

ASSURED INCOME FOR THE SEVERELY HANDICAPPED (AISH)

WHAT IS AISH?

Assured Income for the Severely Handicapped (AISH) is a Government of Alberta program that provides financial and health benefits to eligible Albertans with a permanent medical condition that prevents them from earning a living.



ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible for AISH, you must meet age, residency, medical and financial criteria.

- Youth must be **17.5** years of age to apply
- Must have a **permanent** medical condition or disability that limits the ability to earn a living and affects daily life
- Must be willing to attend training programs and make use of suitable training or rehabilitation
- If eligible for PDD, you will be eligible for AISH



For more information on AISH eligibility criteria, please click [here](#).

WHAT DOES AISH OFFER?

If eligible for AISH, you may receive the following:

- a **monthly living allowance**
- a **monthly child benefit** to assist with raising your dependent child(ren)
- **health benefits** which may include prescription drugs, diabetic supplies, optical coverage, dental services, emergency ambulance, AADL costs
- **personal benefits** to assist in covering specific needs over your monthly living allowance (determined on a case-by-case basis)

You may apply online by accessing the application through our AISH Checklist [here](#).