

Table 37.
Distribution, by sex and diagnostic group, 2016

Diagnostic group	Total		Workers		Widow(er)s		Adult children	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All disabled beneficiaries								
Total	799,330	100.0	706,448	100.0	28,514	100.0	64,368	100.0
Congenital anomalies	3,217	0.4	948	0.1	21	0.1	2,248	3.5
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	19,983	2.5	18,470	2.6	1,091	3.8	422	0.7
Infectious and parasitic diseases	6,389	0.8	6,065	0.9	211	0.7	113	0.2
Injuries	24,223	3.0	22,450	3.2	673	2.4	1,100	1.7
Mental disorders								
Autistic disorders	7,974	1.0	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6,059	9.4
Developmental disorders	1,149	0.1	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	651	1.0
Childhood and adolescent disorders not elsewhere classified	1,241	0.2	455	0.1	8	(L)	778	1.2
Intellectual disability	33,415	4.2	7,975	1.1	809	2.8	24,631	38.3
Mood disorders	54,054	6.8	44,721	6.3	3,926	13.8	5,407	8.4
Organic mental disorders	19,966	2.5	16,496	2.3	557	2.0	2,913	4.5
Schizophrenic and other psychotic disorders	16,676	2.1	11,620	1.6	581	2.0	4,475	7.0
Other	23,742	3.0	19,335	2.7	950	3.3	3,457	5.4
Neoplasms	81,889	10.2	80,382	11.4	1,170	4.1	337	0.5
Diseases of the—								
Blood and blood-forming organs	2,518	0.3	2,162	0.3	53	0.2	303	0.5
Circulatory system	81,044	10.1	78,369	11.1	2,226	7.8	449	0.7
Digestive system	16,463	2.1	15,743	2.2	523	1.8	197	0.3
Genitourinary system	20,895	2.6	20,193	2.9	379	1.3	323	0.5
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	270,789	33.9	258,506	36.6	11,277	39.5	1,006	1.6
Nervous system and sense organs	70,465	8.8	60,593	8.6	2,012	7.1	7,860	12.2
Respiratory system	30,709	3.8	28,995	4.1	1,562	5.5	152	0.2
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	1,725	0.2	1,604	0.2	57	0.2	64	0.1
Other	1,454	0.2	1,106	0.2	41	0.1	307	0.5
Unknown	9,350	1.2	7,861	1.1	373	1.3	1,116	1.7
Men								
Subtotal	414,576	100.0	373,798	100.0	3,040	100.0	37,738	100.0
Congenital anomalies	1,682	0.4	527	0.1	5	0.2	1,150	3.0
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	9,780	2.4	9,470	2.5	109	3.6	201	0.5
Infectious and parasitic diseases	4,145	1.0	4,033	1.1	43	1.4	69	0.2
Injuries	15,460	3.7	14,588	3.9	121	4.0	751	2.0
Mental disorders								
Autistic disorders	6,485	1.6	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4,865	12.9
Developmental disorders	685	0.2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	395	1.0
Childhood and adolescent disorders not elsewhere classified	905	0.2	304	0.1	0	0.0	601	1.6
Intellectual disability	18,306	4.4	4,741	1.3	101	3.3	13,464	35.7
Mood disorders	20,425	4.9	17,458	4.7	270	8.9	2,697	7.1
Organic mental disorders	11,564	2.8	9,612	2.6	81	2.7	1,871	5.0
Schizophrenic and other psychotic disorders	10,959	2.6	7,453	2.0	87	2.9	3,419	9.1
Other	11,783	2.8	9,849	2.6	69	2.3	1,865	4.9
Neoplasms	40,752	9.8	40,433	10.8	113	3.7	206	0.5

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Table 37.
Distribution, by sex and diagnostic group, 2016—Continued

