Table 5.L1—Number of beneficiaries with a representative payee as a percentage of all beneficiaries, by type of beneficiary and age, December 2018

Type of beneficiary and age	All beneficiaries	Beneficiaries with representative payee	
		Number	Percentage of all beneficiaries
Total	62,906,222	5,222,778	8.3
Adults	58,798,699	1,540,045	2.6
Retired workers	43,721,450	555,249	1.3
Under 65	2,727,615	9,720	0.4
65–74	23,499,796	235,350	1.0
75–84	12,887,091	164,194	1.3
85 or older	4,606,948	145,985	3.2
Disabled workers	8,537,332	855,224	10.0
Under 35	354,043	114,487	32.3
35–44	874,576	165,757	19.0
45–54	1,991,913	220,021	11.0
55–FRA	5,316,800	354,959	6.7
Wives and husbands	2,510,248	21,209	0.8
Under 65	228,958	1,888	0.8
65–74	1,446,746	9,062	0.6
75–84	671,601	7,182	1.1
85 or older	162,943	3,077	1.9
Widow(er)s <sup>a</sup>	3,775,088	95,605	2.5
Under 65	536,883	2,176	0.4
65–74	1,222,227	16,180	1.3
75–84	1,034,415	28,454	2.8
85 or older	981,563	48,795	5.0
Disabled widow(er)s	254,581	12,758	5.0
Under 55	24,864	1,267	5.1
55-FRA	229,717	11,491	5.0
Children	4,107,523	3,682,733	89.7
Under age 18	2,858,301	2,856,267	99.9
In custody of parent payee	2,543,402	2,543,402	100.0
Not in custody of parent payee	314,899	312,865	99.4
Disabled adult children	1,127,181	821,807	72.9
Under 35	367,487	260,835	71.0
35–44	243,673	166,737	68.4
45–54	231,679	165,267	71.3
55 or older	284,342	228,968	80.5
Students, aged 18–19	122,041	4,659	3.8

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

NOTE: FRA = full retirement age.

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a. Comprises nondisabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents.