

Social Security Disabling Conditions

If a disabling condition prevents you from working, it is important to understand your rights. An experienced disability lawyer in Gainesville can help you determine whether your impairment is recognized by the Social Security Administration and work to obtain the Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) benefits you are entitled to receive.

Full-Service Florida Disability Representation

I am Carla D. Franklin, an attorney who has been representing disabled workers in Gainesville, Ocala and the surrounding areas for nearly 30 years. Whether your impairment is physical or mental in nature, I can help you with all aspects of the disability process, including filing your initial claim, handling your appeal and preparing you for hearings.

Do You Qualify For Disability?

There are a number of factors that will determine whether you can qualify for SSDI and how much you will receive in benefits. Your work history and age will be crucial factors, but to qualify at all you must have an impairment that is recognized by the Social Security Administration.

Social Security disabling conditions include:

- Back injuries

- Carpal tunnel syndrome
- Multiple sclerosis
- Shoulder injuries
- Heart conditions
- Respiratory conditions
- Chronic fatigue syndrome
- Diabetes
- Spinal cord injury
- Traumatic brain injury
- Depression and anxiety disorders
- Fibromyalgia and chronic pain

Regardless of the condition you have, your benefits will not be based on that specific condition; they will be based on how that condition affects your ability to work. My focus will be on putting together the facts of your case and working with your doctor to determine the extent of your disabling condition so I can demonstrate the true impact it has on your ability to perform the functions of your job.

To learn more about your SSDI eligibility, contact my firm to schedule an initial consultation. Weekday evening appointments are available upon request.