

# Benefit changes and what you can do

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The Government are planning to change Personal Independence Payment (PIP) next year.



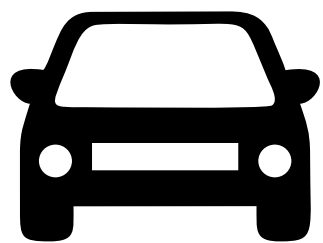
People who cannot work because of serious or long-term conditions will only be assessed once.



It will be harder to get PIP for new claims and reviews from November 2026.



You will need to score 4 points for any daily living task (and 8 in total).



Mobility element is not changing.



PIP style test to replace Work Capability Assessments (WCA) for Universal Credit health payments.

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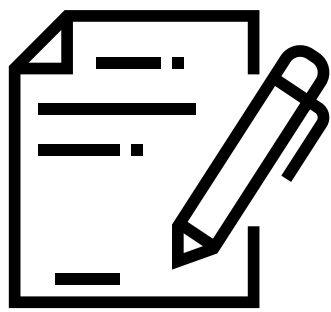
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Disability Living Allowance will change to PIP at 18 instead of 16.



Less Universal Credit health payment for people under 22.



Your benefits will not be reviewed if you try a job and it does not work out.



More face to face PIP tests.  
Plus testing will be reviewed and use NHS records to make it easier.



New Unemployment Insurance instead of Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) or Employment and Support Allowance (ESA).



Many organisations are talking to the government so tell us what these changes might mean for you. You can also write to your MP.