Table 8.

Number and percentage distribution of children receiving federally administered SSI payments, by diagnostic group and age, December 2006

Diagnostic group	All ages	Under 3	3–5	6–12	13–17
			Number		
All recipients under age 18	1,078,977	80,475	137,298	459,417	401,787
Congenital anomalies	54,461	12,850	12,565	19,432	9,614
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	7,061	803	1,274	2,668	2,316
Infectious and parasitic diseases	2,304	80	183	843	1,198
Injuries	5,701	568	938	2,143	2,052
Mental disorders					
Retardation	192,912	1,338	9,321	69,352	112,901
Other	524,425	6,855	57,135	255,973	204,462
Neoplasms	10,972	753	2,527	4,815	2,877
Diseases of the—					
Blood and blood-forming organs	12,647	755	1,940	5,553	4,399
Circulatory system	5,184	1,167	1,289	1,589	1,139
Digestive system	6,623	2,063	1,975	1,742	843
Genitourinary system	2,995	290	471	1,114	1,120
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	7,826	623	1,094	2,882	3,227
Nervous system and sense organs	92,889	6,306	14,611	39,978	31,994
Respiratory system	28,240	3,010	7,694	11,931	5,605
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	1,312	136	299	578	299
Other	96,492	39,088	20,004	28,293	9,107
Unknown	26,933	3,790	3,978	10,531	8,634
	Percent				
All recipients under age 18	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Congenital anomalies	5.0	16.0	9.2	4.2	2.4
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.6	0.6
Infectious and parasitic diseases	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3
Injuries	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.5
Mental disorders	0.0	0.7	0	0.0	0.0
Retardation	17.9	1.7	6.8	15.1	28.1
Other	48.6	8.5	41.6	55.7	50.9
Neoplasms	1.0	0.9	1.8	1.0	0.7
Diseases of the—					
Blood and blood-forming organs	1.2	0.9	1.4	1.2	1.1
Circulatory system	0.5	1.5	0.9	0.3	0.3
Digestive system	0.6	2.6	1.4	0.4	0.2
Genitourinary system	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.8
Nervous system and sense organs	8.6	7.8	10.6	8.7	8.0
Respiratory system	2.6	3.7	5.6	2.6	1.4
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Other	8.9	48.6	14.6	6.2	2.3

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

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