## An Employment/Eligibility Service System: A Gateway to Employment Supports and Disability Insurance Benefits

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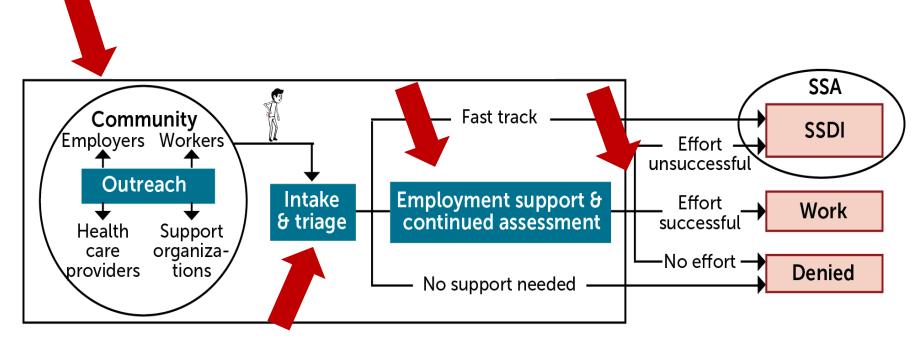
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## An Integrated Gateway to Employment Support and SSDI

**Employment/Eligiblity Service (EES)** 





## An aggressive approach to EES system development

- Establish multi-agency federal office
  - Grants for pilot systems targeted at workers most likely to benefit from employment supports
  - Develop infrastructure to support EES
  - Criteria for scaling up
- Modernize the definition of disability
- Require use of current eligibility criteria and processes while the new system is developed
- Policymakers actively monitor progress and weigh in when needed



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