



# North Carolina Congressional Statistics, 2017

*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 2017**

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	
North Carolina	2,059,436	1,428,433	320,583	118,443	52,911	139,066	2,667,042	2,006,817	149,332	1,481,565
1	156,838	102,718	28,864	9,487	3,442	12,327	192,606	139,126	10,992	106,854
2	144,142	100,127	21,489	8,049	4,041	10,436	192,321	144,929	10,343	103,756
3	165,429	113,603	25,296	10,571	4,417	11,542	203,834	151,447	12,754	117,492
4	105,159	75,357	13,295	5,815	3,957	6,735	150,391	117,129	8,361	80,249
5	170,660	120,101	26,180	9,732	4,204	10,443	219,274	166,406	12,286	124,440
6	173,932	122,253	27,584	8,993	3,803	11,299	226,634	172,016	11,292	125,519
7	188,406	132,259	28,013	11,212	4,920	12,002	245,306	186,686	13,913	137,067
8	151,348	102,604	24,879	8,994	3,648	11,223	193,239	142,122	11,251	105,918
9	145,092	97,806	22,780	9,094	4,287	11,125	189,850	140,734	11,527	103,155
10	179,391	125,710	28,881	9,874	3,775	11,151	233,028	175,806	12,601	129,065
11	210,971	150,295	31,116	12,058	5,829	11,673	266,662	203,772	14,902	156,322
12	105,723	71,500	17,280	5,746	2,642	8,555	138,370	102,610	7,578	73,721
13	162,345	114,100	24,926	8,818	3,946	10,555	215,527	164,033	11,532	118,007
All areas <sup>c</sup>	61,903,360	42,446,992	8,695,475	4,090,523	2,501,729	4,168,641	79,732,580	59,602,066	5,271,028	45,808,776

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 2017**

Congressional district	Number of recipients							Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients with OASDI <sup>a</sup>
	Total	By type			By age			Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	
		Aged	Blind	Disabled	Under 18	18-64	65 or older					
North Carolina	232,386	17,752	1,881	212,753	38,313	149,639	44,434	131,725	5,192	999	125,535	79,772
1	28,774	2,007	208	26,559	4,598	18,206	5,970	15,953	502	102	15,349	10,578
2	14,136	1,154	118	12,864	2,390	8,848	2,898	8,088	327	56	7,705	5,052
3	18,749	1,366	146	17,237	3,103	12,045	3,601	10,245	338	76	9,831	7,025
4	9,651	1,224	116	8,311	1,909	5,623	2,119	5,415	484	63	4,869	2,763
5	17,108	1,381	157	15,570	2,538	11,265	3,305	9,988	347	87	9,555	6,132
6	17,794	1,311	141	16,342	2,951	11,705	3,138	10,160	369	76	9,715	6,043
7	20,094	1,323	169	18,602	3,120	12,979	3,995	10,751	314	86	10,351	7,477
8	15,034	948	137	13,949	3,098	9,596	2,340	8,919	279	75	8,565	4,706
9	22,459	1,585	130	20,744	3,787	14,318	4,354	13,101	488	72	12,540	7,486
10	18,122	1,115	152	16,855	2,548	12,592	2,982	10,388	288	85	10,014	6,127
11	17,556	1,283	151	16,122	2,109	11,989	3,458	9,621	347	81	9,193	6,595
12	16,404	1,809	131	14,464	3,305	9,621	3,478	9,515	713	71	8,731	4,560
13	16,505	1,246	125	15,134	2,857	10,852	2,796	9,580	395	69	9,117	5,228
All areas <sup>b</sup>	8,227,676	1,176,476	68,947	6,982,253	1,182,593	4,805,112	2,239,971	4,754,456	506,540	39,787	4,208,129	2,738,814

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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