



Social Security
disability payments
are modest.

Schizophrenia

Disability payments represent the vast majority of the total income for many beneficiaries.

Social Security pays an average monthly disability benefit of only \$1,146, barely enough to keep a recipient above the current poverty guidelines of \$11,490 annually. These modest payments make a huge difference in the lives of people who can no longer work, allowing them to meet their basic needs and the needs of their families.



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