

# Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)

The Supplemental Security Income and Social Security Disability Insurance processes can be extremely difficult, and the vast majority of claimants who apply for Social Security benefits face initial rejection. When claimants undertake the process without a complete understanding, they often find themselves intimidated and unsure of how to handle a rejected claim.

To make things even more difficult, there is a cottage industry of non-attorney representative "advocates" who say they can help with disability claims. It's very important to take note of the fact that people don't need to attain any type of qualification or certification to file or assist with claims — anybody can do it.

But not everyone has a full understanding of the process. Many lawyers and firms that offer counsel in Social Security claims are general practitioners or are simply trying to process an extreme volume of claims. This generic approach doesn't allow for time to fully understand the details involved with disabilities and can leave clients in the dark on their own case.

To maximize the likelihood of a successful Florida claim, it's critical to partner with a Social Security attorney who has a comprehensive understanding of Social Security law and who will take the time to fully understand your issues and present them accurately.

# Gainesville Disability Claim Attorney

For more than 25 years, I've been representing claimants throughout north central Florida: in Gainesville, Lake City, Columbia County, Gilchrist County, Levy County, Bradford County, Union County and Putnam County. Along with my other practice area, employment law, I've cultivated a deep understanding of what's necessary to successfully apply for disability benefits.

I always **work on contingency** and can help with any stage in the process, from initial filing through appeals and hearings. I'm ready to use my expertise to work toward a best possible outcome in your claim.

You can call me toll free at 866-895-8362 or by e-mail to set up a **free initial consultation** to discuss any aspect of your Social Security claim case.