

Table 24.
Distribution, by diagnostic group and age, December 2003

Diagnostic group	Total	Under 30	30–39	40–49	50–59	60–FRA
Number						
Total	5,868,541	182,070	587,034	1,435,681	2,275,703	1,388,053
Congenital anomalies	9,750	1,368	1,960	2,368	2,605	1,449
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	242,517	2,850	15,538	50,034	107,682	66,413
Infectious and parasitic diseases	106,767	1,840	19,728	42,808	31,983	10,408
Injuries	260,572	10,825	33,696	71,113	91,515	53,423
Mental disorders						
Retardation	298,500	34,669	67,111	94,640	77,018	25,062
Other	1,662,590	81,380	239,938	526,190	600,444	214,638
Neoplasms	160,986	4,199	11,289	32,638	66,371	46,489
Diseases of the—						
Blood and blood-forming organs	14,711	1,886	2,784	3,843	4,139	2,059
Circulatory system	579,778	3,244	16,246	70,595	249,207	240,486
Digestive system	87,721	1,807	7,548	25,367	36,653	16,346
Genitourinary system	98,491	4,548	14,946	27,649	35,528	15,820
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	1,430,357	7,597	68,466	279,243	614,356	460,695
Nervous system and sense organs	565,244	21,042	68,663	146,155	213,251	116,133
Respiratory system	185,834	1,222	5,584	23,190	77,401	78,437
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	14,133	388	1,590	3,988	5,445	2,722
Other	10,705	419	1,176	2,901	4,140	2,069
Unknown	139,885	2,786	10,771	32,959	57,965	35,404
Percent						
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Congenital anomalies	0.2	0.8	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	4.1	1.6	2.6	3.5	4.7	4.8
Infectious and parasitic diseases	1.8	1.0	3.4	3.0	1.4	0.7
Injuries	4.4	5.9	5.7	5.0	4.0	3.8
Mental disorders						
Retardation	5.1	19.0	11.4	6.6	3.4	1.8
Other	28.3	44.7	40.9	36.7	26.4	15.5
Neoplasms	2.7	2.3	1.9	2.3	2.9	3.3
Diseases of the—						
Blood and blood-forming organs	0.3	1.0	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1
Circulatory system	9.9	1.8	2.8	4.9	11.0	17.3
Digestive system	1.5	1.0	1.3	1.8	1.6	1.2
Genitourinary system	1.7	2.5	2.5	1.9	1.6	1.1
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	24.4	4.2	11.7	19.5	27.0	33.2
Nervous system and sense organs	9.6	11.6	11.7	10.2	9.4	8.4
Respiratory system	3.2	0.7	1.0	1.6	3.4	5.7
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Other	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
Unknown	2.4	1.5	1.8	2.3	2.5	2.6

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Disabled Beneficiaries and Dependents Master Beneficiary Record file, 100 percent data.

NOTE: FRA = full retirement age.

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