Washington

Social Security and SSI Statistics by Congressional District, December 2002

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.—OASDI in Washington, December 2002: Number of beneficiaries and monthly benefit amount for benefits in current–payment status

	Number of beneficiaries					Monthly benefit amount (thousands of dollars)			Number of OASDI	
Congressional district	Total	Retired workers ¹	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s ²	Wives and husbands	Children	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s ²	beneficiaries aged 65 or older
United States, total	46,444,240	29,190,150	5,543,981	4,967,155	2,832,767	3,910,187	37,854,411	26,125,087	4,169,125	33,162,456
Washington	872,993	570,068	101,132	83,727	55,687	62,379	746,514	530,401	75,513	634,345
1	78,405 103,104 107,981 99,996 111,909	53,933 67,656 68,345 65,480 70,482	6,913 11,594 13,937 11,609 14,346	7,628 9,816 10,719 9,200 11,144	5,019 6,989 6,912 6,045 7,393	4,912 7,049 8,068 7,662 8,544	70,754 87,506 91,703 82,245 91,404	52,170 62,383 63,184 58,865 62,927	7,207 8,759 9,580 8,007 9,810	59,847 75,147 75,437 71,950 79,775
6	119,872 86,669 77,050 88,007	76,659 59,002 52,464 56,047	15,132 10,546 6,496 10,559	11,893 7,848 7,034 8,445	7,806 4,514 5,464 5,545	8,382 4,759 5,592 7,411	97,954 78,303 71,409 75,231	68,161 57,511 52,714 52,484	10,235 7,520 6,778 7,613	85,917 66,427 57,514 62,331

¹ Includes special age-72 beneficiaries.

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.—SSI in Washington, December 2002: Number of persons receiving federally administered payments and monthly benefit amount

	Number of recipients				Monthly benefit amount (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients	
Congressional district	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With OASDI1	Aged 65 or older
United States, total	6,787,857	1,251,528	77,658	5,458,671	2,951,425	415,574	35,144	2,500,707	2,406,327	1,995,284
Washington	105,786	14,109	941	90,736	47,303	5,025	383	41,895	28,988	24,381
1	6,217 9,915 13,643 12,339 14,373	1,435 1,117 1,231 1,341 1,164	62 100 120 99 108	4,720 8,698 12,292 10,899 13,101	2,743 4,371 6,336 5,342 6,295	578 359 406 347 318	27 42 48 42 38	2,138 3,969 5,882 4,953 5,939	1,385 3,012 3,643 4,265 4,573	2,078 1,982 2,226 2,588 2,394
6	16,580 15,290 6,320 11,109	1,442 3,324 1,411 1,644	150 143 53 106	14,988 11,823 4,856 9,359	7,636 6,712 2,837 5,030	497 1,319 578 624	61 58 21 44	7,079 5,335 2,237 4,362	4,472 3,673 1,274 2,691	2,989 5,359 2,066 2,699

¹ Includes persons who are receiving both SSI payments and Social Security benefits.



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² Includes nondisabled widow(er)s, disabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents.