**WHAT’S NEW AT SSA FOR 2023?**

SSA increased the **Substantial Gainful Activity (SGA)** amount for individuals with disabilities, other than blindness, from $1,350/mo. to **$1,470/mo.** for 2023. They increased the **SGA amount for individuals who are blind** from $2,260/mo**.** to **$2,460/mo.** for 2023.

SSA increased the monthly earnings amount that they use to determine if a month counts for the **Trial Work Period (TWP)** from $970/mo. to **$1,050/mo.** for 2023.

For 2023, SSA increased the **Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Federal Benefit Rates (FBR)** from $841/mo. to **$914/mo.** for an eligible individual and from $1,261/mo. to **$1,371/mo.** for an eligible couple.

For 2023, SSA increased amounts for the **Student Earned-Income Exclusion**. The **monthly amount** was increased from $2,040 to **$2,220** and the **yearly maximum** from $8,230 to **$8,950**.

The 2023 **Kentucky state threshold** for **Medicaid while working – 1619(b)** is **$38,898/yr.**