

Benefits Terminated for All Disabled Beneficiaries

Table 49.
Number and rate, 1960–2010

Year	Total		Workers		Widow(er)s		Adult children	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
1960	91,543	164	89,090	196	--	--	2,453	24
1961	118,842	160	115,546	187	--	--	3,296	27
1962	132,144	149	128,299	173	--	--	3,845	26
1963	143,008	144	137,850	167	--	--	5,158	31
1964	144,422	134	138,576	155	--	--	5,846	32
1965	163,276	138	156,648	159	--	--	6,628	33
1966	175,959	134	168,630	154	--	--	7,329	34
1967	218,077	153	208,899	175	--	--	9,178	40
1968	232,817	151	222,197	172	--	--	10,620	44
1969	263,191	159	251,269	180	--	--	11,922	46
1970	272,239	154	260,444	174	--	--	11,795	44
1971	278,092	144	266,471	162	--	--	11,621	41
1972	275,663	129	261,739	143	--	--	13,924	46
1973	317,237	136	304,792	151	--	--	12,445	39
1974	336,246	130	320,958	143	--	--	15,288	45
1975	344,727	121	329,532	132	--	--	15,195	42
1976	367,608	120	351,504	132	--	--	16,104	42
1977	418,394	129	401,334	141	--	--	17,060	42
1978	431,067	131	413,571	144	--	--	17,496	42
1979	441,101	133	422,503	147	--	--	18,598	43
1980	422,612	128	408,051	143	--	--	14,561	32
1981	449,669	139	434,187	156	--	--	15,482	33
1982	500,282	163	483,847	186	--	--	16,435	35
1983	473,327	155	453,621	177	--	--	19,706	40
1984	391,190	126	371,913	143	--	--	19,277	38
1985	357,006	112	339,984	128	--	--	17,022	32
1986	358,289	109	341,276	125	--	--	17,013	31
1987	365,004	109	347,948	125	--	--	17,056	30
1988	375,621	110	356,143	126	--	--	19,478	34
1989	371,128	107	351,402	121	--	--	19,726	34
1990	368,208	102	348,194	116	--	--	20,014	33
1991	369,026	97	351,303	110	--	--	17,723	29
1992	379,653	92	361,796	104	--	--	17,857	28
1993	391,159	89	372,317	100	--	--	18,842	29
1994	404,624	87	384,590	97	--	--	20,034	30

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Number and rate, 1960–2010—Continued

Year	Total		Workers		Widow(er)s		Adult children	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
1995	422,114	87	399,475	95	--	--	22,639	33
1996	420,756	83	396,980	91	--	--	23,776	34
1997	491,194	94	464,984	103	--	--	26,210	37
1998	436,244	81	409,489	87	--	--	26,755	38
1999	463,394	83	433,950	89	--	--	29,444	41
2000	493,651	86	460,351	91	--	--	33,300	46
2001	513,472	83	459,073	87	21,411	105	32,988	45
2002	535,465	82	479,364	87	21,379	103	34,722	47
2003	501,222	73	447,485	76	20,707	99	33,030	44
2004	525,418	73	470,017	76	23,572	112	31,829	42
2005	556,745	74	499,662	77	23,609	109	33,474	44
2006	569,146	73	511,128	75	23,599	107	34,419	44
2007	580,721	72	522,349	74	23,768	106	34,604	44
2008	627,423	74	563,314	76	26,109	114	38,000	44
2009	695,216	78	630,074	81	25,071	106	40,071	44
2010	706,008	75	640,678	78	24,749	101	40,581	43

SOURCES: Social Security Administration. For years before 2000, *Annual Statistical Supplement to the Social Security Bulletin*, based on the Master Beneficiary Record, various sampling rates; for 2000, Social Security Disability Insurance Beneficiaries, 100 percent data, and Annual Termination file, 100 percent data; from 2001 through 2003, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data; beginning in 2004, Annual Award and Termination Transaction file, 100 percent data, and Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.

NOTES: The termination rate is the number of terminations per 1,000 beneficiaries in current-payment status.

Beginning in 2004, data include closed period awards.

-- = not available.

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Table 50.
Number, by reason for termination, 2010

Reason for termination	All beneficiaries	Workers and nondisabled dependents				Widow(er)s	Adult children of—		
		Workers	Spouses	Children under age 18	Students aged 18–19		Retired workers	Deceased workers	Disabled workers
Total	1,229,970	640,678	54,977	329,437	139,548	24,749	5,887	20,629	14,065
Death of beneficiary	257,639	226,742	1,751	667	59	7,146	4,074	16,386	814
Termination resulting from death of worker ^a	48,586	...	6,715	36,824	1,483	...	...	...	3,564
Attainment of age—									
18 by children	235,523	...	...	235,523	...	...	...	...	...
19 by students	26,498	...	...	...	26,498	...	...	...	...
FRA by disabled workers	379,377	335,054	29,803	7,942	478	...	...	...	6,100
FRA by disabled widow(er)s	16,664	...	...	...	...	16,664	...	...	...
Elected reduced retirement	2,098	2,098	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Termination of spouse's benefit because child attains age 16	11,141	...	11,141	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marriage, remarriage, or divorce of beneficiary	3,949	...	1,448	1,216	162	7	282	504	330
Entitlement to an equal or larger Social Security benefit	2,377	...	1,375	141	5	426	121	155	154
Does not meet medical standards ^b	132,702	61,011	2,328	45,317	16,406	265	1,177	3,355	2,843
Medical improvement ^c	--	20,022	--	--	--	66	304	977	1,360
Work above substantial gainful activity ^d	--	40,959	--	--	--	198	848	2,317	1,404
Miscellaneous reasons ^e	--	30	--	--	--	1	25	61	79
Student no longer attending school	94,433	...	...	...	94,433	...	...	...	...
Other	18,983	15,773	416	1,807	24	241	233	229	260

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Annual Award and Termination Transaction file, 100 percent data.

