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Introduction

Overview. Statistics are a powerful tool—in research, policymaking, program evaluation, and advocacy. They are used to frame the issues, monitor current circumstances and progress, judge the effectiveness of policies and programs, make projections about the future, and predict the costs of potential policy changes.

In the United States, statistics about the population with disabilities and about the government programs that serve people with disabilities—disability statistics—are often difficult to find. Numerous government agencies generate and publish disability statistics, and as a result, disability statistics are scattered and buried in documents and websites all across the federal government.

The *Annual Disability Statistics Compendium* and its compliment, *the Annual Disability Statistics Supplement*, are publications of statistics about people with disabilities and about the government programs which serve them. The *Compendium and Supplement* are designed to serve as a summary of government statistics. The *Compendium*, available both in hard copy and online (at www.disabilitycompendium.org) presents key overall statistics on topics including the prevalence of disability, employment among persons with disabilities, rates of participation in disability income and social insurance programs, as well as other statistics. The *Annual Disability Statistics Supplement*, only available online, presents tables with over 150 additional categorizations of data for each section highlighted in the *Compendium*.

New this year. There were several changes to the *2017 Annual Disability Statistics Compendium and Supplement*. First, the Education section of the *Compendium* was expanded to include not only data on special education program participation and outcomes, but also statistics on educational attainment for all people with disabilities in the United States.

Second, the *2017 Compendium* Health section now identifies persons with disabilities using a methodology consistent with U.S. Census Bureau estimates. Estimates for the Health section have always used Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey (BRFSS) data. In previous years using this data, people were identified as having a disability if they reported having activity limitations due to physical, mental, or emotional problems or having used assistive technology due to health conditions. The 2016 BRFSS estimates used in the *2017 Compendium* are now based on the six questions used to identify people with disabilities by the U.S. Census Bureau. A response of "yes" to any one of these six questions indicates that the person in question has a vision, hearing, cognitive, ambulatory, self-care, and/or independent living disability. As the method of identifying persons with disabilities has changed, interpreting any changes in particular Health section statistics from year to year should be done with caution.

Third, accessible versions in Hypertext Markup Language (HTML) of the *2017 Compendium* and *2017 Supplement* are now available online at www.disabilitycompendium.org. In










addition to providing accessible Portable Document Format (PDF) files for download there are also fully text-readable HTML file versions to remove as many barriers as possible for people with disabilities to access this material.

Additional Resources. A companion *Annual Report* is available, providing graphic representations of key findings and state differences. The *Annual Report* highlights state and trend data using maps related to specific tables in the *Compendium* and *Supplement*. The statistics presented here, as well as those in the *Supplement* and *Annual Report*, can be viewed and downloaded at www.disabilitycompendium.org. Help navigating any of the resources described here can be found at www.disabilitycompendium.org/help, as well as a Frequently Asked Questions section at www.disabilitycompendium.org/faq. Assistance in interpreting and locating additional statistics is available via our toll-free number, 866.538.9521, or by email, disability.statistics@unh.edu. For more information about our research projects, please visit www.researchondisability.org.

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	Health
SSA	Social Security Administration
	Education ("Graduate Cap" symbol by Ben Langholz, from the Noun Project collection, altered by Nichole Guntz)
VR	Vocational Rehabilitation
	Employment Policy

Sample Table

Table 1.5: Civilians Ages Five to 17 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States, by Disability Status: 2011

State	Total	Disability		No Disability	
		Count	%	Count	%
U.S.	54,368,870	2,848,678	5.2	51,520,192	94.8
AL	823,660	52,492	6.4	771,168	93.6
AK	133,677	5,135	3.8	128,542	96.2
AZ	1,174,002	52,427	4.5	1,121,575	95.5
AR	511,463	36,137	7.1	475,326	92.9
CA	6,719,141	269,309	4.0	6,449,832	96.0
CO	885,793	42,706	4.8	843,087	95.2
CT	606,158	28,234	4.7	577,924	95.3
DE	149,047	7,925	5.3	141,122	94.7
DC	69,107	5,408	7.8	63,699	92.2
FL	2,912,888	146,414	5.0	2,766,474	95.0
GA	1,810,734	91,189	5.0	1,719,545	95.0
HI	216,057	9,164	4.2	206,893	95.8
ID	308,578	18,687	6.1	289,891	93.9
IL	2,264,924	94,898	4.2	2,170,026	95.8
IN	1,165,403	69,489	6.0	1,095,914	94.0
IA	523,359	27,232	5.2	496,127	94.8
KS	519,171	28,280	5.4	490,891	94.6
KY	743,879	51,763	7.0	692,116	93.0
LA	804,318	57,482	7.1	746,836	92.9
ME	203,804	16,620	8.2	187,184	91.8
MD	981,377	42,123	4.3	939,254	95.7
MA	339,358	60,791	5.8	978,567	94.2
MI	706,138	106,112	6.2	1,600,026	93.8
MN	923,586	45,812	5.0	877,774	95.0
MS	544,175	32,162	5.9	512,013	94.1
MO	927,638	59,685	5.8	967,953	94.2
MT	161,653	7,092	4.4	154,561	95.6
NE	328,209	15,253	4.6	312,956	95.4
NV	477,173	19,402	4.1	457,771	95.9
NH	211,604	12,438	5.9	199,166	94.1
NJ	1,502,866	66,820	4.4	1,436,046	95.6
NM	372,506	16,020	4.3	356,486	95.7
NY	3,113,506	148,637	4.8	2,964,869	95.2
NC	1,660,149	94,227	5.7	1,565,922	94.3
ND	104,587	3,311	3.2	101,276	96.8
OH	1,979,897	121,426	6.1	1,858,471	93.9
OK	669,875	41,220	6.2	628,655	93.8
OR	622,411	38,809	6.2	583,602	93.8
PA	2,033,780	126,456	6.2	1,907,324	93.8
RI	163,178	6,880	4.2	156,298	95.8
SC	776,755	38,475	5.0	738,280	95.0
SD	142,156	5,952	4.2	136,204	95.8
TN	1,087,991	65,489	6.0	1,022,502	94.0
TX	4,993,657	255,315	5.1	4,738,342	94.9
UT	615,514	24,253	3.9	591,261	96.1
VT	94,832	6,460	6.8	88,372	93.2
VA	1,340,990	63,348	4.7	1,277,642	95.3
WA	1,138,832	64,688	5.7	1,074,144	94.3
WV	281,324	19,086	6.8	262,238	93.2
WI	973,721	57,985	6.0	915,736	94.0
WY	95,572	3,440	3.6	92,132	96.4
PR	658,697	68,520	10.4	590,177	89.6

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Section 1: Population and Prevalence

This section presents statistics on the United States **resident population, projected population, and people with disabilities**. The **prevalence** statistics describe disability frequency by age, race, gender, and **disability type**. The principal source of these data is the **U.S. Census Bureau**, specifically the **American Community Survey**. For these tables, statistics for people with disabilities (**disability status** or **disability type**) are based on having responded ‘yes’ to a series of questions within the **American Community Survey**, see the glossary for more details.

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Table 1.1: In 2016, the **resident population** in the United States was estimated to be 323,127,513 individuals, up from 320,896,618 individuals in 2014. The state with the largest **population** in 2016 was California, with 39,250,017 individuals. The state with the smallest **population** in 2016 was Wyoming, with 585,501 individuals.

Table 1.2: The projected 2030 **resident population** in the United States is 363,584,435 individuals, up from 349,439,199 individuals in 2025 and 335,804,546 individuals in 2020. The state with the largest projected **population** in 2030 is California, with 46,444,861 individuals. The state with the smallest projected **population** in 2030 is the District of Columbia, with 433,414 individuals.

Table 1.3: Based on data from the **American Community Survey**, in 2016, there were 318,175,867 individuals **living in the community**, 40,747,411 of which were individuals with disabilities—12.8 percent. The state with the largest number of individuals with disabilities was California, with 4,206,918 individuals, while the state with the smallest number of individuals with disabilities was the District of Columbia, with 75,783 individuals.

Table 1.4: In 2016, there were 40,852,226 individuals **living in the community with disabilities**, 11,430,339 of which were individuals with a **hearing disability**—28.0 percent. For this **disability type**, California had the highest percentage, 37.8 percent, while the District of Columbia had the lowest percentage, 22.2 percent.

Table 1.5: In 2016, there were 40,852,226 individuals **living in the community with disabilities**, 7,668,316 of which were individuals with a **vision disability**—18.8 percent. For this **disability type**, California had the highest percentage, 26.5 percent, while Vermont had the lowest percentage, 14.4 percent.

Table 1.6: In 2016, there were 40,852,226 individuals **living in the community with disabilities**, 15,490,907 of which were individuals with a **cognitive disability**—37.9 percent. For this **disability type**, California had the highest percentage, 44.3 percent, while the District of Columbia had the lowest percentage, 30.1 percent.

Table 1.7: In 2016, there were 40,852,226 individuals **living in the community with disabilities**, 21,235,966 of which were individuals with an **ambulatory disability**—52.0 percent. For this **disability type**, California had the highest percentage, 57.9 percent, while



Wyoming had the lowest percentage, 43.8 percent.

Table 1.8: In 2016, there were 40,852,226 individuals **living in the community with disabilities**, 8,131,154 of which were individuals with a **self-care disability**—19.9 percent. For this **disability type**, California had the highest percentage, 25.3 percent, while Wyoming had the lowest percentage, 13.2 percent.

Table 1.9: In 2016, there were 40,852,226 individuals **living in the community with disabilities**, 14,784,957 of which were individuals with an **independent living disability**—36.2 percent. For this **disability type**, California had the highest percentage, 41.5 percent, while North Dakota had the lowest percentage, 29.4 percent.



Table 1.1 Resident Population—States: 2012 to 2016

State	2013	2014	2015	2016	State	2013	2014	2015	2016
U.S.	316,204,908	318,563,456	320,896,618	323,127,513	MO	6,042,711	6,060,930	6,076,204	6,093,000
AL	4,829,479	4,843,214	4,853,875	4,863,300	MT	1,014,314	1,022,867	1,032,073	1,042,520
AK	736,879	736,705	737,709	741,894	NE	1,868,559	1,881,145	1,893,765	1,907,116
AZ	6,624,617	6,719,993	6,817,565	6,931,071	NV	2,786,464	2,833,013	2,883,758	2,940,058
AR	2,958,663	2,966,912	2,977,853	2,988,248	NH	1,322,687	1,328,743	1,330,111	1,334,795
CA	38,335,203	38,680,810	38,993,940	39,250,017	NJ	8,899,162	8,925,001	8,935,421	8,944,469
CO	5,267,603	5,349,648	5,448,819	5,540,545	NM	2,085,193	2,083,024	2,080,328	2,081,015
CT	3,596,003	3,591,873	3,584,730	3,576,452	NY	19,673,546	19,718,515	19,747,183	19,745,289
DE	925,395	934,948	944,076	952,065	NC	9,841,590	9,934,399	10,035,186	10,146,788
DC	649,165	659,005	670,377	681,170	ND	724,019	739,904	756,835	757,952
FL	19,582,022	19,888,741	20,244,914	20,612,439	OH	11,570,022	11,594,408	11,605,090	11,614,373
GA	9,984,938	10,087,231	10,199,398	10,310,371	OK	3,852,415	3,877,499	3,907,414	3,923,561
HI	1,406,481	1,416,349	1,425,157	1,428,557	OR	3,925,751	3,968,371	4,024,634	4,093,465
ID	1,612,011	1,633,532	1,652,828	1,663,140	PA	12,781,338	12,790,565	12,791,904	12,784,227
IL	12,879,505	12,867,544	12,839,047	12,801,539	RI	1,053,033	1,054,480	1,055,607	1,056,426
IN	6,569,102	6,595,233	6,612,768	6,633,053	SC	4,767,894	4,828,430	4,894,834	4,961,119
IA	3,091,930	3,108,030	3,121,997	3,134,693	SD	844,922	852,561	857,919	865,454
KS	2,892,821	2,899,360	2,906,721	2,907,289	TN	6,494,821	6,544,663	6,595,056	6,651,194
KY	4,400,477	4,413,057	4,424,611	4,436,974	TX	26,473,525	26,944,751	27,429,639	27,862,596
LA	4,626,402	4,647,880	4,668,960	4,681,666	UT	2,902,663	2,941,836	2,990,632	3,051,217
ME	1,329,076	1,330,719	1,329,453	1,331,479	VT	627,140	626,984	626,088	624,594
MD	5,931,129	5,967,295	5,994,983	6,016,447	VA	8,262,692	8,317,372	8,367,587	8,411,808
MA	6,706,786	6,749,911	6,784,240	6,811,779	WA	6,968,006	7,054,196	7,160,290	7,288,000
MI	9,898,982	9,915,767	9,917,715	9,928,300	WV	1,853,231	1,848,514	1,841,053	1,831,102
MN	5,418,521	5,453,109	5,482,435	5,519,952	WI	5,742,854	5,758,377	5,767,891	5,778,708
MS	2,990,482	2,992,400	2,989,390	2,988,726	WY	582,684	583,642	586,555	585,501

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division, 2010 Census, American FactFinder, Annual Estimates of the Resident Population: April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2016; factfinder.census.gov. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.



Table 1.2 State Resident Population—Projections: 2015 to 2030

State	2015	2020	2025	2030	State	2015	2020	2025	2030
U.S.	322,365,787	335,804,546	349,439,199	363,594,435	MO	6,069,556	6,199,882	6,315,366	6,430,173
AL	4,663,111	4,728,915	4,800,092	4,874,243	MT	999,489	1,022,735	1,037,387	1,044,898
AK	732,544	774,421	820,881	867,674	NE	1,788,508	1,802,678	1,812,787	1,820,247
AZ	7,495,238	8,456,448	9,531,537	10,712,397	NV	3,058,190	3,452,283	3,863,298	4,282,102
AR	2,968,913	3,060,219	3,151,005	3,240,208	NH	1,456,679	1,524,751	1,586,348	1,646,471
CA	40,123,232	42,206,743	44,305,177	46,444,861	NJ	9,255,769	9,461,635	9,636,644	9,802,440
CO	5,049,493	5,278,867	5,522,803	5,792,357	NM	2,041,539	2,084,341	2,106,584	2,099,708
CT	3,635,414	3,675,650	3,691,016	3,688,630	NY	19,546,699	19,576,920	19,540,179	19,477,429
DE	927,400	963,209	990,694	1,012,658	NC	10,010,770	10,709,289	11,449,153	12,227,739
DC	506,323	480,540	455,108	433,414	ND	635,133	630,112	620,777	606,566
FL	21,204,132	23,406,525	25,912,458	28,685,769	OH	11,635,446	11,644,058	11,605,738	11,550,528
GA	10,230,578	10,843,753	11,438,622	12,017,838	OK	3,661,694	3,735,690	3,820,994	3,913,251
HI	1,385,952	1,412,373	1,438,720	1,466,046	OR	4,012,924	4,260,393	4,536,418	4,833,918
ID	1,630,045	1,741,333	1,852,627	1,969,624	PA	12,710,938	12,787,354	12,801,945	12,768,184
IL	13,097,218	13,236,720	13,340,507	13,432,892	RI	1,139,543	1,154,230	1,157,855	1,152,941
IN	6,517,631	6,627,008	6,721,322	6,810,108	SC	4,642,137	4,822,577	4,989,550	5,148,569
IA	3,026,380	3,020,496	2,993,222	2,955,172	SD	796,954	801,939	801,845	800,462
KS	2,852,690	2,890,566	2,919,002	2,940,084	TN	6,502,017	6,780,670	7,073,125	7,380,634
KY	4,351,188	4,424,431	4,489,662	4,554,998	TX	26,585,801	28,634,896	30,865,134	33,317,744
LA	4,673,721	4,719,160	4,762,398	4,802,633	UT	2,783,040	2,990,094	3,225,680	3,485,367
ME	1,388,878	1,408,665	1,414,402	1,411,097	VT	673,169	690,686	703,288	711,867
MD	6,208,392	6,497,626	6,762,732	7,022,251	VA	8,466,864	8,917,395	9,364,304	9,825,019
MA	6,758,580	6,855,546	6,938,636	7,012,009	WA	6,950,610	7,432,136	7,996,400	8,624,801
MI	10,599,122	10,695,993	10,713,730	10,694,172	WV	1,822,758	1,801,112	1,766,435	1,719,959
MN	5,668,211	5,900,769	6,108,787	6,306,130	WI	5,882,760	6,004,954	6,088,374	6,150,764
MS	3,014,409	3,044,812	3,069,420	3,092,410	WY	528,005	530,948	529,031	522,979

Source: Projections for July 1. These state projections were produced in correspondence with the U.S. interim projections released in March 2004. Projections in this table were developed for each of the 50 states and the District of Columbia by age and sex for the years 2000 to 2030, based on Census 2000 results. Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005 Interim State Population Projections, Table 6. Internet Release Date: April 21, 2005; <https://wonder.cdc.gov/wonder/help/PopulationProjections.html#PopulationProjectionsDataRequest>. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.



Table 1.3 Civilians Living in the Community for the United States and States, by Disability Status: 2016

State	Total		Disability		No Disability	
	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
U.S.	318,175,867	12.8	40,747,411	12.8	277,428,456	87.2
AL	4,782,529	16.5	787,132	16.5	3,995,397	83.5
AK	718,419	12.1	87,152	12.1	631,267	87.9
AZ	6,824,645	13.1	896,919	13.1	5,927,726	86.9
AR	2,934,272	17.0	498,263	17.0	2,436,009	83.0
CA	38,763,815	10.9	4,206,918	10.9	34,556,897	89.1
CO	5,447,760	10.6	576,167	10.6	4,871,593	89.4
CT	3,525,154	11.2	395,136	11.2	3,130,018	88.8
DE	937,935	12.3	115,758	12.3	822,177	87.7
DC	670,985	11.3	75,783	11.3	595,202	88.7
FL	20,294,479	13.6	2,762,777	13.6	17,531,702	86.4
GA	10,120,788	12.9	1,301,973	12.9	8,818,815	87.1
HI	1,378,730	11.3	156,123	11.3	1,222,607	88.7
ID	1,662,867	13.5	224,887	13.5	1,437,980	86.5
IL	12,620,388	11.0	1,388,964	11.0	11,231,424	89.0
IN	6,534,914	13.9	909,610	13.9	5,625,304	86.1
IA	3,091,437	11.8	364,030	11.8	2,727,407	88.2
KS	2,850,862	12.8	365,236	12.8	2,485,626	87.2
KY	4,354,380	17.9	779,163	17.9	3,575,217	82.1
LA	4,577,182	15.5	708,833	15.5	3,868,349	84.5
ME	1,317,148	15.8	208,612	15.8	1,108,536	84.2
MD	5,918,535	11.1	656,120	11.1	5,262,415	88.9
MA	6,736,017	11.7	786,595	11.7	5,949,422	88.3
MI	9,818,099	14.5	1,423,391	14.5	8,394,708	85.5
MN	5,462,438	11.0	602,014	11.0	4,860,424	89.0
MS	2,924,168	16.3	476,044	16.3	2,448,124	83.7
MO	5,977,199	14.6	874,096	14.6	5,103,103	85.4
MT	1,027,510	14.4	147,538	14.4	879,972	85.6
NE	1,877,654	11.9	222,911	11.9	1,654,743	88.1
NV	2,905,767	13.2	384,606	13.2	2,521,161	86.8
NH	1,316,467	12.8	168,301	12.8	1,148,166	87.2
NJ	8,837,578	10.5	927,116	10.5	7,910,462	89.5
NM	2,046,001	15.1	308,731	15.1	1,737,270	84.9
NY	19,505,596	11.5	2,238,013	11.5	17,267,583	88.5
NC	9,957,830	13.8	1,371,586	13.8	8,586,244	86.2
ND	741,486	11.5	85,328	11.5	656,158	88.5
OH	11,439,848	14.2	1,620,871	14.2	9,818,977	85.8
OK	3,845,697	16.1	620,252	16.1	3,225,445	83.9
OR	4,054,353	14.7	595,176	14.7	3,459,177	85.3
PA	12,579,422	14.2	1,792,479	14.2	10,786,943	85.8
RI	1,040,259	13.8	143,045	13.8	897,214	86.2
SC	4,861,188	15.2	736,819	15.2	4,124,369	84.8
SD	848,774	12.2	103,296	12.2	745,478	87.8
TN	6,546,914	15.5	1,015,032	15.5	5,531,882	84.5
TX	27,386,023	11.8	3,222,045	11.8	24,163,978	88.2
UT	3,024,767	9.9	299,065	9.9	2,725,702	90.1
VT	618,622	14.6	90,464	14.6	528,158	85.4
VA	8,199,576	11.8	964,585	11.8	7,234,991	88.2
WA	7,184,110	13.0	936,407	13.0	6,247,703	87.0
WV	1,802,572	20.1	361,528	20.1	1,441,044	79.9
WI	5,706,681	12.0	686,133	12.0	5,020,548	88.0
WY	576,027	13.6	78,388	13.6	497,639	86.4
PR	3,384,148	21.3	721,435	21.3	2,662,713	78.7

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, American FactFinder, Table B18101; factfinder.census.gov. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.

Table 1.4 Civilians Living in the Community for the United States and States—Hearing Disability: 2016

State	Total	Disability	Hearing		Total	Disability	Hearing		
			Count	% Total			Count	% Total	Count
U.S.	318,251,368	40,852,226	11,430,339	3.6	5,983,767	867,985	240,049	4.0	27.7
AL	4,783,491	778,819	198,012	4.1	1,027,401	150,307	50,526	4.9	33.6
AK	720,541	94,039	33,557	4.7	1,878,624	226,429	79,827	4.2	35.3
AZ	6,827,533	904,092	280,376	4.1	2,905,603	382,322	128,956	4.4	33.7
AR	2,934,632	488,797	143,647	4.9	1,316,922	168,678	55,866	4.2	33.1
CA	38,765,656	4,203,618	1,159,031	3.0	8,838,884	916,894	229,556	2.6	25.0
CO	5,447,487	567,222	188,720	3.5	2,046,671	312,435	103,828	5.1	33.2
CT	3,525,220	391,195	110,849	3.1	19,509,455	2,252,578	532,360	2.7	23.6
DE	938,455	114,554	26,085	2.8	9,962,182	1,384,671	384,474	3.9	27.8
DC	671,184	75,104	16,665	2.5	741,981	84,505	29,558	4.0	35.0
FL	20,297,214	2,783,553	773,621	3.8	11,441,233	1,617,267	437,233	3.8	27.0
GA	10,124,871	1,305,170	339,174	3.3	3,847,322	632,036	200,259	5.2	31.7
HI	1,379,108	156,080	48,513	3.5	4,054,671	597,551	193,598	4.8	32.4
ID	1,663,785	223,360	75,004	4.5	12,579,943	1,807,595	479,801	3.8	26.5
IL	12,623,751	1,408,454	373,621	3.0	1,040,786	140,046	34,242	3.3	24.5
IN	6,535,619	905,306	259,982	4.0	4,871,072	733,322	201,449	4.1	27.5
IA	3,091,462	369,950	109,016	3.5	849,383	102,184	38,017	4.5	37.2
KS	2,851,814	370,801	116,261	4.1	6,547,550	1,021,295	287,431	4.4	28.1
KY	4,355,445	780,335	221,585	5.1	27,398,260	3,246,186	921,369	3.4	28.4
LA	4,577,761	714,743	183,332	4.0	3,025,182	300,090	87,240	2.9	29.1
ME	1,317,468	206,884	64,030	4.9	618,300	88,456	27,395	4.4	31.0
MD	5,923,168	650,228	152,280	2.6	8,198,930	973,818	260,166	3.2	26.7
MA	6,735,954	783,808	220,531	3.3	7,184,348	947,974	284,924	4.0	30.1
MI	9,817,919	1,422,126	394,651	4.0	1,802,754	356,995	105,561	5.9	29.6
MN	5,462,315	593,421	196,723	3.6	5,706,808	684,211	203,877	3.6	29.8
MS	2,925,245	473,496	116,831	4.0	576,238	81,241	30,680	5.3	37.8

Source: Calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, Public Use Microdata Sample. Data represents the civilian, noninstitutional population. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.





Table 1.5 Civilians Living in the Community for the United States and States—Vision Disability: 2016

State	Total	Disability	Vision		Total	Disability	Count	Vision	
			Count	% Total				% Total	% Disability
U.S.	318,251,368	40,852,226	7,668,316	2.4	5,983,767	867,985	153,496	2.6	17.7
AL	4,783,491	778,819	150,555	3.1	1,027,401	150,307	21,839	2.1	14.5
AK	720,541	94,039	17,348	2.4	1,878,624	226,429	39,748	2.1	17.6
AZ	6,827,533	904,092	175,429	2.6	2,905,603	382,322	101,353	3.5	26.5
AR	2,934,632	498,797	97,947	3.3	1,316,922	168,678	28,642	2.2	17.0
CA	38,765,656	4,203,618	796,847	2.1	8,838,884	916,894	163,621	1.9	17.8
CO	5,447,487	567,222	107,379	2.0	2,046,671	312,435	65,128	3.2	20.8
CT	3,525,220	391,195	61,171	1.7	19,509,455	2,252,578	418,291	2.1	18.6
DE	988,455	114,554	19,206	2.0	9,962,182	1,384,671	283,791	2.8	20.5
DC	671,184	75,104	16,358	2.4	741,981	84,505	14,354	1.9	17.0
FL	20,297,214	2,783,553	544,640	2.7	11,441,233	1,617,267	280,126	2.4	17.3
GA	10,124,871	1,305,170	266,172	2.6	3,847,322	632,036	137,981	3.6	21.8
HI	1,379,108	156,080	24,441	1.8	4,054,671	597,551	104,497	2.6	17.5
ID	1,663,785	223,360	43,512	2.6	12,579,943	1,807,595	298,510	2.4	16.5
IL	12,623,751	1,408,454	258,864	2.1	1,040,786	140,046	22,008	2.1	15.7
IN	6,535,619	905,306	159,769	2.4	4,871,072	733,322	153,205	3.1	20.9
IA	3,091,462	369,950	60,702	2.0	849,383	102,184	16,631	2.0	16.3
KS	2,851,814	370,801	67,890	2.4	6,547,550	1,021,295	205,158	3.1	20.1
KY	4,355,445	780,335	151,999	3.5	27,398,260	3,246,186	701,606	2.6	21.6
LA	4,577,761	714,743	155,715	3.4	3,025,182	300,090	55,030	1.8	18.3
ME	1,317,468	206,884	30,843	2.3	618,300	88,456	14,145	2.3	16.0
MD	5,923,168	650,228	111,150	1.9	8,198,930	973,818	177,958	2.2	18.3
MA	6,735,954	783,808	129,774	1.9	7,184,348	947,974	161,853	2.3	17.1
MI	9,817,919	1,422,126	223,472	2.3	1,802,754	356,995	71,448	4.0	20.0
MN	5,462,315	593,421	85,644	1.6	5,706,808	684,211	110,215	1.9	16.1
MS	2,925,245	473,496	96,389	3.3	576,238	81,241	14,466	2.5	17.8

Source: Calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, Public Use Microdata Sample. Data represents the civilian, noninstitutional population. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.

