

Table 37.
Distribution, by sex and diagnostic group, 2017

Diagnostic group	Total		Workers		Widow(er)s		Adult children	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All disabled beneficiaries								
Total	812,019	100.0	715,921	100.0	28,450	100.0	67,648	100.0
Congenital anomalies	3,572	0.4	1,107	0.2	44	0.2	2,421	3.6
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	19,090	2.4	17,688	2.5	1,028	3.6	374	0.6
Infectious and parasitic diseases	6,166	0.8	5,839	0.8	189	0.7	138	0.2
Injuries	25,917	3.2	24,060	3.4	713	2.5	1,144	1.7
Mental disorders								
Autistic disorders	9,840	1.2	2,931	0.4	6	(L)	6,903	10.2
Developmental disorders	1,568	0.2	751	0.1	14	(L)	803	1.2
Childhood and adolescent disorders not elsewhere classified	1,908	0.2	923	0.1	12	(L)	973	1.4
Intellectual disability	35,479	4.4	9,762	1.4	864	3.0	24,853	36.7
Mood disorders	53,879	6.6	43,973	6.1	3,879	13.6	6,027	8.9
Organic mental disorders	19,832	2.4	16,488	2.3	561	2.0	2,783	4.1
Schizophrenic and other psychotic disorders	18,515	2.3	13,003	1.8	618	2.2	4,894	7.2
Other	25,345	3.1	20,691	2.9	962	3.4	3,692	5.5
Neoplasms	81,775	10.1	80,276	11.2	1,129	4.0	370	0.5
Diseases of the—								
Blood and blood-forming organs	2,667	0.3	2,306	0.3	55	0.2	306	0.5
Circulatory system	76,281	9.4	73,737	10.3	2,116	7.4	428	0.6
Digestive system	16,686	2.1	15,973	2.2	483	1.7	230	0.3
Genitourinary system	21,105	2.6	20,408	2.9	386	1.4	311	0.5
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	275,013	33.9	262,559	36.7	11,390	40.0	1,064	1.6
Nervous system and sense organs	73,946	9.1	63,602	8.9	2,022	7.1	8,322	12.3
Respiratory system	30,474	3.8	28,790	4.0	1,528	5.4	156	0.2
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	1,762	0.2	1,627	0.2	52	0.2	83	0.1
Other	1,359	0.2	1,044	0.1	39	0.1	276	0.4
Unknown	9,840	1.2	8,383	1.2	360	1.3	1,097	1.6
Men								
Subtotal	417,419	100.0	374,918	100.0	3,188	100.0	39,313	100.0
Congenital anomalies	1,901	0.5	619	0.2	7	0.2	1,275	3.2
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	9,576	2.3	9,299	2.5	106	3.3	171	0.4
Infectious and parasitic diseases	3,895	0.9	3,773	1.0	44	1.4	78	0.2
Injuries	16,361	3.9	15,473	4.1	134	4.2	754	1.9
Mental disorders								
Autistic disorders	8,034	1.9	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5,553	14.1
Developmental disorders	936	0.2	463	0.1	4	0.1	469	1.2
Childhood and adolescent disorders not elsewhere classified	1,284	0.3	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	696	1.8
Intellectual disability	19,192	4.6	5,691	1.5	95	3.0	13,406	34.1
Mood disorders	20,053	4.8	16,840	4.5	271	8.5	2,942	7.5
Organic mental disorders	11,376	2.7	9,504	2.5	82	2.6	1,790	4.6
Schizophrenic and other psychotic disorders	12,140	2.9	8,395	2.2	92	2.9	3,653	9.3
Other	12,116	2.9	10,096	2.7	81	2.5	1,939	4.9
Neoplasms	40,253	9.6	39,908	10.6	122	3.8	223	0.6

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Table 37.
Distribution, by sex and diagnostic group, 2017—Continued

