



# Nebraska 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 <sup>a</sup>	Children <sup>b</sup>	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s and parents	
Nebraska	360,240	270,312	38,910	20,123	9,746	21,149	559,398	453,226	31,534	289,864
1	119,174	90,765	12,237	6,307	3,226	6,639	188,999	155,110	10,079	96,865
2	108,040	79,166	13,245	5,355	2,723	7,551	176,054	141,163	9,019	84,179
3	133,026	100,381	13,428	8,461	3,797	6,959	194,345	156,952	12,437	108,820
All areas <sup>c</sup>	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 <sup>a</sup>
	Total	By type			By age			Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	
		Aged	Blind	Disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older					
Nebraska	28,763	2,421	251	26,091	3,934	19,262	5,567	16,890	966	150	15,775	10,003
1	8,815	824	102	7,889	1,143	5,924	1,748	5,148	335	63	4,750	3,014
2	11,475	1,011	80	10,384	1,749	7,519	2,207	7,095	456	44	6,595	3,568
3	8,473	586	69	7,818	1,042	5,819	1,612	4,647	175	42	4,430	3,421
<b>All areas<sup>b</sup></b>	<b>7,695,900</b>	<b>1,115,723</b>	<b>65,587</b>	<b>6,514,590</b>	<b>1,038,149</b>	<b>4,363,898</b>	<b>2,293,853</b>	<b>4,703,458</b>	<b>521,509</b>	<b>40,636</b>	<b>4,141,312</b>	<b>2,561,072</b>

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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