Table 1.6 Civilians Living in the Community for the United States and States—Cognitive Disability: 2016

State	Total	Disability	Count	Cognitive		Total	Disability	Count	Cognitive	
				% Total	% Disability				% Total	% Disability
U.S.	318,251,368	40,852,226	15,490,907	4.9	37.9	5,983,767	867,985	335,105	5.6	38.6
AL	4,783,491	778,819	299,350	6.3	38.4	1,027,401	150,307	54,538	5.3	36.3
AK	720,541	94,039	35,569	4.9	37.8	1,878,624	226,429	83,071	4.4	36.7
AZ	6,827,533	904,092	322,680	4.7	35.7	2,905,603	382,322	136,439	4.7	35.7
AR	2,934,632	498,797	192,490	6.6	38.6	1,316,922	168,678	62,009	4.7	36.8
CA	38,765,656	4,203,618	1,612,782	4.2	38.4	8,838,884	916,894	323,952	3.7	35.3
CO	5,447,487	567,222	199,165	3.7	35.1	2,046,671	312,435	121,025	5.9	38.7
CT	3,525,220	391,195	148,848	4.2	38.0	19,509,455	2,252,578	841,102	4.3	37.3
DE	938,455	114,554	43,253	4.6	37.8	9,962,182	1,384,671	527,807	5.3	38.1
DC	671,184	75,104	27,133	4.0	36.1	741,981	84,505	30,549	4.1	36.2
FL	20,297,214	2,783,553	1,028,037	5.1	36.9	11,441,233	1,617,267	626,623	5.5	38.7
GA	10,124,871	1,305,170	506,505	5.0	38.8	3,847,322	632,036	225,544	5.9	35.7
HI	1,379,108	156,080	61,014	4.4	39.1	4,054,671	597,551	237,623	5.9	39.8
ID	1,663,785	223,360	91,653	5.5	41.0	12,579,943	1,807,595	697,082	5.5	38.6
IL	12,623,751	1,408,454	507,065	4.0	36.0	1,040,786	140,046	62,102	6.0	44.3
IN	6,535,619	905,306	351,806	5.4	38.9	4,871,072	733,322	268,317	5.5	36.6
IA	3,091,462	369,950	135,764	4.4	36.7	849,383	102,184	30,803	3.6	30.1
KS	2,851,814	370,801	132,392	4.6	35.7	6,547,550	1,021,295	391,325	6.0	38.3
KY	4,355,445	780,335	317,649	7.3	40.7	27,398,260	3,246,186	1,207,303	4.4	37.2
LA	4,577,761	714,743	278,353	6.1	38.9	3,025,182	300,090	121,615	4.0	40.5
ME	1,317,468	206,884	89,042	6.8	43.0	618,300	88,456	32,206	5.2	36.4
MD	5,923,168	650,228	243,933	4.1	37.5	8,198,930	973,818	368,621	4.5	37.9
MA	6,735,954	783,808	322,680	4.8	41.2	7,184,348	947,974	372,900	5.2	39.3
MI	9,817,919	1,422,126	551,998	5.6	38.8	1,802,754	356,995	138,843	7.7	38.9
MN	5,462,315	593,421	230,815	4.2	38.9	5,706,808	684,211	249,913	4.4	36.5
MS	2,925,245	473,496	186,434	6.4	39.4	576,238	81,241	28,080	4.9	34.6

Source: Calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, Public Use Microdata Sample. Data represents the civilian, noninstitutional population. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.





Table 1.7 Civilians Living in the Community for the United States and States—Ambulatory Disability: 2016

State	Total	Disability	Ambulatory		Total	Disability	Count	Ambulatory	
			Count	% Total				% Total	% Disability
U.S.	318,251,368	40,852,226	21,235,966	6.7	52.0				
AL	4,783,491	778,819	440,024	9.2	56.5				
AK	720,541	94,039	41,343	5.7	44.0				
AZ	6,827,533	904,092	468,503	6.9	51.8				
AR	2,934,632	498,797	270,810	9.2	54.3				
CA	38,765,656	4,203,618	2,217,792	5.7	52.8				
CO	5,447,487	567,222	269,111	4.9	47.4				
CT	3,525,220	391,195	195,928	5.6	50.1				
DE	938,455	114,554	61,725	6.6	53.9				
DC	671,184	75,104	42,990	6.4	57.2				
FL	20,297,214	2,783,553	1,498,201	7.4	53.8				
GA	10,124,871	1,305,170	698,079	6.9	53.5				
HI	1,379,108	156,080	83,508	6.1	53.5				
ID	1,663,785	223,360	103,508	6.2	46.3				
IL	12,623,751	1,408,454	765,831	6.1	54.4				
IN	6,535,619	905,306	469,535	7.2	51.9				
IA	3,091,462	369,950	175,772	5.7	47.5				
KS	2,851,814	370,801	181,430	6.4	48.9				
KY	4,355,445	780,335	431,948	9.9	55.4				
LA	4,577,761	714,743	368,396	8.0	51.5				
ME	1,317,468	206,884	94,080	7.1	45.5				
MD	5,923,168	650,228	340,351	5.7	52.3				
MA	6,735,954	783,808	372,980	5.5	47.6				
MI	9,817,919	1,422,126	730,054	7.4	51.3				
MN	5,462,315	593,421	259,732	4.8	43.8				
MS	2,925,245	473,496	274,019	9.4	57.9				
MO	5,983,767	867,985	460,287	7.7	53.0				
MT	1,027,401	150,307	72,151	7.0	48.0				
NE	1,878,624	226,429	105,531	5.6	46.6				
NV	2,905,603	382,322	203,105	7.0	53.1				
NH	1,316,922	168,678	77,618	5.9	46.0				
NJ	8,838,884	916,894	496,648	5.6	54.2				
NM	2,046,671	312,435	164,319	8.0	52.6				
NY	19,509,455	2,252,578	1,225,619	6.3	54.4				
NC	9,962,182	1,384,671	724,218	7.3	52.3				
ND	741,981	84,505	38,997	5.3	46.1				
OH	11,441,233	1,617,267	832,537	7.3	51.5				
OK	3,847,322	632,036	341,104	8.9	54.0				
OR	4,054,671	597,551	284,754	7.0	47.7				
PA	12,579,943	1,807,595	914,991	7.3	50.6				
RI	1,040,786	140,046	73,531	7.1	52.5				
SC	4,871,072	733,322	396,357	8.1	54.0				
SD	849,383	102,184	47,013	5.5	46.0				
TN	6,547,550	1,021,295	551,890	8.4	54.0				
TX	27,398,260	3,246,186	1,668,067	6.1	51.4				
UT	3,025,182	300,090	131,730	4.4	43.9				
VT	618,300	88,456	39,520	6.4	44.7				
VA	8,198,930	973,818	500,172	6.1	51.4				
WA	7,184,348	947,974	465,856	6.5	49.1				
WV	1,802,754	356,995	199,946	11.1	56.0				
WI	5,706,808	684,211	326,497	5.7	47.7				
WY	576,238	81,241	37,858	6.6	46.6				

Source: Calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, Public Use Microdata Sample. Data represents the civilian, noninstitutional population. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.

Table 1.8 Civilians Living in the Community for the United States and States—Self-Care Disability: 2016

State	Total	Disability	Self-Care		Total	Disability	Self-Care		
			Count	% Total			Count	% Disability	
U.S.	318,251,368	40,852,226	8,131,154	2.6	5,983,767	867,985	154,054	2.6	17.7
AL	4,783,491	778,819	148,508	3.1	1,027,401	150,307	25,564	2.5	17.0
AK	720,541	94,039	14,364	2.0	1,878,624	226,429	33,032	1.8	14.6
AZ	6,827,533	904,092	162,644	2.4	2,905,603	382,322	80,998	2.8	21.2
AR	2,934,632	498,797	96,069	3.3	1,316,922	168,678	27,705	2.1	16.4
CA	38,765,656	4,203,618	1,006,201	2.6	8,838,884	916,894	201,149	2.3	21.9
CO	5,447,487	567,222	83,590	1.5	2,046,671	312,435	65,876	3.2	21.1
CT	3,525,220	391,195	77,228	2.2	19,509,455	2,252,578	500,891	2.6	22.2
DE	938,455	114,554	21,276	2.3	9,962,182	1,384,671	272,256	2.7	19.7
DC	671,184	75,104	14,130	2.1	741,981	84,505	16,204	2.2	19.2
FL	20,297,214	2,783,553	547,990	2.7	11,441,233	1,617,267	314,479	2.7	19.4
GA	10,124,871	1,305,170	246,557	2.4	3,847,322	632,036	115,562	3.0	18.3
HI	1,379,108	156,080	31,935	2.3	4,054,671	597,551	112,063	2.8	18.8
ID	1,663,785	223,360	39,632	2.4	12,579,943	1,807,595	346,787	2.8	19.2
IL	12,623,751	1,408,454	303,708	2.4	1,040,786	140,046	35,462	3.4	25.3
IN	6,535,619	905,306	172,170	2.6	4,871,072	733,322	143,294	2.9	19.5
IA	3,091,462	369,950	60,280	1.9	849,383	102,184	13,477	1.6	13.2
KS	2,851,814	370,801	63,311	2.2	6,547,550	1,021,295	202,128	3.1	19.8
KY	4,355,445	780,335	155,961	3.6	27,398,260	3,246,186	637,987	2.3	19.7
LA	4,577,761	714,743	141,423	3.1	3,025,182	300,090	49,346	1.6	16.4
ME	1,317,468	206,884	32,430	2.5	618,300	88,456	16,968	2.7	19.2
MD	5,923,168	650,228	119,990	2.0	8,198,930	973,818	186,983	2.3	19.2
MA	6,735,954	783,808	155,253	2.3	7,184,348	947,974	177,336	2.5	18.7
MI	9,817,919	1,422,126	276,251	2.8	1,802,754	356,995	66,804	3.7	18.7
MN	5,462,315	593,421	110,616	2.0	5,706,808	684,211	137,125	2.4	20.0
MS	2,925,245	473,496	102,886	3.5	576,238	81,241	13,221	2.3	16.3

Source: Calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, Public Use Microdata Sample. Data represents the civilian, noninstitutional population. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.





Table 1.9 Civilians Living in the Community for the United States and States—Independent Living Disability: 2016

State	Total	Disability	Independent Living		Total	Disability	Independent Living	
			Count	% Total			Count	% Total
U.S.	318,251,368	40,852,226	14,784,957	4.6	5,983,767	867,985	301,019	5.0
AL	4,783,491	778,819	289,740	6.1	1,027,401	150,307	47,266	4.6
AK	720,541	94,039	29,300	4.1	1,878,624	226,429	69,477	3.7
AZ	6,827,533	904,092	297,945	4.4	2,905,603	382,322	127,883	4.4
AR	2,934,632	498,797	169,330	5.8	1,316,922	168,678	53,465	4.1
CA	38,765,656	4,203,618	1,710,191	4.4	8,838,884	916,894	356,073	4.0
CO	5,447,487	567,222	175,668	3.2	2,046,671	312,435	115,770	5.7
CT	3,525,220	391,195	147,476	4.2	19,509,455	2,252,578	871,595	4.5
DE	938,455	114,554	40,036	4.3	9,962,182	1,384,671	493,909	5.0
DC	671,184	75,104	28,124	4.2	741,981	84,505	24,855	3.3
FL	20,297,214	2,783,553	1,006,906	5.0	11,441,233	1,617,267	575,025	5.0
GA	10,124,871	1,305,170	456,107	4.5	3,847,322	632,036	208,008	5.4
HI	1,379,108	156,080	64,776	4.7	4,054,671	597,551	202,142	5.0
ID	1,663,785	223,360	70,798	4.3	12,579,943	1,807,595	669,990	5.3
IL	12,623,751	1,408,454	546,494	4.3	1,040,786	140,046	58,142	5.6
IN	6,535,619	905,306	317,191	4.9	4,871,072	733,322	257,138	5.3
IA	3,091,462	369,950	124,329	4.0	849,383	102,184	30,575	3.6
KS	2,851,814	370,801	120,862	4.2	6,547,550	1,021,295	382,183	5.8
KY	4,355,445	780,335	278,714	6.4	27,398,260	3,246,186	1,110,080	4.1
LA	4,577,761	714,743	243,623	5.3	3,025,182	300,090	96,363	3.2
ME	1,317,468	206,884	76,440	5.8	618,300	88,456	31,084	5.0
MD	5,923,168	650,228	224,749	3.8	8,198,930	973,818	349,814	4.3
MA	6,735,954	783,808	295,447	4.4	7,184,348	947,974	338,395	4.7
MI	9,817,919	1,422,126	517,854	5.3	1,802,754	356,995	126,404	7.0
MN	5,462,315	593,421	199,547	3.7	5,706,808	684,211	243,975	4.3
MS	2,925,245	473,496	186,596	6.4	576,238	81,241	26,084	4.5
MO	5,983,767	867,985	301,019	5.0	5,983,767	867,985	301,019	5.0
MT	1,027,401	150,307	47,266	4.6	1,027,401	150,307	47,266	4.6
NE	1,878,624	226,429	69,477	3.7	1,878,624	226,429	69,477	3.7
NV	2,905,603	382,322	127,883	4.4	2,905,603	382,322	127,883	4.4
NH	1,316,922	168,678	53,465	4.1	1,316,922	168,678	53,465	4.1
NJ	8,838,884	916,894	356,073	4.0	8,838,884	916,894	356,073	4.0
NM	2,046,671	312,435	115,770	5.7	2,046,671	312,435	115,770	5.7
NY	19,509,455	2,252,578	871,595	4.5	19,509,455	2,252,578	871,595	4.5
NC	9,962,182	1,384,671	493,909	5.0	9,962,182	1,384,671	493,909	5.0
ND	741,981	84,505	24,855	3.3	741,981	84,505	24,855	3.3
OH	11,441,233	1,617,267	575,025	5.0	11,441,233	1,617,267	575,025	5.0
OK	3,847,322	632,036	208,008	5.4	3,847,322	632,036	208,008	5.4
OR	4,054,671	597,551	202,142	5.0	4,054,671	597,551	202,142	5.0
PA	12,579,943	1,807,595	669,990	5.3	12,579,943	1,807,595	669,990	5.3
RI	1,040,786	140,046	58,142	5.6	1,040,786	140,046	58,142	5.6
SC	4,871,072	733,322	257,138	5.3	4,871,072	733,322	257,138	5.3
SD	849,383	102,184	30,575	3.6	849,383	102,184	30,575	3.6
TN	6,547,550	1,021,295	382,183	5.8	6,547,550	1,021,295	382,183	5.8
TX	27,398,260	3,246,186	1,110,080	4.1	27,398,260	3,246,186	1,110,080	4.1
UT	3,025,182	300,090	96,363	3.2	3,025,182	300,090	96,363	3.2
VT	618,300	88,456	31,084	5.0	618,300	88,456	31,084	5.0
VA	8,198,930	973,818	349,814	4.3	8,198,930	973,818	349,814	4.3
WA	7,184,348	947,974	338,395	4.7	7,184,348	947,974	338,395	4.7
WV	1,802,754	356,995	126,404	7.0	1,802,754	356,995	126,404	7.0
WI	5,706,808	684,211	243,975	4.3	5,706,808	684,211	243,975	4.3
WY	576,238	81,241	26,084	4.5	576,238	81,241	26,084	4.5

Source: Calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, Public Use Microdata Sample. Data represents the civilian, noninstitutional population. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.



Section 2: Employment

This section presents statistics on monthly and annual **employment participation** and **full-time, year-round (FTYR) employment** in the United States. For both categories of **employment**, data are presented for people with disabilities, people without disabilities, and the difference in percentage **employed (employment gap)** between these two **populations**. There are three sources of data used in this section.

The first source of these data is the **American Community Survey (U.S. Census Bureau)**. For these tables, statistics for people with disabilities (**disability status** or **disability type**) are based on having responded ‘yes’ to a series of questions within the **American Community Survey**. The definition for **employment status** in the **American Community Survey** can be found in the glossary.

Monthly time trends are from the Bureau of Labor Statistics Data Retrieval System and are based on data from the **Current Population Survey-Basic Monthly Survey**. Annual time trends were produced by the authors using data from the **Current Population Survey-Annual Social and Economic Supplement**, which is fielded annually in March. For these tables, similar to the **American Community Survey**, statistics for people with disabilities (**disability status**) are based on having responded ‘yes’ to a series of questions within the **Current Population Survey**. In addition, the definition for **employment status** in both **Current Population Surveys** can be found in the glossary.

Tables

Tables 2.1 and 2.2: In 2016, of the 20,761,092 individuals with disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 7,461,001 individuals were **employed**—35.9 percent. In contrast, of the 176,005,194 individuals without disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 135,089,199 individuals were **employed**—76.8 percent. The percentage of people with disabilities **employed** was highest in North Dakota (54.0 percent) and lowest in West Virginia (27.4 percent).

Table 2.3: In 2016, of the 4,005,393 individuals with **hearing** disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 2,071,694 individuals were **employed**—51.7 percent. The percentage of people with **hearing** disabilities **employed** was highest in South Dakota (72.0 percent) and lowest in West Virginia (36.4 percent).

Table 2.4: In 2016, of the 3,928,723 individuals with **vision** disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 1,710,056 individuals were **employed**—43.5 percent. The percentage of people with **vision** disabilities **employed** was highest in Montana and North Dakota (58.6 percent) and lowest in West Virginia (26.9 percent).

Table 2.5: In 2016, of the 8,931,533 individuals with **cognitive** disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 2,352,368 individuals were **employed**—26.3 percent. The percentage of people with **cognitive** disabilities **employed** was highest in North Dakota (42.2 percent) and lowest in Alabama (19.1 percent).



Table 2.6: In 2016, of the 10,097,156 individuals with **ambulatory** disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 2,502,518 individuals were **employed**—24.8 percent. The percentage of people with **ambulatory** disabilities **employed** was highest in South Dakota (39.6 percent) and lowest in Alabama (19.2 percent).

Table 2.7: In 2016, of the 3,653,028 individuals with **self-care** disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 564,411 individuals were **employed**—15.5 percent. The percentage of people with **self-care** disabilities **employed** was highest in Nevada (37.8 percent) and lowest in New Mexico (9.4 percent).

Table 2.8: In 2016, of the 7,412,570 individuals with **independent living** disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 1,257,947 individuals were **employed**—17.0 percent. The percentage of people with **independent living** disabilities **employed** was highest in North Dakota (33.0 percent) and lowest in Alabama (9.7 percent).

Table 2.9: In 2016, 35.9 percent of people with disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** were **employed**, while 76.8 percent of people without disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** were **employed**—a difference of 40.9 **percentage points**. The difference was greatest in Rhode Island (48.6 **percentage points**) and smallest in Alaska (28.2 **percentage points**).

Table 2.10: In 2016, the difference in the percentage of people **employed** with and without disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** was 41.2 **percentage points**. The gap was greatest in Maine (50.1 **percentage points**) and smallest in Wyoming (21.9 **percentage points**).



Table 2.1 Employment—Civilians with Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total		Employed		% [1]
	Count	% [1]	Count	% [1]	
U.S.	20,761,092	35.9	7,461,001	35.9	
AL	421,135	27.5	115,799	27.5	
AK	50,330	47.9	24,090	47.9	
AZ	432,087	34.8	150,434	34.8	
AR	289,725	31.7	85,447	31.7	
CA	2,023,714	34.7	701,791	34.7	
CO	308,342	42.7	131,658	42.7	
CT	191,687	39.0	74,715	39.0	
DE	56,546	35.9	20,284	35.9	
DC	44,921	34.0	15,292	34.0	
FL	1,255,268	32.2	404,685	32.2	
GA	698,293	33.9	236,577	33.9	
HI	66,031	39.9	26,356	39.9	
ID	115,652	43.3	50,090	43.3	
IL	679,862	35.7	242,783	35.7	
IN	485,824	36.1	175,379	36.1	
IA	175,367	45.9	80,416	45.9	
KS	188,671	44.7	84,262	44.7	
KY	439,748	30.5	133,926	30.5	
LA	384,377	31.3	120,443	31.3	
ME	109,376	33.2	36,357	33.2	
MD	334,505	41.1	137,517	41.1	
MA	390,729	38.6	150,647	38.6	
MI	764,335	33.3	254,334	33.3	
MN	302,274	48.0	145,080	48.0	
MS	258,824	29.4	76,078	29.4	
MO	468,140	35.1	164,243	35.1	
State	Total	Employed	Count	% [1]	
MT	76,169	33,419	43.9		
NE	112,418	53,323	47.4		
NV	198,826	83,453	42.0		
NH	88,094	36,745	41.7		
NJ	435,265	159,575	36.7		
NM	153,667	49,084	31.9		
NY	1,109,370	367,478	33.1		
NC	722,636	249,230	34.5		
ND	43,089	23,286	54.0		
OH	851,743	304,940	35.8		
OK	334,056	123,568	37.0		
OR	303,115	118,914	39.2		
PA	909,897	323,354	35.5		
RI	76,763	23,029	30.0		
SC	388,251	129,766	33.4		
SD	51,003	26,323	51.6		
TN	558,852	174,370	31.2		
TX	1,653,862	644,181	39.0		
UT	159,024	74,767	47.0		
VT	49,458	20,506	41.5		
VA	496,928	193,632	39.0		
WA	494,903	193,792	39.2		
WV	194,669	53,372	27.4		
WI	344,120	143,726	41.8		
WY	39,161	18,485	47.2		
PR	354,695	78,826	22.2		

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B18120; factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability. The percentage of people employed with disabilities.
 [1] The percentage of people employed with disabilities.



Table 2.2 Employment—Civilians without Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total	Employed	% [1]	State	Total	Employed	% [1]
	Count	Count			Count	Count	
U.S.	176,005,194	135,089,199	76.8	MT	544,264	431,126	79.2
AL	2,500,368	1,825,440	73.0	NE	1,019,373	855,042	83.9
AK	406,854	309,682	76.1	NV	1,592,987	1,211,522	76.1
AZ	3,604,078	2,684,035	74.5	NH	751,005	621,838	82.8
AR	1,487,791	1,111,661	74.7	NJ	5,089,851	3,936,933	77.3
CA	22,408,134	16,632,184	74.2	NM	1,067,081	767,544	71.9
CO	3,153,360	2,513,698	79.7	NY	11,289,891	8,522,611	75.5
CT	2,025,747	1,596,352	78.8	NC	5,416,058	4,101,199	75.7
DE	515,050	390,409	75.8	ND	420,367	354,090	84.2
DC	428,957	330,700	77.1	OH	6,166,563	4,843,788	78.5
FL	10,882,120	8,177,300	75.1	OK	1,982,620	1,495,651	75.4
GA	5,585,876	4,227,892	75.7	OR	2,205,945	1,696,553	76.9
HI	766,404	602,358	78.6	PA	6,862,533	5,330,434	77.7
ID	859,151	662,021	77.1	RI	588,713	462,612	78.6
IL	7,212,753	5,604,115	77.7	SC	2,563,254	1,936,360	75.5
IN	3,517,887	2,782,195	79.1	SD	453,916	373,550	82.3
IA	1,699,838	1,401,585	82.5	TN	3,470,733	2,640,999	76.1
KS	1,529,722	1,227,313	80.2	TX	15,190,021	11,526,552	75.9
KY	2,239,279	1,689,336	75.4	UT	1,630,812	1,287,144	78.9
LA	2,423,322	1,767,458	72.9	VT	340,004	275,842	81.1
ME	703,566	566,378	80.5	VA	4,637,080	3,647,462	78.7
MD	3,387,261	2,716,777	80.2	WA	4,002,745	3,093,022	77.3
MA	3,933,973	3,148,274	80.0	WV	896,775	634,749	70.8
MI	5,295,287	4,042,733	76.3	WI	3,176,398	2,612,737	82.2
MIN	3,073,390	2,576,753	83.8	WY	311,267	247,491	79.5
MS	1,507,736	1,074,318	71.3	PR	1,694,360	929,500	54.9
MO	3,185,034	2,521,381	79.2				

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B18120: factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] The percentage of people employed without disabilities.

