

2.F SSA Administrative Data: Hearings and Appeals

Table 2.F8—Workload of SSA’s Administrative Law Judges (ALJs), fiscal years 2006–2008

Item	2006	2007	2008
Number of ALJs	1,018	1,006	960
Average monthly hearing dispositions per ALJ	46	45	^a 48
Average hearings pending per ALJ	644	702	643

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Office of Disability Adjudication and Review. Actual data from the Key Workload Indicator Report.

NOTE: Number of ALJs and average monthly hearing dispositions per ALJ based on ALJ availability; average hearings pending per ALJ based on ALJs on duty. Data exclude Regional Chief ALJs.

a. Excludes 24,575 Attorney Adjudicator decisions.

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Table 2.F9—Number of hearing level receipts, dispositions, and end-of-year pending cases, fiscal years 2007–2008

Program	Hearing level receipts		Hearing level dispositions		End-of-year pending cases	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
Total	579,127	589,449	547,951	575,380	746,744	760,813
OASI	1,833	1,877	2,496	2,261	2,347	1,608
Disability						
DI	209,015	203,429	189,091	199,989	252,468	246,562
SSI	148,590	156,415	143,728	147,349	199,030	205,337
DI and SSI	219,689	227,729	212,636	225,781	292,899	307,306
Medicare (Parts A and B and adversarial)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black Lung	0	0	0	0	0	0

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Office of Disability Adjudication and Review. Actual data from the Case Processing and Management System and Key Workload Indicator Report.

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Table 2.F11—Number of SSA Appeals Council cases, fiscal years 2006–2008

Cases	2006	2007	2008
Beginning-of-year pending	42,815	44,032	53,163
Receipts	94,755	96,260	93,423
Dispositions	93,538	87,129	83,407
End-of-year pending	44,032	53,163	63,179

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Office of Disability Adjudication and Review. Actual data from the Appeals Review Processing System and Key Workload Indicator Report.

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