

Table 4.—Number and percentage distribution of SSI applications received and awards for children, by selected characteristics, 1999

Selected characteristics	Applications		Awards	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	350,170	100.0	139,480	100.0
Age:				
Under 5	124,040	35.4	60,120	43.1
5–12	166,950	47.7	57,510	41.2
13–17	59,180	16.9	21,850	15.7
Sex:				
Male	219,770	62.8	87,880	63.0
Female	130,400	37.2	51,600	37.0
Citizenship status:				
Citizen	347,870	99.3	138,320	99.2
Noncitizen	2,300	.7	1,160	.8
Living arrangements: ¹				
Own household .....	...	...	15,440	11.1
Another's household.....	...	...	7,200	5.2
Parent's household.....	...	...	112,690	80.8
Medicaid institution.....	...	...	4,150	3.0
Diagnostic group: ¹				
Infectious and parasitic diseases .....	...	...	360	.3
Neoplasms .....	...	...	2,700	1.9
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic .....	...	...	1,020	.7
Mental disorders:				
Schizophrenia .....	...	...	1,270	.9
Other psychiatric .....	...	...	47,310	33.9
Mental retardation .....	...	...	28,010	20.1
Diseases of the—				
Nervous system and sense organs.....	...	...	10,120	7.3
Circulatory system.....	...	...	810	.6
Respiratory system .....	...	...	4,120	3.0
Digestive system .....	...	...	740	.5
Genito-urinary system.....	...	...	540	.4
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissues.....	...	...	1,150	.8
Congenital anomalies.....	...	...	6,390	4.6
Injury and poisoning .....	...	...	1,080	.8
Other .....	...	...	26,320	18.9
Missing .....	...	...	7,540	5.4

¹ Determined at award.