Table 2.3 Employment—Civilians with Hearing Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total	Employed		Total	Employed	
		Count	% [1]		Count	% [1]
U.S.	4,005,393	2,071,694	51.7	20,086	12,763	63.5
AL	74,181	32,379	43.6	30,540	20,690	67.7
AK	17,952	11,203	62.4	54,727	33,586	61.4
AZ	88,319	44,301	50.2	20,314	12,831	63.2
AR	52,101	24,491	47.0	69,650	37,385	53.7
CA	374,830	189,194	50.5	35,188	15,537	44.2
CO	69,635	39,992	57.4	178,729	92,624	51.8
CT	33,832	19,237	56.9	139,217	66,700	47.9
DE	8,318	4,349	52.3	10,391	7,275	70.0
DC	7,094	3,070	43.3	157,471	77,209	49.0
FL	217,794	101,927	46.8	76,933	38,756	50.4
GA	131,629	63,347	48.1	65,615	34,145	52.0
HI	14,254	6,966	48.9	157,904	82,547	52.3
ID	28,900	18,884	65.3	11,946	5,933	49.7
IL	122,411	64,099	52.4	70,757	34,407	48.6
IN	95,675	49,118	51.3	14,453	10,403	72.0
IA	37,935	23,586	62.2	106,623	51,019	47.8
KS	40,826	23,651	57.9	348,121	180,127	51.7
KY	87,494	36,490	41.7	34,142	21,350	62.5
LA	71,450	31,359	43.9	10,840	7,270	67.1
ME	21,742	11,821	54.4	97,632	58,415	59.8
MD	56,425	33,035	58.5	103,201	54,395	52.7
MA	70,831	37,900	53.5	41,876	15,240	36.4
MI	134,898	69,374	51.4	72,051	41,746	57.9
MN	68,274	43,401	63.6	11,705	7,829	66.9
MS	45,442	21,962	48.3	46,669	13,160	28.2
MO	93,039	46,376	49.8			

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B18120: factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.

[1] The percentage of people employed with hearing disabilities.





Table 2.4 Employment—Civilians with Vision Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total	Employed		% [1]
		Count	%	
U.S.	3,928,723	1,710,056	43.5	
AL	78,860	23,534	29.8	
AK	7,559	3,620	47.9	
AZ	77,393	33,835	43.7	
AR	53,232	19,850	37.3	
CA	388,050	172,206	44.4	
CO	61,438	32,036	52.1	
CT	30,454	13,322	43.7	
DE	10,412	4,398	42.2	
DC	8,385	3,277	39.1	
FL	255,382	110,461	43.3	
GA	148,279	62,343	42.0	
HI	11,093	5,252	47.3	
ID	22,346	11,095	49.7	
IL	122,874	53,199	43.3	
IN	84,893	33,501	39.5	
IA	28,014	15,982	57.1	
KS	32,420	17,090	52.7	
KY	87,659	29,080	33.2	
LA	86,680	33,651	38.8	
ME	15,500	6,302	40.7	
MD	58,094	29,497	50.8	
MA	64,211	30,584	47.6	
MI	115,726	47,027	40.6	
MN	40,492	21,923	54.1	
MS	53,197	19,590	36.8	
MO	82,154	33,363	40.6	
State	Total	Count	%	% [1]
MT	10,531	6,171	58.6	58.6
NE	18,634	8,702	46.7	46.7
NV	53,874	30,801	57.2	57.2
NH	13,323	7,020	52.7	52.7
NJ	79,527	35,364	44.5	44.5
NM	31,750	11,734	37.0	37.0
NY	203,651	88,778	43.6	43.6
NC	149,517	65,770	44.0	44.0
ND	8,368	4,902	58.6	58.6
OH	144,757	62,393	43.1	43.1
OK	72,839	32,003	43.9	43.9
OR	52,729	24,143	45.8	45.8
PA	148,742	66,432	44.7	44.7
RI	12,348	4,353	35.3	35.3
SC	85,604	38,064	44.5	44.5
SD	8,497	4,769	56.1	56.1
TN	111,111	42,538	38.3	38.3
TX	375,931	165,951	44.1	44.1
UT	29,998	15,309	51.0	51.0
VT	7,176	3,739	52.1	52.1
VA	93,906	44,928	47.8	47.8
WA	85,838	37,920	44.2	44.2
WV	41,740	11,241	26.9	26.9
WI	55,999	26,744	47.8	47.8
WY	7,536	4,269	56.6	56.6
PR	100,121	26,911	28.9	28.9

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B18120: factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.

[1] The percentage of people employed with vision disabilities.

Table 2.5 Employment—Civilians with Cognitive Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total	Employed	% [1]	State	Total	Employed	% [1]
	Count	Count			Count	Count	
U.S.	8,931,533	2,352,368	26.3	MT	32,559	11,753	36.1
AL	181,891	34,692	19.1	NE	47,034	15,910	33.8
AK	19,554	5,989	30.6	NV	82,023	31,082	37.9
AZ	180,679	43,039	23.8	NH	37,225	10,649	28.6
AR	110,581	25,790	23.3	NJ	179,680	48,904	27.2
CA	867,661	205,527	23.7	NM	71,147	15,448	21.7
CO	134,751	43,210	32.1	NY	466,893	110,221	23.6
CT	87,313	26,922	30.8	NC	298,362	72,530	24.3
DE	24,286	6,594	27.2	ND	18,538	7,816	42.2
DC	18,761	4,330	23.1	OH	381,859	110,445	28.9
FL	537,448	112,359	20.9	OK	136,898	36,004	26.3
GA	288,776	69,413	24.0	OR	137,092	41,348	30.2
HI	26,546	7,057	26.6	PA	417,955	111,692	26.7
ID	53,987	16,070	29.8	RI	39,974	8,521	21.3
IL	274,241	73,752	26.9	SC	154,144	36,141	23.4
IN	212,928	57,340	26.9	SD	18,920	6,350	33.6
IA	76,184	26,720	35.1	TN	239,965	54,008	22.5
KS	79,147	27,232	34.4	TX	657,439	184,980	28.1
KY	199,937	47,449	23.7	UT	76,151	30,598	40.2
LA	165,139	36,844	22.3	VT	24,689	7,320	29.6
ME	51,183	11,547	22.6	VA	205,653	55,027	26.8
MD	143,958	45,408	31.5	WA	220,694	65,459	29.7
MA	197,476	59,677	30.2	WV	84,781	16,696	19.7
MI	345,680	87,175	25.2	WI	151,534	51,785	34.2
MN	143,046	57,431	40.1	WY	15,365	4,795	31.2
MS	107,053	21,951	20.5	PR	154,634	21,352	13.8
MO	206,753	53,368	25.8				

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B18120: factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] The percentage of people employed with cognitive disabilities.





Table 2.6 Employment—Civilians with Ambulatory Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total	Employed Employed Count	% [1]	State	Total	Employed Employed Count	% [1]
U.S.	10,097,156	2,502,518	24.8	MT	32,157	8,582	26.7
AL	226,915	43,555	19.2	NE	45,683	14,246	31.2
AK	20,602	6,566	31.9	NV	103,956	37,195	35.8
AZ	215,910	51,610	23.9	NH	38,747	9,707	25.1
AR	142,765	31,086	21.8	NJ	211,045	57,455	27.2
CA	949,853	234,559	24.7	NM	78,010	17,242	22.1
CO	136,566	38,485	28.2	NY	546,619	126,689	23.2
CT	84,185	21,592	25.6	NC	366,377	82,814	22.6
DE	29,835	8,182	27.4	ND	17,056	6,527	38.3
DC	23,272	6,152	26.4	OH	421,646	101,560	24.1
FL	628,019	144,422	23.0	OK	170,855	43,448	25.4
GA	363,255	85,621	23.6	OR	131,503	36,658	27.9
HI	31,667	9,398	29.7	PA	442,930	107,739	24.3
ID	47,757	13,025	27.3	RI	38,231	7,541	19.7
IL	338,624	83,404	24.6	SC	200,743	46,007	22.9
IN	240,490	60,622	25.2	SD	21,975	8,703	39.6
IA	75,832	24,717	32.6	TN	288,826	57,763	20.0
KS	87,941	27,974	31.8	TX	793,210	223,871	28.2
KY	236,327	47,010	19.9	UT	61,485	19,883	32.3
LA	190,646	39,971	21.0	VT	20,138	5,587	27.7
ME	48,998	11,031	22.5	VA	236,929	65,027	27.4
MD	164,336	49,253	30.0	WA	220,225	59,319	26.9
MA	165,836	44,851	27.0	WV	107,375	21,945	20.4
MI	382,348	86,105	22.5	WI	150,551	40,001	26.6
MN	123,148	38,913	31.6	WY	16,774	5,639	33.6
MS	139,341	27,223	19.5	PR	176,934	29,972	16.9
MO	239,642	56,043	23.4				

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B18120: factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] The percentage of people employed with ambulatory disabilities.

Table 2.7 Employment—Civilians with Self-Care Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total	Employed	% [1]
U.S.	3,653,028	564,411	15.5
AL	68,890	8,750	12.7
AK	7,638	922	12.1
AZ	69,503	6,945	10.0
AR	46,906	4,607	9.8
CA	398,741	59,771	15.0
CO	44,860	8,150	18.2
CT	27,968	4,298	15.4
DE	11,591	1,962	16.9
DC	6,551	977	14.9
FL	225,818	33,314	14.8
GA	115,191	16,379	14.2
HI	10,250	2,249	21.9
ID	19,406	4,162	21.4
IL	124,437	18,317	14.7
IN	84,623	13,599	16.1
IA	26,653	5,609	21.0
KS	29,610	6,930	23.4
KY	75,995	8,867	11.7
LA	72,288	8,892	12.3
ME	15,844	2,574	16.2
MD	55,529	8,959	16.1
MA	65,131	9,980	15.3
MI	146,178	19,267	13.2
MIN	52,006	12,690	24.4
MS	47,525	6,482	13.6
MO	74,022	9,455	12.8

State	Total	Employed	Count	% [1]
MT	12,338	1,924	15.6	
NE	13,557	3,518	25.9	
NV	45,661	17,282	37.8	
NH	13,412	1,764	13.2	
NJ	78,771	14,082	17.9	
NM	30,191	2,848	9.4	
NY	205,665	29,431	14.3	
NC	130,741	18,165	13.9	
ND	6,558	2,081	31.7	
OH	145,526	22,228	15.3	
OK	56,057	10,324	18.4	
OR	48,028	8,684	18.1	
PA	161,746	22,918	14.2	
RI	17,413	2,720	15.6	
SC	71,064	10,312	14.5	
SD	7,052	1,565	22.2	
TN	99,533	12,719	12.8	
TX	292,925	46,206	15.8	
UT	22,034	4,647	21.1	
VT	7,554	1,519	20.1	
VA	84,677	16,153	19.1	
WA	78,678	13,654	17.4	
WV	32,923	3,843	11.7	
WI	61,763	10,240	16.6	
WY	6,007	1,477	24.6	
PR	66,259	6,482	9.8	

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B18120: factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.

[1] The percentage of people employed with self-care disabilities.





Table 2.8 Employment—Civilians with Independent Living Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total		Employed		% [1]
	Count	% [1]	Count	% [1]	
U.S.	7,412,570	17.0	1,257,947	17.0	17.0
AL	150,400	9.7	14,640	9.7	9.7
AK	14,856	22.9	3,407	22.9	22.9
AZ	150,527	14.7	22,071	14.7	14.7
AR	90,430	13.3	12,066	13.3	13.3
CA	764,930	16.3	124,561	16.3	16.3
CO	100,064	20.1	20,139	20.1	20.1
CT	64,805	22.4	14,494	22.4	22.4
DE	19,174	20.1	3,861	20.1	20.1
DC	13,279	13.0	1,731	13.0	13.0
FL	454,834	14.2	64,562	14.2	14.2
GA	243,702	14.9	36,282	14.9	14.9
HI	23,904	17.5	4,192	17.5	17.5
ID	38,034	19.7	7,479	19.7	19.7
IL	253,679	16.6	42,089	16.6	16.6
IN	173,127	18.2	31,440	18.2	18.2
IA	57,849	27.6	15,994	27.6	27.6
KS	63,215	22.3	14,087	22.3	22.3
KY	157,463	11.7	18,433	11.7	11.7
LA	131,971	12.1	15,914	12.1	12.1
ME	42,181	15.5	6,547	15.5	15.5
MD	112,751	20.2	22,746	20.2	20.2
MA	145,714	19.0	27,671	19.0	19.0
MI	293,160	14.7	42,984	14.7	14.7
MN	109,311	29.3	32,007	29.3	29.3
MS	100,610	13.5	13,611	13.5	13.5
MO	164,319	16.5	27,035	16.5	16.5

State	Total		Employed		% [1]
	Count	% [1]	Count	% [1]	
MT	26,994	6.716	6,716	24.9	24.9
NE	34,290	7.958	7,958	23.2	23.2
NV	73,351	23.678	23,678	32.3	32.3
NH	30,401	6.310	6,310	20.8	20.8
NJ	164,341	32.071	32,071	19.5	19.5
NM	56,263	6.459	6,459	11.5	11.5
NY	404,037	64.021	64,021	15.8	15.8
NC	257,528	36.970	36,970	14.4	14.4
ND	12,786	4.220	4,220	33.0	33.0
OH	305,030	55.882	55,882	18.3	18.3
OK	108,916	20.303	20,303	18.6	18.6
OR	103,683	20.226	20,226	19.5	19.5
PA	337,554	57.642	57,642	17.1	17.1
RI	32,675	5.789	5,789	17.7	17.7
SC	133,981	19.098	19,098	14.3	14.3
SD	15,579	4.709	4,709	30.2	30.2
TN	207,584	24.885	24,885	12.0	12.0
TX	550,406	97.168	97,168	17.7	17.7
UT	50,695	12.786	12,786	25.2	25.2
VT	17,216	3.964	3,964	23.0	23.0
VA	176,819	33.656	33,656	19.0	19.0
WA	174,200	33.908	33,908	19.5	19.5
WV	69,009	8.703	8,703	12.6	12.6
WI	122,500	27.810	27,810	22.7	22.7
WY	12,443	2.972	2,972	23.9	23.9
PR	132,667	8.998	8,998	6.8	6.8

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B18120: factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] The percentage of people employed with independent living disabilities.

Table 2.9 Employment Gap—Civilians Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States, by Disability Status: 2016

State	Disability [1]	No Disability [1]	Gap (% pts) [2]
U.S.	35.9	76.8	40.9
AL	27.5	73.0	45.5
AK	47.9	76.1	28.2
AZ	34.8	74.5	39.7
AR	31.7	74.7	43.0
CA	34.7	74.2	39.5
CO	42.7	79.7	37.0
CT	39.0	78.8	39.8
DE	35.9	75.8	39.9
DC	34.0	77.1	43.1
FL	32.2	75.1	42.9
GA	33.9	75.7	41.8
HI	39.9	78.6	38.7
ID	43.3	77.1	33.8
IL	35.7	77.7	42.0
IN	36.1	79.1	43.0
IA	45.9	82.5	36.6
KS	44.7	80.2	35.5
KY	30.5	75.4	44.9
LA	31.3	72.9	41.6
ME	33.2	80.5	47.3
MD	41.1	80.2	39.1
MA	38.6	80.0	41.4
MI	33.3	76.3	43.0
MN	48.0	83.8	35.8
MS	29.4	71.3	41.9
MO	35.1	79.2	44.1
MT	43.9	79.2	35.3
NE	47.4	83.9	36.5
NV	42.0	76.1	34.1
NH	41.7	82.8	41.1
NJ	36.7	77.3	40.6
NM	31.9	71.9	40.0
NY	33.1	75.5	42.4
NC	34.5	75.7	41.2
ND	54.0	84.2	30.2
OH	35.8	78.5	42.7
OK	37.0	75.4	38.4
OR	39.2	76.9	37.7
PA	35.5	77.7	42.2
RI	30.0	78.6	48.6
SC	33.4	75.5	42.1
SD	51.6	82.3	30.7
TN	31.2	76.1	44.9
TX	39.0	75.9	36.9
UT	47.0	78.9	31.9
VT	41.5	81.1	39.6
VA	39.0	78.7	39.7
WA	39.2	77.3	38.1
WV	27.4	70.8	43.4
WI	41.8	82.2	40.4
WY	47.2	79.5	32.3
PR	22.2	54.9	32.7

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B18120; factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.

[1] The percentage of people employed with and without disabilities.

[2] The difference in percentage points of people employed with and without disabilities.





Table 2.10 Change in Employment Gap—Civilians Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States, by Disability Status: 2015 to 2016

State	Gap (Between No Disability & Disability)		Gap Change (% pts) [1]
	2015 (%)	2016 (%)	
U.S.	41.2	40.8	-1.2
AL	44.0	45.5	6.0
AK	34.2	28.3	-4.2
AZ	38.9	39.7	1.1
AR	43.0	43.0	-3.0
CA	39.3	39.5	0.7
CO	38.5	37.0	1.5
CT	43.3	39.8	-3.3
DE	43.2	39.9	-3.2
DC	46.1	43.1	-6.1
FL	43.0	42.9	-3.0
GA	42.5	41.8	-2.5
HI	37.7	38.7	2.3
ID	38.3	33.7	-8.3
IL	41.7	42.0	-1.7
IN	42.3	43.0	-2.3
IA	36.1	36.6	3.9
KS	37.1	35.6	2.9
KY	47.4	45.0	-7.4
LA	40.0	41.6	0.0
ME	50.1	47.3	-0.1
MD	39.2	39.1	0.8
MA	44.4	41.5	-4.4
MI	44.6	43.1	-4.6
MN	36.3	35.8	3.7
MS	42.6	41.9	-2.6
MO	43.5	44.1	-3.5

State	Gap (Between No Disability & Disability)		Gap Change (% pts) [1]
	2015 (%)	2016 (%)	
MT	37.1	35.3	2.9
NE	34.8	36.4	5.2
NV	33.7	34.1	-3.7
NH	43.4	41.1	-3.4
NJ	38.6	40.7	1.4
NM	41.3	40.0	-1.3
NY	41.9	42.4	-1.9
NC	42.9	41.2	-2.9
ND	34.8	30.2	-4.8
OH	42.5	42.7	-2.5
OK	41.3	38.4	-1.3
OR	38.4	37.7	1.6
PA	41.5	42.1	-1.5
RI	42.3	48.6	7.7
SC	45.6	42.1	-5.6
SD	30.9	30.7	-0.9
TN	45.6	44.9	-5.6
TX	36.9	36.9	3.1
UT	32.5	31.9	-2.5
VT	40.0	39.7	0.0
VA	40.8	39.7	-0.8
WA	39.6	38.1	0.4
WV	44.3	43.4	-4.3
WI	41.1	40.4	-1.1
WY	21.9	32.3	8.1
PR	32.2	32.6	-2.2

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015 and 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates American FactFinder, Table B18120; factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] The difference of the difference in percentage points of people employed with and without disabilities between 2015 and 2016.

Section 3: Poverty

This section presents statistics on **poverty** in the United States. The statistics describe the number and percentage of people with and without disabilities who experience **poverty** as well as the difference between the **poverty rates (poverty gap)** of people with and without disabilities. The principal source of these data is the **American Community Survey**. For these tables, statistics for people with disabilities (**disability status**) are based on having responded ‘yes’ to a series of questions within the **American Community Survey** (see the glossary for details). Annual time trends were produced by the authors using data from the **Current Population Survey—Annual Social and Economic Supplement**. Similar to the **American Community Survey**, statistics for people with disabilities (**disability status**) are based on having responded ‘yes’ to a series of questions within the **Current Population Survey**. **Poverty** is defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget and set as a dollar threshold by the **U.S. Census Bureau** (see the glossary for details).

Tables

Tables 3.1 and 3.2: In 2016, of the 20,637,289 individuals with disabilities ages 18 to 64 years who were **living in the community**, 5,500,125 individuals lived in **poverty**—a **poverty rate** of 26.7 percent. In contrast, of the 173,476,170 individuals without disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 20,207,984 individuals lived in **poverty**—a **poverty rate** of 11.6 percent. The **poverty rate** for people with disabilities was highest in the District of Columbia (40.1 percent) and lowest in Delaware (17.8 percent).

Table 3.3: In 2016, the **poverty rate** of individuals with disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** was 26.7 percent, while the **poverty rate** of individuals without disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** was 11.6 percent—a difference of 15.1 **percentage points**. The **poverty gap** was smallest in Delaware (a difference of 7.5 **percentage points**) and greatest in the District of Columbia (a difference of 24.9 **percentage points**).

Table 3.4: In 2014, the **poverty gap** between individuals with and without disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** was 14.8 percent. In 2016, the **poverty gap** between individuals with and without disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** was 15.1 percent—a change of 2.3 **percentage points**. The largest **percentage point** increase in the **poverty gap** from 2014 to 2015 was in Vermont, a change of 8.8 **percentage points**, while the largest decrease in the **poverty gap** was in Iowa, a change of -9.0 **percentage points**.

Table 3.5: In 2016, the **poverty rate** among **non-institutionalized civilians** ages 16 to 64 was 29.9 percent for people with a **work limitation** and 10.9 percent for people without a **work limitation**. The **poverty rate** was 28.4 percent for people with a broad disability as compared to 11.3 percent for people without a broad disability. The **poverty rate** was 27.1 percent for people with a **work limitation** and/ or broad disability as compared to 10.6 percent for people without a **work limitation** and/or broad disability.



Table 3.1 Poverty—Civilians with Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total	Count	%	State	Total	Count	%
U.S.	20,637,289	5,500,125	26.7	MT	75,836	20,364	26.9
AL	419,415	114,486	27.3	NE	111,659	28,353	25.4
AK	50,057	8,971	17.9	NV	198,742	45,953	23.1
AZ	429,679	112,780	26.2	NH	87,056	19,493	22.4
AR	268,173	77,089	28.7	NJ	434,187	96,689	22.3
CA	2,014,753	502,365	24.9	NM	153,492	42,478	27.7
CO	306,554	75,780	24.7	NY	1,100,819	323,193	29.4
CT	188,965	46,462	24.6	NC	719,097	192,385	26.8
DE	56,228	9,981	17.8	ND	42,486	9,607	22.6
DC	43,594	17,464	40.1	OH	844,412	255,983	30.3
FL	1,252,777	330,755	26.4	OK	333,557	91,290	27.4
GA	695,359	180,883	26.0	OR	301,372	79,996	26.5
HI	65,806	15,120	23.0	PA	902,127	258,354	28.6
ID	115,196	31,577	27.4	RI	75,542	24,355	32.2
IL	676,629	181,238	26.8	SC	386,302	98,302	25.4
IN	481,120	128,199	26.6	SD	50,649	13,841	27.3
IA	173,245	42,325	24.4	TN	556,324	159,047	28.6
KS	186,710	43,140	23.1	TX	1,647,003	399,501	24.3
KY	436,351	148,246	34.0	UT	157,839	30,805	19.5
LA	382,231	121,580	31.8	VT	48,619	13,044	26.8
ME	107,958	32,955	30.5	VA	491,605	112,337	22.9
MD	333,143	71,737	21.5	WA	492,427	125,658	25.5
MA	384,740	102,993	26.8	WV	193,153	61,715	32.0
MI	760,520	214,911	28.3	WI	340,536	87,401	25.7
MN	299,910	73,502	24.5	WY	38,876	9,091	23.4
MS	258,056	79,532	30.8	PR	354,491	176,529	49.8
MO	466,403	136,819	29.3				

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimate, American FactFinder, Table 18130; factfinder.census.gov

Table 3.2 Poverty—Civilians without Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total	Poverty Count	%	State	Total	Poverty Count	%
U.S.	173,476,170	20,207,984	11.6	MT	536,261	65,461	12.2
AL	2,463,027	352,821	14.3	NE	996,970	95,799	9.6
AK	405,212	33,251	8.2	NV	1,589,787	188,455	11.9
AZ	3,567,325	511,326	14.3	NH	729,639	44,652	6.1
AR	1,461,387	207,176	14.2	NJ	5,034,261	422,452	8.4
CA	22,215,027	2,695,372	12.1	NM	1,059,552	177,941	16.8
CO	3,121,241	300,340	9.6	NY	11,078,505	1,326,930	12.0
CT	1,976,973	160,835	8.1	NC	5,325,728	696,352	13.1
DE	504,619	52,027	10.3	ND	410,215	39,141	9.5
DC	406,834	61,906	15.2	OH	6,061,064	717,403	11.8
FL	10,792,060	1,365,033	12.6	OK	1,952,956	263,487	13.5
GA	5,507,507	721,582	13.1	OR	2,182,465	260,893	12.0
HI	758,197	62,222	8.2	PA	6,695,264	679,782	10.2
ID	851,539	104,245	12.2	RI	565,369	55,168	9.8
IL	7,124,856	762,417	10.7	SC	2,519,374	318,253	12.6
IN	3,446,897	402,958	11.7	SD	443,966	47,324	10.7
IA	1,653,716	175,208	10.6	TN	3,420,650	438,631	12.8
KS	1,504,063	166,176	11.0	TX	15,058,412	1,900,119	12.6
KY	2,199,741	323,584	14.7	UT	1,615,342	153,905	9.5
LA	2,400,558	397,539	16.6	VT	324,044	31,467	9.7
ME	688,527	63,419	9.2	VA	4,555,263	427,381	9.4
MD	3,343,065	256,890	7.7	WA	3,967,630	378,295	9.5
MA	3,791,092	310,848	8.2	WV	881,914	137,078	15.5
MI	5,217,053	663,683	12.7	WI	3,123,751	307,218	9.8
MN	3,026,924	241,139	8.0	WY	307,130	32,964	10.7
MS	1,478,979	258,080	17.4	PR	1,691,582	658,548	38.9
MO	3,134,219	351,356	11.2				

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimate, American FactFinder, Table 18130; factfinder.census.gov





Table 3.3 Poverty Gap—Civilians with and without Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States, by Disability Status: 2016

State	Poverty Rate (%)		Gap (% pts) [2]
	Disability [1]	No Disability [1]	
U.S.	26.7	11.6	15.1
AL	27.3	14.3	13.0
AK	17.9	8.2	9.7
AZ	26.2	14.3	11.9
AR	28.7	14.2	14.5
CA	24.9	12.1	12.8
CO	24.7	9.6	15.1
CT	24.6	8.1	16.5
DE	17.8	10.3	7.5
DC	40.1	15.2	24.9
FL	26.4	12.6	13.8
GA	26.0	13.1	12.9
HI	23.0	8.2	14.8
ID	27.4	12.2	15.2
IL	26.8	10.7	16.1
IN	26.6	11.7	14.9
IA	24.4	10.6	13.8
KS	23.1	11.0	12.1
KY	34.0	14.7	19.3
LA	31.8	16.6	15.2
ME	30.5	9.2	21.3
MD	21.5	7.7	13.8
MA	26.8	8.2	18.6
MI	28.3	12.7	15.6
MN	24.5	8.0	16.5
MS	30.8	17.4	13.4
MO	29.3	11.2	18.1

State	Poverty Rate (%)		Gap (% pts) [2]
	Disability [1]	No Disability [1]	
MT	26.9	12.2	14.7
NE	25.4	9.6	15.8
NV	23.1	11.9	11.2
NH	22.4	6.1	16.3
NJ	22.3	8.4	13.9
NM	27.7	16.8	10.9
NY	29.4	12.0	17.4
NC	26.8	13.1	13.7
ND	22.6	9.5	13.1
OH	30.3	11.8	18.5
OK	27.4	13.5	13.9
OR	26.5	12.0	14.5
PA	28.6	10.2	18.4
RI	32.2	9.8	22.4
SC	25.4	12.6	12.8
SD	27.3	10.7	16.6
TN	28.6	12.8	15.8
TX	24.3	12.6	11.7
UT	19.5	9.5	10.0
VT	26.8	9.7	17.1
VA	22.9	9.4	13.5
WA	25.5	9.5	16.0
WV	32.0	15.5	16.5
WI	25.7	9.8	15.9
WY	23.4	10.7	12.7
PR	49.8	38.9	10.9

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimate, American FactFinder, Table 18130; factfinder.census.gov

[1] Poverty as a percent of the total.

