

Table 16.—Percent of SSI disabled recipients benefiting from specified work incentive provisions, by diagnosis, December 1999

Diagnosis	Plans for achieving self-support (PASS) ¹	Impairment related work expenses (IRWE)	Blind work expenses (BWE)
Total number	1,045	9,520	3,971
Total percent ²	100.0	100.0	100.0
Infectious and parasitic diseases	1.3	2.1	0.9
Neoplasms	1.2	0.3	0.4
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic	2.8	0.5	0.8
Mental Disorders:			
Schizophrenia	11.6	4.6	0.0
Other psychiatric	31.3	7.7	0.4
Mental retardation	5.0	66.0	2.2
Diseases of the:			
Nervous system and sense organs ³	20.8	12.1	91.6
Circulatory system.....	1.9	0.8	0.8
Respiratory system	0.6	0.2	0.0
Digestive system	0.7	0.2	0.0
Genito-urinary system	1.5	0.3	0.1
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissues	6.1	0.8	0.1
Congenital anomalies.....	1.1	1.6	2.0
Injury and poisoning	13.5	2.2	0.4
Other	0.8	0.4	0.2

¹ Includes 120 persons with PASS plans which exclude only resources.

² Includes only recipients whose diagnosis information is specifically identified on the source files.

³ Most of the disabled workers who are classified as blind individuals are included in this category. A few blind participants have a primary impairment other than diseases of the eye and are coded in other categories in this table. Also, there are a few participants classified as having diseases of the eye who are not blind, whose impairment does not meet the definition of blindness.