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When Your Social Security Benefits are Taken to Pay Back Money to the Federal Government ^[1]

Social Security income is a lifeline for most seniors. Because it is considered so essential for survival, it has traditionally been protected from attachment by creditors. However, there are some exceptions.

Please review the guide below for more information.

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