[2] The difference in the percentage points of poverty rates between disability and no disability.

Table 3.4 Change in Poverty Gap—Civilians with and without Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2015 and 2016

State	Gap (%)		Gap Change (% pts) [1]
	2015	2016	
U.S.	14.8	15.1	2.3
AL	13.1	13.0	5.7
AK	8.6	9.7	-1.4
AZ	12.6	11.9	5.5
AR	14.4	14.5	6.0
CA	12.8	12.8	-6.7
CO	13.1	15.1	0.2
CT	15.0	16.5	-1.3
DE	12.7	7.5	0.5
DC	27.0	24.9	-7.0
FL	12.1	13.8	3.8
GA	12.8	12.9	4.3
HI	12.5	14.8	-0.5
ID	13.0	15.2	4.0
IL	14.2	16.1	1.5
IN	14.8	14.9	2.0
IA	15.0	13.8	-9.0
KS	15.0	12.1	-8.9
KY	17.6	19.3	4.8
LA	14.2	15.2	-4.2
ME	20.8	21.3	0.5
MD	12.6	13.8	-2.0
MA	18.5	18.6	-0.8
MI	16.6	15.6	3.3
MIN	16.7	16.5	-1.7
MS	15.8	13.4	-1.7
MO	15.8	18.1	2.4

State	Gap (%)		Gap Change (% pts) [1]
	2015	2016	
MT	17.1	14.7	2.9
NE	14.6	15.8	0.7
NV	12.0	11.2	2.5
NH	17.5	16.3	-3.9
NJ	12.3	13.9	-1.2
NM	15.5	10.9	-2.2
NY	17.5	17.4	2.6
NC	14.5	13.7	3.9
ND	13.9	13.1	-0.1
OH	18.2	18.5	2.1
OK	14.3	13.9	3.5
OR	17.3	14.5	3.6
PA	17.3	18.4	0.5
RI	17.0	22.4	1.1
SC	14.7	12.8	4.1
SD	18.7	16.6	1.5
TN	17.2	15.8	3.4
TX	11.0	11.7	2.8
UT	7.5	10.0	0.5
VT	12.2	17.1	8.8
VA	13.2	13.5	-0.3
WA	16.0	16.0	0.4
WV	15.5	16.5	-4.3
WI	16.1	15.9	0.1
WY	5.1	12.7	0.5
PR	12.9	10.9	1.0

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimate, American FactFinder, Table 18130: factfinder.census.gov
 [1] The difference of the difference in percentage points of poverty rates between disability and no disability between 2015 and 2016.





Table 3.5 Poverty—Poverty Rate among Civilians Ages 16 to 64 Years by Disability Status and Year, in March: 2000 to 2017

Year	People with a Work Limitation (%) [1]		People with a Broad Disability (%) [1]		Either (%) [2]	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
2000	26.7	9	-	-	-	-
2001	27	8.3	-	-	-	-
2002	26.9	8.9	-	-	-	-
2003	28.4	9.4	-	-	-	-
2004	28.1	9.6	-	-	-	-
2005	27.8	10.1	-	-	-	-
2006	28.1	9.9	-	-	-	-
2007	28.5	9.6	-	-	-	-
2008	28.9	9.7	-	-	-	-
2009	28.5	10.5	25.5	10.8	25.7	10.2
2010	28.9	11.8	25	12.2	25.7	11.6
2011	31.2	12.4	27.7	12.8	28.3	12.1
2012	31	12.4	28.8	12.7	28.6	12
2013	31.2	12.4	28.5	12.7	28.8	12
2014	32.3	12	28.7	12.4	29.1	11.7
2015	30.5	12	28.5	12.4	27.6	11.7
2016	29.9	10.9	28.4	11.3	27.1	10.6
2017	28.6	10.1	26.7	10.5	25.8	9.8

Source: Authors' calculations using the Current Population Survey-Annual Social and Economic Supplement.

[1] The percentage of people in poverty with or without work limitations or broad disabilities.

[2] Work Limitation and/or Broad Disability definitions.

Section 4: Earnings

This section presents statistics on **earnings** in the United States. The statistics describe the **earnings** of individuals with and without disabilities in the past 12 months, as well as the difference in percentage **earned (earnings gap)** between these two **populations**. The principal source of these data is the **U.S. Census Bureau**, specifically the **American Community Survey**. Statistics for people with disabilities (**disability status**) are based on having responded ‘yes’ to a series of questions within the **American Community Survey** (see the glossary for more details). In addition, in the **American Community Survey** people are asked about their total **income** for the past 12 months. This information is used to calculate **earnings**. When presenting **earnings** data, the **median earnings** (or middlemost) value is used rather than the average **earnings** because people’s **incomes** are heavily skewed—the higher the salary, the fewer people who earn that respective salary—the average does not represent the **population** as well as the median.

Tables

Table 4.1: In 2016, for the individuals with disabilities ages 16 years and over **living in the community** that had **earnings** from work, **median earnings** were \$22,047. In contrast, among individuals without disabilities ages 16 years and over **living in the community** that had earnings from work, **median earnings** were \$32,479—an **earnings gap** of \$10,432. This **earnings gap** is smallest (meaning the **earnings** of people with disabilities are closest to the **earnings** of people without disabilities) in Idaho (\$5,242) and largest (meaning the **earnings** of people with disabilities are furthest from the **earnings** of people without disabilities) in the District of Columbia (\$23,144).



Table 4.1 Earnings—Median Earnings of Civilians Ages 16 Years and Over in the Past 12 Months for the United States and States, by Disability Status (in 2016 inflation-adjusted dollars): 2016

State	Total (\$)	Disability (\$)	No Disability (\$)	Gap (\$) [1]
U.S.	32,048	22,047	32,479	10,432
AL	29,257	20,942	30,206	9,264
AK	36,408	30,559	36,840	6,281
AZ	30,778	21,917	31,111	9,194
AR	27,821	21,105	28,912	7,807
CA	32,754	23,728	33,966	10,238
CO	35,348	24,008	35,861	11,853
CT	40,485	25,707	41,054	15,347
DE	35,423	25,711	35,853	10,142
DC	50,484	28,158	51,302	23,144
FL	29,572	21,179	30,146	8,967
GA	31,109	23,874	31,404	7,530
HI	35,482	26,834	35,892	9,058
ID	27,063	22,189	27,431	5,242
IL	34,995	22,089	35,506	13,417
IN	31,001	20,964	31,530	10,566
IA	31,770	20,505	32,265	11,760
KS	31,182	20,937	31,698	10,761
KY	30,173	20,100	30,797	10,697
LA	30,321	21,486	30,736	9,250
ME	30,615	19,175	31,324	12,149
MD	41,291	30,213	41,726	11,513
MA	40,596	23,858	41,187	17,329
MI	30,547	19,161	31,097	11,936
MN	36,315	19,767	37,142	17,375
MS	27,475	20,986	28,368	7,382
MO	30,901	20,589	31,478	10,889

State	Total (\$)	Disability (\$)	No Disability (\$)	Gap (\$) [1]
MT	27,232	18,779	28,429	9,650
NE	31,478	21,936	31,898	9,962
NV	31,187	25,854	31,435	5,581
NH	36,174	21,993	36,802	14,809
NJ	40,968	27,352	41,395	14,043
NM	26,968	20,039	27,531	7,492
NY	36,311	22,894	36,847	13,953
NC	30,558	21,298	30,944	9,646
ND	35,207	25,220	35,831	10,611
OH	31,363	20,164	31,931	11,767
OK	30,340	22,303	30,843	8,540
OR	30,959	21,074	31,493	10,419
PA	32,704	21,012	34,682	13,670
RI	35,313	23,037	35,888	12,851
SC	29,875	21,633	30,305	8,672
SD	31,172	20,180	31,690	11,510
TN	30,190	22,164	30,586	8,422
TX	31,357	23,093	31,733	8,640
UT	30,232	20,893	30,619	9,726
VT	32,069	20,653	33,027	12,374
VA	36,342	25,734	36,798	11,064
WA	36,503	25,183	37,192	12,009
WV	27,796	17,480	29,966	12,486
WI	32,112	19,435	32,843	13,408
WY	31,713	22,735	32,452	9,717
PR	16,898	15,386	17,038	1,652

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimate, American FactFinder, Table 18140; factfinder.census.gov

[1] The difference in median earnings between no disability and disability.

Section 5: Veterans

This section presents statistics on **Veterans** in the United States. Specifically, the data address **service connected to disability rating**; the prevalence of disabilities in the **Veteran population**; the portion of the **Veteran population** that experiences **poverty** (as well as the difference between the **poverty rates (poverty gap)** of **Veterans** with and without disabilities), by **disability status**; and **Veterans' benefits**, by **disability status**. The principal sources of these data are the **U.S. Census Bureau**, specifically the **American Community Survey** and the **Veterans Benefits Administration's Annual Benefits Report**. For these tables, statistics for people with disabilities (**disability status**) are based on having responded 'yes' to a series of questions within the **American Community Survey** (see the glossary for more details). **Poverty** is defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget and set as a dollar threshold by the **U.S. Census Bureau** in all sources (see the glossary for details).

Tables

Table 5.1: In 2016, according to the **American Community Survey**, 1,276,730 individuals ages 18 and over **living in the community** reported having a military **service-connected disability rating** of 70 percent or more.

Table 5.2: In 2016, there were 9,129,782 **civilian veterans** ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 1,698,848 of which were individuals with disabilities—a **prevalence rate** of 18.6 percent. West Virginia had the highest **prevalence rate**, 29.2 percent, while Maryland had the lowest **prevalence rate**, 12.5 percent.

Tables 5.3 and 5.4: In 2016, of the 1,698,848 **civilian veterans** with disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 299,237 individuals lived in **poverty**—a **poverty rate** of 17.6 percent. In contrast, of the 7,430,934 **civilian veterans** without disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community**, 481,222 **civilian veterans** lived in **poverty**—a **poverty rate** of 6.5 percent. The poverty rate for **civilian veterans** with disabilities was highest in the District of Columbia (47.0 percent) and lowest in Alaska (5.8 percent).

Table 5.5: In 2016, the **poverty rate** of **civilian veterans** with disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** was 17.6 percent, while the **poverty rate** of individuals without disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** was 6.5 percent—a **poverty gap** of 11.1 **percentage points**. The **poverty gap** was smallest in Alaska (-0.4 **percentage points**), meaning the **poverty rate** of individuals without disabilities was higher than that of individuals with disabilities) and greatest in the District of Columbia (38.2 **percentage points**).

Table 5.6: In the **Federal Fiscal Year** 2016, the United States spent a total of \$84,028,287 on compensation and pension benefits paid to disabled **veterans**.

Table 5.1 Service-Connected Disability Rating—Civilian Veterans Ages 18 Years and Over Living in the Community, by Disability Status: 2016

State	Total Veterans	Has a Rating	Percent		Rating Not Reported
			0	10 to 60	
U.S.	18,496,937	4,022,450	188,318	2,331,550	1,276,730
AL	331,076	87,087	3,805	50,080	27,303
AK	65,814	18,202	552	11,086	5,246
AZ	485,094	97,451	5,293	60,821	26,161
AR	197,781	44,810	1,708	22,284	18,392
CA	1,624,519	347,702	21,067	198,719	104,153
CO	376,108	90,574	4,126	52,873	28,567
CT	170,879	24,573	1,829	14,486	6,614
DE	63,316	9,492	570	5,641	2,751
DC	26,346	4,128	605	2,457	673
FL	1,429,330	315,670	16,444	191,849	93,080
GA	643,660	166,058	4,868	92,110	60,066
HI	104,719	25,489	1,134	15,488	7,132
ID	110,599	23,739	1,329	15,154	6,150
IL	583,994	90,419	6,110	50,540	27,302
IN	381,073	79,576	3,390	52,303	19,808
IA	183,822	33,085	2,013	21,016	7,915
KS	175,372	36,198	2,407	21,716	9,717
KY	272,899	62,677	2,446	35,502	21,291
LA	241,202	49,652	2,622	26,335	17,795
ME	102,948	22,913	505	12,086	9,528
MD	370,459	73,505	3,429	45,328	21,439
MA	311,150	56,901	2,887	32,710	18,374
MI	559,155	96,157	4,871	54,450	31,890
MN	310,786	83,415	4,158	59,023	15,938
MS	176,719	39,807	2,410	23,331	11,733
MO	420,122	84,963	2,226	49,471	28,241
MT	85,461	20,429	652	13,264	5,345
NE	120,533	35,696	1,428	24,165	7,883
NV	208,263	49,535	2,530	27,909	16,181
NH	97,864	15,727	860	9,961	4,284
NJ	330,766	48,633	3,370	26,279	15,099
NM	142,187	35,126	1,791	18,019	13,089
NY	723,582	118,055	6,335	67,766	35,354
NC	666,425	168,941	7,118	89,595	63,856
ND	46,905	12,266	708	8,668	2,564
OH	729,520	120,805	6,369	73,238	34,120
OK	275,808	87,374	2,375	42,931	38,320
OR	295,845	67,853	2,550	37,852	23,960
PA	791,295	123,805	6,848	71,353	36,732
RI	55,465	8,864	609	5,640	2,341
SC	367,504	93,265	3,256	51,941	31,540
SD	61,405	14,605	519	10,167	3,089
TN	427,976	100,699	4,973	54,774	35,198
TX	1,460,627	394,396	13,108	214,690	145,795
UT	122,654	26,224	2,234	16,977	6,336
VT	37,412	6,648	811	3,163	2,115
VA	671,080	177,265	7,189	106,214	57,247
WA	537,385	121,987	4,911	72,744	37,547
WV	137,939	35,352	1,104	19,486	12,385
WI	336,559	64,137	3,507	41,019	16,516
WY	47,535	10,520	359	6,876	2,575
PR	79,492	21,899	839	9,512	9,368

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B21100; factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.

Table 5.2 Civilian Veterans Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States, by Disability Status: 2016

State	Total	Disability		No Disability		Total	Disability		No Disability	
		Count	% [1]	Count	% [1]		Count	% [1]	Count	% [1]
U.S.	9,129,782	1,698,848	18.6	7,430,934	81.4	41,658	9.880	31,778	23.7	76.3
AL	172,957	37,722	21.8	135,235	78.2	58,736	12,407	46,329	21.1	78.9
AK	46,211	8,005	17.3	38,206	82.7	105,780	18,365	87,415	17.4	82.6
AZ	218,783	40,274	18.4	178,509	81.6	49,150	8,297	40,853	16.9	83.1
AR	96,682	25,649	26.5	71,033	73.5	125,705	21,738	103,967	17.3	82.7
CA	780,836	130,602	16.7	650,234	83.3	70,377	13,358	57,019	19.0	81.0
CO	210,127	35,617	17.0	174,510	83.0	310,866	55,260	255,606	17.8	82.2
CT	70,269	10,341	14.7	59,928	85.3	362,517	72,743	289,774	20.1	79.9
DE	27,731	3,990	14.4	23,741	85.6	24,965	3,806	21,159	15.2	84.8
DC	14,525	2,765	19.0	11,760	81.0	348,603	63,729	284,874	18.3	81.7
FL	642,438	116,132	18.1	526,306	81.9	143,378	35,420	107,958	24.7	75.3
GA	380,293	76,732	20.2	303,561	79.8	138,544	29,959	108,585	21.6	78.4
HI	58,665	8,980	15.3	49,685	84.7	338,652	59,054	279,598	17.4	82.6
ID	51,731	9,461	18.3	42,270	81.7	22,200	5,086	17,114	22.9	77.1
IL	260,764	45,260	17.4	215,504	82.6	195,353	41,225	154,128	21.1	78.9
IN	182,923	37,734	20.6	145,189	79.4	32,113	5,642	26,471	17.6	82.4
IA	81,078	13,175	16.2	67,903	83.8	225,377	51,806	173,571	23.0	77.0
KS	86,216	16,470	19.1	69,746	80.9	817,203	155,947	661,256	19.1	80.9
KY	135,721	31,671	23.3	104,050	76.7	59,803	10,195	49,608	17.0	83.0
LA	124,062	24,185	19.5	99,877	80.5	16,233	3,223	13,010	19.9	80.1
ME	44,859	8,473	18.9	36,386	81.1	409,505	56,365	353,140	13.8	86.2
MD	203,371	25,373	12.5	177,998	87.5	289,331	53,827	235,504	18.6	81.4
MA	129,781	20,834	16.1	108,947	83.9	62,812	18,363	44,449	29.2	70.8
MI	246,513	49,931	20.3	196,582	79.7	150,522	25,862	124,660	17.2	82.8
MIN	138,757	22,923	16.5	115,834	83.5	26,372	4,732	21,640	17.9	82.1
MS	97,146	18,015	18.5	79,131	81.5	29,784	8,563	21,221	28.8	71.2
MO	201,688	42,245	21.0	159,343	79.0					

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B21007: factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] Count of disability or no disability as a percent of total.

Table 5.3 Poverty—Civilian Veterans with Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total	Poverty	State	Total	Poverty
	Count	% [1]		Count	% [1]
U.S.	1,698,848	17.6	MT	9,880	13.6
AL	37,722	18.9	NE	12,407	15.4
AK	8,005	5.8	NV	18,365	16.7
AZ	40,274	18.0	NH	8,297	13.8
AR	25,649	18.4	NJ	21,738	19.8
CA	130,602	17.1	NM	13,358	18.9
CO	35,617	17.4	NY	55,260	21.2
CT	10,341	10.0	NC	72,743	16.0
DE	3,990	8.5	ND	3,806	20.4
DC	2,765	47.0	OH	63,729	22.6
FL	116,132	18.9	OK	35,420	19.2
GA	76,732	16.7	OR	29,959	19.8
HI	8,980	16.1	PA	59,054	21.5
ID	9,461	17.2	RI	5,086	19.0
IL	45,260	21.1	SC	41,225	13.3
IN	37,734	17.6	SD	5,642	14.2
IA	13,175	14.1	TN	51,806	18.6
KS	16,470	13.7	TX	155,947	13.6
KY	31,671	19.1	UT	10,195	22.6
LA	24,185	22.4	VT	3,223	14.3
ME	8,473	20.1	VA	56,365	14.4
MD	25,373	15.4	WA	53,827	17.6
MA	20,834	18.6	WV	18,363	17.5
MI	49,931	20.0	WI	25,862	14.1
MIN	22,923	12.1	WY	4,732	25.2
MS	18,015	20.3	PR	8,563	26.0
MO	42,245	19.4			

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B21007: factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] Count of Veterans with disabilities in poverty as a percent of total.

Table 5.4 Poverty—Civilian Veterans without Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States: 2016

State	Total	Poverty	% [1]	State	Total	Poverty	% [1]
U.S.	7,430,934	481,222	6.5	MT	31,778	2,213	7.0
AL	135,235	11,334	8.4	NE	46,329	2,723	5.9
AK	38,206	2,352	6.2	NV	87,415	6,086	7.0
AZ	178,509	14,728	8.3	NH	40,853	1,514	3.7
AR	71,033	6,832	9.6	NJ	103,967	4,193	4.0
CA	650,234	50,198	7.7	NM	57,019	4,194	7.4
CO	174,510	8,909	5.1	NY	255,606	17,926	7.0
CT	59,928	2,712	4.5	NC	289,774	19,069	6.6
DE	23,741	1,680	7.1	ND	21,159	1,222	5.8
DC	11,760	1,031	8.8	OH	284,874	20,545	7.2
FL	526,306	38,220	7.3	OK	107,958	8,188	7.6
GA	303,561	19,870	6.5	OR	108,585	8,306	7.6
HI	49,685	2,321	4.7	PA	279,598	13,842	5.0
ID	42,270	2,567	6.1	RI	17,114	1,212	7.1
IL	215,504	14,054	6.5	SC	154,128	10,118	6.6
IN	145,189	8,575	5.9	SD	26,471	1,275	4.8
IA	67,903	5,117	7.5	TN	173,571	11,276	6.5
KS	69,746	4,424	6.3	TX	661,256	42,982	6.5
KY	104,050	7,460	7.2	UT	49,608	2,004	4.0
LA	99,877	8,709	8.7	VT	13,010	616	4.7
ME	36,386	1,794	4.9	VA	353,140	15,649	4.4
MD	177,998	7,375	4.1	WA	235,504	11,825	5.0
MA	108,947	5,545	5.1	WV	44,449	3,623	8.2
MI	196,582	12,767	6.5	WI	124,660	7,411	5.9
MN	115,834	5,925	5.1	WY	21,640	1,242	5.7
MS	79,131	6,975	8.8	PR	21,221	3,492	16.5
MO	159,343	10,494	6.6				

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B21007: factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] Count of Veterans without disabilities in poverty as a percent of total.

Table 5.5 Poverty Gap—Civilian Veterans Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States by Disability Status: 2016

State	Poverty Rate (%)		Gap (% pts) [2]	Disability [1]	Poverty Rate (%)		Gap (% pts) [2]
	Disability [1]	No Disability [1]			Disability [1]	No Disability [1]	
U.S.	17.6	6.5	11.1	17.6	6.5	11.1	11.1
AL	18.9	8.4	10.5	18.9	8.4	10.5	10.5
AK	5.8	6.2	-0.4	5.8	6.2	-0.4	-0.4
AZ	18.0	8.3	9.7	18.0	8.3	9.7	9.7
AR	18.4	9.6	8.8	18.4	9.6	8.8	8.8
CA	17.1	7.7	9.4	17.1	7.7	9.4	9.4
CO	17.4	5.1	12.3	17.4	5.1	12.3	12.3
CT	10.0	4.5	5.5	10.0	4.5	5.5	5.5
DE	8.5	7.1	1.4	8.5	7.1	1.4	1.4
DC	47.0	8.8	38.2	47.0	8.8	38.2	38.2
FL	18.9	7.3	11.6	18.9	7.3	11.6	11.6
GA	16.7	6.5	10.2	16.7	6.5	10.2	10.2
HI	16.1	4.7	11.4	16.1	4.7	11.4	11.4
ID	17.2	6.1	11.1	17.2	6.1	11.1	11.1
IL	21.1	6.5	14.6	21.1	6.5	14.6	14.6
IN	17.6	5.9	11.7	17.6	5.9	11.7	11.7
IA	14.1	7.5	6.6	14.1	7.5	6.6	6.6
KS	13.7	6.3	7.4	13.7	6.3	7.4	7.4
KY	19.1	7.2	11.9	19.1	7.2	11.9	11.9
LA	22.4	8.7	13.7	22.4	8.7	13.7	13.7
ME	20.1	4.9	15.2	20.1	4.9	15.2	15.2
MD	15.4	4.1	11.3	15.4	4.1	11.3	11.3
MA	18.6	5.1	13.5	18.6	5.1	13.5	13.5
MI	20.0	6.5	13.5	20.0	6.5	13.5	13.5
MN	12.1	5.1	7.0	12.1	5.1	7.0	7.0
MS	20.3	8.8	11.5	20.3	8.8	11.5	11.5
MO	19.4	6.6	12.8	19.4	6.6	12.8	12.8
MT	13.6	7.0	6.6	13.6	7.0	6.6	6.6
NE	15.4	5.9	9.5	15.4	5.9	9.5	9.5
NV	16.7	7.0	9.7	16.7	7.0	9.7	9.7
NH	13.8	3.7	10.1	13.8	3.7	10.1	10.1
NJ	19.8	4.0	15.8	19.8	4.0	15.8	15.8
NM	18.9	7.4	11.5	18.9	7.4	11.5	11.5
NY	21.2	7.0	14.2	21.2	7.0	14.2	14.2
NC	16.0	6.6	9.4	16.0	6.6	9.4	9.4
ND	20.4	5.8	14.6	20.4	5.8	14.6	14.6
OH	22.6	7.2	15.4	22.6	7.2	15.4	15.4
OK	19.2	7.6	11.6	19.2	7.6	11.6	11.6
OR	19.8	7.6	12.2	19.8	7.6	12.2	12.2
PA	21.5	5.0	16.5	21.5	5.0	16.5	16.5
RI	19.0	7.1	11.9	19.0	7.1	11.9	11.9
SC	13.3	6.6	6.7	13.3	6.6	6.7	6.7
SD	14.2	4.8	9.4	14.2	4.8	9.4	9.4
TN	18.6	6.5	12.1	18.6	6.5	12.1	12.1
TX	13.6	6.5	7.1	13.6	6.5	7.1	7.1
UT	22.6	4.0	18.6	22.6	4.0	18.6	18.6
VT	14.3	4.7	9.6	14.3	4.7	9.6	9.6
VA	14.4	4.4	10.0	14.4	4.4	10.0	10.0
WA	17.6	5.0	12.6	17.6	5.0	12.6	12.6
WV	17.5	8.2	9.3	17.5	8.2	9.3	9.3
WI	14.1	5.9	8.2	14.1	5.9	8.2	8.2
WY	25.2	5.7	19.5	25.2	5.7	19.5	19.5
PR	26.0	16.5	9.5	26.0	16.5	9.5	9.5

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, American FactFinder, Table B21007; factfinder.census.gov. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.

