

Table 10.
Number and percentage distribution of adult recipients who first became eligible for SSI before age 18,
by year of first eligibility and age in December 2003

Year of first eligibility	All ages	Age in December 2003			
		18-21	22-29	30-39	40 or older ^a
Total					
Number	606,620	188,180	232,860	133,330	52,250
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1974-1976	12.6	...	1.1	27.8	70.6
1977-1980	13.6	...	10.3	32.5	28.3
1981-1984	12.5	4.8	16.4	21.2	1.1
1985-1989	16.8	20.2	18.2	16.3	...
1990-1994	30.5	42.0	44.2	2.2	...
1995-1999	11.1	23.7	9.7
2000-2003	2.9	9.4

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record (Characteristic Extract Record format), 10 percent sample.

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

a. Those under age 18 in 1974 would be no older than 47 in 2003.

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