

**Table 2. Employment and Earnings by Disability Status for the Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population 21 to 64 Years: 2000**

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Disability Status	Total		Employed		Worked year-round full-time in 1999 <sup>1</sup>			Relative earnings <sup>2</sup> (US Med = 100)
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Median earnings (dollars)	
<b>Both Sexes</b>	2,550,415	100.0	1,992,480	78.1	1,439,340	56.4	\$35,109	107.3
With any of six specified disabilities	406,740	15.9	251,865	61.9	171,000	42.0	\$30,080	91.9
None of six specified disabilities	2,143,675	84.1	1,740,615	81.2	1,268,340	59.2	\$35,726	109.2
With a sensory disability	57,840	2.3	34,015	58.8	24,055	41.6	\$32,233	98.5
With a physical disability	146,800	5.8	60,550	41.2	37,810	25.8	\$29,938	91.5
With a mental disability	86,330	3.4	34,250	39.7	18,050	20.9	\$27,775	84.9
With a self-care disability	36,615	1.4	9,380	25.6	5245	14.3	\$27,457	83.9
With a go-outside disability	114,420	4.5	53,430	46.7	35,660	31.2	\$28,418	86.9
With an employment disability	260,165	10.2	170,245	65.4	115,020	44.2	\$29,496	90.2
With a sensory, physical, or mental disability	225,710	8.8	110,855	49.1	70,265	31.1	\$30,524	93.3
All three disabilities	9,135	0.4	1810	19.8	1005	11.0	\$26,836	82.0
With two disabilities: sensory and physical	10,120	0.4	4110	40.6	2515	24.8	\$29,518	90.2
With two disabilities: sensory and mental	4330	0.2	2195	50.7	1270	29.3	\$27,853	85.1
With two disabilities: physical and mental	32,545	1.3	8,035	24.7	3860	11.9	\$26,811	81.9
With sensory disability only	34,255	1.3	25,895	75.6	19,265	56.2	\$33,672	102.9
With physical disability only	95,005	3.7	46,600	49.0	30,430	32.0	\$30,347	92.8
With mental disability only	40,325	1.6	22,210	55.1	11,915	29.5	\$28,195	86.2
With a sensory, physical, mental disability	225,710	8.8	110,855	49.1	70,265	31.1	\$30,524	93.3
With a go-outside or employment disability	108,680	4.3	35,670	32.8	19,005	17.5	\$27,864	85.2
Both go-outside and employment	36,635	1.4	11,320	30.9	5820	15.9	\$27,275	83.4
Go-outside, not employment	16,480	0.6	2585	15.7	1650	10.0	\$28,852	88.2
Employment, not go-outside	55,565	2.2	21,765	39.2	11,535	20.8	\$28,016	85.6
No sensory, physical, mental disability	2,324,705	91.2	1,881,625	80.9	1,369,075	58.9	\$35,322	108.0
With a go-outside or employment disability	180,245	7.1	140,630	78.0	100,425	55.7	\$29,670	90.7
Both go-outside and employment	49,030	1.9	36,050	73.5	25,435	51.9	\$28,925	88.4
Go-outside, not employment	12,275	0.5	3475	28.3	2755	22.5	\$26,189	80.0
Employment, not go-outside	118,940	4.7	101,105	85.0	72,235	60.7	\$30,089	92.0
With a self-care disability	36,615	1.4	9,380	25.6	5245	14.3	\$27,457	83.9
With a sensory disability	6,590	0.3	1250	19.0	650	9.9	\$26,392	80.7
With a physical disability	30,500	1.2	6,880	22.6	3855	12.6	\$28,807	88.1
With a mental disability	19,305	0.8	3670	19.0	1715	8.9	\$25,946	79.3
With a go-outside disability	24,835	1.0	5195	20.9	2780	11.2	\$27,310	83.5
With an employment disability	24,530	1.0	6,460	26.3	3335	13.6	\$27,333	83.5

<sup>1</sup>Workers who worked 50 weeks or more and 35 or more hours per week in 1999 were classified and year-round full-time workers.

<sup>2</sup>Relative earnings of a given group equals the median earnings of the group divided by \$32,717, the median earnings of the U.S. year-round full-time workers, times 100.