[1] Count of civilian Veterans as a percent of total.

[2] The difference in percentage points between disability and no disability poverty rates.

Table 5.6 Veterans Benefits Administration—Compensation and Pension Benefits Paid to Disabled Veterans and their Survivors: Federal Fiscal Year 2016

State	Total (\$) [1]	State	Total (\$) [1]
U.S.	84,028,287	MO	1,773,038
AL	2,062,094	MT	353,054
AK	280,603	NE	594,498
AZ	1,833,525	NV	944,687
AR	1,129,084	NH	344,688
CA	7,252,271	NJ	1,126,820
CO	1,683,271	NM	853,572
CT	469,393	NY	2,567,691
DE	231,634	NC	3,875,723
DC	96,502	ND	182,453
FL	6,288,593	OH	2,412,518
GA	3,528,819	OK	2,011,045
HI	438,960	OR	1,392,002
ID	457,871	PA	2,612,747
IL	1,847,960	RI	242,773
IN	1,347,665	SC	2,122,970
IA	628,838	SD	258,293
KS	698,221	TN	2,292,295
KY	1,339,620	TX	8,433,064
LA	1,325,975	UT	499,178
ME	569,940	VT	145,689
MD	1,412,897	VA	3,154,782
MA	1,236,294	WA	2,351,434
MI	2,148,061	WV	763,343
MN	1,225,675	WI	1,217,552
MS	882,755	WY	173,669

Source: Veterans Benefits Administration, 2016 Annual Benefits Report: Appendices E1-E52 www.va.gov/veidata/expenditures.asp

[1] In thousands (75,265,435 represents 75,265,435,000), except as indicated.



Section 6: Health Insurance Coverage

This section presents statistics on **health insurance coverage** in the United States, especially the **health insurance coverage** of people with disabilities. It presents statistics concerning **Medicaid** and **Medicare**, the government-run health care programs in the United States. Specifically, the data address the percentage of people with and without disabilities who have some sort of **health insurance coverage** as well as the difference in percent **health insurance coverage** between people with and without disabilities (**health insurance coverage gap**). The data also address the number of people with disabilities served under **Medicaid** and **Medicare** and the amount spent under each program on people with disabilities. This section also presents the type of **health insurance coverage** possessed by people with disabilities. The principal source of these data is the **U.S. Census Bureau**, specifically the **American Community Survey**. Statistics for people with disabilities (**disability status**) are based on having responded ‘yes’ to a series of questions within the **American Community Survey** (see the glossary for more details). People receiving disability benefits from Social Security usually automatically qualify for **Medicaid** and **Medicare**, however some states have more restrictive eligibility criteria. The principal source of the **Medicaid** and **Medicare** data is the **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services’ 2013 Medicare and Medicaid Statistical Supplement**, produced by the **Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services**.

Tables

Table 6.1: In 2016, 90.2 percent of individuals with disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** had **health insurance coverage**. In contrast, 87.7 percent of individuals without disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** had **health insurance coverage**—a **health insurance coverage gap** between those with and without disabilities of 2.3 **percentage points**. In other words, as a whole, 2.3 percent more individuals with disabilities had health insurance than individuals without disabilities. The **health insurance gap** ranges from 8.9 **percentage points** in Florida to -8.3 **percentage points** in Nebraska.

Table 6.2: In 2016, 45.9 percent of individuals with disabilities ages 18 to 64 years **living in the community** had private **health insurance** and 55.9 percent had public **health insurance** (some had both), while 9.8 percent of individuals with disabilities ages 18 to 64 years living in the community did not have **health insurance**. The state with the smallest percentage of people with disabilities without **health insurance coverage** was Massachusetts (3.0). The state with the largest percentage of people with disabilities without **health insurance coverage** was Oklahoma (19.6).



Table 6.1 Health Insurance Coverage—Civilians with Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States by Disability Status: 2016

State	Coverage (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]	State	Coverage (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]
	Disability	No Disability			Disability	No Disability	
U.S.	90.2	87.7	2.3	MT	89.8	88.1	1.9
AL	87.4	85.9	4.1	NE	84.9	88.3	-8.3
AK	81.6	82.3	-2.3	NV	87.8	84.1	5.9
AZ	91.0	85.7	4.3	NH	92.2	91.5	-1.5
AR	91.5	87.8	2.2	NJ	92.5	88.5	1.5
CA	93.0	89.4	0.6	NM	93.7	86.0	4.0
CO	92.2	89.5	0.5	NY	94.9	91.1	-1.1
CT	94.4	93.2	-3.2	NC	85.9	84.7	5.3
DE	93.7	91.9	-1.9	ND	93.7	91.6	-1.6
DC	96.6	95.2	4.8	OH	93.2	92.2	-2.2
FL	86.0	81.1	8.9	OK	80.4	80.3	-0.3
GA	83.6	81.7	-1.7	OR	92.6	91.1	-1.1
HI	94.6	95.1	-5.1	PA	94.2	92.3	-2.3
ID	85.6	85.0	5.0	RI	96.4	93.6	6.4
IL	93.6	90.5	-0.5	SC	86.6	84.9	5.1
IN	91.4	88.9	1.1	SD	83.6	87.6	-7.6
IA	95.3	93.9	6.1	TN	87.4	86.6	3.4
KS	86.2	87.6	2.4	TX	81.7	76.9	3.1
KY	95.4	92.5	7.5	UT	85.3	88.6	1.4
LA	88.6	83.9	6.1	VT	96.4	94.4	5.6
ME	90.6	88.1	1.9	VA	88.4	88.0	2.0
MD	93.9	91.4	-1.4	WA	93.4	91.3	-1.3
MA	97.0	96.4	3.6	WV	95.4	91.2	8.8
MI	94.7	92.1	-2.1	WI	94.3	92.7	-2.7
MN	95.2	94.6	5.4	WY	80.9	85.2	-5.2
MS	85.7	81.7	8.3	PR	94.4	90.3	-0.3
MO	87.0	87.3	2.7				

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, American FactFinder, Table B18135; factfinder.census.gov
 [1] The difference in percentage points of health insurance coverage between disability and no disability.



Table 6.2 Health Insurance Coverage—Civilians with Disabilities Ages 18 to 64 Years Living in the Community for the United States and States by Type of Coverage: 2016

State	Coverage (%)		No Coverage (%) [1]	State	Coverage (%)		No Coverage (%) [1]
	Private	Public			Private	Public	
U.S.	45.9	55.9	9.8	MT	44.7	55.5	10.2
AL	48.4	55.1	12.6	NE	53.8	42.1	15.1
AK	49.1	45.8	18.4	NV	47.3	50.6	12.2
AZ	41.9	58.9	9.0	NH	52.1	53.5	7.8
AR	41.8	62.3	8.5	NJ	52.0	53.6	7.5
CA	42.8	59.8	7.0	NM	38.1	66.9	6.3
CO	49.1	53.9	7.8	NY	43.8	64.0	5.1
CT	47.4	56.7	5.6	NC	47.1	52.4	14.1
DE	44.0	59.6	6.3	ND	60.9	44.2	6.3
DC	35.9	70.5	3.4	OH	42.1	60.6	6.8
FL	43.9	53.5	14.0	OK	44.5	45.3	19.6
GA	47.7	48.6	16.4	OR	45.6	59.4	7.4
HI	54.2	53.7	5.4	PA	46.2	60.6	5.8
ID	51.3	45.4	14.4	RI	39.2	69.7	3.6
IL	47.1	56.2	6.4	SC	45.6	54.2	13.4
IN	47.0	55.2	8.6	SD	50.1	47.5	16.4
IA	51.9	56.5	4.7	TN	42.7	57.3	12.6
KS	54.0	45.5	13.8	TX	46.6	45.5	18.3
KY	41.5	66.9	4.6	UT	57.2	39.4	14.7
LA	41.4	57.9	11.4	VT	43.3	64.5	3.6
ME	41.6	59.1	9.4	VA	56.1	45.4	11.6
MD	52.8	54.3	6.1	WA	48.6	57.1	6.6
MA	45.6	63.3	3.0	WV	38.0	70.3	4.6
MI	44.9	63.7	5.3	WI	50.6	56.4	5.7
MIN	48.9	57.3	4.8	WY	53.6	39.1	19.1
MS	40.7	57.4	14.3	PR	29.1	71.4	5.6
MO	45.8	51.8	13.0				

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, American FactFinder, Table B18135; factfinder.census.gov Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] The percentage of people with disabilities without health insurance coverage.



Section 7: Health

This section presents statistics on health in the United States, especially the health of people with disabilities. Specifically, the data address the prevalence of disabilities, health behaviors such as **smoking, binge drinking, obesity**, and **health insurance coverage** by **disability status**. These statistics were generated by the authors using the **Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey**. See the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Disability and Health Data System for more detailed information on the health of the **population** with disabilities. Statistics for people with disabilities (**disability status**) are based on having responded 'yes' to a series of questions within the **Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey**. See the glossary for more details.

Tables

Table 7.1: In 2016, there were 239,368,830 individuals ages 18 and over **living in the community**, and 61,444,813 had a **disability** (25.7 percent). The state with the largest number of individuals with disabilities was California, with 6,479,729 individuals with disabilities, while the state with the smallest number of individuals with disabilities was Alaska, with 100,857 individuals with disabilities.

Table 7.2: In 2016, individuals (ages 18 years and over) with disabilities were more likely to **smoke** (24.6 percent) than adults without disabilities (13.5 percent). Adults with disabilities were most likely to **smoke** in Missouri (34.0 percent) and least likely to **smoke** in Utah (15.0 percent).

Table 7.3: In 2016, individuals (ages 18 years and over) with disabilities were more likely to be **obese** (38.9 percent) than adults without disabilities (26.4 percent). Adults with disabilities were most likely to be **obese** in Alabama (43.8 percent) and least likely to be **obese** in Hawaii (29.6 percent).

Table 7.4: In 2016, individuals (ages 18 years and over) with disabilities were less likely to **binge drink** (13.1 percent) than adults without disabilities (18.3 percent). Adults with disabilities were most likely to **binge drink** in Wisconsin (21.6 percent) and least likely to **binge drink** in Mississippi (7.0 percent).

Table 7.5: In 2016, individuals ages 18 and over with disabilities in Kentucky were most likely to have **health insurance coverage** (94.9 percent), while individuals ages 18 and over with disabilities in Texas were least likely to have **health insurance coverage** (79.8 percent).



Table 7.1 Persons Ages 18 and Over Living in the Community, by Disability Status: 2016

State	Total		Disability		No Disability	
	Count	% [1]	Count	% [1]	Count	% [1]
U.S.	239,368,830	25.7	61,444,813	25.7	177,924,017	74.3
AL	3,640,055	33.5	1,218,125	33.5	2,421,930	66.5
AK	536,456	18.8	100,857	18.8	435,598	81.2
AZ	5,058,865	26.4	1,335,910	26.4	3,722,955	73.6
AR	2,209,009	34.7	767,548	34.7	1,441,461	65.3
CA	28,300,734	22.9	6,479,729	22.9	21,821,005	77.1
CO	3,904,017	19.0	742,860	19.0	3,161,157	81.0
CT	2,727,152	22.2	605,684	22.2	2,121,468	77.8
DE	725,097	25.6	185,501	25.6	539,596	74.4
DC	549,107	22.2	122,063	22.2	427,043	77.8
FL	15,661,693	30.3	4,744,369	30.3	10,917,323	69.7
GA	7,520,364	27.0	2,033,265	27.0	5,487,099	73.0
HI	1,082,749	21.8	236,073	21.8	846,676	78.2
ID	1,195,711	22.1	264,474	22.1	931,236	77.9
IL	9,582,566	21.1	2,025,310	21.1	7,557,255	78.9
IN	4,901,833	24.9	1,219,518	24.9	3,682,315	75.1
IA	2,344,320	22.7	531,559	22.7	1,812,761	77.3
KS	2,081,961	23.6	491,285	23.6	1,590,676	76.4
KY	3,350,108	35.1	1,176,897	35.1	2,173,212	64.9
LA	3,442,616	31.4	1,081,030	31.4	2,361,587	68.6
ME	1,049,615	24.7	259,082	24.7	790,533	75.3
MD	4,477,447	21.6	967,871	21.6	3,509,576	78.4
MA	5,139,947	23.9	1,226,532	23.9	3,913,416	76.1
MI	7,503,404	30.0	2,254,450	30.0	5,248,953	70.0
MN	4,103,681	22.7	933,297	22.7	3,170,383	77.3
MS	2,198,551	35.3	775,664	35.3	1,422,887	64.7
MO	4,585,099	28.8	1,319,633	28.8	3,265,466	71.2
MT	795,300	27.1	215,715	27.1	579,585	72.9
NE	1,409,913	22.0	309,584	22.0	1,100,329	78.0
NV	2,199,372	29.1	640,482	29.1	1,558,890	70.9
NH	1,040,213	24.4	253,885	24.4	786,328	75.6
NJ	6,677,014	24.9	1,660,706	24.9	5,016,308	75.1
NM	1,530,046	29.2	446,098	29.2	1,083,948	70.8
NY	14,489,676	22.9	3,321,032	22.9	11,168,644	77.1
NC	7,652,518	25.9	1,981,999	25.9	5,670,519	74.1
ND	564,903	20.2	114,217	20.2	450,686	79.8
OH	8,768,183	26.7	2,343,380	26.7	6,424,802	73.3
OK	2,839,606	32.2	915,771	32.2	1,923,835	67.8
OR	3,018,447	25.9	782,790	25.9	2,235,657	74.1
PA	9,847,625	24.9	2,450,613	24.9	7,397,012	75.1
RI	813,624	24.7	201,338	24.7	612,286	75.3
SC	3,750,005	29.8	1,118,059	29.8	2,631,946	70.2
SD	636,655	22.2	141,365	22.2	495,290	77.8
TN	4,966,893	32.0	1,588,738	32.0	3,378,155	68.0
TX	19,894,967	24.8	4,928,536	24.8	14,966,430	75.2
UT	2,065,191	20.2	416,818	20.2	1,648,374	79.8
VT	489,437	22.5	109,883	22.5	379,554	77.5
VA	6,352,708	23.1	1,468,686	23.1	4,884,021	76.9
WA	5,471,897	23.1	1,264,635	23.1	4,207,262	76.9
WV	1,439,271	39.8	573,424	39.8	865,847	60.2
WI	4,268,205	22.7	969,073	22.7	3,299,132	77.3
WY	438,355	25.5	111,776	25.5	326,579	74.5

Source: Authors' calculations using data from the 2016 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability. U.S. values were calculated based on the summation of state values. Persons living in institutions are not included. See dhs.cdc.gov/methods for more detail.

[1] The count of people with or without a disability as a percent of total.

Table 7.2 Health Behavior—Smoking among Persons Ages 18 and Over by Disability Status: 2016

State	Smoking (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]	State	Smoking (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]
	Disability	No Disability			Disability	No Disability	
U.S.	24.6	13.5	11.0	MO	34.0	17.4	16.6
AL	29.2	17.6	11.6	MT	26.2	15.7	10.5
AK	29.1	16.8	12.3	NE	26.4	14.3	12.1
AZ	22.0	12.0	10.0	NV	23.4	13.7	9.7
AR	32.9	18.8	14.1	NH	28.4	14.7	13.6
CA	16.4	9.4	7.1	NJ	23.1	11.0	12.1
CO	26.4	13.1	13.2	NM	22.3	14.3	8.0
CT	23.3	10.5	12.8	NY	20.1	12.4	7.7
DE	25.5	15.0	10.4	NC	24.9	15.3	9.6
DC	23.0	12.3	10.6	ND	30.4	17.1	13.3
FL	21.9	12.7	9.3	OH	31.8	19.2	12.6
GA	27.6	14.3	13.3	OK	27.9	15.2	12.7
HI	19.8	11.2	8.6	OR	25.2	13.1	12.1
ID	23.6	11.9	11.8	PA	27.9	14.7	13.2
IL	24.1	13.6	10.5	RI	24.0	11.4	12.6
IN	31.9	17.6	14.3	SC	29.4	16.0	13.4
IA	25.8	14.0	11.8	SD	22.1	17.0	5.2
KS	26.8	14.3	12.6	TN	32.1	17.4	14.8
KY	32.4	20.2	12.1	TX	19.9	12.5	7.5
LA	29.2	19.7	9.6	UT	15.0	7.2	7.8
ME	30.2	16.4	13.8	VT	28.5	13.7	14.8
MD	22.7	11.1	11.6	VA	23.8	12.8	10.9
MA	21.2	11.3	10.0	WA	21.8	11.6	10.2
MI	29.2	16.6	12.7	WV	29.9	21.5	8.4
MN	24.5	12.4	12.0	WI	26.8	14.3	12.6
MS	28.8	19.6	9.2	WY	25.0	17.0	8.0

Source: Authors' calculations using data from the 2016 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability. U.S. values were calculated based on the summation of state values. Persons living in institutions are not included. See dhs.cdc.gov/methods for more detail.

[1] The difference in percentage points between people who smoke with and without a disability.

Table 7.3 Health Behavior—Obesity among Persons 18 and Over by Disability Status: 2016

State	Obesity (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]	State	Obesity (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]
	Disability	No Disability			Disability	No Disability	
U.S.	38.9	26.4	12.6	MO	41.9	27.6	14.3
AL	43.8	31.8	12.0	MT	34.5	22.0	12.5
AK	39.7	30.0	9.8	NE	38.2	30.3	7.9
AZ	40.5	25.0	15.5	NV	34.0	22.5	11.5
AR	40.9	32.9	8.0	NH	36.8	23.2	13.6
CA	35.2	22.0	13.2	NJ	38.3	24.1	14.2
CO	31.6	20.0	11.6	NM	34.9	25.8	9.1
CT	37.3	23.1	14.2	NY	38.0	21.9	16.0
DE	41.8	26.8	15.1	NC	42.5	28.3	14.2
DC	35.3	19.0	16.2	ND	40.5	29.9	10.7
FL	35.1	23.9	11.2	OH	42.9	27.2	15.7
GA	39.6	28.5	11.1	OK	40.2	29.5	10.7
HI	29.6	22.1	7.5	OR	39.4	25.1	14.4
ID	37.0	24.6	12.4	PA	38.3	27.7	10.6
IL	41.7	28.6	13.1	RI	39.1	22.3	16.8
IN	40.8	29.7	11.1	SC	41.1	28.2	12.8
IA	40.7	29.1	11.6	SD	37.6	27.6	10.0
KS	39.7	28.5	11.2	TN	42.1	31.5	10.5
KY	41.9	29.9	12.0	TX	40.6	31.0	9.6
LA	40.9	33.6	7.3	UT	36.2	22.7	13.5
ME	40.2	26.3	13.9	VT	38.6	23.4	15.2
MD	41.1	26.9	14.2	VA	37.8	26.5	11.2
MA	34.3	20.7	13.6	WA	39.7	25.5	14.2
MI	40.5	29.0	11.5	WV	43.7	33.4	10.3
MN	37.6	24.9	12.6	WI	36.6	28.5	8.1
MS	41.5	34.2	7.3	WY	37.1	24.5	12.5

Source: Authors' calculations using data from the 2016 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability. U.S. values were calculated based on the summation of state values. Persons living in institutions are not included. See dhds.cdc.gov/methods for more detail.

[1] The difference in percentage points between people who are obese with and without a disability.

Table 7.4 Health Behavior—Binge Drinking among Persons Ages 18 and Over by Disability Status: 2016

State	Binge Drinking (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]	State	Binge Drinking (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]
	Disability	No Disability			Disability	No Disability	
U.S.	13.1	18.3	-5.1	MO	12.6	20.8	-8.2
AL	9.7	14.6	-4.9	MT	13.9	20.9	-7.0
AK	13.7	19.3	-5.6	NE	12.4	22.2	-9.7
AZ	12.6	16.7	-4.2	NV	12.1	17.4	-5.3
AR	13.9	15.7	-1.8	NH	14.3	19.3	-5.0
CA	13.5	17.1	-3.6	NJ	10.6	17.8	-7.1
CO	14.6	20.3	-5.7	NM	11.1	16.7	-5.6
CT	13.5	17.7	-4.2	NY	13.5	18.8	-5.3
DE	12.5	18.6	-6.1	NC	11.1	15.9	-4.8
DC	16.4	28.1	-11.7	ND	17.9	26.7	-8.7
FL	12.1	17.0	-4.8	OH	13.1	19.6	-6.5
GA	10.8	14.3	-3.6	OK	9.1	13.2	-4.1
HI	15.7	19.4	-3.7	OR	13.9	17.2	-3.2
ID	12.7	17.2	-4.5	PA	16.3	20.4	-4.2
IL	16.2	20.8	-4.7	RI	11.2	17.3	-6.1
IN	13.5	18.8	-5.3	SC	12.6	18.7	-6.1
IA	14.7	23.1	-8.3	SD	12.6	21.2	-8.6
KS	11.4	17.5	-6.1	TN	10.5	14.2	-3.7
KY	9.7	17.4	-7.8	TX	15.2	18.9	-3.7
LA	13.4	18.6	-5.1	UT	11.3	12.9	-1.5
ME	13.3	20.0	-6.6	VT	13.4	19.9	-6.5
MD	11.9	16.2	-4.4	VA	12.0	17.1	-5.1
MA	14.6	18.9	-4.3	WA	12.4	17.6	-5.2
MI	14.5	21.0	-6.5	WV	8.2	13.5	-5.3
MN	16.7	22.6	-6.0	WI	21.6	25.4	-3.8
MS	7.0	15.1	-8.2	WY	15.5	19.4	-3.9

Source: Authors' calculations using data from the 2016 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability. U.S. values were calculated based on the summation of state values. Persons living in institutions are not included. See dhs.cdc.gov/methods for more detail.

[1] The difference in percentage points between people who binge drink with and without a disability.



Table 7.5 Health Care Coverage—Among Persons Ages 18 and Over by Disability Services: 2016

State	Health Care Coverage (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]	State	Health Care Coverage (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]
	Disability	No Disability			Disability	No Disability	
U.S.	88.1	88.8	-0.7	MO	87.0	89.8	-2.8
AL	86.7	87.6	-0.9	MT	90.5	89.8	0.6
AK	86.4	90.3	-3.9	NE	85.4	88.5	-3.1
AZ	88.7	87.5	1.2	NV	84.9	85.5	-0.6
AR	91.1	89.3	1.8	NH	92.4	93.8	-1.4
CA	90.7	89.0	1.7	NJ	90.7	89.1	1.6
CO	91.5	89.0	2.5	NM	92.3	89.6	2.6
CT	92.7	93.3	-0.6	NY	91.3	90.7	0.6
DE	90.7	91.5	-0.8	NC	83.6	87.6	-4.0
DC	91.1	95.9	-4.8	ND	89.9	93.1	-3.2
FL	82.9	84.3	-1.4	OH	93.6	93.0	0.5
GA	80.8	84.2	-3.4	OK	84.0	86.2	-2.2
HI	94.1	93.1	0.9	OR	90.8	91.1	-0.3
ID	84.5	84.9	-0.4	PA	93.7	93.1	0.6
IL	89.3	91.6	-2.3	RI	94.0	92.5	1.6
IN	88.1	89.3	-1.2	SC	84.9	88.2	-3.2
IA	94.1	93.4	0.8	SD	89.8	92.3	-2.5
KS	84.3	88.4	-4.0	TN	84.0	90.8	-6.9
KY	94.9	94.0	0.9	TX	79.8	78.3	1.5
LA	85.9	86.7	-0.8	UT	86.7	89.3	-2.6
ME	89.9	91.7	-1.8	VT	94.2	95.1	-0.8
MD	93.0	91.7	1.2	VA	83.9	90.1	-6.2
MA	93.5	94.6	-1.1	WA	92.2	91.2	1.0
MI	91.6	92.1	-0.5	WV	94.1	91.7	2.4
MN	93.3	93.8	-0.5	WI	90.8	91.5	-0.8
MS	83.5	83.7	-0.2	WY	86.3	86.0	0.3

Source: Authors' calculations using data from the 2016 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability. U.S. values were calculated based on the summation of state values. Persons living in institutions are not included. See dhs.cdc.gov/methods for more detail.

[1] The difference in percentage points between people with health insurance coverage with and without a disability.

Section 8: Social Security Administration Program

This section presents statistics on **Social Security Administration** Programs in the United States. Specifically, these data concern the number of **beneficiaries** served by, and the amount spent on, **Social Security Income** and **Social Security Disability Insurance**, by **disability status**. A table also addresses those who have concurrent benefits (are enrolled in both programs), by disability status. The principal source of this data is the **Social Security Administration**, specifically the 2016 Annual Statistical Supplement. The 2016 Annual Statistical Supplement provides information about programs administered by the **Social Security Administration**. In part, data in the Supplement provide a basis for research and policy recommendations for the programs.

