

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

**Table 5.L1—Number of all beneficiaries, and number and percentage of beneficiaries who have a representative payee, by type of beneficiary and age, December 2020**

Type of beneficiary and age	All beneficiaries	Beneficiaries with representative payee	
		Number	Percentage of all beneficiaries
Total	64,850,867	5,020,498	7.7
Adults	60,847,232	1,430,739	2.4
Retired workers	46,329,595	526,056	1.1
Under 65	2,575,976	9,432	0.4
65–74	25,214,203	245,144	1.0
75–84	13,836,937	152,702	1.1
85 or older	4,702,479	118,778	2.5
Disabled workers	8,151,016	796,291	9.8
Under 35	317,369	103,288	32.5
35–44	828,440	158,490	19.1
45–54	1,797,499	196,909	11.0
55–FRA	5,207,708	337,604	6.5
Wives and husbands	2,428,044	18,806	0.8
Under 65	199,630	1,583	0.8
65–74	1,417,063	8,411	0.6
75–84	654,395	6,327	1.0
85 or older	156,956	2,485	1.6
Widow(er)s <sup>a</sup>	3,701,654	78,527	2.1
Under 65	533,912	1,990	0.4
65–74	1,263,006	14,590	1.2
75–84	991,625	23,859	2.4
85 or older	913,111	38,088	4.2
Disabled widow(er)s	236,923	11,059	4.7
Under 55	18,385	827	4.5
55–FRA	218,538	10,232	4.7
Children	4,003,635	3,589,759	89.7
Under age 18	2,754,693	2,753,110	99.9
In custody of parent payee	2,447,203	2,447,203	100.0
Not in custody of parent payee	307,490	305,907	99.5
Disabled adult children	1,149,967	833,081	72.4
Under 35	367,793	263,908	71.8
35–44	261,762	178,728	68.3
45–54	225,513	157,175	69.7
55 or older	294,899	233,270	79.1
Students, aged 18–19	98,975	3,568	3.6

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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