

## All Disabled Beneficiaries

**Table 15.**  
**Representative payment, by sex and diagnostic group, December 2007**

Diagnostic group	Workers			Widow(er)s			Adult children		
	Total	Number with payee	Percentage with payee	Total	Number with payee	Percentage with payee	Total	Number with payee	Percentage with payee
<b>All disabled beneficiaries</b>									
Total	7,098,723	822,654	11.6	224,982	14,473	6.4	794,677	616,551	77.6
Congenital anomalies	12,148	1,960	16.1	291	6	2.1	10,101	7,126	70.5
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	263,724	4,865	1.8	17,373	335	1.9	2,958	761	25.7
Infectious and parasitic diseases	115,305	3,721	3.2	1,985	61	3.1	3,313	1,931	58.3
Injuries	303,537	25,924	8.5	5,739	175	3.0	10,599	4,292	40.5
Mental disorders									
Retardation	338,072	189,478	56.0	9,783	2,483	25.4	367,182	323,539	88.1
Other	2,030,612	483,393	23.8	54,807	8,222	15.0	132,138	85,554	64.7
Neoplasms	208,540	3,381	1.6	4,636	75	1.6	2,087	1,124	53.9
Diseases of the—									
Blood and blood-forming organs	18,004	438	2.4	379	9	2.4	2,133	410	19.2
Circulatory system	651,306	33,315	5.1	20,900	911	4.4	3,708	1,830	49.4
Digestive system	112,194	3,245	2.9	2,683	66	2.5	672	135	20.1
Genitourinary system	119,945	1,503	1.3	1,974	42	2.1	2,033	431	21.2
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	1,875,931	21,207	1.1	67,203	722	1.1	5,919	1,199	20.3
Nervous system and sense organs	674,096	32,596	4.8	16,423	639	3.9	76,583	41,071	53.6
Respiratory system	214,847	2,890	1.3	10,834	129	1.2	1,089	355	32.6
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	17,107	239	1.4	549	6	1.1	291	53	18.2
Other	15,639	725	4.6	321	9	2.8	1,494	961	64.3
Unknown	127,716	13,774	10.8	9,102	583	6.4	172,377	145,779	84.6
<b>Men</b>									
Subtotal	3,773,912	531,833	14.1	8,778	687	7.8	433,878	344,905	79.5
Congenital anomalies	6,212	1,146	18.4	14	0	0	5,200	3,797	73.0
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	117,188	2,772	2.4	406	17	4.2	1,373	420	30.6
Infectious and parasitic diseases	84,039	2,960	3.5	129	6	4.7	1,755	1,082	61.7
Injuries	208,917	19,718	9.4	429	17	4.0	7,342	2,947	40.1
Mental disorders									
Retardation	214,557	124,143	57.9	408	111	27.2	197,180	177,421	90.0
Other	1,011,754	308,144	30.5	1,849	347	18.8	83,203	57,597	69.2
Neoplasms	99,631	2,032	2.0	169	4	2.4	1,162	642	55.2
Diseases of the—									
Blood and blood-forming organs	7,918	265	3.3	16	0	0	1,063	240	22.6
Circulatory system	433,176	21,504	5.0	1,314	59	4.5	1,968	1,012	51.4
Digestive system	60,347	2,374	3.9	153	6	3.9	339	80	23.6
Genitourinary system	71,625	1,007	1.4	118	4	3.4	1,068	246	23.0
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	945,089	13,563	1.4	2,419	40	1.7	2,542	646	25.4
Nervous system and sense organs	331,390	20,063	6.1	626	28	4.5	40,575	22,563	55.6
Respiratory system	104,775	1,818	1.7	360	14	3.9	478	195	40.8
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	7,130	141	2.0	23	1	4.3	128	31	24.2
Other	7,083	496	7.0	9	0	0	818	567	69.3
Unknown	63,081	9,687	15.4	336	33	9.8	87,684	75,419	86.0

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	Total	Number with payee	Percentage with payee	Total	Number with payee	Percentage with payee	Total	Number with payee	Percentage with payee
<b>Women</b>									
Subtotal	3,324,811	290,821	8.7	216,204	13,786	6.4	360,799	271,646	75.3
Congenital anomalies	5,936	814	13.7	277	6	2.2	4,901	3,329	67.9
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	146,536	2,093	1.4	16,967	318	1.9	1,585	341	21.5
Infectious and parasitic diseases	31,266	761	2.4	1,856	55	3.0	1,558	849	54.5
Injuries	94,620	6,206	6.6	5,310	158	3.0	3,257	1,345	41.3
Mental disorders									
Retardation	123,515	65,335	52.9	9,375	2,372	25.3	170,002	146,118	86.0
Other	1,018,858	175,249	17.2	52,958	7,875	14.9	48,935	27,957	57.1
Neoplasms	108,909	1,349	1.2	4,467	71	1.6	925	482	52.1
Diseases of the—									
Blood and blood-forming organs	10,086	173	1.7	363	9	2.5	1,070	170	15.9
Circulatory system	218,130	11,811	5.4	19,586	852	4.4	1,740	818	47.0
Digestive system	51,847	871	1.7	2,530	60	2.4	333	55	16.5
Genitourinary system	48,320	496	1.0	1,856	38	2.0	965	185	19.2
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	930,842	7,644	0.8	64,784	682	1.1	3,377	553	16.4
Nervous system and sense organs	342,706	12,533	3.7	15,797	611	3.9	36,008	18,508	51.4
Respiratory system	110,072	1,072	1.0	10,474	115	1.1	611	160	26.2
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	9,977	98	1.0	526	5	1.0	163	22	13.5
Other	8,556	229	2.7	312	9	2.9	676	394	58.3
Unknown	64,635	4,087	6.3	8,766	550	6.3	84,693	70,360	83.1

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Disabled Beneficiaries and Dependents Master Beneficiary Record file, 100 percent data.

NOTE: The diagnosis for disabled adult children typically was not recorded on the Master Beneficiary Record until 1984. Many beneficiaries entitled before that date are still on the rolls today.

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