In this section, **disability status** under Social Security is based on the ability to work. A person is considered disabled if they cannot do the work they did before; cannot adjust to other work because of a medical condition; and disability has lasted or is expected to last for at least one year or result in death. Definitions for aged (65 and older), blindness (statutory blindness), disabled adult child(ren), disabled widow(er) are specific to the **Social Security Administration** and Social Security Act and can be found on the **Social Security Administration** website.

Tables

Table 8.1: In December 2016, of the 8,250,112 individuals who received federally administered payments from the **Supplemental Security Income** program, 1,164,437 were eligible based on being 65 years or older, 68,339 were eligible based on blindness, and 7,017,336 were eligible based on **disability status**.

Table 8.2: In December 2016, of the \$54,791,858 of federally administered payments from the **Supplemental Security Income** program, \$5,796,368 was spent on individuals eligible based on being ages 65 years or older, \$455,375 was spent on individuals eligible based on blindness, and \$48,540,120 was spent on individuals eligible based on **disability status**.

Table 8.3: In December 2016, of the 1,212,794 individuals under age 18 who received federally administered payments from the **Supplemental Security Income** program, 6,003 were eligible based on blindness, and 1,202,334 were eligible based on **disability status**.

Table 8.4: In December 2016, of the 763,838 individuals who received federally administered payments from **Supplemental Security Income** program, 164,627 were under age 18, 489,956 were ages 18 to 64, and 109,255 were ages 65 and older.

Table 8.5a: In December 2016, of the 9,936,643 individuals who were beneficiaries under the **Social Security Disability Insurance** program, 8,626,085 were **disabled workers**, 1,056,531 were disabled adult children, and 254,027 were disabled widow(ers).

Tables 8.5b–8.5g: In December 2016, of the 9,936,643 individuals who were beneficiaries

under the **Social Security Disability Insurance** program, 355,545 were receiving benefits on the basis of injuries.

Table 8.6: In December 2016, of the \$11,119,265 spent on individuals who were beneficiaries under the **Social Security Disability Insurance** program, \$10,125,574 was spent on individuals who were **disabled workers**, \$811,087 was spent on individuals who were disabled adult children, and \$182,600 was spent on individuals who were disabled widows(ers).

Table 8.7a: From 2015 to 2016, the total number of recipients of **Supplemental Security Income** changed by -0.7 percent. The total number of recipients had the greatest positive change in Nevada (by 3.6 percent) and had the greatest negative change in Hawaii and West Virginia (by -2.2 percent). From 2015 to 2016, the number of aged (65 or older) recipients of **Supplemental Security Income** changed by 0.6 percent. The number of aged recipients had the greatest positive change in Colorado (by 5.7 percent) and had the greatest negative change in North Dakota (by -4.3 percent).

Table 8.7b: From 2015 to 2016, the number of blind recipients of **Supplemental Security Income** changed by 0.7 percent. The number of blind recipients had the greatest positive change in Wyoming (by 14.7 percent) and had the greatest negative change in Kentucky (by -3.0 percent). From 2015 to 2016, the number of disabled recipients of **Supplemental Security Income** changed by -0.9 percent. The number of disabled recipients had the greatest positive change in Nevada (by 3.3 percent) and had the greatest negative change in Hawaii (by -2.7 percent).

Table 8.8a: From 2015 to 2016, the total number of recipients of **Social Security Disability Insurance** changed by -0.8 percent. The total number of beneficiaries had the greatest positive change in Nevada (by 1.1 percent) and had the greatest negative change in West Virginia (by -2.3 percent). From 2015 to 2016, the number of **disabled workers** receiving **Social Security Disability Insurance** changed by -1.1 percent.

Table 8.8b: From 2015 to 2016, the total number of beneficiaries of **Social Security Disability Insurance** among disabled adult children changed by 1.6 percent. The total number of beneficiaries among disabled adult children had the greatest positive change in Nevada (by 5.3 percent) and had the greatest negative change in the District of Columbia (by -0.2 percent). From 2015 to 2016, the number of disabled widow(er)s receiving **Social Security Disability Insurance** changed by 0.0 percent.

Table 8.9–8.12: The monthly number of **Social Security Disability Insurance** applicants grew from 154,330 in January of 2003 to 167,053 in October of 2017. The highest number can be found in October of 2010, reporting 293,682 beneficiaries. The lowest number can be found in February 2003, reporting 136,075.

Table 8.1 Supplemental Security Income—Number of Recipients of Federally Administered Payments: December 2016

State	Total	Eligibility Category		
		Aged	Blind	Disabled
U.S.	8,250,112	1,164,437	68,339	7,017,336
AL	167,377	8,635	868	157,874
AK	12,468	1,769	80	10,619
AZ	118,913	16,682	1,085	101,146
AR	108,596	5,180	658	102,758
CA	1,277,078	359,851	18,111	899,116
CO	72,576	9,861	526	62,189
CT	64,607	7,010	452	57,145
DE	16,884	1,225	89	15,570
DC	26,838	2,070	129	24,639
FL	575,194	139,554	3,277	432,363
GA	258,527	24,794	2,051	231,682
HI	24,221	5,648	176	18,397
ID	30,712	1,809	229	28,674
IL	272,247	30,756	2,469	239,022
IN	128,340	5,467	915	121,958
IA	50,958	3,171	677	47,110
KS	48,064	2,910	366	44,788
KY	180,639	9,344	1,099	170,196
LA	177,526	11,545	1,378	164,603
ME	37,313	1,738	228	35,347
MD	120,669	15,255	733	104,681
MA	186,783	23,237	2,299	161,247
MI	274,059	18,752	1,651	253,656
MN	93,806	11,022	749	82,035
MS	120,694	8,124	940	111,630
MO	138,515	6,958	917	130,640
MT	18,287	1,332	129	16,826
NE	27,867	2,256	228	25,383
NV	55,199	13,469	728	41,002
NH	19,262	885	132	18,245
NJ	182,381	36,681	805	144,895
NM	63,636	8,336	481	54,819
NY	644,944	118,522	3,032	523,390
NC	233,263	17,837	1,842	213,584
ND	8,206	662	63	7,481
OH	310,318	15,719	1,962	292,637
OK	96,368	5,960	638	89,770
OR	87,342	9,384	635	77,323
PA	363,371	23,952	1,976	337,443
RI	33,228	3,269	158	29,801
SC	117,205	7,839	1,234	108,132
SD	14,718	1,443	125	13,150
TN	180,057	11,175	1,456	167,426
TX	657,595	104,692	6,825	546,078
UT	31,323	2,765	237	28,321
VT	15,617	972	73	14,572
VA	156,523	18,056	1,135	137,332
WA	150,570	17,393	891	132,286
WV	74,707	2,383	467	71,857
WI	117,819	6,784	896	110,139
WY	6,702	304	39	6,359

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Supplement, Table 7.B1; www.ssa.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2015/7b.html. The blind and disabled categories include some individuals aged 65 or older.

Table 8.2 Supplemental Security Income—Total Federally Administered Payments: December 2016

State	Total [1]	Eligibility Category (\$) [1]			Total [1]	Eligibility Category (\$) [1]		
		Aged	Blind	Disabled		Aged	Blind	Disabled
U.S.	54,791,858	5,796,368	455,375	48,540,120	886,077	26,581	5,470	854,027
AL	1,065,589	26,748	5,057	1,033,784	112,078	4,469	781	106,828
AK	77,023	7,035	493	69,496	174,369	9,418	1,372	163,578
AZ	782,263	74,537	7,059	700,667	368,390	64,805	5,257	298,328
AR	698,989	14,410	4,022	680,557	121,011	3,976	756	116,279
CA	9,525,280	2,184,978	144,226	7,196,076	1,168,510	177,505	4,765	986,239
CO	466,424	46,674	3,339	416,411	402,569	30,294	2,876	369,400
CT	422,875	32,669	2,829	387,377	4,166,513	573,489	18,944	3,574,081
DE	109,972	5,373	561	104,038	1,496,077	59,513	11,121	1,425,443
DC	190,491	9,345	805	180,341	48,419	2,962	358	45,100
FL	3,675,881	710,832	20,023	2,945,026	2,088,573	70,088	12,363	2,006,122
GA	1,686,732	92,291	12,748	1,581,694	624,756	19,902	3,899	600,955
HI	166,436	28,680	1,212	136,544	569,309	42,266	3,895	523,148
ID	195,607	6,837	1,354	187,416	2,484,062	111,112	12,512	2,360,437
IL	1,820,876	151,000	15,908	1,653,969	213,128	14,080	990	198,058
IN	865,612	21,514	5,660	838,438	744,713	24,801	7,602	712,310
IA	317,704	11,498	3,864	302,342	89,925	5,908	738	83,279
KS	308,427	11,786	2,286	294,354	1,176,433	37,778	9,147	1,129,508
KY	1,151,287	30,426	6,838	1,114,023	4,063,536	411,114	41,956	3,610,467
LA	1,143,151	37,943	8,247	1,096,962	204,973	13,413	1,455	190,105
ME	233,077	5,714	1,385	225,978	98,572	3,938	390	94,244
MD	825,689	75,539	4,774	745,376	1,000,169	82,700	7,014	910,455
MA	1,192,479	116,615	13,636	1,062,228	1,022,436	94,819	5,700	921,917
MI	1,868,084	91,795	10,763	1,765,535	483,018	7,551	2,798	472,669
MN	624,916	60,111	4,884	559,921	772,380	26,780	5,641	739,959
MS	755,769	21,853	5,384	728,533	41,219	903	218	40,098

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Supplement, Table 7.B1; www.ssa.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2015/7b.html. The blind and disabled categories include some individuals aged 65 or older. [1] In thousands (53,892,497 represents 53,892,457,000), except as indicated.

Table 8.3 Supplemental Security Income—Number of Recipients of Federally Administered Payments under Age 18: December 2016

State	Total	Eligibility Category		Total	Eligibility Category	
		Blind	Disabled		Blind	Disabled
U.S.	1,212,794	6,003	1,202,334	20,547	88	20,459
AL	23,966	43	23,923	2,393	19	2,374
AK	1,197	3	1,194	3,875	18	3,857
AZ	18,341	151	18,190	10,500	97	10,403
AR	26,398	66	26,332	2,310	17	2,293
CA	108,487	922	107,565	24,926	33	24,893
CO	9,219	58	9,161	8,500	39	8,461
CT	8,464	28	8,436	86,865	256	86,609
DE	3,444	-1	-1	40,415	158	40,257
DC	3,953	4	3,949	1,013	-1	-1
FL	101,512	264	101,248	45,434	199	45,235
GA	44,183	236	43,947	16,465	79	16,386
HI	1,420	17	1,403	10,717	57	10,660
ID	5,248	21	5,227	65,105	159	64,946
IL	37,849	230	37,619	4,189	12	4,177
IN	23,270	93	23,177	19,372	134	19,238
IA	7,748	89	7,659	2,465	15	2,450
KS	8,991	41	8,950	22,850	124	22,726
KY	25,869	97	25,772	137,497	1,078	136,419
LA	33,354	107	33,247	5,089	20	5,069
ME	3,996	22	3,974	1,482	4	1,478
MD	19,046	61	18,985	22,758	95	22,663
MA	22,227	239	21,988	17,227	96	17,131
MI	37,777	167	37,610	7,925	36	7,889
MN	12,962	68	12,894	22,063	77	21,986
MS	21,002	63	20,939	889	3	886
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Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Supplement, Table 7.B8; www.ssa.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2015/7b.html.

Table 8.4 Supplemental Security Income—Number of Recipients of Federally Administered Payments, by Age: December 2016

State	Total	Age Group		Total	Age Group	
		Under 18	18 to 64		Under 18	18 to 64
U.S.	763,838	164,627	489,956	14,797	11,033	734
AL	14,913	2,861	11,284	1,950	1,404	177
AK	1,266	208	870	3,193	2,220	297
AZ	11,846	2,217	7,526	6,470	3,853	1,232
AR	10,529	2,998	7,009	2,381	1,959	105
CA	90,137	14,287	46,923	17,733	10,588	3,644
CO	7,620	1,265	4,884	5,779	4,036	691
CT	6,934	1,227	4,878	47,909	26,314	9,678
DE	1,736	405	1,197	23,590	16,714	1,827
DC	2,621	546	1,784	978	681	82
FL	63,915	14,541	34,403	29,543	21,743	1,757
GA	29,154	5,562	20,788	9,798	6,952	693
HI	2,280	226	1,399	8,823	5,999	1,091
ID	3,220	767	2,253	31,241	19,898	2,552
IL	24,886	5,014	16,734	3,028	2,010	363
IN	14,651	3,192	10,803	12,338	9,144	769
IA	5,587	1,322	3,856	1,617	1,068	158
KS	5,278	1,457	3,470	18,881	14,557	1,167
KY	14,524	3,502	9,848	63,045	36,667	8,689
LA	17,028	4,624	11,430	3,603	2,397	293
ME	3,412	582	2,622	1,355	1,037	120
MD	13,488	3,083	8,935	17,482	12,588	1,607
MA	15,556	3,084	10,055	14,932	10,420	1,719
MI	25,396	5,068	18,179	5,082	3,673	257
MN	8,645	1,845	5,617	11,586	7,824	730
MS	11,126	2,666	7,677	956	753	48
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Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Supplement, Table 7.B9, www.ssa.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2015/7b.html. The blind and disabled categories include some individuals aged 65 or older.

Table 8.5a Social Security Disability Insurance—Number of Beneficiaries: December 2016

State	Total	Type of Beneficiary (Disabled)		
		Workers	Widow(er)s	Adult Children
U.S.	9,936,643	8,626,085	254,027	1,056,531
AL	263,177	230,951	9,029	23,197
AK	14,306	12,532	299	1,475
AZ	174,615	154,824	3,984	15,807
AR	157,351	138,619	5,021	13,711
CA	794,651	682,668	16,648	95,335
CO	116,359	104,206	2,276	9,877
CT	95,705	81,330	1,629	12,746
DE	31,234	27,481	764	2,989
DC	16,370	14,451	259	1,660
FL	632,362	562,750	15,419	54,193
GA	324,580	284,601	10,052	29,927
HI	25,896	22,275	490	3,131
ID	50,453	44,174	1,082	5,197
IL	336,881	284,951	7,887	44,043
IN	239,497	207,660	6,714	25,123
IA	91,782	77,750	1,910	12,122
KS	85,328	73,768	2,112	9,448
KY	233,641	203,471	8,509	21,661
LA	186,099	156,737	6,781	22,581
ME	66,638	57,979	1,491	7,168
MD	148,583	130,269	2,928	15,386
MA	233,545	202,428	3,998	27,119
MI	403,625	346,000	10,280	47,345
MN	144,504	124,537	2,124	17,843
MS	150,018	128,746	5,458	15,814
MO	249,185	217,590	7,348	24,247
MT	31,488	27,567	669	3,252
NE	49,019	41,726	911	6,382
NV	72,519	65,717	1,751	5,051
NH	54,177	48,091	1,001	5,085
NJ	231,785	199,405	4,679	27,701
NM	72,694	64,822	1,545	6,327
NY	588,865	502,062	11,611	75,192
NC	370,610	325,037	10,566	35,007
ND	16,588	13,926	256	2,406
OH	412,714	354,548	11,544	46,622
OK	144,357	126,364	4,793	13,200
OR	124,954	108,974	2,927	13,053
PA	467,545	404,049	11,387	52,109
RI	42,806	37,393	866	4,547
SC	201,686	176,723	6,443	18,520
SD	22,333	19,081	423	2,829
TN	284,486	249,055	9,600	25,831
TX	646,954	564,733	18,653	63,568
UT	55,048	47,560	1,138	6,350
VT	25,738	22,325	444	2,969
VA	242,514	211,614	6,398	24,502
WA	203,514	178,805	4,339	20,370
WV	104,754	89,508	3,955	11,291
WI	188,077	160,929	3,334	23,814
WY	15,033	13,323	302	1,408

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Report, Table 9, www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/di_asr/2016/sect01b.html.

Table 8.5b Social Security Disability Insurance—Number of Beneficiaries by Disability Type: December 2016

State	Total Disabled	Congenital Anomalies	Endocrine, Nutritional, & Metabolic Diseases	Infectious & Parasitic Diseases	Injuries	State	Total Disabled	Congenital Anomalies	Endocrine, Nutritional, & Metabolic Diseases	Infectious & Parasitic Diseases	Injuries
U.S.	9,936,643	38,210	283,736	121,333	355,545	MO	249,185	1,039	7,972	2,248	9,701
AL	263,177	780	9,365	2,449	10,431	MT	31,488	129	700	162	1,335
AK	14,306	74	331	111	603	NE	49,019	260	1,482	325	1,860
AZ	174,615	673	4,570	2,026	6,756	NV	72,519	303	1,959	949	2,863
AR	157,351	504	6,499	1,195	6,025	NH	54,177	198	983	231	1,536
CA	794,651	3,715	19,299	13,441	30,728	NJ	231,785	849	5,309	3,159	8,001
CO	116,359	607	2,852	1,330	4,792	NM	72,694	298	2,240	624	2,935
CT	95,705	350	2,350	1,139	2,616	NY	588,865	2,002	11,524	10,259	19,065
DE	31,234	123	739	447	1,040	NC	370,610	1,315	12,607	5,020	13,326
DC	16,370	25	475	707	435	ND	16,588	89	355	100	700
FL	632,362	2,469	18,538	13,595	23,803	OH	412,714	1,776	12,059	3,322	12,539
GA	324,580	1,035	10,457	6,353	12,599	OK	144,357	417	4,858	1,028	4,868
HI	25,896	99	502	374	851	OR	124,954	497	3,135	1,201	4,597
ID	50,453	232	1,347	268	1,904	PA	467,545	1,955	12,259	4,628	17,525
IL	336,881	1,520	10,093	3,936	10,715	RI	42,806	140	777	328	1,112
IN	239,497	768	8,907	1,908	7,553	SC	201,686	613	6,001	2,508	7,612
IA	91,782	490	3,169	521	3,157	SD	22,333	116	511	123	834
KS	85,328	409	2,275	565	2,976	TN	284,486	870	9,517	2,354	9,515
KY	233,641	671	6,292	1,511	7,828	TX	646,954	2,240	23,480	9,728	26,450
LA	186,099	572	5,535	2,620	7,464	UT	55,048	381	1,380	347	1,807
ME	66,638	207	1,685	342	2,098	VT	25,738	142	511	160	806
MD	148,583	668	4,175	3,013	5,369	VA	242,514	896	6,864	2,841	8,015
MA	233,545	909	4,171	2,656	6,369	WA	203,514	803	5,040	1,885	6,568
MI	403,625	1,375	11,415	2,853	12,811	WV	104,754	305	3,805	686	4,742
MN	144,504	684	2,616	939	5,004	WI	188,077	1,123	4,532	1,135	6,190
MS	150,018	422	5,961	1,601	6,408	WY	15,033	73	258	82	708

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Report, Table 10; www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/di_asr/2016/sect01b.html.

Table 8.5c Social Security Disability Insurance—Number of Beneficiaries by Disability Type: December 2016

State	Total Disabled	Diseases of the—				Total Disabled	Diseases of the—			
		Blood & Blood-Forming Organs	Circulatory System	Digestive System	Genitourinary System		Blood & Blood-Forming Organs	Circulatory System	Digestive System	Genitourinary System
U.S.	9,936,643	27,098	731,511	151,113	162,484	653	18,111	4,020	3,259	
AL	263,177	971	22,226	3,490	3,796	38	1,598	493	350	
AK	14,306	30	818	213	202	93	3,278	729	722	
AZ	174,615	373	11,023	3,039	3,202	204	5,231	1,308	1,448	
AR	157,351	410	13,330	2,384	1,883	62	2,439	740	350	
CA	794,651	1,786	48,732	12,229	17,893	790	17,335	3,716	4,370	
CO	116,359	188	5,872	2,275	1,759	100	3,418	1,225	1,196	
CT	95,705	225	5,429	1,408	1,353	1,698	37,441	6,915	8,568	
DE	31,234	90	2,317	466	594	1,285	31,949	5,870	6,972	
DC	16,370	73	1,331	190	495	27	991	228	251	
FL	632,362	2,320	53,329	11,567	10,734	947	31,430	5,759	5,515	
GA	324,580	1,470	31,462	4,998	7,478	242	11,427	2,186	1,949	
HI	25,896	39	2,034	271	907	227	6,846	2,303	1,555	
ID	50,453	81	2,645	937	575	1,176	33,003	7,626	5,987	
IL	336,881	1,066	26,906	4,452	6,105	96	2,178	573	381	
IN	239,497	577	19,921	3,957	3,364	874	18,309	2,986	3,878	
IA	91,782	160	5,735	1,224	1,014	26	1,276	304	345	
KS	85,328	174	5,608	1,437	1,157	688	23,826	4,292	4,381	
KY	233,641	377	17,788	3,330	2,334	1,744	53,378	10,175	15,013	
LA	186,099	712	18,508	2,511	3,266	74	2,566	854	749	
ME	66,638	108	3,442	1,073	474	33	957	358	172	
MD	148,583	643	12,229	2,347	3,409	821	20,203	3,708	4,607	
MA	233,545	455	10,733	3,248	2,116	403	10,851	3,795	2,576	
MI	403,625	1,026	28,626	5,987	5,483	182	8,265	1,522	978	
MN	144,504	245	7,659	1,837	1,759	396	10,791	2,475	2,354	
MS	150,018	604	15,876	1,859	3,022	16	835	224	184	

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Report, Table 10; www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/di_asr/2016/sect01b.html.

Table 8.5d Social Security Disability Insurance—Number of Beneficiaries by Disability Type: December 2016

State	Total Disabled	Diseases of the—				Total Disabled	Diseases of the—			
		Musculoskeletal System	Nervous System & Sense Organs	Respiratory System	Skin & Subcutaneous Tissue		Musculoskeletal System	Nervous System & Sense Organs	Respiratory System	Skin & Subcutaneous Tissue
U.S.	9,936,643	2,884,107	953,598	259,877	23,042	249,185	24,065	8,184	587	
AL	263,177	92,374	22,732	6,995	755	31,488	3,642	1,050	70	
AK	14,306	3,971	1,501	262	35	49,019	5,530	1,432	118	
AZ	174,615	48,572	19,029	3,993	399	72,519	7,580	2,029	253	
AR	157,351	51,122	13,933	4,610	544	54,177	4,756	1,218	76	
CA	794,651	225,525	79,011	10,974	1,594	231,785	23,509	5,078	499	
CO	116,359	34,028	14,964	3,314	236	72,694	6,861	1,601	152	
CT	95,705	21,977	9,320	1,906	194	588,865	52,369	12,856	1,006	
DE	31,234	10,108	3,127	894	67	370,610	33,944	11,545	983	
DC	16,370	3,100	1,414	316	49	16,588	4,064	439	54	
FL	632,362	192,365	59,936	17,022	1,983	412,714	36,882	14,681	952	
GA	324,580	98,517	30,008	9,634	810	144,357	12,553	4,590	351	
HI	25,896	5,107	2,331	368	74	124,954	14,080	2,657	305	
ID	50,453	14,601	5,601	1,311	117	467,545	44,511	12,842	929	
IL	336,881	83,611	35,925	9,343	700	42,806	3,696	901	99	
IN	239,497	66,092	24,485	9,398	507	201,686	18,350	6,385	514	
IA	91,782	22,580	9,378	2,883	164	22,333	2,833	605	66	
KS	85,328	23,431	8,770	2,618	191	284,486	24,438	9,393	658	
KY	233,641	79,381	18,432	8,216	592	646,954	67,138	13,372	1,368	
LA	186,099	57,896	15,717	4,442	493	55,048	6,726	1,422	103	
ME	66,638	18,046	5,812	1,657	225	25,738	2,321	643	45	
MD	148,583	37,978	14,943	3,835	355	242,514	22,385	7,081	598	
MA	233,545	51,741	19,636	4,280	363	203,514	20,273	4,206	524	
MI	403,625	120,828	38,228	11,580	1,003	104,754	8,254	4,302	254	
MIN	144,504	32,269	15,026	2,638	263	188,077	20,970	4,095	363	
MS	150,018	41,405	13,052	4,116	376	15,033	1,771	665	26	

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Report, Table 10; www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/di_asr/2016/sec01b.html.

