

Direct Deposit for Federal Benefits

Safer and easier than paper checks



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SAFER

Protect your money from loss or theft

EASIER

Your money goes straight into your account

MORE CONTROL

Your money is on time, every time

Sign up today!

(800) 333-1795

www.GoDirect.org



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Direct Deposit

Don't let your check rule your schedule

Sign up today!

By phone (800) 333-1795

Online www.GoDirect.org

In person Visit your bank, credit union or Social Security office

Have your benefit check and your checking or savings information handy when you enroll.

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Direct Deposit & You



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**Direct Deposit – the safest,
easiest way to get your
Social Security or SSI payment**

Safer

- You are protected against fraud and identity theft.

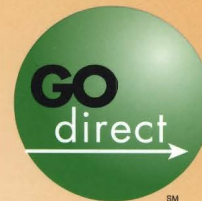
Easier

- Your money is in your account on your payment day – on time, every time.

More control

- Your check doesn't rule your schedule – your money is there when you need it.

Direct deposit – on time, every time



What is direct deposit?

With direct deposit, your Social Security or SSI payment goes straight to your checking or savings account. Your money is always there on payment day as soon as your bank or credit union opens.

Why should I choose direct deposit?

Direct deposit is the best way to get your money. It's **safer** and **easier**, and it gives you **more control** over your money than a mailed check.

Sign up today – it's easy!

By phone: Call the toll-free **Go Direct** helpline: **(800) 333-1795** (English or Spanish)

Online: Go to **www.GoDirect.org** to sign up online or for more information.

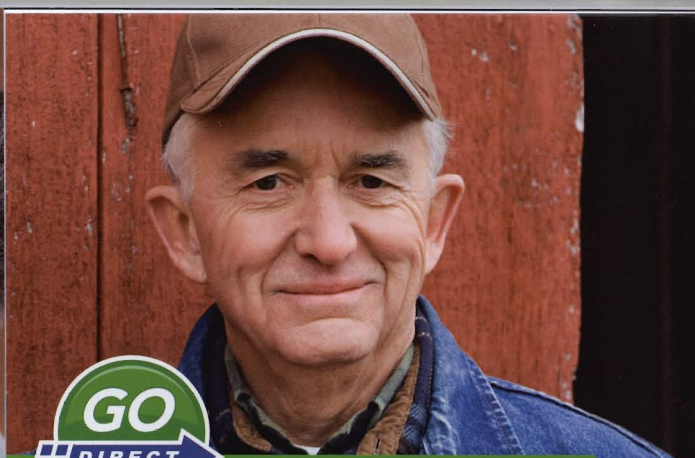
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**DON'T
DELAY!**



**Important Change
To the Way You Receive
Benefit Payments**

**Direct Deposit is Safe,
Easy and More Reliable!**

**Get your money
on time, every time.**

SIGN UP TODAY!

- In person at your bank, credit union or paying agency office
- Online at www.GoDirect.org
- By phone (800) 333-1795

YOU'LL NEED YOUR:

- Checking or savings account number
- 12-digit federal benefit check number
- Amount of benefit check

**The U.S. Department
of the Treasury will now
pay all federal benefits
electronically!**

**APPLYING FOR BENEFITS ON
OR AFTER MAY 1, 2011?**

You will receive benefit payments electronically from the start.

**ALREADY RECEIVING
BENEFITS BY PAPER CHECKS?**

You need to make the switch by
March 1, 2013.



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