

Table 11.
Number and percentage distribution of children receiving federally administered SSI payments
and average monthly amount of child's income, by type of income, December 2003

Type of income	Number	Percent	Average monthly amount (dollars)
Total	959,310	100.0	...
No earned or unearned income ^a	698,840	72.8	...
With income ^b	260,470	27.2	202
Earned income only	1,760	0.2	337
Unearned income only	257,640	26.9	199
Both earned and unearned income	1,070	0.1	522
With unearned income ^c	258,710	27.0	199
Social Security	67,400	7.0	191
Veterans'	1,510	0.2	79
Income based on need	7,760	0.8	245
Support from absent parents	116,530	12.1	200
Asset income	16,330	1.7	1
Other	4,960	0.5	664
In-kind income	68,350	7.1	148

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

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

- a. The percentage of children receiving the full federal benefit rate, as shown in Table 6, is smaller than the percentage of those with no income, as shown here, because of the effect of parental deemed income in the payment computation.
- b. Does not include income deemed from parents in the household.
- c. The sum of the entries may be greater than the total because some recipients may receive more than one type of unearned income.

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