

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 ¹			Relative earnings ² (US Med = 100)
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Median earnings (dollars)	
Both Sexes	277,325	100.0	213,430	77.0	148,910	53.7	\$29,873	91.3
With any of six specified disabilities	46,495	16.8	28,825	62.0	18,925	40.7	\$27,081	82.8
None of six specified disabilities	230,835	83.2	184,605	80.0	129,990	56.3	\$30,165	92.2
With a sensory disability	8,600	3.1	5,170	60.1	3,610	42.0	\$30,005	91.7
With a physical disability	19,035	6.9	7,360	38.7	4,505	23.7	\$24,243	74.1
With a mental disability	9,620	3.5	3,745	38.9	1,690	17.5	\$22,825	69.8
With a self-care disability	3,710	1.3	900	24.2	475	12.7	\$20,969	64.1
With a go-outside disability	9,835	3.5	4,620	47.0	2,835	28.8	\$25,139	76.8
With an employment disability	28,590	10.3	18,730	65.5	12,270	42.9	\$27,013	82.6
With a sensory, physical, or mental disability	28,750	10.4	13,750	47.8	8,525	29.7	\$26,094	79.8
All three disabilities	1,105	0.4	260	23.5	110	10.1	\$19,333	59.1
With two disabilities: sensory and physical	1,705	0.6	730	42.6	470	27.5	\$24,643	75.3
With two disabilities: sensory and mental	575	0.2	235	41.0	140	24.7	\$45,179	138.1
With two disabilities: physical and mental	4,010	1.4	1,040	25.9	445	11.1	\$20,610	63.0
With sensory disability only	5,210	1.9	3,945	75.7	2,885	55.4	\$30,894	94.4
With physical disability only	12,210	4.4	5,330	43.6	3,480	28.5	\$25,128	76.8
With mental disability only	3,925	1.4	2,210	56.2	990	25.2	\$23,629	72.2
With a sensory, physical, mental disability	28,750	10.4	13,750	47.8	8,525	29.7	\$26,094	79.8
With a go-outside or employment disability	13,465	4.9	4,205	31.2	2,245	16.7	\$22,030	67.3
Both go-outside and employment	3,860	1.4	1,150	29.7	450	11.7	\$20,720	63.3
Go-outside, not employment	1,700	0.6	305	17.9	190	11.1	\$21,121	64.6
Employment, not go-outside	7,900	2.8	2,750	34.8	1,605	20.3	\$22,887	70.0
No sensory, physical, mental disability	248,575	89.6	199,680	80.3	140,385	56.5	\$30,072	91.9
With a go-outside or employment disability	17,710	6.4	15,070	85.1	10,390	58.7	\$28,158	86.1
Both go-outside and employment	3,385	1.2	2,925	86.4	2,020	59.6	\$26,404	80.7
Go-outside, not employment	885	0.3	240	27.0	180	20.2	\$26,208	80.1
Employment, not go-outside	13,440	4.8	11,905	88.6	8,195	61.0	\$29,017	88.7
With a self-care disability	3,710	1.3	900	24.2	475	12.7	\$20,969	64.1
With a sensory disability	810	0.3	195	24.2	90	11.2	\$23,438	71.6
With a physical disability	3,310	1.2	745	22.4	370	11.2	\$19,653	60.1
With a mental disability	1,800	0.6	385	21.5	135	7.6	\$18,958	57.9
With a go-outside disability	2,485	0.9	600	24.0	295	11.9	\$17,358	53.1
With an employment disability	2,610	0.9	630	24.1	275	10.6	\$18,482	56.5

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

²Relative 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.