Diagnostic group	Total		Workers		Widow(er)s		Adult children	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Men (cont.)								
Diseases of the—								
Blood and blood-forming organs	1,222	0.3	1,061	0.3	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Circulatory system	53,144	12.8	52,514	14.0	405	13.3	225	0.6
Digestive system	8,880	2.1	8,710	2.3	71	2.3	99	0.3
Genitourinary system	12,608	3.0	12,396	3.3	62	2.0	150	0.4
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	129,823	31.3	128,259	34.3	1,141	37.5	423	1.1
Nervous system and sense organs	35,147	8.5	30,749	8.2	169	5.6	4,229	11.2
Respiratory system	14,730	3.6	14,510	3.9	138	4.5	82	0.2
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	771	0.2	739	0.2	3	0.1	29	0.1
Other	745	0.2	572	0.2	8	0.3	165	0.4
Unknown	4,575	1.1	3,914	1.0	39	1.3	622	1.6
Women								
Subtotal	384,754	100.0	332,650	100.0	25,474	100.0	26,630	100.0
Congenital anomalies	1,535	0.4	421	0.1	16	0.1	1,098	4.1
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	10,203	2.7	9,000	2.7	982	3.9	221	0.8
Infectious and parasitic diseases	2,244	0.6	2,032	0.6	168	0.7	44	0.2
Injuries	8,763	2.3	7,862	2.4	552	2.2	349	1.3
Mental disorders								
Autistic disorders	1,489	0.4	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1,194	4.5
Developmental disorders	464	0.1	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	256	1.0
Childhood and adolescent disorders not elsewhere classified	336	0.1	151	(L)	8	(L)	177	0.7
Intellectual disability	15,109	3.9	3,234	1.0	708	2.8	11,167	41.9
Mood disorders	33,629	8.7	27,263	8.2	3,656	14.4	2,710	10.2
Organic mental disorders	8,402	2.2	6,884	2.1	476	1.9	1,042	3.9
Schizophrenic and other psychotic disorders	5,717	1.5	4,167	1.3	494	1.9	1,056	4.0
Other	11,959	3.1	9,486	2.9	881	3.5	1,592	6.0
Neoplasms	41,137	10.7	39,949	12.0	1,057	4.1	131	0.5
Diseases of the—								
Blood and blood-forming organs	1,296	0.3	1,101	0.3	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Circulatory system	27,900	7.3	25,855	7.8	1,821	7.1	224	0.8
Digestive system	7,583	2.0	7,033	2.1	452	1.8	98	0.4
Genitourinary system	8,287	2.2	7,797	2.3	317	1.2	173	0.6
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	140,966	36.6	130,247	39.2	10,136	39.8	583	2.2
Nervous system and sense organs	35,318	9.2	29,844	9.0	1,843	7.2	3,631	13.6
Respiratory system	15,979	4.2	14,485	4.4	1,424	5.6	70	0.3
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	954	0.2	865	0.3	54	0.2	35	0.1
Other	709	0.2	534	0.2	33	0.1	142	0.5
Unknown	4,775	1.2	3,947	1.2	334	1.3	494	1.9

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.

NOTES: Because of differences in data sources and calculation methods, statistics reported in this table may differ from those reported by the Office of the Chief Actuary.

Effective 2001, the Social Security Administration initiated a special review of 130,000 Supplemental Security Income (SSI) recipients who were potentially eligible for Social Security disability benefits because of earnings while receiving SSI. Many of these claims awarded since 2001 were for individuals under the age of 35 who were diagnosed with a mental disorder.

(X) = suppressed to avoid disclosing information about particular individuals; (L) = less than 0.05 percent.

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Table 38.
Distribution and average monthly benefit, by state or other area, 2016

State or area	Workers			Widow(er)s			Adult children		
	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)
All areas	706,448	100.0	1,292.94	28,514	100.0	699.29	64,368	100.0	555.38
Alabama	16,492	2.3	1,270.30	922	3.2	641.58	1,306	2.0	521.74
Alaska	1,138	0.2	1,350.05	28	0.1	838.84	95	0.1	593.57
Arizona	11,548	1.6	1,324.91	449	1.6	732.33	1,162	1.8	563.55
Arkansas	10,429	1.5	1,220.84	570	2.0	630.40	855	1.3	478.21
California	56,582	8.0	1,244.84	1,781	6.2	766.14	6,387	9.9	588.46
Colorado	7,819	1.1	1,353.72	226	0.8	703.50	557	0.9	646.09
Connecticut	6,995	1.0	1,404.26	205	0.7	783.39	670	1.0	630.00
Delaware	2,236	0.3	1,395.86	77	0.3	763.65	163	0.3	615.20
District of Columbia	1,304	0.2	1,119.68	31	0.1	696.42	75	0.1	655.89
Florida	44,903	6.4	1,278.03	1,694	5.9	675.00	3,194	5.0	559.97
Georgia	24,912	3.5	1,276.45	1,254	4.4	675.20	1,903	3.0	563.55
Hawaii	1,987	0.3	1,319.81	59	0.2	772.72	214	0.3	580.27
Idaho	3,612	0.5	1,264.88	124	0.4	734.26	410	0.6	555.81
Illinois	25,294	3.6	1,326.71	789	2.8	732.67	2,542	3.9	567.39
Indiana	16,964	2.4	1,328.19	771	2.7	696.49	1,405	2.2	570.09
Iowa	6,759	1.0	1,264.28	231	0.8	694.55	783	1.2	502.93
Kansas	5,896	0.8	1,296.38	233	0.8	628.38	673	1.0	526.12
Kentucky	14,950	2.1	1,277.72	1,002	3.5	681.88	1,237	1.9	502.20
Louisiana	13,675	1.9	1,215.25	778	2.7	732.80	1,241	1.9	491.81
Maine	3,966	0.6	1,222.27	158	0.6	718.59	504	0.8	459.97
Maryland	12,384	1.8	1,362.92	336	1.2	783.12	919	1.4	671.86
Massachusetts	15,059	2.1	1,341.43	384	1.3	749.37	1,741	2.7	545.61
Michigan	25,895	3.7	1,331.15	1,191	4.2	757.33	2,700	4.2	569.50
Minnesota	9,553	1.4	1,332.25	212	0.7	702.19	1,181	1.8	507.10
Mississippi	9,074	1.3	1,239.74	563	2.0	627.94	854	1.3	478.52
Missouri	15,875	2.2	1,283.47	844	3.0	637.96	1,439	2.2	522.66
Montana	2,221	0.3	1,209.95	73	0.3	809.87	221	0.3	510.11
Nebraska	3,372	0.5	1,245.37	90	0.3	637.47	382	0.6	536.84
Nevada	5,620	0.8	1,329.47	195	0.7	741.13	335	0.5	588.95
New Hampshire	3,761	0.5	1,343.95	128	0.4	626.43	471	0.7	519.97
New Jersey	17,431	2.5	1,433.42	524	1.8	769.95	1,623	2.5	619.52
New Mexico	5,332	0.8	1,208.22	165	0.6	689.80	364	0.6	577.73
New York	41,935	5.9	1,324.01	1,220	4.3	732.18	3,961	6.2	591.73
North Carolina	23,204	3.3	1,278.72	1,183	4.1	609.97	1,958	3.0	557.80
North Dakota	1,352	0.2	1,264.98	23	0.1	657.46	123	0.2	457.72
Ohio	29,062	4.1	1,271.22	1,314	4.6	733.47	2,595	4.0	517.29
Oklahoma	10,532	1.5	1,243.60	553	1.9	686.82	883	1.4	526.24
Oregon	8,630	1.2	1,305.52	326	1.1	715.13	874	1.4	562.14
Pennsylvania	32,885	4.7	1,312.41	1,200	4.2	691.77	2,881	4.5	539.43
Rhode Island	3,120	0.4	1,299.97	107	0.4	681.48	273	0.4	523.18

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State or area	Workers			Widow(er)s			Adult children		
	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)
South Carolina	13,295	1.9	1,286.22	734	2.6	635.65	1,003	1.6	535.72
South Dakota	1,655	0.2	1,187.97	44	0.2	573.91	160	0.2	480.83
Tennessee	19,788	2.8	1,248.54	1,117	3.9	638.39	1,521	2.4	517.69
Texas	49,527	7.0	1,283.83	2,011	7.1	716.39	4,053	6.3	555.72
Utah	3,964	0.6	1,315.10	131	0.5	749.92	465	0.7	619.16
Vermont	1,667	0.2	1,243.23	35	0.1	667.50	171	0.3	510.47
Virginia	18,463	2.6	1,318.46	713	2.5	701.81	1,492	2.3	604.62
Washington	15,347	2.2	1,352.86	490	1.7	789.82	1,481	2.3	583.06
West Virginia	6,087	0.9	1,353.55	406	1.4	734.42	525	0.8	531.34
Wisconsin	12,755	1.8	1,324.44	369	1.3	698.74	1,483	2.3	524.42
Wyoming	1,401	0.2	1,316.98	37	0.1	812.86	116	0.2	531.55
Outlying areas									
Puerto Rico	7,746	1.1	1,068.76	339	1.2	601.83	580	0.9	462.51
Other ^b	995	0.1	1,059.75	75	0.3	661.28	164	0.3	488.55

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.

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a. Benefits awarded before the December cost-of-living increase are converted to the December rates before averages are computed.

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

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