



Old-Age (retirement), Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI)—popularly referred to as Social Security—provides monthly benefits to workers and their families when earnings stop or are reduced because the worker retires, dies, or becomes disabled. The amount of benefits received is based on the worker’s level of earnings in employment or self-employment covered by the Social Security program.

Table 1.
Number of OASDI beneficiaries with benefits in current-payment status and total monthly benefits, December 2006

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries						Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)			Number of beneficiaries aged 65 or older
	Total	Retired workers ^a	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s ^b	Spouses ^c	Children ^d	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s ^b	
Iowa	555,803	369,639	61,782	56,661	32,285	35,436	536,138	385,097	57,849	419,018
1	112,043	73,520	12,715	11,651	6,938	7,219	108,152	76,902	11,927	83,009
2	104,771	70,247	12,633	9,776	5,356	6,759	103,447	74,923	10,065	77,123
3	101,566	68,541	12,123	9,299	4,680	6,923	100,638	73,302	9,655	75,425
4	116,925	78,909	11,218	12,749	7,362	6,687	112,318	81,360	13,080	91,382
5	120,498	78,422	13,093	13,186	7,949	7,848	111,582	78,609	13,122	92,079
All areas ^e	49,122,624	30,976,145	6,806,918	4,666,962	2,632,069	4,040,530	46,938,032	32,351,857	4,576,981	34,468,217

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.

- a. Includes special age-72 beneficiaries.
- b. Includes nondisabled widow(er)s, disabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents receiving payment on the record of a worker who is deceased.
- c. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.
- d. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired, deceased, or disabled.
- e. Includes beneficiaries in the 50 states, District of Columbia, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, and foreign countries.

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is a federal cash assistance program that provides monthly payments to low-income aged, blind, or disabled persons in the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and the Northern Mariana Islands.

Table 2.
Number of recipients of federally administered SSI payments and total monthly payments, December 2006

Congressional district	Number of recipients				Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients	
	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With OASDI ^a	Aged 65 or older
Iowa	43,883	3,560	770	39,553	18,680	811	295	17,573	17,188	7,018
1	10,524	695	166	9,663	4,694	145	62	4,485	3,824	1,387
2	9,243	588	161	8,494	4,144	140	68	3,936	3,525	1,279
3	8,529	842	173	7,514	3,687	252	69	3,364	3,071	1,588
4	6,736	643	129	5,964	2,593	127	45	2,421	2,915	1,203
5	8,851	792	141	7,918	3,560	144	49	3,365	3,853	1,561
All areas ^b	7,235,583	1,211,681	73,418	5,950,484	3,499,569	453,537	36,296	3,009,734	2,528,975	2,004,476

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record (Characteristic Extract Record format), 100 percent data.

- a. Includes persons who are receiving both SSI payments and Social Security benefits.
- b. Includes recipients in the 50 states, District of Columbia, and Northern Mariana Islands.

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