

Exhibitor Focus



Social Security Scotland
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ABOUT SOCIAL SECURITY SCOTLAND

Social Security Scotland are an independent agency of the Scottish Government. Their purpose is to administer Scottish social security benefits. They currently deliver 12 benefits.

In Orkney, they are based within the Skills Development Scotland offices on Albert Street, Kirkwall.

HOW TO ACCESS SUPPORT

The Orkney Local Delivery Team hold regular information sessions at community venues throughout Orkney. These sessions are advertised on Radio Orkney and through partner organisations.

WHAT SUPPORT IS AVAILABLE

Social Security Scotland can provide in-person support to applicants when they need it, meeting people in a community venue or in their own homes.

The Local Delivery team is made up of specially trained Client Support Advisers who are based in Orkney and will be available to help guide people through the application process in a way that suits them. This service is available throughout the Orkney Islands to all people including existing or new clients.

As well as in-person meetings, the Local Delivery team can arrange appointments by phone or video call. Anyone can request an appointment, there is no criteria for this.

WHO CAN ACCESS SUPPORT

Social Security Scotland deliver a number of benefits for:

- Families on low incomes
- People who need help paying for a funeral
- Disabled people
- Carers and young people entering the workplace

CONTACT

Clients can book an appointment by calling 0800 182 2222.

If you have any communication or accessibility requirements, please let them know in advance so they can make the appropriate arrangements.

You can find out information on all their benefits and apply online at mygov.scot/benefit

WHERE TO FIND THEM AT THE ORKNEY CAREERS FAIR:

STAND 11



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www.socialsecurity.gov.scot

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