

Disabled Beneficiaries and Nondisabled Dependents

Table 1.
Number, December 1960–2003

Year	Total	Workers and nondisabled dependents				Widow(er)s	Adult children of—		
		Workers	Spouses	Children under age 18	Students aged 18–19		Disabled workers	Retired workers	Deceased workers
1960	788,543	455,371	76,599	152,519	2,962	53,825	47,267
1965	1,928,460	988,074	193,362	532,197	16,437	...	8,981	87,122	102,287
1970	2,970,538	1,492,948	283,447	799,111	75,194	49,281	14,295	101,341	154,921
1975	4,799,853	2,488,774	452,922	1,239,058	147,253	109,511	24,193	118,802	219,340
1980	5,223,311	2,858,680	461,878	1,184,846	140,157	127,580	32,883	140,548	276,739
1981	5,008,221	2,776,519	428,212	1,070,000	148,879	121,590	32,664	143,633	286,724
1982	4,532,014	2,603,599	365,862	894,440	79,333	116,372	30,027	144,464	297,917
1983	4,382,745	2,569,029	308,059	855,560	50,134	111,591	30,209	148,464	309,699
1984	4,406,140	2,596,516	303,982	858,243	31,875	109,151	31,165	152,667	322,541
1985	4,507,083	2,656,638	305,532	889,730	22,336	107,005	33,078	157,011	335,753
1986	4,613,249	2,728,463	300,826	911,698	20,245	106,974	34,641	161,755	348,647
1987	4,676,852	2,785,859	290,888	912,367	20,183	106,282	35,378	165,675	360,220
1988	4,709,360	2,821,070	280,780	898,980	24,370	105,810	35,520	170,940	371,890
1989	4,774,160	2,886,590	269,830	901,400	23,330	102,650	35,950	172,650	381,760
1990	4,934,370	3,011,130	264,230	929,720	23,960	101,780	36,990	174,560	392,000
1991	5,209,600	3,198,610	263,780	986,710	26,380	115,010	38,450	177,740	402,920
1992	5,633,130	3,473,330	271,510	1,090,920	25,930	131,620	41,720	181,860	416,240
1993	6,026,460	3,729,330	272,190	1,188,330	29,660	148,070	44,920	185,270	428,690
1994	6,381,470	3,966,590	270,220	1,276,740	29,910	161,650	48,650	187,630	440,080
1995	6,674,450	4,186,720	263,130	1,331,110	29,550	173,240	51,790	188,940	449,970
1996	6,906,420	4,386,040	223,300	1,381,200	32,820	182,020	53,470	190,050	457,520
1997	6,998,210	4,505,760	207,290	1,357,340	31,440	187,220	53,760	190,410	464,990
1998	7,192,370	4,697,010	190,120	1,363,910	30,780	192,400	55,690	189,930	472,530
1999	7,391,920	4,873,560	176,370	1,381,200	37,020	197,520	57,360	189,820	479,070
2000	7,550,930	5,035,840	164,850	1,381,500	35,000	200,130	58,090	191,950	483,570
2001	7,790,038	5,268,039	156,978	1,385,374	38,839	204,255	57,920	191,817	486,816
2002	8,109,332	5,539,597	151,626	1,422,296	43,916	207,365	59,460	192,087	492,985
2003	8,490,007	5,868,541	150,889	1,461,635	46,769	209,360	62,450	191,704	498,659

SOURCES: Social Security Administration. For years before 2001, *Annual Statistical Supplement* to the *Social Security Bulletin*, based on the Master Beneficiary Record, various sampling rates; beginning with 2001, Disabled Beneficiaries and Dependents Master Beneficiary Record file, 100 percent data.

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

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Table 2.
Average monthly benefit, by basis of entitlement, age, and sex, December 2003

Basis of entitlement and age	Total		Male		Female	
	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
Workers						
Total	5,868,541	861.60	3,221,316	965.90	2,647,225	734.60
Under 25	56,750	471.10	33,489	480.20	23,261	458.00
25–29	125,320	568.90	69,442	580.50	55,878	554.50
30–34	215,785	645.50	116,011	658.80	99,774	630.10
35–39	371,249	708.50	201,779	727.40	169,470	686.10
40–44	612,405	765.80	334,681	803.10	277,724	720.90
45–49	823,276	828.70	447,952	894.60	375,324	750.00
50–54	1,016,850	888.80	551,670	989.60	465,180	769.20
55–59	1,258,853	937.20	688,354	1,081.10	570,499	763.40
60–64	1,349,918	952.30	756,310	1,121.80	593,608	736.30
65 or older	38,135	930.10	21,628	1,099.00	16,507	708.90
Spouses of disabled workers						
Total	150,889	221.40	4,308	176.90	146,581	222.70
Entitlement based on care						
of children	96,785	180.90	1,977	140.00	94,808	181.80
Under 30	6,226	121.60	48	121.10	6,178	121.60
30–34	11,632	128.60	127	92.30	11,505	129.00
35–39	19,445	147.60	316	110.80	19,129	148.20
40–44	22,947	178.70	455	124.80	22,492	179.80
45–49	18,258	206.70	444	148.70	17,814	208.20
50–54	10,839	234.50	309	169.50	10,530	236.40
55 or older	7,438	265.20	278	176.10	7,160	268.70
Entitlement based on age						
62–64	54,104	293.70	2,331	208.30	51,773	297.50
65 or older	30,436	286.50	539	172.20	29,897	288.60
	23,668	302.90	1,792	219.20	21,876	309.70
Children of disabled workers						
Total	1,570,854	253.80	830,581	255.50	740,273	252.00
Under age 18						
Under 5	1,461,635	245.90	766,650	246.60	694,985	245.10
5–9	116,842	204.60	59,670	204.10	57,172	205.20
10–14	306,737	212.90	157,187	212.50	149,550	213.30
15–17	578,391	236.20	301,659	236.40	276,732	236.10
Students aged 18–19	459,665	290.60	248,134	290.90	211,531	290.20
Disabled aged 18 or older	46,769	359.20	27,904	362.20	18,865	354.70
	62,450	360.90	36,027	361.10	26,423	360.70
Widow(er)s						
Total	209,360	563.80	6,571	400.80	202,789	569.10
50–54	27,114	574.20	1,138	414.20	25,976	581.30
55–59	77,918	567.00	2,693	405.30	75,225	572.80
60 or older	104,328	558.70	2,740	390.80	101,588	563.20

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Basis of entitlement and age	Total		Male		Female	
	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
Adult children						
Total	752,813	567.00	411,261	564.70	341,552	569.80
Children of—						
Disabled workers	62,450	360.90	36,027	361.10	26,423	360.70
Retired workers	191,704	480.60	106,553	477.40	85,151	484.50
Deceased workers	498,659	626.10	268,681	626.70	229,978	625.40
Under 25	71,767	481.80	42,157	481.80	29,610	481.80
25–29	62,374	521.70	35,432	522.10	26,942	521.20
30–34	73,535	554.90	41,559	552.00	31,976	558.60
35–39	93,964	571.00	53,320	568.70	40,644	574.10
40–44	110,808	588.30	62,597	586.50	48,211	590.70
45–49	100,459	598.50	55,937	596.10	44,522	601.40
50–54	76,698	606.30	41,228	605.20	35,470	607.70
55–59	56,914	603.10	29,595	598.20	27,319	608.30
60–64	39,784	599.00	20,149	593.80	19,635	604.30
65 or older	66,510	531.20	29,287	529.60	37,223	532.50

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Disabled Beneficiaries and Dependents Master Beneficiary Record file, 100 percent data.

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