

5.L OASDI Current-Pay Benefits: With Representative Payee

Table 5.L1—Number of all beneficiaries, and number and percentage of beneficiaries who have a representative payee, by type of beneficiary and age, December 2024

Type of beneficiary and age	All beneficiaries	Beneficiaries with representative payee	
		Number	Percentage of all beneficiaries
Total	68,455,973	4,650,935	6.8
Adults ^a	64,686,266	1,302,920	2.0
Retired workers	51,772,651	530,023	1.0
Under 65	2,542,884	9,135	0.4
65–74	26,710,919	244,693	0.9
75–84	17,349,476	171,690	1.0
85 or older	5,169,372	104,505	2.0
Disabled workers	7,231,147	686,001	9.5
Under 35	253,323	85,293	33.7
35–44	656,082	130,679	19.9
45–54	1,453,620	166,759	11.5
55–FRA	4,868,122	303,270	6.2
Wives and husbands	1,947,761	16,631	0.9
Under 65	161,761	1,192	0.7
65–74	950,857	7,371	0.8
75–84	686,100	5,818	0.8
85 or older	149,043	2,250	1.5
Widowed mothers and fathers	103,829	229	0.2
Under 65	101,404	200	0.2
65 or older	2,425	29	1.2
Nondisabled widow(er)s	3,433,993	62,044	1.8
Under 65	400,908	1,527	0.4
65–74	1,254,097	12,868	1.0
75–84	988,225	20,177	2.0
85 or older	790,763	27,472	3.5
Disabled widow(er)s	196,108	7,960	4.1
Under 55	12,980	466	3.6
55–FRA	183,128	7,494	4.1
Parents of deceased workers	777	32	4.1
Children	3,769,707	3,348,015	88.8
Under age 18	2,489,306	2,487,794	99.9
In custody of parent payee	2,188,261	2,188,261	100.0
Not in custody of parent payee	301,045	299,533	99.5
Disabled adult children	1,187,404	856,482	72.1
Under 35	354,148	263,352	74.4
35–44	302,395	207,119	68.5
45–54	227,297	154,243	67.9
55 or older	303,564	231,768	76.3
Students, aged 18–19	92,997	3,739	4.0

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

NOTE: FRA = full retirement age.

a. Excludes disabled adult children and students 18–19.

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