

## Program History

Established in 1971 to assume the financial management and responsibilities of people that because of mental or physical limitation are unable to manage their own affairs. Yearly approximately 130 clients benefit from our services. Catholic Charities of Corpus Christi supports an active public and private partnership with government institutions at all levels.

## Goals

Catholic Charities of Corpus Christi's Representative Payee Program's goal is to assist individuals to live as independently as possible with dignity, while assisting them financially towards the goal of meeting their basic needs.

## Representative Payee Program

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The Representative Payee Program is a program of the Community Outreach Services Department.

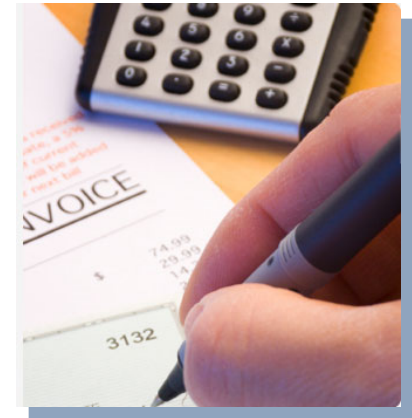


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## Representative Payee Program



## Program Description

- ◆ We follow the Guide for Organizational Representative Payees as provided by the United States Social Security Administration.
- ◆ We serve as the source of financial assistance towards the clients gain of basic needs such as food, shelter, and clothing.
- ◆ Small monthly fee collected from client's benefits as per Social Security Administration.



## Referrals Provided

Individuals are typically referred to our program by agencies such as Social Security Administration (SSA), Adult Protective Service (APS), Child Protective Service (CPS), and by the Mental Health and Intellectual Disabilities (MHID).

We do not provide direct care, case management.



## Services Provided

The Representative Payee Program provides assistance to the most vulnerable members of the community - the young, the elderly, and the disabled who are unable to manage their SSA, SSI, or VA benefits.

### *Services Provided*

- ◆ Budget Counseling
- ◆ Maintain Confidentiality
- ◆ Meet with client as needed
- ◆ Weekly allowances mailed
- ◆ Timely bill pay

