



**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 2015**

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 <sup>a</sup>	Children <sup>b</sup>	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s and parents	
Connecticut	659,238	474,950	81,784	39,075	22,110	41,319	901,648	701,155	54,924	509,120
1	139,357	100,120	17,781	7,766	3,935	9,755	185,539	144,227	10,631	106,249
2	138,107	99,730	17,508	8,372	4,431	8,066	188,348	145,755	11,772	105,666
3	133,076	94,957	18,037	7,853	3,795	8,434	180,351	139,000	10,906	101,438
4	114,218	84,587	10,496	7,310	5,533	6,292	165,291	131,821	10,829	93,621
5	134,480	95,556	17,962	7,774	4,416	8,772	182,120	140,352	10,785	102,146
All areas <sup>c</sup>	59,963,425	40,089,061	8,909,430	4,190,676	2,477,567	4,296,691	73,642,029	53,790,278	5,194,659	43,243,199

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 2015**

Congressional district	Number of recipients				Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients		
	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With OASDI <sup>a</sup>	Under age 18	Aged 65 or older
Connecticut	63,736	6,772	430	56,534	35,913	2,782	230	32,901	19,840	8,712	14,952
1	16,761	1,978	112	14,671	9,459	841	65	8,553	5,234	2,422	4,482
2	8,380	612	56	7,712	4,640	226	30	4,385	2,905	1,129	1,413
3	14,073	1,203	94	12,776	8,040	477	46	7,517	4,124	1,796	2,911
4	10,302	1,599	73	8,630	5,722	687	37	4,998	3,146	1,226	3,089
5	14,220	1,380	95	12,745	8,051	551	52	7,448	4,431	2,139	3,057
All areas <sup>b</sup>	8,309,564	1,157,492	67,851	7,084,221	4,721,982	495,852	38,705	4,187,426	2,731,528	1,267,160	2,153,849

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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