



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

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries						Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)			Number of beneficiaries aged 65 or older
	Total	Retired workers ^a	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s ^b	Spouses ^c	Children ^d	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s ^b	
North Carolina	1,550,340	970,774	261,068	128,785	57,280	132,433	1,459,551	997,679	117,798	1,027,559
1	135,150	74,861	27,758	13,258	4,832	14,441	113,349	69,716	10,484	82,632
2	105,267	60,915	20,853	9,140	3,466	10,893	92,815	58,974	7,673	65,021
3	113,928	71,205	17,680	10,210	5,298	9,535	103,930	70,468	9,090	76,145
4	83,517	55,452	11,426	6,413	3,269	6,957	86,667	62,543	6,708	58,211
5	131,462	86,346	19,785	10,796	5,110	9,425	125,071	88,403	9,983	90,977
6	131,086	90,266	17,906	9,468	4,759	8,687	131,220	96,760	9,469	93,495
7	137,307	80,088	26,799	12,207	5,272	12,941	125,062	80,456	10,541	85,070
8	105,721	62,466	20,505	8,504	3,279	10,967	96,970	63,243	7,548	66,041
9	103,016	68,961	13,945	8,257	3,958	7,895	107,742	77,920	8,736	72,351
10	133,663	86,146	22,938	9,896	3,880	10,803	126,946	88,291	9,066	88,226
11	162,450	106,227	24,107	14,101	7,929	10,086	152,335	107,572	13,056	114,416
12	100,521	61,142	18,822	7,942	2,726	9,889	94,317	63,096	7,362	64,285
13	107,252	66,699	18,544	8,593	3,502	9,914	103,128	70,239	8,081	70,689
All areas ^e	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.

- a. Includes special age-72 beneficiaries.
- b. 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.
- c. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.
- d. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired, deceased, or disabled.
- e. 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

Congressional district	Number of recipients				Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients	
	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With OASDI ^a	Aged 65 or older
North Carolina	202,478	24,323	1,774	176,381	85,799	4,978	701	80,120	81,851	47,464
1	32,838	4,267	243	28,328	13,583	775	98	12,710	14,312	8,593
2	17,683	2,279	138	15,266	7,408	427	56	6,923	7,515	4,497
3	13,413	1,740	130	11,543	5,437	321	48	5,067	5,415	3,096
4	8,477	1,050	96	7,331	3,789	290	34	3,464	2,958	1,895
5	12,004	1,795	126	10,083	4,797	340	46	4,410	5,470	3,339
6	8,822	999	71	7,752	3,794	199	28	3,567	3,433	1,796
7	24,068	2,648	164	21,256	10,072	488	60	9,523	10,015	5,625
8	16,446	1,621	133	14,692	7,188	358	53	6,775	5,948	3,257
9	8,223	1,005	71	7,147	3,699	304	32	3,363	2,654	1,665
10	13,101	1,431	119	11,551	5,649	292	51	5,305	5,245	2,769
11	15,488	2,198	129	13,161	6,234	428	51	5,754	7,203	4,223
12	17,245	1,515	192	15,538	7,756	354	77	7,324	5,822	3,180
13	14,670	1,775	162	12,733	6,387	397	60	5,929	5,861	3,529
All areas ^b	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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