Table 8.5e Social Security Disability Insurance—Number of Beneficiaries by Disability Type: December 2016

State	Total Disabled	Neoplasms	All Mental Disorders	Other	Unknown	State	Total Disabled	Neoplasms	All Mental Disorders	Other	Unknown
U.S.	9,936,643	283,125	3,418,151	22,851	220,862	MO	249,185	6,493	80,566	493	4,319
AL	263,177	5,633	75,083	723	5,374	MT	31,488	842	11,019	74	683
AK	14,306	427	5,460	46	222	NE	49,019	1,304	18,249	117	1,098
AZ	174,615	4,931	62,336	557	3,136	NV	72,519	2,054	21,922	190	1,361
AR	157,351	3,895	47,904	273	2,840	NH	54,177	1,336	27,524	109	869
CA	794,651	24,004	289,022	1,922	14,776	NJ	231,785	7,639	79,500	639	5,081
CO	116,359	3,385	38,090	349	2,318	NM	72,694	1,628	26,205	246	1,406
CT	95,705	2,960	41,779	212	2,487	NY	588,865	18,027	195,298	985	14,282
DE	31,234	936	9,648	71	567	NC	370,610	11,062	114,294	934	7,901
DC	16,370	396	6,931	36	397	ND	16,588	490	6,556	26	368
FL	632,362	21,798	187,355	1,399	14,149	OH	412,714	11,128	155,076	747	10,755
GA	324,580	9,841	91,963	746	7,209	OK	144,357	3,445	48,459	249	2,169
HI	25,896	900	11,420	74	545	OR	124,954	3,531	44,506	290	2,199
ID	50,453	1,335	18,511	126	862	PA	467,545	13,308	160,850	1,248	11,041
IL	336,881	10,501	124,625	794	6,589	RI	42,806	1,173	19,996	113	861
IN	239,497	6,616	79,366	555	5,523	SC	201,686	5,410	57,615	489	4,084
IA	91,782	2,823	36,128	157	2,199	SD	22,333	658	8,444	61	405
KS	85,328	2,299	31,600	195	1,623	TN	284,486	7,431	85,508	614	10,896
KY	233,641	5,114	76,192	577	5,006	TX	646,954	18,518	213,729	1,415	13,418
LA	186,099	4,755	55,829	408	5,371	UT	55,048	1,318	21,610	162	1,473
ME	66,638	1,670	28,475	155	1,169	VT	25,738	613	11,840	95	586
MD	148,583	4,646	50,461	350	4,162	VA	242,514	7,544	82,608	548	5,494
MA	233,545	5,906	115,485	594	4,883	WA	203,514	5,823	78,961	506	3,991
MI	403,625	10,805	141,661	803	9,141	WV	104,754	2,624	31,361	237	4,030
MN	144,504	4,366	66,303	307	2,589	WI	188,077	5,170	72,864	437	4,640
MS	150,018	4,221	46,666	321	4,108	WY	15,033	393	5,298	77	207

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Report, Table 10: www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/di_asr/2016/sect01b.html.

Table 8.5f Social Security Disability Insurance—Number of Beneficiaries by Disability Type: December 2016

State	All Mental Disorders	Autistic Disorders	Developmental Disorders	Other Adolescent Disorders	Intellectual Disability	State	All Mental Disorders	Autistic Disorders	Developmental Disorders	Other Adolescent Disorders	Intellectual Disability
U.S.	3,418,151	64,112	14,716	13,153	840,824	MO	80,566	1,523	202	297	22,114
AL	75,083	907	126	215	20,725	MT	11,019	210	56	48	2,710
AK	5,460	174	11	22	1,171	NE	18,249	338	38	96	5,700
AZ	62,336	987	215	197	11,449	NV	21,922	339	105	84	3,712
AR	47,904	538	155	187	14,095	NH	27,524	608	169	227	3,424
CA	289,022	5,950	1,341	714	58,112	NJ	79,500	2,361	614	333	18,685
CO	38,090	603	170	128	8,120	NM	26,205	291	186	97	4,947
CT	41,779	1,094	136	97	9,972	NY	195,298	4,492	1,748	696	51,636
DE	9,648	235	46	27	2,799	NC	114,294	1,940	445	348	34,123
DC	6,931	62	105	27	1,672	ND	6,556	157	16	24	2,196
FL	187,355	3,106	522	508	38,830	OH	155,076	2,655	324	551	40,726
GA	91,963	1,257	217	265	25,737	OK	48,459	517	161	108	13,821
HI	11,420	188	15	23	2,073	OR	44,506	1,552	123	317	9,492
ID	18,511	462	93	149	4,112	PA	160,850	2,956	802	858	43,955
IL	124,625	2,403	917	346	35,039	RI	19,996	374	85	111	3,777
IN	79,366	1,396	245	273	23,310	SC	57,615	645	165	121	16,422
IA	36,128	665	142	356	12,268	SD	8,444	140	61	62	2,613
KS	31,600	759	65	188	8,814	TN	85,508	852	185	189	22,182
KY	76,192	787	215	249	18,816	TX	213,729	3,615	889	992	46,403
LA	55,829	783	249	191	20,381	UT	21,610	625	102	110	5,615
ME	28,475	708	99	115	5,373	VT	11,840	340	63	100	2,055
MD	50,461	1,109	362	198	12,967	VA	82,608	1,544	252	357	22,915
MA	115,485	2,557	790	637	17,047	WA	78,961	1,803	306	424	14,616
MI	141,661	2,645	741	606	33,586	WV	31,361	390	89	119	10,858
MN	66,303	1,775	125	230	16,115	WI	72,864	2,165	241	398	19,231
MS	46,666	419	166	111	12,901	WY	5,298	111	21	27	1,412

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Report, Table 10A; www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/di_asr/2016/sect01b.html.

Table 8.5g Social Security Disability Insurance—Number of Beneficiaries by Disability Type: December 2016

State	All Mental Disorders	Mood Disorders	Organic Mental Disorders	Schizophrenic and Other Psychotic Disorders	Other	State	All Mental Disorders	Mood Disorders	Organic Mental Disorders	Schizophrenic and Other Psychotic Disorders	Other
U.S.	3,418,151	1,290,877	323,655	482,752	388,062	MO	80,566	29,114	6,719	11,057	9,540
AL	75,083	28,154	6,846	9,575	8,535	MT	11,019	3,065	1,477	1,469	1,984
AK	5,460	1,448	728	1,089	817	NE	18,249	5,886	1,621	2,550	2,020
AZ	62,336	26,038	8,222	8,509	6,719	NV	21,922	8,853	2,242	3,745	2,842
AR	47,904	17,806	3,851	5,543	5,729	NH	27,524	11,668	2,208	2,284	6,936
CA	289,022	113,985	27,475	56,328	25,117	NJ	79,500	29,775	6,581	14,339	6,812
CO	38,090	13,643	4,655	5,609	5,162	NM	26,205	9,835	3,285	3,097	4,467
CT	41,779	15,699	3,964	6,924	3,893	NY	195,298	69,660	11,929	33,787	21,350
DE	9,648	3,459	925	1,336	821	NC	114,294	38,545	11,694	15,582	11,617
DC	6,931	2,331	885	1,583	266	ND	6,556	1,507	893	984	779
FL	187,355	77,043	20,320	30,098	16,928	OH	155,076	61,041	11,364	20,281	18,134
GA	91,963	31,672	9,970	14,059	8,786	OK	48,459	17,428	5,269	5,746	5,409
HI	11,420	3,874	1,536	2,382	1,329	OR	44,506	14,139	4,800	6,172	7,911
ID	18,511	6,610	1,800	2,153	3,132	PA	160,850	64,446	11,448	20,985	15,400
IL	124,625	47,507	9,797	18,376	10,240	RI	19,996	8,701	1,566	2,201	3,181
IN	79,366	26,690	7,961	9,937	9,554	SC	57,615	19,681	6,275	7,663	6,643
IA	36,128	10,054	3,756	4,592	4,295	SD	8,444	2,268	1,172	1,120	1,008
KS	31,600	10,416	3,236	4,055	4,067	TN	85,508	35,252	8,343	9,322	9,183
KY	76,192	30,896	8,751	6,207	10,271	TX	213,729	91,801	20,451	26,033	23,545
LA	55,829	17,819	3,907	7,704	4,795	UT	21,610	6,341	2,749	3,179	2,889
ME	28,475	10,889	2,418	2,579	6,294	VT	11,840	4,296	1,224	1,205	2,557
MD	50,461	17,752	6,683	7,787	3,603	VA	82,608	29,858	7,791	11,268	8,623
MA	115,485	51,307	9,312	14,191	19,644	WA	78,961	27,270	9,629	10,697	14,216
MI	141,661	56,195	14,531	20,070	13,287	WV	31,361	10,881	2,702	2,242	4,080
MN	66,303	24,589	7,341	8,585	7,543	WI	72,864	23,816	6,520	9,360	11,133
MS	46,666	18,359	4,030	6,477	4,203	WY	5,298	1,515	803	636	773

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Report, Table 10A, www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/di_asr/2016/sect01b.html.

Table 8.6 Social Security Disability Insurance—Total Annual Benefits: December 2016

State	Total (\$) [1]	Type of Beneficiary (Disabled, \$) [1]		
		Workers	Widow(er)s	Adult Children
U.S.	11,119,265	10,125,574	182,600	811,087
AL	288,365	265,556	6,189	16,620
AK	15,851	14,494	239	1,118
AZ	203,386	188,194	2,922	12,269
AR	167,270	154,593	3,218	9,460
CA	908,914	821,386	12,981	74,547
CO	133,275	123,957	1,705	7,613
CT	110,928	99,276	1,208	10,445
DE	37,334	34,304	562	2,468
DC	16,239	14,911	183	1,145
FL	719,072	667,494	10,682	40,897
GA	362,771	333,989	6,806	21,976
HI	29,597	26,705	381	2,511
ID	55,208	50,541	791	3,876
IL	381,150	339,661	5,874	35,614
IN	269,362	244,460	4,896	20,005
IA	96,961	86,603	1,298	9,059
KS	93,295	84,656	1,451	7,187
KY	254,479	233,011	6,199	15,269
LA	198,167	176,662	5,310	16,195
ME	69,443	63,461	1,014	4,967
MD	172,922	158,288	2,171	12,463
MA	261,123	237,766	2,884	20,473
MI	466,975	419,447	8,117	39,411
MIN	159,732	144,677	1,447	13,609
MS	158,036	143,843	3,580	10,613

State	Total (\$) [1]	Type of Beneficiary (Disabled, \$) [1]		
		Workers	Widow(er)s	Adult Children
MO	271,127	248,216	4,939	17,972
MT	33,363	30,433	508	2,422
NE	51,535	46,045	585	4,905
NV	86,327	80,961	1,327	4,039
NH	62,380	57,832	689	3,859
NJ	284,025	257,094	3,557	23,374
NM	77,517	71,972	1,096	4,448
NY	673,760	604,348	8,539	60,873
NC	412,419	380,285	6,647	25,487
ND	17,171	15,250	169	1,752
OH	445,781	400,858	8,543	36,380
OK	155,523	142,341	3,407	9,775
OR	139,657	127,301	2,235	10,121
PA	523,955	474,586	8,255	41,114
RI	46,748	42,845	606	3,297
SC	228,054	210,166	4,208	13,681
SD	22,974	20,793	261	1,919
TN	309,418	284,138	6,301	18,978
TX	711,559	650,687	13,792	47,079
UT	61,482	55,605	877	5,000
VT	27,029	24,597	300	2,132
VA	273,113	250,066	4,488	18,559
WA	232,210	212,513	3,446	16,251
WV	117,502	105,927	3,175	8,401
WI	207,887	187,195	2,302	18,390
WY	16,894	15,585	240	1,069

Source: Social Security Administration, 2016 Annual Statistical Report, Table 13; www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/di_asr/2016/sec01b.html.
[1] In thousands of dollars (10,965,476 represents 10,965,476,000) unless where noted.

Table 8.7a Supplemental Security Income—Change in the Number of Recipients of Federally Administered Payments by Total and Age: 2015 to 2016

State	Total		% Change [1]	Age Eligible		
	2015	2016		2015	2016	
U.S.	8,308,532	8,250,112	-0.7	1,157,342	1,164,437	0.6
AL	170,869	167,377	-2.0	9,007	8,635	-4.1
AK	12,520	12,468	-0.4	1,789	1,769	-1.1
AZ	119,587	118,913	-0.6	16,164	16,682	3.2
AR	110,094	108,596	-1.4	5,365	5,180	-3.4
CA	1,293,304	1,277,078	-1.3	360,518	359,851	-0.2
CO	72,764	72,576	-0.3	9,332	9,861	5.7
CT	63,740	64,607	1.4	6,773	7,010	3.5
DE	16,869	16,884	0.1	1,238	1,225	-1.1
DC	26,965	26,838	-0.5	2,052	2,070	0.9
FL	570,877	575,194	0.8	134,445	139,554	3.8
GA	258,324	258,527	0.1	24,488	24,794	1.2
HI	24,775	24,221	-2.2	5,692	5,648	-0.8
ID	30,735	30,712	-0.1	1,816	1,809	-0.4
IL	274,742	272,247	-0.9	30,513	30,756	0.8
IN	128,774	128,340	-0.3	5,448	5,467	0.3
IA	51,020	50,958	-0.1	3,162	3,171	0.3
KS	48,374	48,064	-0.6	2,910	2,910	0.0
KY	184,125	180,639	-1.9	9,372	9,344	-0.3
LA	178,985	177,526	-0.8	11,945	11,545	-3.3
ME	37,357	37,313	-0.1	1,755	1,738	-1.0
MD	120,233	120,669	0.4	15,140	15,255	0.8
MA	188,051	186,783	-0.7	22,663	23,237	2.5
MI	275,873	274,059	-0.7	18,449	18,752	1.6
MN	94,147	93,806	-0.4	10,703	11,022	3.0
MS	123,199	120,694	-2.0	8,306	8,124	-2.2
MO	140,257	138,515	-1.2	7,030	6,958	-1.0
MT	18,315	18,287	-0.2	1,289	1,332	3.3
NE	27,892	27,867	-0.1	2,220	2,256	1.6
NV	53,280	55,199	3.6	12,841	13,469	4.9
NH	19,619	19,262	-1.8	881	885	0.5
NJ	182,460	182,381	0.0	36,102	36,681	1.6
NM	64,171	63,636	-0.8	8,417	8,336	-1.0
NY	649,277	644,944	-0.7	118,488	118,522	0.0
NC	235,607	233,263	-1.0	18,167	17,837	-1.8
ND	8,206	8,206	0.0	692	662	-4.3
OH	312,237	310,318	-0.6	15,412	15,719	2.0
OK	96,875	96,368	-0.5	6,010	5,960	-0.8
OR	86,056	87,342	1.5	9,184	9,384	2.2
PA	367,995	363,371	-1.3	24,018	23,952	-0.3
RI	33,137	33,228	0.3	3,177	3,269	2.9
SC	118,047	117,205	-0.7	8,067	7,839	-2.8
SD	14,820	14,718	-0.7	1,442	1,443	0.1
TN	181,909	180,057	-1.0	11,457	11,175	-2.5
TX	666,012	657,595	-1.3	104,851	104,692	-0.2
UT	31,325	31,323	0.0	2,741	2,765	0.9
VT	15,713	15,617	-0.6	967	972	0.5
VA	156,446	156,523	0.0	18,195	18,056	-0.8
WA	150,981	150,570	-0.3	17,099	17,393	1.7
WV	76,404	74,707	-2.2	2,444	2,383	-2.5
WI	118,487	117,819	-0.6	6,796	6,784	-0.2
WY	6,701	6,702	0.0	310	304	-1.9

Source: Social Security Administration, 2015 and 2016 Annual Statistical Supplement Table 7.B1; 2015 www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2015/7b.html; and 2016 www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2016/7b.html.

[1] The percent change in number from 2015 to 2016.

Table 8.7b Supplemental Security Income—Change in the Number of Recipients of Federally Administered Payments by Blind and Disabled: 2015 to 2016

State	Blind		% Change [1]	Disabled		% Change [1]
	2015	2016		2015	2016	
U.S.	67,845	68,339	0.7	7,083,345	7,017,336	-0.9
AL	850	868	2.1	161,012	157,874	-1.9
AK	79	80	1.3	10,652	10,619	-0.3
AZ	1,049	1,085	3.4	102,374	101,146	-1.2
AR	669	658	-1.6	104,060	102,758	-1.3
CA	18,445	18,111	-1.8	914,341	899,116	-1.7
CO	519	526	1.3	62,913	62,189	-1.2
CT	429	452	5.4	56,538	57,145	1.1
DE	90	89	-1.1	15,541	15,570	0.2
DC	128	129	0.8	24,785	24,639	-0.6
FL	3,149	3,277	4.1	433,283	432,363	-0.2
GA	1,998	2,051	2.7	231,838	231,682	-0.1
HI	170	176	3.5	18,913	18,397	-2.7
ID	208	229	10.1	28,711	28,674	-0.1
IL	2,447	2,469	0.9	241,782	239,022	-1.1
IN	914	915	0.1	122,412	121,958	-0.4
IA	672	677	0.7	47,186	47,110	-0.2
KS	352	366	4.0	45,112	44,788	-0.7
KY	1,133	1,099	-3.0	173,620	170,196	-2.0
LA	1,346	1,378	2.4	165,694	164,603	-0.7
ME	219	228	4.1	35,383	35,347	-0.1
MD	704	733	4.1	104,389	104,681	0.3
MA	2,341	2,299	-1.8	163,047	161,247	-1.1
MI	1,626	1,651	1.5	255,798	253,656	-0.8
MN	718	749	4.3	82,726	82,035	-0.8
MS	936	940	0.4	113,957	111,630	-2.0

State	Blind		% Change [1]	Disabled		% Change [1]
	2015	2016		2015	2016	
MO	886	917	3.5	132,341	130,640	-1.3
MT	123	129	4.9	16,903	16,826	-0.5
NE	229	228	-0.4	25,443	25,383	-0.2
NV	728	728	0.0	39,711	41,002	3.3
NH	131	132	0.8	18,607	18,245	-1.9
NJ	754	805	6.8	145,604	144,895	-0.5
NM	454	481	5.9	55,300	54,819	-0.9
NY	2,900	3,032	4.6	527,889	523,390	-0.9
NC	1,830	1,842	0.7	215,610	213,584	-0.9
ND	58	63	8.6	7,456	7,481	0.3
OH	1,932	1,962	1.6	294,893	292,637	-0.8
OK	628	638	1.6	90,237	89,770	-0.5
OR	624	635	1.8	76,248	77,323	1.4
PA	1,969	1,976	0.4	342,008	337,443	-1.3
RI	162	158	-2.5	29,798	29,801	0.0
SC	1,218	1,234	1.3	108,762	108,132	-0.6
SD	121	125	3.3	13,257	13,150	-0.8
TN	1,448	1,456	0.6	169,004	167,426	-0.9
TX	6,769	6,825	0.8	554,392	546,078	-1.5
UT	221	237	7.2	28,363	28,321	-0.1
VT	71	73	2.8	14,675	14,572	-0.7
VA	1,111	1,135	2.2	137,140	137,332	0.1
WA	879	891	1.4	133,003	132,286	-0.5
WV	473	467	-1.3	73,487	71,857	-2.2
WI	901	896	-0.6	110,790	110,139	-0.6
WY	34	39	14.7	6,357	6,359	0.0

Source: Social Security Administration, 2015 and 2016 Annual Statistical Supplement Table 7.B1; 2015 www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2015/7b.html; and 2016 www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2016/7b.html; The blind and disabled categories include some individuals aged 65 or older.

[1] The percent change in number between 2015 and 2016.

Table 8.8a Social Security Disability Insurance—Change in the Number of Beneficiaries of Federally Administered Payments by Total and Disabled Worker: 2015 to 2016

State	Total		% Change [1]	Disabled Worker		
	2015	2016		2015	2016	
U.S.	10,013,977	9,936,643	-0.8	8,720,480	8,626,085	-1.1
AL	266,285	263,177	-1.2	234,229	230,951	-1.4
AK	14,350	14,306	-0.3	12,620	12,532	-0.7
AZ	175,082	174,615	-0.3	155,862	154,824	-0.7
AR	158,498	157,351	-0.7	140,027	138,619	-1.0
CA	809,509	794,651	-1.8	699,241	682,668	-2.4
CO	117,986	116,359	-1.4	105,960	104,206	-1.7
CT	96,036	95,705	-0.3	81,784	81,330	-0.6
DE	31,024	31,234	0.7	27,385	27,481	0.4
DC	16,535	16,370	-1.0	14,612	14,451	-1.1
FL	633,467	632,362	-0.2	565,238	562,750	-0.4
GA	325,035	324,580	-0.1	285,889	284,601	-0.5
HI	26,395	25,896	-1.9	22,800	22,275	-2.3
ID	50,091	50,453	0.7	44,090	44,174	0.2
IL	340,612	336,881	-1.1	288,827	284,951	-1.3
IN	240,318	239,497	-0.3	208,908	207,660	-0.6
IA	92,096	91,782	-0.3	78,222	77,750	-0.6
KS	86,082	85,328	-0.9	74,677	73,768	-1.2
KY	236,059	233,641	-1.0	206,175	203,471	-1.3
LA	186,499	186,099	-0.2	157,310	156,737	-0.4
ME	66,934	66,638	-0.4	58,476	57,979	-0.8
MD	149,154	148,583	-0.4	131,074	130,269	-0.6
MA	235,739	233,545	-0.9	205,060	202,428	-1.3
MI	407,730	403,625	-1.0	350,684	346,000	-1.3
MN	146,132	144,504	-1.1	126,390	124,537	-1.5
MS	152,333	150,018	-1.5	131,143	128,746	-1.8
MO	251,865	249,185	-1.1	220,596	217,590	-1.4
MT	31,674	31,488	-0.6	27,848	27,567	-1.0
NE	49,346	49,019	-0.7	42,162	41,726	-1.0
NV	71,708	72,519	1.1	65,211	65,717	0.8
NH	54,117	54,177	0.1	48,223	48,091	-0.3
NJ	234,433	231,785	-1.1	202,497	199,405	-1.5
NM	72,876	72,694	-0.2	65,167	64,822	-0.5
NY	596,480	588,865	-1.3	510,196	502,062	-1.6
NC	375,262	370,610	-1.2	330,363	325,037	-1.6
ND	16,549	16,588	0.2	13,917	13,926	0.1
OH	414,619	412,714	-0.5	356,826	354,548	-0.6
OK	145,285	144,357	-0.6	127,565	126,364	-0.9
OR	125,407	124,954	-0.4	109,815	108,974	-0.8
PA	470,120	467,545	-0.5	407,320	404,049	-0.8
RI	42,781	42,806	0.1	37,476	37,393	-0.2
SC	203,554	201,686	-0.9	178,822	176,723	-1.2
SD	22,415	22,333	-0.4	19,212	19,081	-0.7
TN	286,009	284,486	-0.5	251,021	249,055	-0.8
TX	650,588	646,954	-0.6	569,586	564,733	-0.9
UT	55,126	55,048	-0.1	47,923	47,560	-0.8
VT	25,957	25,738	-0.8	22,565	22,325	-1.1
VA	243,259	242,514	-0.3	212,711	211,614	-0.5
WA	203,784	203,514	-0.1	179,674	178,805	-0.5
WV	107,202	104,754	-2.3	91,995	89,508	-2.7
WI	188,681	188,077	-0.3	161,864	160,929	-0.6
WY	14,899	15,033	0.9	13,252	13,323	0.5

Source: Social Security Administration, 2015 and 2016 Annual Statistical Supplement, Table 5.J14; www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2015/5j.html; and www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2016/5j.html; respectively.

[1] The percent change in number between 2015 and 2016.

Table 8.8b Social Security Disability Insurance—Change in the Number of Beneficiaries of Federally Administered Payments from 2015 to 2016

State	Disabled Adult Children		% Change [1]	Disabled Widow(er)s		State	Disabled Adult Children		% Change [1]	Disabled Widow(er)s		
	2015	2016		2015	2016		2015	2016		2015	2016	% Change [1]
U.S.	1,039,555	1,056,531	1.6	253,942	254,027	MO	24,038	24,247	0.9	7,231	7,348	1.6
AL	22,962	23,197	1.0	9,094	9,029	MT	3,165	3,252	2.7	661	669	1.2
AK	1,436	1,475	2.7	294	299	NE	6,248	6,382	2.1	936	911	-2.7
AZ	15,309	15,807	3.3	3,911	3,984	NV	4,797	5,051	5.3	1,700	1,751	3.0
AR	13,463	13,711	1.8	5,008	5,021	NH	4,925	5,085	3.2	969	1,001	3.3
CA	93,306	95,335	2.2	16,962	16,648	NJ	27,236	27,701	1.7	4,700	4,679	-0.4
CO	9,748	9,877	1.3	2,278	2,276	NM	6,170	6,327	2.5	1,539	1,545	0.4
CT	12,642	12,746	0.8	1,610	1,629	NY	74,501	75,192	0.9	11,783	11,611	-1.5
DE	2,903	2,989	3.0	736	764	NC	34,386	35,007	1.8	10,523	10,566	0.4
DC	1,663	1,660	-0.2	260	259	ND	2,372	2,406	1.4	260	256	-1.5
FL	53,024	54,193	2.2	15,205	15,419	OH	46,315	46,622	0.7	11,478	11,544	0.6
GA	29,248	29,927	2.3	9,898	10,052	OK	12,954	13,200	1.9	4,766	4,793	0.6
HI	3,083	3,131	1.6	512	490	OR	12,678	13,053	3.0	2,914	2,927	0.4
ID	4,949	5,197	5.0	1,052	1,082	PA	51,438	52,109	1.3	11,362	11,387	0.2
IL	43,678	44,043	0.8	8,107	7,887	RI	4,466	4,547	1.8	839	866	3.2
IN	24,756	25,123	1.5	6,654	6,714	SC	18,283	18,520	1.3	6,449	6,443	-0.1
IA	11,994	12,122	1.1	1,880	1,910	SD	2,790	2,829	1.4	413	423	2.4
KS	9,285	9,448	1.8	2,120	2,112	TN	25,407	25,831	1.7	9,581	9,600	0.2
KY	21,443	21,661	1.0	8,441	8,509	TX	62,268	63,568	2.1	18,734	18,653	-0.4
LA	22,397	22,581	0.8	6,792	6,781	UT	6,097	6,350	4.1	1,106	1,138	2.9
ME	6,978	7,168	2.7	1,480	1,491	VT	2,920	2,969	1.7	472	444	-5.9
MD	15,145	15,386	1.6	2,935	2,928	VA	24,165	24,502	1.4	6,383	6,398	0.2
MA	26,629	27,119	1.8	4,050	3,998	WA	19,775	20,370	3.0	4,335	4,339	0.1
MI	46,826	47,345	1.1	10,220	10,280	WV	11,218	11,291	0.7	3,989	3,955	-0.9
MN	17,612	17,843	1.3	2,130	2,124	WI	23,470	23,814	1.5	3,347	3,334	-0.4
MS	15,643	15,814	1.1	5,547	5,458	WY	1,351	1,408	4.2	296	302	2.0

Source: Social Security Administration, 2015 and 2016 Annual Statistical Supplement, Table 5.114; www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2015/5j.html; and www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/supplement/2016/5j.html; respectively.

