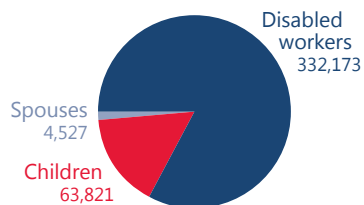
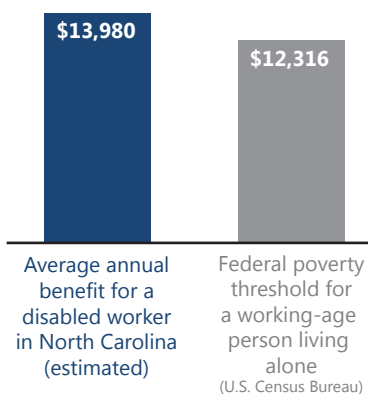




## Most DI beneficiaries in North Carolina are disabled workers



## Average annual benefits compared to the poverty threshold



## Total annual benefits



While Social Security is best known for providing retirement benefits, the program also provides Disability Insurance (DI) protection to workers and their families (spouses, minor children, and disabled adult children).

### Number of Disability Insurance beneficiaries in current-payment status, average monthly benefit, and total monthly benefits, December 2014

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries				Average monthly benefit (dollars)			Total monthly benefits (millions of dollars)
	Total	Disabled workers	Children	Spouses	Disabled workers	Children	Spouses	
North Carolina	400,521	332,173	63,821	4,527	1,165	356	287	410.9
1	42,469	35,497	6,546	426	1,081	315	249	40.5
2	28,230	22,925	4,979	326	1,178	356	294	28.9
3	28,909	24,039	4,454	416	1,142	348	296	29.1
4	23,270	19,339	3,717	214	1,144	359	326	23.5
5	30,977	25,796	4,864	317	1,184	361	283	32.4
6	30,193	25,177	4,711	305	1,216	375	274	32.5
7	34,713	28,584	5,608	521	1,187	360	300	36.1
8	36,076	29,813	5,851	412	1,167	350	279	37.0
9	15,962	12,700	3,017	245	1,310	418	328	18.0
10	36,319	30,629	5,298	392	1,171	357	267	37.9
11	38,431	32,476	5,534	421	1,145	355	293	39.3
12	32,094	26,679	5,173	242	1,091	324	261	30.8
13	22,878	18,519	4,069	290	1,254	393	302	24.9
All areas <sup>a</sup>	10,931,092	8,954,518	1,827,619	148,955	1,165	349	315	11,120.2

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data; and U.S. Postal Service geographic data.

a. Includes beneficiaries in the 50 states, District of Columbia, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, and foreign countries.