

Preparing "Your Social Security Statement"

In 2012 the United States Social Security Administration stopped mailing the Annual Estimated-Benefit Statements to workers. The statements are now available on the Social Security Administration's website and are identical to the paper version. The Social Security Administration has set up "my Social Security," an online account to access your personal information. Use "my Social Security" to create your personal account to use during your working years to review estimates of your retirement, disability, and survivors benefit's; your earnings record; and the estimated Social Security and Medicare taxes you've paid. Use "my Social Security" online account if you receive Social Security benefits or have Medicare to print your benefit verification letter; to check information regarding your payment and earnings record; to view information on direct deposit; and to make name and address changes.

To create an account: Go to the United States Social Security Administration's official website at www.socialsecurity.gov/

(1) Click on the **"my Social Security"** box.

***Note:** If you use an Identity Protection Service you may not be able to use this system. You are advised to go to your local Social Security office.

*Before creating an account: **please read Related Information.**

*Click on **?Learn More** to view Privacy & Security Question.

(2) Click on **Create an Account.**

***Please read Terms of Service.**

(3) Click on I agree to **The Terms of Service.**

(4) Fill in personal information.

You now have your own personal "my Social Security" account!