NOTES: These data represent the total number of beneficiaries whose benefits were terminated during the calendar year regardless of the effective date of the termination.

Data include closed period awards.

... = not applicable; FRA = full retirement age; -- = not available.

- Beneficiaries are terminated from the Disability Insurance Trust Fund and start receiving benefits from the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund.
- Dependents' benefits terminate when the disabled worker no longer meets the requirements for disability benefits. Disabled widow(er)s and disabled adult children of deceased or retired workers lose their benefits when they no longer meet the requirements for disability benefits.
- Includes beneficiaries who medically improved, who did not cooperate during the medical review, or whose whereabouts are unknown.
- Excludes disabled beneficiaries whose monthly benefits have been suspended because the beneficiaries are engaging in substantial gainful activity during the extended period of eligibility.
- Includes beneficiaries who did not comply with alcohol or drug abuse treatment programs or who refused vocational rehabilitation services.

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Table 51.
Number and rate, by state or other area, 2010

State or area	Total		Workers		Widow(er)s		Adult children	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
All areas	706,008	75	640,678	78	24,749	101	40,581	43
Alabama	17,761	73	15,964	74	825	100	972	47
Alaska	1,063	78	991	82	30	109	42	35
Arizona	12,740	79	11,869	82	352	99	519	41
Arkansas	11,369	76	10,241	77	513	109	615	52
California	59,466	78	54,753	83	1,659	103	3,054	38
Colorado	7,768	74	7,218	76	212	107	338	41
Connecticut	6,625	73	6,047	78	173	106	405	35
Delaware	2,242	77	2,080	80	64	98	98	40
District of Columbia	1,070	73	987	77	25	110	58	38
Florida	44,675	82	41,463	85	1,372	103	1,840	42
Georgia	23,270	82	21,163	85	976	112	1,131	45
Hawaii	2,105	81	1,957	86	62	107	86	30
Idaho	3,247	75	2,982	77	107	110	158	41
Illinois	24,505	76	22,051	80	805	100	1,649	41
Indiana	16,112	75	14,470	77	555	95	1,087	48
Iowa	6,385	76	5,687	79	216	120	482	44
Kansas	5,994	76	5,439	79	196	103	359	44
Kentucky	15,999	70	14,225	71	767	94	1,007	52
Louisiana	12,818	75	11,168	78	695	106	955	46
Maine	4,092	65	3,692	66	128	93	272	45
Maryland	10,256	78	9,469	82	283	107	504	38
Massachusetts	14,558	68	13,219	71	367	97	972	42
Michigan	25,073	69	22,483	71	912	98	1,678	40
Minnesota	9,480	71	8,647	75	194	100	639	42
Mississippi	10,888	75	9,727	77	526	99	635	45
Missouri	17,267	75	15,538	77	607	93	1,122	52
Montana	2,297	78	2,120	81	71	107	106	37
Nebraska	3,663	80	3,308	83	83	88	272	51
Nevada	5,421	89	5,153	92	133	95	135	37
New Hampshire	3,200	68	2,932	69	80	98	188	48
New Jersey	16,900	79	15,415	83	476	107	1,009	41
New Mexico	4,799	73	4,409	75	147	103	243	45
New York	41,363	72	37,420	76	1,245	98	2,698	39
North Carolina	27,278	78	24,934	80	1,027	103	1,317	44
North Dakota	1,250	77	1,095	81	38	135	117	49
Ohio	26,590	73	23,613	75	1,088	103	1,889	45
Oklahoma	10,871	80	9,815	82	451	105	605	52
Oregon	8,319	75	7,691	79	251	98	377	37
Pennsylvania	30,965	72	27,826	75	1,085	100	2,054	43
Rhode Island	2,750	70	2,496	73	79	104	175	43

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Table 51.
Number and rate, by state or other area, 2010—Continued

State or area	Total		Workers		Widow(er)s		Adult children	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	14,691	78	13,399	81	590	97	702	43
South Dakota	1,609	77	1,442	81	51	122	116	44
Tennessee	20,032	77	18,079	79	923	103	1,030	46
Texas	46,324	77	42,207	80	1,809	100	2,308	43
Utah	3,590	75	3,259	78	86	90	245	49
Vermont	1,525	64	1,369	66	52	110	104	41
Virginia	17,233	76	15,692	78	629	99	912	42
Washington	13,486	75	12,413	78	346	89	727	45
West Virginia	7,969	73	7,022	75	395	94	552	51
Wisconsin	11,827	69	10,611	72	302	96	914	44
Wyoming	1,125	85	1,047	89	28	96	50	43
Outlying areas								
Puerto Rico	11,942	60	10,534	62	539	100	869	37
Other ^a	2,161	87	1,847	102	124	145	190	32

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Annual Award and Termination Transaction file, 100 percent data, and Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.

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Data include closed period awards.

a. Includes American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, U.S. Virgin Islands, and foreign countries.

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