Diagnostic group	Total		Workers		Widow(er)s		Adult children	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Men (cont.)								
Diseases of the—								
Blood and blood-forming organs	1,255	0.3	1,110	0.3	3	0.1	142	0.4
Circulatory system	49,709	11.9	49,102	13.1	372	11.7	235	0.6
Digestive system	8,935	2.1	8,750	2.3	66	2.1	119	0.3
Genitourinary system	12,857	3.1	12,639	3.4	64	2.0	154	0.4
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	130,119	31.2	128,415	34.3	1,239	38.9	465	1.2
Nervous system and sense organs	36,668	8.8	32,087	8.6	199	6.2	4,382	11.1
Respiratory system	14,635	3.5	14,404	3.8	159	5.0	72	0.2
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	730	0.2	695	0.2	5	0.2	30	0.1
Other	669	0.2	518	0.1	5	0.2	146	0.4
Unknown	4,725	1.1	4,072	1.1	34	1.1	619	1.6
Women								
Subtotal	394,600	100.0	341,003	100.0	25,262	100.0	28,335	100.0
Congenital anomalies	1,671	0.4	488	0.1	37	0.1	1,146	4.0
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	9,514	2.4	8,389	2.5	922	3.6	203	0.7
Infectious and parasitic diseases	2,271	0.6	2,066	0.6	145	0.6	60	0.2
Injuries	9,556	2.4	8,587	2.5	579	2.3	390	1.4
Mental disorders								
Autistic disorders	1,806	0.5	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1,350	4.8
Developmental disorders	632	0.2	288	0.1	10	(L)	334	1.2
Childhood and adolescent disorders not elsewhere classified	624	0.2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	277	1.0
Intellectual disability	16,287	4.1	4,071	1.2	769	3.0	11,447	40.4
Mood disorders	33,826	8.6	27,133	8.0	3,608	14.3	3,085	10.9
Organic mental disorders	8,456	2.1	6,984	2.0	479	1.9	993	3.5
Schizophrenic and other psychotic disorders	6,375	1.6	4,608	1.4	526	2.1	1,241	4.4
Other	13,229	3.4	10,595	3.1	881	3.5	1,753	6.2
Neoplasms	41,522	10.5	40,368	11.8	1,007	4.0	147	0.5
Diseases of the—								
Blood and blood-forming organs	1,412	0.4	1,196	0.4	52	0.2	164	0.6
Circulatory system	26,572	6.7	24,635	7.2	1,744	6.9	193	0.7
Digestive system	7,751	2.0	7,223	2.1	417	1.7	111	0.4
Genitourinary system	8,248	2.1	7,769	2.3	322	1.3	157	0.6
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	144,894	36.7	134,144	39.3	10,151	40.2	599	2.1
Nervous system and sense organs	37,278	9.4	31,515	9.2	1,823	7.2	3,940	13.9
Respiratory system	15,839	4.0	14,386	4.2	1,369	5.4	84	0.3
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	1,032	0.3	932	0.3	47	0.2	53	0.2
Other	690	0.2	526	0.2	34	0.1	130	0.5
Unknown	5,115	1.3	4,311	1.3	326	1.3	478	1.7

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.

NOTES: Because of differences in data sources and calculation methods, statistics reported in this table may differ from those reported by the Office of the Chief Actuary.

Effective 2001, the Social Security Administration initiated a special review of 130,000 Supplemental Security Income (SSI) recipients who were potentially eligible for Social Security disability benefits because of earnings while receiving SSI. Many of these claims awarded since 2001 were for individuals under the age of 35 who were diagnosed with a mental disorder.

(X) = suppressed to avoid disclosing information about particular individuals; (L) = less than 0.05 percent.

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Table 38.
Distribution and average monthly benefit, by state or other area, 2017

