



Connecticut Congressional Statistics, 2021

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 2021**

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 ^a	Children ^b	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s and parents	
Connecticut	699,597	532,298	74,895	35,113	20,087	37,204	1,193,327	975,916	59,686	567,750
1	146,124	111,026	16,193	6,872	3,511	8,522	242,227	198,263	11,237	117,463
2	152,086	116,142	16,705	7,694	3,960	7,585	259,582	211,733	13,165	122,450
3	139,996	105,693	16,546	6,843	3,370	7,544	235,634	191,385	11,466	112,221
4	118,289	91,704	9,275	6,530	5,161	5,619	214,123	178,103	11,815	100,658
5	143,102	107,733	16,176	7,174	4,085	7,934	241,761	196,433	12,004	114,958
All areas ^c	65,228,238	47,292,977	7,877,129	3,888,166	2,261,928	3,908,038	99,804,910	78,413,357	5,833,092	50,795,566

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 2021

Congressional district	Number of recipients							Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients with OASDI ^a
	Total	By type			By age			Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	
		Aged	Blind	Disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older					
Connecticut	65,932	7,407	441	58,084	8,262	39,840	17,830	39,795	3,217	268	36,310	20,564
1	17,003	2,051	116	14,836	2,267	9,669	5,067	10,091	911	72	9,107	5,365
2	9,094	719	52	8,323	1,210	6,003	1,881	5,471	282	33	5,155	2,941
3	14,903	1,363	94	13,446	1,691	9,525	3,687	9,189	596	57	8,536	4,477
4	10,533	1,747	74	8,712	1,224	5,808	3,501	6,357	783	43	5,532	3,265
5	14,399	1,527	105	12,767	1,870	8,835	3,694	8,687	646	62	7,979	4,516
All areas ^b	7,695,900	1,115,723	65,587	6,514,590	1,038,149	4,363,898	2,293,853	4,703,458	521,509	40,636	4,141,312	2,561,072

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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