

Disabled Beneficiaries and Nondisabled Dependents

Table 1.
Number, December 1960–2005, selected years

Year	Total	Workers and nondisabled dependents				Widow(er)s	Adult children of—		
		Workers	Spouses	Children under age 18	Students aged 18–19		Disabled workers	Retired workers	Deceased workers
1960	788,543	455,371	76,599	152,519	2,962	53,825	47,267
1965	1,928,460	988,074	193,362	532,197	16,437	...	8,981	87,122	102,287
1970	2,970,538	1,492,948	283,447	799,111	75,194	49,281	14,295	101,341	154,921
1975	4,799,853	2,488,774	452,922	1,239,058	147,253	109,511	24,193	118,802	219,340
1980	5,223,311	2,858,680	461,878	1,184,846	140,157	127,580	32,883	140,548	276,739
1981	5,008,221	2,776,519	428,212	1,070,000	148,879	121,590	32,664	143,633	286,724
1982	4,532,014	2,603,599	365,862	894,440	79,333	116,372	30,027	144,464	297,917
1983	4,382,745	2,569,029	308,059	855,560	50,134	111,591	30,209	148,464	309,699
1984	4,406,140	2,596,516	303,982	858,243	31,875	109,151	31,165	152,667	322,541
1985	4,507,083	2,656,638	305,532	889,730	22,336	107,005	33,078	157,011	335,753
1986	4,613,249	2,728,463	300,826	911,698	20,245	106,974	34,641	161,755	348,647
1987	4,676,852	2,785,859	290,888	912,367	20,183	106,282	35,378	165,675	360,220
1988	4,709,360	2,821,070	280,780	898,980	24,370	105,810	35,520	170,940	371,890
1989	4,774,160	2,886,590	269,830	901,400	23,330	102,650	35,950	172,650	381,760
1990	4,934,370	3,011,130	264,230	929,720	23,960	101,780	36,990	174,560	392,000
1991	5,209,600	3,198,610	263,780	986,710	26,380	115,010	38,450	177,740	402,920
1992	5,633,130	3,473,330	271,510	1,090,920	25,930	131,620	41,720	181,860	416,240
1993	6,026,460	3,729,330	272,190	1,188,330	29,660	148,070	44,920	185,270	428,690
1994	6,381,470	3,966,590	270,220	1,276,740	29,910	161,650	48,650	187,630	440,080
1995	6,674,450	4,186,720	263,130	1,331,110	29,550	173,240	51,790	188,940	449,970
1996	6,906,420	4,386,040	223,300	1,381,200	32,820	182,020	53,470	190,050	457,520
1997	6,998,210	4,505,760	207,290	1,357,340	31,440	187,220	53,760	190,410	464,990
1998	7,192,370	4,697,010	190,120	1,363,910	30,780	192,400	55,690	189,930	472,530
1999	7,391,920	4,873,560	176,370	1,381,200	37,020	197,520	57,360	189,820	479,070
2000	7,550,930	5,035,840	164,850	1,381,500	35,000	200,130	58,090	191,950	483,570
2001	7,790,038	5,268,039	156,978	1,385,374	38,839	204,255	57,920	191,817	486,816
2002	8,109,332	5,539,597	151,626	1,422,296	43,916	207,365	59,460	192,087	492,985
2003	8,490,007	5,868,541	150,889	1,461,635	46,769	209,360	62,450	191,704	498,659
2004	8,854,343	6,197,385	152,995	1,486,422	47,551	210,736	64,739	191,274	503,241
2005	9,224,458	6,519,001	156,552	1,516,519	47,982	215,866	68,705	191,872	507,961

SOURCES: Social Security Administration. For years before 2001, *Annual Statistical Supplement to the Social Security Bulletin*, based on the Master Beneficiary Record, various sampling rates; beginning with 2001, Disabled Beneficiaries and Dependents Master Beneficiary Record file, 100 percent data.

