

Table 33.**Work activity notification of SSA by beneficiaries employed at interview, by program (in percent)**

Notification	Overall	Program		
		DI only	Concurrent DI and SSI	SSI only
Notified SSA when started current job				
Yes	82.4	82.2	86.2	79.9
No	12.9	12.1	12.0	16.0
Unknown	4.6	5.7	1.9	4.1
How long after job start SSA was notified (among those who notified SSA)				
Less than 1 month	73.9	70.3	83.1	75.7
1–3 months	20.6	21.7	14.0	23.1
4 months or more	4.8	7.3	1.2	1.1
Unknown	0.7	0.7	1.6	0.1
Number (unweighted)				
All beneficiaries	9,092	4,281	1,813	2,998
Beneficiaries employed at interview	4,597	2,237	948	1,412
Number (weighted)				
All beneficiaries	12,666,165	7,387,330	1,771,690	3,507,145
Beneficiaries employed at interview	1,212,138	711,944	229,858	270,335
Beneficiaries employed at interview as a percentage of all beneficiaries (weighted)	9.6	9.6	13.0	7.7

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Table 34.
Recently employed beneficiaries affected by benefit adjustments because of work, by program (in percent)

Characteristic	Overall	Program		
		DI only	Concurrent DI and SSI	SSI only
DI or SSI benefit adjusted because of work				
Yes	28.1	17.2	36.8	43.9
No	61.8	79.5	49.4	35.1
Unknown	10.1	3.3	13.8	21.0
Of those whose benefit was adjusted because of work—				
SSA paid the wrong benefit amount				
Yes	41.0	37.7	56.3	35.3
No or unknown	59.0	62.3	43.7	64.7
Beneficiary was asked to repay overpaid benefits				
Yes (was overpaid because of work)	36.1	42.4	35.9	31.4
Yes (was overpaid for other reasons)	9.0	6.2	5.5	13.0
No	53.5	50.6	58.0	53.2
Unknown	1.5	0.9	0.5	2.4
Disability-related benefits were reduced or terminated				
Yes	69.9	72.3	71.0	67.3
No	22.0	23.4	23.8	19.9
Unknown	8.2	4.3	5.2	12.8
If yes, type of benefit reduced or terminated ^a				
DI or SSI	78.1	75.4	89.6	72.9
Medicare	10.2	24.7	2.0	1.5
Medicaid ^b	4.1	6.5	1.7	3.4
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program	4.7	4.3	3.5	5.8
Other	5.6	10.5	1.9	3.3
Number (unweighted)				
All beneficiaries	9,092	4,281	1,813	2,998
Recently employed beneficiaries	5,759	2,814	1,197	1,748
Number (weighted)				
All beneficiaries	12,666,165	7,387,330	1,771,690	3,507,145
Recently employed beneficiaries	1,810,403	986,226	321,141	503,036
Recently employed beneficiaries as a percentage of all beneficiaries (weighted)	14.3	13.4	18.1	14.3

NOTE: "Recently employed" refers to beneficiaries who were working at interview, within the 6 months prior to interview, or at any point in 2018. This means that some beneficiaries who worked in early 2019 may be omitted.

a. Multiple responses possible.

b. Medicaid reductions or terminations among DI-only beneficiaries could be due to loss of SSI because of work, loss of Medicaid eligibility through Medicaid pathways other than SSI eligibility, or confusion between Medicare and Medicaid among respondents.

Table 35.

Awareness of disability program work supports among eligible beneficiaries, by program and employment status (in percent)

Program and support	All eligible beneficiaries	Program			Beneficiaries employed at interview
		DI only	Concurrent DI and SSI	SSI only	
SSI work incentive					
1619(b) continued Medicaid coverage	14.8	...	19.3	12.5	23.3
Earned income exclusion	12.5	...	12.1	12.8	21.4
Plan to achieve self-support	9.5	...	12.3	8.2	12.5
Property essential for self-support	5.2	...	6.0	4.8	10.4
Student earned income exclusion ^a	11.6	...	20.4	10.2	12.1
DI work incentive					
Trial work period	35.4	37.2	27.6	...	49.5
Extended Medicare eligibility	16.5	16.6	16.1	...	32.2
SSI and DI work incentive					
Ticket to Work	33.2	33.6	37.9	30.2	51.0
Work Incentives Planning and Assistance	20.6	21.6	21.2	18.2	32.6
Impairment-related or blind work expenses	11.1	13.2	9.7	7.6	16.1
Expedited reinstatement	15.1	17.8	11.6	11.1	27.7

NOTES: Excludes "Don't know" and "Refused" responses.

... = not applicable.

a. Awareness rate was calculated as the percentage among SSI recipients aged 25 or younger who began receiving benefits before age 22, as only SSI recipients under age 22 can claim this exclusion.