State or area	Workers			Widow(er)s			Adult children		
	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)
All areas	715,921	100.0	1,327.65	28,450	100.0	725.45	67,648	100.0	580.46
Alabama	16,355	2.3	1,318.65	1,034	3.6	678.31	1,454	2.1	551.03
Alaska	1,073	0.1	1,387.86	42	0.1	810.72	133	0.2	532.12
Arizona	11,416	1.6	1,373.43	398	1.4	772.61	1,105	1.6	577.17
Arkansas	10,578	1.5	1,265.53	625	2.2	666.38	896	1.3	539.20
California	56,393	7.9	1,268.14	1,653	5.8	805.12	6,325	9.3	617.83
Colorado	8,219	1.1	1,379.10	226	0.8	817.59	658	1.0	640.99
Connecticut	7,123	1.0	1,422.63	186	0.7	773.19	730	1.1	618.99
Delaware	2,329	0.3	1,389.95	98	0.3	807.91	168	0.2	722.25
District of Columbia	1,447	0.2	1,134.56	38	0.1	722.36	156	0.2	571.79
Florida	44,238	6.2	1,317.48	1,665	5.9	708.25	3,465	5.1	598.03
Georgia	24,315	3.4	1,309.25	1,234	4.3	675.80	2,026	3.0	564.20
Hawaii	2,024	0.3	1,379.61	65	0.2	754.52	179	0.3	649.73
Idaho	3,804	0.5	1,298.74	112	0.4	788.18	458	0.7	561.34
Illinois	25,492	3.6	1,359.55	881	3.1	739.41	2,648	3.9	597.16
Indiana	16,848	2.4	1,358.00	709	2.5	709.52	1,578	2.3	578.20
Iowa	7,148	1.0	1,305.76	239	0.8	663.64	730	1.1	510.15
Kansas	6,313	0.9	1,337.77	257	0.9	663.19	675	1.0	541.48
Kentucky	13,936	1.9	1,315.30	1,013	3.6	731.72	1,358	2.0	517.94
Louisiana	14,021	2.0	1,259.33	724	2.5	774.28	1,118	1.7	539.68
Maine	3,753	0.5	1,287.29	145	0.5	708.97	505	0.7	517.39
Maryland	12,878	1.8	1,393.08	358	1.3	784.97	905	1.3	702.56
Massachusetts	15,478	2.2	1,369.26	411	1.4	725.83	1,753	2.6	582.39
Michigan	27,261	3.8	1,363.60	1,133	4.0	789.92	3,170	4.7	579.85
Minnesota	9,790	1.4	1,366.64	228	0.8	668.76	1,206	1.8	549.43
Mississippi	10,367	1.4	1,260.74	587	2.1	669.84	962	1.4	498.29
Missouri	15,787	2.2	1,315.05	811	2.9	649.38	1,501	2.2	516.39
Montana	2,153	0.3	1,238.49	88	0.3	628.73	244	0.4	527.08
Nebraska	3,693	0.5	1,272.55	103	0.4	747.89	415	0.6	552.90
Nevada	4,869	0.7	1,377.38	161	0.6	843.54	323	0.5	619.53
New Hampshire	3,897	0.5	1,388.38	114	0.4	715.10	484	0.7	535.67
New Jersey	17,700	2.5	1,468.89	495	1.7	803.12	1,667	2.5	657.51
New Mexico	5,599	0.8	1,226.47	192	0.7	703.50	391	0.6	565.57
New York	41,982	5.9	1,355.04	1,201	4.2	754.37	4,372	6.5	616.13
North Carolina	24,869	3.5	1,313.47	1,200	4.2	673.84	2,167	3.2	568.19
North Dakota	1,498	0.2	1,243.16	33	0.1	657.93	156	0.2	461.56
Ohio	28,712	4.0	1,302.83	1,326	4.7	739.38	2,811	4.2	549.38
Oklahoma	10,984	1.5	1,283.52	507	1.8	706.59	784	1.2	564.94
Oregon	8,681	1.2	1,331.61	343	1.2	779.50	858	1.3	625.10
Pennsylvania	34,155	4.8	1,360.73	1,251	4.4	738.95	3,078	4.6	556.89
Rhode Island	2,966	0.4	1,326.24	78	0.3	697.81	346	0.5	567.48

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Distribution and average monthly benefit, by state or other area, 2017—Continued

State or area	Workers			Widow(er)s			Adult children		
	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)
South Carolina	13,337	1.9	1,334.15	751	2.6	690.57	1,058	1.6	591.39
South Dakota	1,722	0.2	1,210.16	52	0.2	631.12	181	0.3	542.15
Tennessee	18,631	2.6	1,299.76	1,129	4.0	645.35	1,549	2.3	550.05
Texas	51,936	7.3	1,314.69	1,880	6.6	752.08	3,983	5.9	599.03
Utah	3,986	0.6	1,351.75	142	0.5	773.20	508	0.8	589.06
Vermont	1,735	0.2	1,295.67	44	0.2	670.33	208	0.3	522.22
Virginia	19,025	2.7	1,350.52	774	2.7	714.82	1,603	2.4	616.43
Washington	14,766	2.1	1,404.26	461	1.6	755.10	1,594	2.4	626.23
West Virginia	6,915	1.0	1,350.87	421	1.5	749.34	579	0.9	556.45
Wisconsin	14,497	2.0	1,343.44	392	1.4	697.59	1,686	2.5	521.72
Wyoming	1,293	0.2	1,386.02	32	0.1	945.30	129	0.2	523.15
Outlying areas									
Puerto Rico	6,940	1.0	1,099.57	338	1.2	637.45	433	0.6	451.11
Other ^b	994	0.1	1,100.17	70	0.2	795.38	179	0.3	533.32

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.

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a. Benefits awarded before the December cost-of-living increase are converted to the December rates before averages are computed.

b. Includes American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, U.S. Virgin Islands, and foreign countries.

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