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

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Table 2.
Average monthly benefit, by basis of entitlement, age, and sex, December 2005

Basis of entitlement and age	Total		Male		Female	
	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
Workers						
Total	6,519,001	938.00	3,517,269	1,051.20	3,001,732	805.30
Under 25	54,623	504.30	32,009	512.60	22,614	492.50
25-29	146,385	614.60	80,573	625.60	65,812	601.30
30-34	221,138	694.40	115,271	710.00	105,867	677.40
35-39	368,579	762.20	194,960	783.80	173,619	738.00
40-44	622,211	819.20	330,915	857.50	291,296	775.80
45-49	886,513	883.90	474,249	950.40	412,264	807.40
50-54	1,123,773	954.40	596,710	1,058.40	527,063	836.60
55-59	1,455,621	1,020.30	788,317	1,167.10	667,304	846.80
60-64	1,506,574	1,044.80	829,479	1,228.20	677,095	820.10
65-FRA	133,584	1,031.40	74,786	1,218.60	58,798	793.20
Spouses of disabled workers						
Total	156,552	245.30	4,755	197.20	151,797	246.80
Entitlement based on care						
of children	87,895	196.90	1,826	156.70	86,069	197.80
Under 30	5,723	130.20	53	112.10	5,670	130.30
30-34	10,203	139.70	139	129.20	10,064	139.80
35-39	16,823	159.20	259	136.80	16,564	159.50
40-44	20,560	193.70	426	137.80	20,134	194.80
45-49	17,139	223.50	415	160.10	16,724	225.10
50-54	10,244	250.00	290	177.00	9,954	252.10
55-FRA	7,203	289.90	244	206.00	6,959	292.90
Entitlement based on age						
62-64	68,657	307.20	2,929	222.50	65,728	311.00
65 or older	39,764	296.70	742	177.60	39,022	299.00
65 or older	28,893	321.60	2,187	237.70	26,706	328.50
Children of disabled workers						
Total	1,633,206	278.90	851,473	280.20	781,733	277.50
Under age 18						
Under 5	1,516,519	270.20	784,079	270.60	732,440	269.90
5-9	118,836	221.70	60,604	221.60	58,232	221.80
10-14	316,835	231.10	161,516	230.30	155,319	231.90
15-17	581,283	260.10	299,825	260.00	281,458	260.10
15-17	499,565	318.50	262,134	318.80	237,431	318.20
Students aged 18-19	47,982	387.10	27,884	389.70	20,098	383.30
Disabled aged 18 or older	68,705	394.80	39,510	394.60	29,195	394.90
Widow(er)s						
Total	215,866	609.30	7,562	441.10	208,304	615.40
50-54	28,134	615.40	1,310	444.30	26,824	623.70
55-59	79,518	614.30	3,270	441.40	76,248	621.70
60-64	105,354	604.10	2,920	440.50	102,434	608.80
65-FRA	2,860	602.20	62	392.40	2,798	606.90

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Average monthly benefit, by basis of entitlement, age, and sex, December 2005—Continued

Basis of entitlement and age	Total		Male		Female	
	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
Adult children						
Total	768,538	616.30	420,025	613.70	348,513	619.30
Children of—						
Disabled workers	68,705	394.80	39,510	394.60	29,195	394.90
Retired workers	191,872	528.40	106,405	525.80	85,467	531.70
Deceased workers	507,961	679.40	274,110	679.50	233,851	679.30
Under 25	76,298	519.80	44,592	519.70	31,706	520.10
25–29	63,927	565.90	36,356	567.70	27,571	563.50
30–34	70,624	596.40	39,678	592.20	30,946	601.80
35–39	86,910	622.20	49,040	619.40	37,870	625.90
40–44	110,171	637.60	62,315	635.60	47,856	640.10
45–49	105,595	650.30	58,993	648.50	46,602	652.60
50–54	83,082	659.40	45,205	657.40	37,877	661.90
55–59	61,473	658.30	32,111	654.80	29,362	662.10
60–64	42,254	650.80	21,283	644.40	20,971	657.30
65 or older	68,204	585.30	30,452	583.70	37,752	586.60

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Disabled Beneficiaries and Dependents Master Beneficiary Record file, 100 percent data.

NOTE: FRA = full retirement age.

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