



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 2005

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	
Maryland	771,266	508,618	90,593	72,918	35,444	63,693	726,603	515,993	70,670	559,298
1	125,397	87,314	12,777	11,069	5,854	8,383	121,302	90,018	11,052	92,679
2	106,612	65,384	15,323	11,325	4,757	9,823	101,021	67,604	11,157	73,846
3	100,844	67,862	11,056	10,196	4,582	7,148	99,752	72,027	10,429	75,835
4	67,800	43,507	8,513	5,266	2,568	7,946	58,345	40,137	4,574	46,484
5	79,656	52,320	9,275	7,098	3,679	7,284	72,161	50,249	6,431	56,283
6	111,273	73,362	12,539	11,366	5,992	8,014	105,330	74,536	11,079	81,050
7	97,605	59,111	15,478	9,269	2,954	10,793	86,654	57,928	8,251	65,017
8	82,079	59,758	5,632	7,329	5,058	4,302	82,039	63,495	7,698	68,104
All areas ^e	48,434,281	30,460,839	6,518,989	4,749,379	2,680,259	4,024,815	44,351,668	30,521,816	4,470,918	34,019,044

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, 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 2005

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
Maryland	94,633	15,286	682	78,665	44,418	5,077	291	39,049	26,959	24,710
1	8,429	1,094	77	7,258	3,530	232	29	3,268	3,252	1,829
2	13,791	1,160	118	12,513	6,722	334	49	6,337	3,780	2,301
3	11,866	2,424	78	9,364	5,468	905	33	4,529	3,251	3,757
4	10,718	2,443	80	8,195	4,936	887	35	4,012	2,489	3,317
5	7,188	1,302	53	5,833	3,172	391	23	2,757	2,103	2,040
6	8,138	799	67	7,272	3,533	202	28	3,302	2,893	1,519
7	26,089	2,223	149	23,717	13,338	597	66	12,674	7,196	5,342
8	8,414	3,841	60	4,513	3,717	1,525	24	2,167	1,995	4,605
All areas ^b	7,113,879	1,214,296	75,039	5,824,544	3,366,951	440,023	36,382	2,890,546	2,500,705	1,994,511

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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