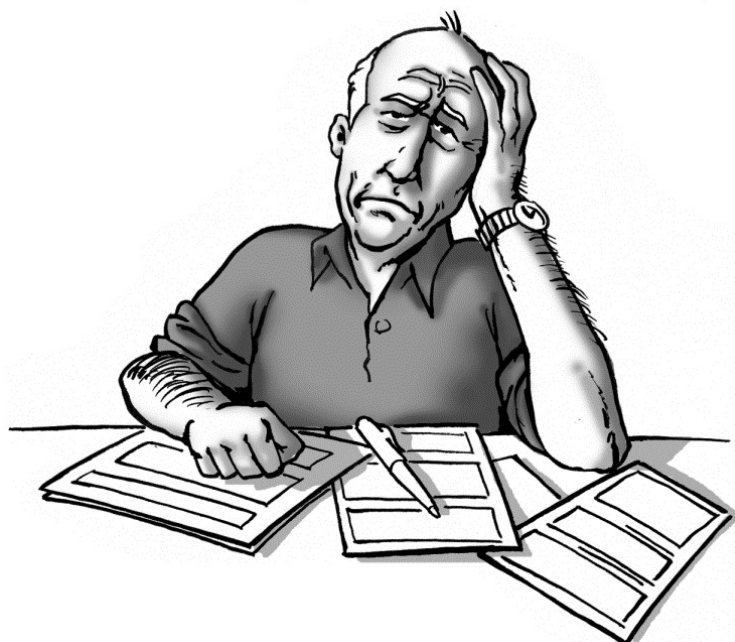
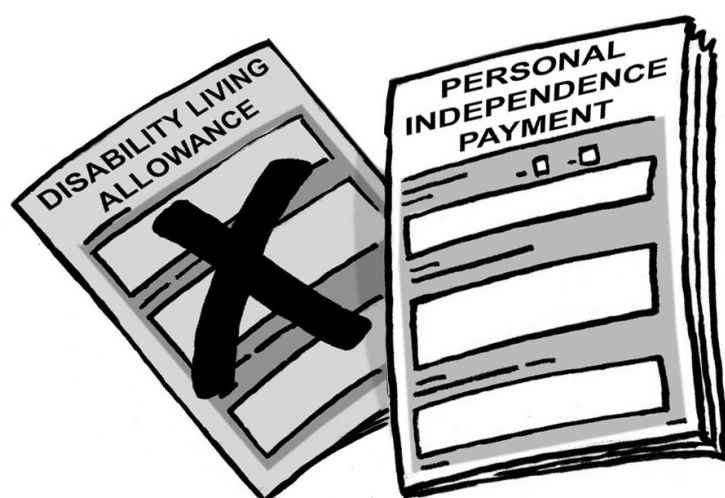


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A guide for people with learning disabilities



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PIP (Personal Independence Payment) is the benefit that's slowly taking the place of **DLA (Disability Living Allowance)**.



You'll carry on getting DLA if you were 65 or over on 8th April 2013. For everyone else aged 16 and over, DLA will stop and you'll need to claim PIP instead - even if you have a 'lifetime' or 'indefinite' award for DLA.

You won't automatically move over to PIP. You'll get a letter from the **Department for Work and Pensions (DWP)** asking you to make a new claim.



It's important to fill in the claim forms correctly so that you get the right amount of PIP. Talk to an adviser if you need help doing this.



You'll be asked to make a claim for PIP when any of the following things happen:

- your DLA ends because it was awarded for a fixed period of time – eg for 5 years
- you turn 16
- your condition changes
- the DWP sends you a letter asking you to claim

PIP claim line:

Telephone: 0800 917 2222

Textphone: 0800 917 7777

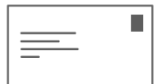
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