

MEDIA STATEMENT

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OLD AGE GRANT RECIPIENTS TO RECEIVE MAY 2023 PAYMENTS ON 04 MAY 2023

The South African Social Security Agency (SASSA) would like to notify all social grant recipients of critical changes which have been made to the payment schedule for May 2023.

Money will be available in the social grant recipient's bank accounts as follows:

Payment Month	Older persons	Disability grants	Children's grants
May 2023	04/05/2023	05/05/2023	08/05/2023

Beneficiaries are advised to consider using their cards to buy goods or related commodities rather than complete withdrawal of funds. Furthermore social grant recipients are requested to be patient and not rush to withdraw their money from their accounts, as their money will remain available in their accounts until they are ready to withdraw. Clients who are unable to go and withdraw their funds on the first few days of payment should also not worry or attempt to rush to withdraw.

This change will only be applicable in May 2023. In case there are any changes on the payment schedule, SASSA will communicate in due course.

SASSA apologizes profusely for the inconvenience and frustration that this change will cause to all grant recipients.

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