

## **Congressional Statistics** for December 2006

Idaho

Old-Age (retirement), Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI)—popularly referred to as Social Security—provides monthly benefits to workers and their families when earnings stop or are reduced because the worker retires, dies, or becomes disabled. The amount of benefits received is based on the worker's level of earnings in employment or self-employment covered by the Social Security program.

Table 1. Number of OASDI beneficiaries with benefits in current-payment status and total monthly benefits, December 2006

	Number of beneficiaries						Tota (tho	Number of		
Congressional district	Total	Retired workers <sup>a</sup>	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s <sup>b</sup>	Spouses <sup>c</sup>	Children <sup>d</sup>	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s <sup>b</sup>	beneficiaries aged 65 or older
Idaho	233,766	150,186	31,318	20,360	13,639	18,263	219,561	153,289	20,400	163,276
1 2	130,383 103,383	83,619 66,567	17,896 13,422	11,304 9,056	7,474 6,165	10,090 8,173	122,805 96,757	85,143 68,146	11,286 9,114	90,242 73,034
All areas <sup>e</sup>	49,122,624	30,976,145	6,806,918	4,666,962	2,632,069	4,040,530	46,938,032	32,351,857	4,576,981	34,468,217

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

- Includes special age-72 beneficiaries.
- Includes nondisabled widow(er)s, disabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents receiving payment on the record of a worker who is deceased.
- These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.
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- 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 2006

		Number of r	ecipients			Total month	Number of recipients			
Congressional district	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With	Aged 65 or older
Idaho	23,102	1,825	206	21,071	10,399	409	85	9,904	8,235	3,294
1 2	12,431 10,671	992 833	108 98	11,331 9,740	5,621 4,778	210 198	45 40	5,366 4,538	4,480 3,755	1,851 1,443
All areas <sup>b</sup>	7,235,583	1,211,681	73,418	5,950,484	3,499,569	453,537	36,296	3,009,734	2,528,975	2,004,476

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record (Characteristic Extract Record format), 100 percent 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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