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Community Update DABC's Help Sheet Series Updated

Dear Community Partner,

Over the past year, there have been several changes to the Persons with Disabilities (PWD) benefit, including a rate increase and changes to the BC Bus Pass Program. To reflect these and other changes, we have fully updated our *Help Sheet* series.

To view the series, please visit the Money and Income Supports page on our website:
<http://www.disabilityalliancebc.org/money.htm>.

Hard copies are also available. If you would like us to mail you copies, please contact Val at 604-875-0188 or feedback@disabilityalliancebc.org.

The list of our Help Sheets is as follows:

- Help Sheet #2: *The Persons with Disabilities (PWD) Benefit Application*
- Help Sheet #3: *Checklist for the PWD Benefit*
- Help Sheet #4: *Monthly Nutritional Supplement (MNS)*
- Help Sheet #5A: *Appealing Denial of the PWD Benefit: The Reconsideration Request*
- Help Sheet #5B: *Appealing Denial of the PWD Benefit: The Appeal Tribunal*
- Help Sheet #6: *Persons with Persistent and Multiple Barriers to Employment (PPMB)*
- Help Sheet #7: *Health Supplements for People with Disabilities*
- Help Sheet #8: *Trusts for People Receiving the PWD Benefit*
- Help Sheet #9: *Employment, Education and Training for People with Disabilities*
- Help Sheet #11A: *Appealing Denial of PPMB: The Reconsideration Request*
- Help Sheet #11B: *Appealing Denial of PPMB: The Appeal Tribunal*
- Help Sheet #12: *Income Assistance Application Process for People with Disabilities*
- Help Sheet #13: *Rate Amounts for PWD and PPMB Benefits*
- Help Sheet #14: *Registered Disability Savings Plan and the Disability Tax Credit*
- Help Sheet #15: *People with Disabilities on Reserve: The PWD Designation*
- Help Sheet #16: *Guide to Filing Income Taxes for People Receiving PWD/PPMB*

Kind Regards,

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