

5.L OASDI Current-Pay Benefits: With Representative Payee

**Table 5.L1—Number of beneficiaries with a representative payee as a percentage of all beneficiaries, by type of beneficiary and age, December 2019**

| Type of beneficiary and age    | All beneficiaries | Beneficiaries with representative payee |                                 |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|---|---------------------------------|
|                                |                   | Number                                  | Percentage of all beneficiaries |
| Total                          | 64,064,496        | 5,146,631                               | 8.0                             |
| Adults                         | 60,013,028        | 1,517,509                               | 2.5                             |
| Retired workers                | 45,094,245        | 565,001                                 | 1.3                             |
| Under 65                       | 2,649,792         | 9,450                                   | 0.4                             |
| 65–74                          | 24,320,585        | 244,914                                 | 1.0                             |
| 75–84                          | 13,429,212        | 167,367                                 | 1.2                             |
| 85 or older                    | 4,694,656         | 143,270                                 | 3.1                             |
| Disabled workers               | 8,378,374         | 828,190                                 | 9.9                             |
| Under 35                       | 331,747           | 107,501                                 | 32.4                            |
| 35–44                          | 850,224           | 162,100                                 | 19.1                            |
| 45–54                          | 1,889,449         | 207,842                                 | 11.0                            |
| 55–FRA                         | 5,306,954         | 350,747                                 | 6.6                             |
| Wives and husbands             | 2,543,961         | 21,000                                  | 0.8                             |
| Under 65                       | 218,021           | 1,765                                   | 0.8                             |
| 65–74                          | 1,495,305         | 8,903                                   | 0.6                             |
| 75–84                          | 668,621           | 7,183                                   | 1.1                             |
| 85 or older                    | 162,014           | 3,149                                   | 1.9                             |
| Widow(er)s <sup>a</sup>        | 3,750,306         | 91,346                                  | 2.4                             |
| Under 65                       | 538,261           | 2,127                                   | 0.4                             |
| 65–74                          | 1,241,843         | 15,737                                  | 1.3                             |
| 75–84                          | 1,014,028         | 27,260                                  | 2.7                             |
| 85 or older                    | 956,174           | 46,222                                  | 4.8                             |
| Disabled widow(er)s            | 246,142           | 11,972                                  | 4.9                             |
| Under 55                       | 20,933            | 1,037                                   | 5.0                             |
| 55–FRA                         | 225,209           | 10,935                                  | 4.9                             |
| Children                       | 4,051,468         | 3,629,122                               | 89.6                            |
| Under age 18                   | 2,797,634         | 2,795,732                               | 99.9                            |
| In custody of parent payee     | 2,486,354         | 2,486,354                               | 100.0                           |
| Not in custody of parent payee | 311,280           | 309,378                                 | 99.4                            |
| Disabled adult children        | 1,140,580         | 829,181                                 | 72.7                            |
| Under 35                       | 367,035           | 261,828                                 | 71.3                            |
| 35–44                          | 252,110           | 172,393                                 | 68.4                            |
| 45–54                          | 228,650           | 161,164                                 | 70.5                            |
| 55 or older                    | 292,785           | 233,796                                 | 79.9                            |
| Students, aged 18–19           | 113,254           | 4,209                                   | 3.7                             |

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.

NOTE: FRA = full retirement age.

a. Comprises nondisabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents.

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