



Pennsylvania Congressional Statistics, 2023

Old-Age (retirement), Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI)—popularly referred to as Social Security—provides monthly benefits to an eligible worker and family members when the worker elects to start receiving retirement benefits or when the worker dies or becomes disabled. A worker’s lifetime covered earnings largely determine the amount of benefits received.

Table 1.
Number of OASDI beneficiaries in current-payment status and total monthly benefits, December 2023

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries						Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)			Number of beneficiaries aged 65 or older
	Total	Retired workers	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s and parents	Spouses ^a	Children ^b	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s and parents	
Pennsylvania	2,932,281	2,193,704	347,464	163,413	70,376	157,324	5,388,167	4,340,439	297,621	2,342,159
1	170,624	134,842	15,692	8,649	3,786	7,655	358,525	300,398	17,866	143,390
2	114,161	73,499	21,557	6,651	2,965	9,489	173,435	122,771	10,060	80,787
3	125,654	87,539	20,684	6,558	2,169	8,704	206,064	158,138	10,133	94,179
4	162,610	130,420	13,648	8,014	3,380	7,148	346,046	293,337	16,717	138,585
5	142,514	106,713	16,270	7,691	3,274	8,566	282,498	229,429	14,963	114,872
6	147,067	114,844	13,763	7,389	3,892	7,179	303,480	254,894	14,773	122,683
7	177,758	133,311	21,510	9,196	3,934	9,807	331,318	267,974	16,879	141,303
8	190,346	136,606	27,222	10,101	3,861	12,556	332,032	256,234	17,609	144,581
9	202,595	151,088	25,260	11,180	4,405	10,662	350,929	279,412	19,087	159,525
10	166,471	127,829	18,963	8,009	3,054	8,616	308,250	253,725	14,823	133,325
11	171,019	134,322	17,146	8,297	3,803	7,451	329,025	274,575	15,958	141,764
12	167,966	126,348	19,230	10,232	4,012	8,144	308,920	249,973	18,940	136,302
13	202,600	150,591	24,587	11,697	5,336	10,389	344,273	273,384	19,984	160,469
14	213,788	155,192	25,399	15,063	7,220	10,914	376,120	294,505	26,577	169,812
15	195,257	144,820	23,500	11,548	5,419	9,970	334,416	265,892	19,984	153,813
16	201,174	146,517	25,397	12,282	5,310	11,668	352,414	277,741	22,176	157,049
17	180,677	139,223	17,636	10,856	4,556	8,406	350,422	288,057	21,092	149,720
All areas ^c	67,076,966	50,147,679	7,365,987	3,796,684	1,984,227	3,782,389	118,527,109	95,546,840	6,512,823	53,508,012

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data; and U.S. Postal Service geographic data.

a. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.

b. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired, deceased, or disabled.

c. Includes beneficiaries in the 50 States, District of Columbia, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, and foreign countries.

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.
Number of recipients of federally administered SSI payments and total monthly payments, December 2023

Congressional district	Number of recipients							Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients with OASDI ^a
	Total	By type			By age			Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	
		Aged	Blind	Disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older					
Pennsylvania	325,148	26,841	2,124	296,183	51,357	190,304	83,487	232,802	14,121	1,485	217,196	93,208
1	8,037	1,424	66	6,547	898	4,369	2,770	5,597	798	39	4,760	2,107
2	42,268	5,096	230	36,942	6,194	21,458	14,616	31,576	2,969	174	28,434	10,409
3	47,423	3,748	315	43,360	6,507	26,468	14,448	35,033	1,956	225	32,852	12,360
4	6,987	1,011	53	5,923	1,046	4,044	1,897	4,739	534	36	4,168	1,724
5	16,819	1,811	110	14,898	2,895	9,352	4,572	12,132	988	78	11,066	4,303
6	12,374	1,218	89	11,067	2,324	7,038	3,012	8,741	582	62	8,097	3,694
7	16,070	1,624	114	14,332	2,932	8,950	4,188	11,058	795	75	10,189	5,086
8	20,334	1,637	126	18,571	3,907	11,981	4,446	14,379	743	80	13,556	6,290
9	17,298	918	102	16,278	2,976	11,061	3,261	12,118	382	72	11,663	5,426
10	17,235	1,979	161	15,095	3,236	9,568	4,431	12,477	1,248	120	11,109	4,255
11	10,123	814	68	9,241	1,947	5,965	2,211	7,197	469	45	6,683	2,927
12	20,570	1,489	129	18,952	3,120	11,885	5,565	14,597	818	92	13,686	5,879
13	16,912	826	98	15,988	2,659	10,970	3,283	11,875	371	65	11,440	5,433
14	21,540	910	127	20,503	2,886	13,990	4,664	15,189	384	86	14,719	6,936
15	15,709	635	96	14,978	2,134	10,584	2,991	10,932	263	72	10,598	5,411
16	21,789	865	144	20,780	3,638	14,051	4,100	15,596	439	107	15,050	6,786
17	13,660	836	96	12,728	2,058	8,570	3,032	9,567	383	59	9,126	4,182
All areas^b	7,425,331	1,160,789	63,886	6,200,656	983,169	4,039,319	2,402,843	5,292,598	632,748	47,283	4,612,568	2,504,566

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data; and U.S. Postal Service geographic data.

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

b. Includes recipients in the 50 States, District of Columbia, and Northern Mariana Islands.

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