



Massachusetts Congressional Statistics, 2022

Old-Age (retirement), Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI)—popularly referred to as Social Security—provides monthly benefits to an eligible worker and family members when the worker elects to start receiving retirement benefits or when the worker dies or becomes disabled. A worker’s lifetime covered earnings largely determine the amount of benefits received.

Table 1.
Number of OASDI beneficiaries in current-payment status and total monthly benefits, December 2022

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries						Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)			Number of beneficiaries aged 65 or older
	Total	Retired workers	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s and parents	Spouses ^a	Children ^b	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s and parents	
Massachusetts	1,306,185	966,118	166,264	61,975	35,690	76,138	2,303,138	1,845,603	107,968	1,042,562
1	170,840	118,100	27,732	8,577	4,112	12,319	275,944	210,537	13,700	127,669
2	145,095	104,920	20,946	6,851	3,413	8,965	247,184	193,437	11,582	112,522
3	138,887	98,216	20,654	6,675	3,911	9,431	239,684	186,341	11,357	106,085
4	141,571	106,732	15,788	6,644	4,075	8,332	268,194	218,243	12,353	115,445
5	121,865	95,165	11,250	5,716	4,228	5,506	235,832	197,551	10,696	103,909
6	155,776	120,182	15,905	7,724	4,443	7,522	291,417	239,834	14,403	129,857
7	91,441	63,312	15,191	3,684	2,805	6,449	137,402	104,745	5,433	68,605
8	139,283	104,036	16,726	6,709	3,757	8,055	248,480	199,522	11,953	112,430
9	201,427	155,455	22,072	9,395	4,946	9,559	359,001	295,394	16,492	166,040
All areas ^c	65,994,457	48,587,883	7,604,098	3,840,827	2,113,864	3,847,785	111,421,667	88,679,497	6,324,926	52,052,807

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

a. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.

b. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired, deceased, or disabled.

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

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is a federal cash assistance program that provides monthly payments to low-income aged, blind, or disabled persons in the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and the Northern Mariana Islands.

Table 2.
Number of recipients of federally administered SSI payments and total monthly payments, December 2022

Congressional district	Number of recipients							Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients with OASDI ^a
	Total	By type			By age			Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	
		Aged	Blind	Disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older					
Massachusetts	168,163	24,844	1,904	141,415	18,228	93,186	56,749	104,876	12,791	1,123	90,962	50,726
1	34,589	1,995	363	32,231	5,404	21,376	7,809	22,487	860	228	21,398	10,294
2	18,484	1,857	223	16,404	2,167	11,242	5,075	11,761	946	133	10,682	5,259
3	20,994	2,782	252	17,960	2,377	11,577	7,040	13,050	1,443	144	11,463	6,463
4	10,415	1,649	142	8,624	1,012	6,182	3,221	6,324	833	81	5,410	2,979
5	10,770	3,016	133	7,621	721	4,914	5,135	6,355	1,629	74	4,651	3,169
6	12,716	2,087	162	10,467	1,016	6,979	4,721	7,768	1,096	93	6,579	3,830
7	30,074	7,027	292	22,755	2,676	13,281	14,117	18,946	3,889	172	14,884	8,815
8	13,925	3,342	157	10,426	1,073	7,058	5,794	8,204	1,675	88	6,441	4,364
9	16,196	1,089	180	14,927	1,782	10,577	3,837	9,981	418	108	9,454	5,553
All areas ^b	7,542,222	1,138,100	64,393	6,339,729	997,109	4,195,789	2,349,324	4,910,154	569,774	43,223	4,297,157	2,530,634

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

a. Includes persons who are receiving both SSI payments and Social Security benefits.

b. Includes recipients in the 50 States, District of Columbia, and Northern Mariana Islands.

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