

About the Disability Determination Branch (DDB)

Thank you for your interest in performing consultative examinations for the Disability Determination Branch (DDB). As a state agency, the Disability Determination Branch (DDB) has the responsibility to document, evaluate and make disability determinations on claims for SSDI and SSI benefits for the Social Security Administration. Our agency obtains evidence to decide whether the medical and vocational criteria established by SSA are met. Determinations about non-medical eligibility status, benefit amounts, etc. are made by the local SSA offices. DDB does not provide treatment or rehabilitation services.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office at (808) 979-7000. (Neighbor Islands: 1-800-362-1526).