.org/healthinfo/MAWD%20Application.pdf>.

When applying for MAWD you will be asked to provide proof of employment. A letter from your employer stating what you do, when you do it (expected hours of employment) and the wage you receive should be sufficient proof of employment.

**If you need legal assistance, please contact  
North Penn Legal Services  
1-877-953-4250 (toll free)**