

Table 137. Medicare Disbursements by Type of Beneficiary: 1990 to 2007

[In millions of dollars (109,709 represents \$109,709,000,000). For years ending Sept. 30. Distribution of benefits by type is estimated and subject to change. See headnote, Table 134]

Selected type of beneficiary	1990	1995	2000	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Total disbursements	109,709	180,096	219,276	277,846	301,488	336,877	380,433	434,701
HI, Part A disbursements ¹	66,687	114,883	130,284	153,792	166,998	184,629	188,444	210,502
Benefits	65,722	113,394	125,992	153,144	163,764	181,460	185,005	207,461
Aged	58,503	100,107	110,261	132,415	140,704	155,469	157,347	175,696
Disabled	7,218	13,288	15,731	20,729	23,060	25,990	27,658	31,765
SMI, Part B disbursements ¹	43,022	65,213	88,992	124,055	134,274	151,050	158,104	171,976
Benefits	41,498	63,490	88,875	119,455	131,357	147,923	154,477	169,227
Aged	36,837	54,830	76,340	100,505	109,890	123,258	127,854	140,282
Disabled	4,661	8,660	12,535	18,940	21,467	24,665	26,623	28,946
Part D Transitional Assistance	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	153	566	366	28
SMI, Part D disbursements ¹	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	216	1,198	33,884	52,223
Benefits	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	–	73	33,481	51,209
Transitional assistance benefit payments. . .	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	216	1,125	229	10

– Represents or rounds to zero. X Not applicable. ¹ Other types not shown separately.

Source: U.S. Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Trustees Report and Trust Funds, and unpublished data. See also <<http://www.cms.hhs.gov/ReportsTrustFunds/>>.