[1] The percent change in number between 2015 and 2016.

Table 8.9 Social Security Disability Insurance—Monthly Number of Applicants: January 2003 to July 2007

Year	Month	Number	Year	Month	Number
2003	Jan	154,330	2005	May	184,826
2003	Feb	136,075	2005	Jun	161,937
2003	Mar	151,124	2005	Jul	201,021
2003	Apr	148,300	2005	Aug	171,935
2003	May	182,215	2005	Sep	199,640
2003	Jun	152,183	2005	Oct	159,071
2003	Jul	141,058	2005	Nov	145,176
2003	Aug	196,952	2005	Dec	178,224
2003	Sep	158,946	2006	Jan	150,347
2003	Oct	196,467	2006	Feb	161,153
2003	Nov	141,761	2006	Mar	217,471
2003	Dec	136,110	2006	Apr	172,656
2004	Jan	175,214	2006	May	175,897
2004	Feb	159,553	2006	Jun	209,494
2004	Mar	169,497	2006	Jul	161,821
2004	Apr	215,618	2006	Aug	178,619
2004	May	169,710	2006	Sep	211,382
2004	Jun	154,255	2006	Oct	163,885
2004	Jul	230,059	2006	Nov	144,573
2004	Aug	180,540	2006	Dec	186,790
2004	Sep	165,604	2007	Jan	146,429
2004	Oct	209,734	2007	Feb	164,973
2004	Nov	151,031	2007	Mar	223,213
2004	Dec	156,716	2007	Apr	176,383
2005	Jan	186,874	2007	May	178,998
2005	Feb	162,371	2007	Jun	214,453
2005	Mar	201,195	2007	Jul	167,620
2005	Apr	178,396			

Source: Social Security Administration. Selected Data from Social Security's Disability Program. www.ssa.gov/OACT/STATS/dibStat.html. The number of applications is for disabled-worker benefits only and, as such, excludes disabled child's and disabled widow(er)'s benefits. These applications ultimately result in either a denial or award of benefits.

Table 8.10 Social Security Disability Insurance—Monthly Number of Applicants: August 2007 to February 2012

Year	Month	Number	Year	Month	Number
2007	Aug	227,074	2009	Dec	192,820
2007	Sep	174,484	2010	Jan	257,939
2007	Oct	171,361	2010	Feb	218,654
2007	Nov	197,992	2010	Mar	236,162
2007	Dec	147,216	2010	Apr	289,448
2008	Jan	157,837	2010	May	232,865
2008	Feb	221,327	2010	Jun	225,526
2008	Mar	184,605	2010	Jul	291,964
2008	Apr	188,185	2010	Aug	240,668
2008	May	218,667	2010	Sep	232,270
2008	Jun	184,344	2010	Oct	293,682
2008	Jul	173,991	2010	Nov	205,587
2008	Aug	235,204	2010	Dec	211,033
2008	Sep	178,930	2011	Jan	198,421
2008	Oct	235,161	2011	Feb	232,555
2008	Nov	173,204	2011	Mar	289,143
2008	Dec	168,941	2011	Apr	237,358
2009	Jan	239,385	2011	May	235,976
2009	Feb	212,378	2011	Jun	287,287
2009	Mar	225,790	2011	Jul	226,918
2009	Apr	225,232	2011	Aug	234,569
2009	May	271,231	2011	Sep	275,981
2009	Jun	230,772	2011	Oct	220,620
2009	Jul	277,488	2011	Nov	193,842
2009	Aug	233,807	2011	Dec	246,250
2009	Sep	221,830	2012	Jan	213,902
2009	Oct	278,422	2012	Feb	220,938
2009	Nov	207,089			

Source: Social Security Administration. Selected Data from Social Security's Disability Program. www.ssa.gov/OACT/STATS/dibStat.html. The number of applications is for disabled-worker benefits only and, as such, excludes disabled child's and disabled widow(er)'s benefits. These applications ultimately result in either a denial or award of benefits.

Table 8.11 Social Security Disability Insurance—Monthly Number of Applicants: March 2012 to September 2016

Year	Month	Number	Year	Month	Number
2012	Mar	289,906	2014	Jul	190,808
2012	Apr	225,844	2014	Aug	255,285
2012	May	231,671	2014	Sep	196,003
2012	Jun	274,302	2014	Oct	243,114
2012	Jul	214,454	2014	Nov	171,326
2012	Aug	288,795	2014	Dec	164,750
2012	Sep	222,777	2015	Jan	224,249
2012	Oct	216,474	2015	Feb	182,798
2012	Nov	240,796	2015	Mar	197,784
2012	Dec	180,953	2015	Apr	198,564
2013	Jan	192,392	2015	May	240,028
2013	Feb	211,418	2015	Jun	196,068
2013	Mar	276,482	2015	July	182,900
2013	Apr	216,972	2015	Aug	196,446
2013	May	259,760	2015	Sep	235,092
2013	Jun	214,787	2015	Oct	234,316
2013	Jul	196,952	2015	Nov	167,772
2013	Aug	271,235	2015	Dec	163,844
2013	Sep	206,105	2016	Jan	211,118
2013	Oct	199,340	2016	Feb	181,752
2013	Nov	226,149	2016	Mar	185,785
2013	Dec	168,508	2016	Apr	235,612
2014	Jan	230,401	2016	May	187,647
2014	Feb	196,030	2016	Jun	174,750
2014	Mar	211,244	2016	Jul	220,353
2014	Apr	210,051	2016	Aug	186,226
2014	May	248,143	2016	Sep	221,215
2014	Jun	204,304			

Source: Social Security Administration. Selected Data from Social Security's Disability Program. www.ssa.gov/OACT/STATS/dbStat.html. The number of applications is for disabled-worker benefits only and, as such, excludes disabled child's and disabled widow(er)'s benefits. These applications ultimately result in either a denial or award of benefits.

Table 8.12 Social Security Disability Insurance—Monthly Number of Applicants: October 2016 to October 2017

Year	Month	Number	Year	Month	Number
2016	Oct	168,393	2019	Mar	N/A
2016	Nov	155,329	2019	Apr	N/A
2016	Dec	193,403	2019	May	N/A
2017	Jan	167,168	2019	Jun	N/A
2017	Feb	170,806	2019	Jul	N/A
2017	Mar	223,991	2019	Aug	N/A
2017	Apr	174,800	2019	Sep	N/A
2017	May	177,522	2019	Oct	N/A
2017	Jun	210,491	2019	Nov	N/A
2017	Jul	164,092	2019	Dec	N/A
2017	Aug	177,801	2020	Jan	N/A
2017	Sep	206,195	2020	Feb	N/A
2017	Oct	167,053	2020	Mar	N/A
2017	Nov	N/A	2020	Apr	N/A
2017	Dec	N/A	2020	May	N/A
2018	Jan	N/A	2020	Jun	N/A
2018	Feb	N/A	2020	Jul	N/A
2018	Mar	N/A	2020	Aug	N/A
2018	Apr	N/A	2020	Sep	N/A
2018	May	N/A	2020	Oct	N/A
2018	Jun	N/A	2020	Nov	N/A
2018	Jul	N/A	2020	Dec	N/A
2018	Aug	N/A	2020	Jan	N/A
2018	Sep	N/A	2020	Feb	N/A
2018	Oct	N/A	2020	Mar	N/A
2018	Nov	N/A	2020	Apr	N/A
2018	Dec	N/A	2020	May	N/A
2019	Jan	N/A	2020	Jun	N/A
2019	Feb	N/A	2020	Jul	N/A

Source: Social Security Administration. Selected Data from Social Security's Disability Program. www.ssa.gov/OACT/STATS/diStbStat.html; The number of applications is for disabled-worker benefits only and, as such, excludes disabled child's and disabled widow(er)'s benefits. These applications ultimately result in either a denial or award of benefits.

Section 9: Education

This section presents statistics on **Special Education** programs in the United States, specifically on children served under the **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B**. These data concern the number of children with disabilities served (by age and by type of disability), mainstream education of children with disabilities, dropout and graduation rates, and state grant awards. The principal source of this data is the **Office of Special Education Programs' Data Accountability Center**, which produces the **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act 618 Data Tables**. Categories of disability and program outcomes under the **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act** can be found on the Center for Parent Information and Resources website.

This section also presents statistics on the educational attainment of people with and without disabilities in the United States. The source of these estimates is the **American Community Survey**. For these tables, statistics for people with disabilities (**disability status**) are based on having responded 'yes' to a series of questions within the **American Community Survey**. See the glossary for more details.

Tables

Table 9.1: In the fall of 2015, there were 66,933,705 people ages 6 to 21. Of these people ages 6 to 21, 5,930,475 or 8.9 percent received **special education** services under the **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B**. Hawaii had the smallest percentage (6.4 percent), while Maine and Oklahoma had the largest percentage (11.8 percent).

Table 9.2: Of the youth ages 3 to 21 who received **special education** services under the **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B**, in the fall of 2015, 746,499 were 3 to 5 years old; 2,795,700 were 6 to 11 years old; 2,791,059 were 12 to 17 years old; and 343,716 were 18 to 21 years old.

Tables 9.3a-9.3d: The 5,930,475 students ages 6 to 21 who received **special education** services under the **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B**, in the fall of 2015 were in the following diagnostic categories: 2,290,066 in specific learning disability, 1,020,681 in speech or language impairment, 411,789 in intellectual disabilities, 344,609 in emotional disturbance, 123,827 in multiple disabilities, 66,648 in hearing impairments, 40,873 in orthopedic impairments, 886,470 in other health impairments, 24,328 in visual impairments, 545,842 in autism, 1,255 in deaf/blindness, 25,418 in traumatic brain injury, and 148,669 in developmental delay.

Table 9.4: Of the 5,930,475 youth ages 6 to 21 who received **special education** services under the **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B**, in the fall of 2015, 4,817,854 (or 81.2 percent) spent 40 percent or more of their time in the regular classroom. New York had the smallest percentage (69.6 percent), while North Dakota had the largest percentage (91.0 percent).



Table 9.5: In 2016, individuals ages 25 and over with disabilities in Louisiana were most likely to have less than a **high school education** (28.2 percent), while individuals ages 25 and over with disabilities in Utah were least likely to have less than a **high school education** (12.1 percent).

Table 9.6: In 2016, individuals ages 25 and over with disabilities in Pennsylvania were most likely to have a **high school education** (43.7 percent), while individuals ages 25 and over with disabilities in California were least likely to have a **high school education** (25.1 percent).

Table 9.7: In 2016, individuals ages 25 and over with disabilities in Delaware were most likely to have a **4-year college degree** (14.7 percent), while individuals ages 25 and over with disabilities in Arkansas were least likely to have a **4-year college degree** (6.1 percent).

Table 9.8: In 2016, individuals ages 25 and over with disabilities in the District of Columbia were most likely to have more than a **4-year college degree** (13.0 percent), while individuals ages 25 and over with disabilities in South Dakota were least likely to have more than a **4-year college degree** (3.4 percent).

Table 9.1 Special Education—Students Ages 6 to 21 Served under Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B, as a Percentage of the Population: Fall 2015

State	Number		% [1]	State	Number		% [1]
	Population	Students			Population	Students	
U.S.	66,933,705	5,930,475	8.9	MO	1,266,611	109,205	8.6
AL	1,010,550	76,910	7.6	MT	205,135	15,795	7.7
AK	158,966	16,275	10.2	NE	420,090	42,238	10.1
AZ	1,463,532	117,264	8.0	NV	577,143	46,614	8.1
AR	636,768	55,197	8.7	NH	266,993	25,471	9.5
CA	8,266,097	649,108	7.9	NJ	1,824,237	213,727	11.7
CO	1,123,517	82,327	7.3	NM	452,646	45,422	10.0
CT	758,582	66,339	8.7	NY	3,912,108	432,484	11.1
DE	186,850	18,712	10.0	NC	2,077,611	179,738	8.7
DC	109,825	10,787	9.8	ND	156,270	11,981	7.7
FL	3,693,615	333,117	9.0	OH	2,424,040	231,999	9.6
GA	2,247,371	184,113	8.2	OK	841,999	99,436	11.8
HI	261,745	16,779	6.4	OR	778,758	74,143	9.5
ID	379,276	26,387	7.0	PA	2,557,274	270,611	10.6
IL	2,725,494	258,906	9.5	RI	216,984	20,493	9.4
IN	1,458,004	153,319	10.5	SC	987,823	92,344	9.3
IA	679,115	57,596	8.5	SD	185,678	16,900	9.1
KS	649,943	59,375	9.1	TN	1,347,441	116,481	8.6
KY	915,146	82,239	9.0	TX	6,259,384	419,451	6.7
LA	987,039	73,791	7.5	UT	774,511	69,925	9.0
ME	246,897	29,019	11.8	VT	127,851	12,129	9.5
MD	1,220,929	91,967	7.5	VA	1,703,536	148,002	8.7
MA	1,369,960	151,397	11.1	WA	1,411,319	120,396	8.5
MI	2,099,673	176,743	8.4	WV	351,732	40,293	11.5
MN	1,152,649	112,375	9.7	WI	1,215,176	104,775	8.6
MS	667,239	58,139	8.7	WY	122,573	12,241	10.0

Source: United States Department of Education, Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Public Data & Resources; 2014 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Part B Data; www2.ed.gov/programs/osepidea/618-data/index.html.
 [1] Part B as a percent of the estimated population.





Table 9.2 Special Education—Students Served under Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B, by Age: Fall 2015

State	Age			
	3 to 5	6 to 11	12 to 17	18 to 21
U.S.	746,499	2,795,700	2,791,059	343,716
AL	7,368	37,673	34,647	4,590
AK	2,115	8,046	7,321	908
AZ	15,328	57,770	53,859	5,635
AR	12,991	28,010	24,640	2,547
CA	78,610	302,254	306,490	40,364
CO	12,774	40,276	37,461	4,590
CT	8,691	28,449	33,883	4,007
DE	2,030	9,002	8,564	1,146
DC	1,471	4,834	5,094	859
FL	39,359	155,882	150,839	26,396
GA	18,201	88,200	85,923	9,990
HI	2,444	7,320	8,722	737
ID	3,331	13,436	11,816	1,135
IL	37,878	120,810	122,061	16,035
IN	18,049	72,147	71,512	9,660
IA	6,226	27,743	27,114	2,739
KS	11,387	30,211	26,348	2,816
KY	17,044	45,719	32,941	3,579
LA	10,430	37,967	31,148	4,676
ME	3,512	13,898	14,122	999
MD	13,473	43,082	43,941	4,944
MA	16,802	67,138	75,013	9,246
MI	20,573	80,706	85,203	10,834
MN	15,843	52,396	52,579	7,400
MS	8,660	31,594	23,652	2,893
MO	17,123	53,906	49,755	5,544
MT	1,592	7,800	7,519	476
NE	5,557	21,672	18,709	1,857
NV	8,838	23,463	21,107	2,044
NH	3,335	11,385	12,898	1,188
NJ	18,674	98,316	105,308	10,103
NM	4,245	23,182	20,232	2,008
NY	67,067	203,610	205,786	23,088
NC	19,070	85,020	84,550	10,168
ND	1,972	5,807	5,515	659
OH	21,897	99,055	117,230	15,714
OK	9,023	47,007	47,530	4,899
OR	10,374	34,819	35,035	4,289
PA	33,022	120,112	133,913	16,586
RI	3,022	9,346	9,657	1,490
SC	9,432	45,782	41,466	5,096
SD	2,627	9,355	6,752	793
TN	12,905	55,082	55,223	6,176
TX	43,787	192,500	201,481	25,470
UT	10,007	36,247	30,622	3,056
VT	1,774	5,487	6,016	626
VA	16,755	66,939	71,876	9,187
WA	15,361	58,401	55,445	6,550
WV	5,004	21,064	17,100	2,129
WI	16,089	49,191	50,320	5,264
WY	3,367	6,589	5,121	531

Source: United States Department of Education: Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Public Data & Resources; 2014 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Part B Data. www2.ed.gov/programs/osepidea/618-data/index.html.

Table 9.3a Special Education—Students Ages 6 to 21 Served under Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B, by Select Diagnostic Categories: Fall 2015

State	All Disabilities	SLD [1]	S/LI [2]	ID [3]	State	All Disabilities	SLD [1]	S/LI [2]	ID [3]
U.S.	5,930,475	2,290,066	1,020,681	411,789	MO	109,205	30,040	25,794	9,285
AL	76,910	32,392	13,316	6,357	MT	15,795	5,159	2,884	576
AK	16,275	7,146	2,257	606	NE	42,238	15,118	9,342	2,987
AZ	117,264	53,083	17,694	7,116	NV	46,614	23,764	6,678	1,989
AR	55,197	18,448	12,540	6,009	NH	25,471	9,437	3,016	774
CA	649,108	287,431	109,883	39,562	NJ	213,727	75,723	45,095	5,049
CO	82,327	38,074	11,603	2,552	NM	45,422	21,964	7,798	2,049
CT	66,339	24,241	8,489	2,388	NY	432,484	166,256	104,725	12,557
DE	18,712	9,135	1,707	1,488	NC	179,738	73,689	20,504	16,360
DC	10,787	3,929	971	685	ND	11,981	4,242	2,043	734
FL	333,117	138,672	79,101	25,033	OH	231,999	95,720	25,243	19,840
GA	184,113	68,913	22,959	16,541	OK	99,436	39,786	9,380	5,968
HI	16,779	7,914	442	1,205	OR	74,143	25,931	16,294	3,951
ID	26,387	6,621	5,504	2,031	PA	270,611	117,666	37,661	17,737
IL	258,906	103,534	37,399	16,867	RI	20,493	7,653	2,831	770
IN	153,319	54,379	30,357	14,093	SC	92,344	41,809	14,595	6,446
IA	57,596	34,789	4,963	9,921	SD	16,900	6,715	3,067	1,680
KS	59,375	24,406	8,433	3,302	TN	116,481	44,581	26,236	7,889
KY	82,239	15,698	19,223	13,222	TX	419,451	159,225	65,222	42,795
LA	73,791	24,362	14,364	7,236	UT	69,925	33,684	14,495	3,342
ME	29,019	9,416	4,350	763	VT	12,129	3,860	1,073	675
MD	91,967	30,639	12,719	5,533	VA	148,002	54,199	18,546	8,894
MA	151,397	41,983	22,949	8,643	WA	120,396	45,370	16,292	4,932
MI	176,743	61,962	36,559	17,165	WV	40,293	13,448	9,526	6,790
MN	112,375	30,298	16,491	7,503	WI	104,775	29,077	20,736	7,917
MS	58,139	14,337	14,058	3,486	WY	12,241	4,248	3,274	496

Source: United States Department of Education; Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Public Data & Resources; 2014 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Part B Data; www2.ed.gov/programs/osepidea1618-data/index.html.

[1] Specific Learning Disabilities.

[2] Speech or Language Impairment.

[3] Intellectual Disabilities.



Table 9.3b Special Education—Students Ages 6 to 21 Served under Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B, by Select Diagnostic Categories: Fall 2015

State	All Disabilities	ED [1]	MD [2]	HI [3]	State	All Disabilities	ED [1]	MD [2]	HI [3]
U.S.	5,930,475	344,609	123,827	66,648	MO	109,205	6,439	1,356	1,076
AL	76,910	1,348	1,230	926	MT	15,795	761	3,484	72
AK	16,275	665	467	165	NE	42,238	2,313	409	656
AZ	117,264	7,456	2,213	1,309	NV	46,614	1,826	1,249	435
AR	55,197	836	1,382	424	NH	25,471	2,107	358	181
CA	649,108	24,199	5,554	10,415	NJ	213,727	7,955	15,834	1,477
CO	82,327	5,624	3,880	1,292	NM	45,422	1,959	797	493
CT	66,339	5,395	2,825	497	NY	432,484	24,377	15,091	3,894
DE	18,712	821	N/A	199	NC	179,738	5,462	2,597	1,713
DC	10,787	885	1,237	31	ND	11,981	878	N/A	114
FL	333,117	16,333	N/A	3,862	OH	231,999	14,979	12,515	1,863
GA	184,113	11,546	N/A	1,656	OK	99,436	4,078	1,557	1,234
HI	16,779	972	586	264	OR	74,143	4,704	N/A	844
ID	26,387	1,422	583	259	PA	270,611	23,322	3,011	2,665
IL	258,906	19,198	2,458	3,267	RI	20,493	1,629	368	143
IN	153,319	12,642	2,018	2,113	SC	92,344	2,418	1,186	971
IA	57,596	5,610	316	399	SD	16,900	1,099	494	135
KS	59,375	2,290	2,790	532	TN	116,481	3,237	1,997	1,216
KY	82,239	4,422	1,953	611	TX	419,451	26,558	6,522	6,089
LA	73,791	1,763	985	1,141	UT	69,925	1,871	1,471	433
ME	29,019	2,234	2,991	127	VT	12,129	1,968	222	71
MD	91,967	6,203	4,982	826	VA	148,002	9,398	3,080	1,299
MA	151,397	15,137	3,583	1,044	WA	120,396	4,601	2,706	1,038
MI	176,743	11,325	2,584	2,333	WV	40,293	1,284	N/A	406
MINN	112,375	14,736	1,421	2,072	WI	104,775	12,217	N/A	1,528
MS	58,139	3,544	1,198	705	WY	12,241	563	277	133

Source: United States Department of Education; Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Public Data & Resources; 2014 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Part B Data; www2.ed.gov/programs/osepidea618-data/index.html.

[1] Emotional Disturbance.

[2] Multiple Disabilities.

[3] Hearing Impairment.

Table 9.3c Special Education—Students Ages 6 to 21 Served under Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B, by Select Diagnostic Categories: Fall 2015

State	All Disabilities	OI [1]	OH [2]	VI [3]	State	All Disabilities	OI [1]	OH [2]	VI [3]
U.S.	5,930,475	40,873	886,470	24,328	MO	109,205	439	22,958	444
AL	76,910	537	10,754	493	MT	15,795	42	2,053	43
AK	16,275	63	2,499	41	NE	42,238	251	6,140	230
AZ	117,264	585	10,858	513	NV	46,614	273	4,778	142
AR	55,197	191	10,918	218	NH	25,471	54	5,120	109
CA	649,108	9,754	78,326	3,129	NJ	213,727	378	43,771	384
CO	82,327	3,195	6,952	295	NM	45,422	229	4,213	180
CT	66,339	48	14,398	141	NY	432,484	1,595	71,494	755
DE	18,712	204	2,482	66	NC	179,738	716	34,871	561
DC	10,787	12	1,735	25	ND	11,981	66	1,845	44
FL	333,117	2,620	34,885	1,281	OH	231,999	1,324	38,211	867
GA	184,113	737	29,963	770	OK	99,436	352	15,787	553
HI	16,779	62	2,846	50	OR	74,143	649	12,569	291
ID	26,387	83	5,235	90	PA	270,611	719	38,473	1,120
IL	258,906	1,123	33,997	1,011	RI	20,493	54	3,537	55
IN	153,319	1,399	20,742	950	SC	92,344	486	12,994	400
IA	57,596	644	78	78	SD	16,900	59	2,511	48
KS	59,375	219	7,546	195	TN	116,481	553	15,872	563
KY	82,239	374	13,808	462	TX	419,451	3,004	58,240	3,006
LA	73,791	981	10,411	480	UT	69,925	147	6,674	194
ME	29,019	40	6,267	39	VT	12,129	37	2,217	17
MD	91,967	211	17,688	270	VA	148,002	654	31,973	591
MA	151,397	1,025	20,572	557	WA	120,396	410	24,755	389
MI	176,743	1,470	23,734	690	WV	40,293	103	6,392	250
MN	112,375	1,456	18,679	399	WI	104,775	770	20,859	459
MS	58,139	419	10,806	344	WY	12,241	57	1,984	46

Source: United States Department of Education; Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Public Data & Resources; 2014 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Part B Data; www2.ed.gov/programs/osepidea618-data/index.html.

[1] Orthopedic Impairments.

[2] Other Health Impairments.

[3] Visual Impairments.



Table 9.3d Special Education—Students Ages 6 to 21 Served under Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B, by Select Diagnostic Categories: Fall 2015

State	All Disabilities	A [1]	DB [2]	TBI [3]	DD [4]	State	All Disabilities	A [1]	DB [2]	TBI [3]	DD [4]
U.S.	5,930,475	5,455,842	1,255	25,418	148,669	MO	109,205	10,121	22	366	865
AL	76,910	6,208	15	254	3,080	MT	15,795	675	7	39	N/A
AK	16,275	1,207	2	43	1,114	NE	42,238	3,033	12	199	1,548
AZ	117,264	10,652	94	335	5,356	NV	46,614	5,293	5	182	N/A
AR	55,197	4,084	4	143	N/A	NH	25,471	2,381	7	67	1,860
CA	649,108	79,165	83	1,607	N/A	NJ	213,727	17,431	24	606	N/A
CO	82,327	5,866	27	504	2,463	NM	45,422	2,527	12	199	3,002
CT	66,339	7,793	12	112	N/A	NY	432,484	30,787	8	945	N/A
DE	18,712	1,434	44	66	1,066	NC	179,738	15,983	27	513	6,742
DC	10,787	759	1	24	493	ND	11,981	928	3	45	1,039
FL	333,117	30,713	75	542	N/A	OH	231,999	19,968	38	1,431	N/A
GA	184,113	16,316	33	408	14,271	OK	99,436	5,202	20	239	15,280
HI	16,779	1,390	6	51	991	OR	74,143	8,665	5	240	N/A
ID	26,387	2,584	51	108	1,816	PA	270,611	27,411	61	622	143
IL	258,906	21,077	23	651	18,301	RI	20,493	2,131	2	64	1,256
IN	153,319	14,159	24	443	N/A	SC	92,344	6,460	12	188	4,379
IA	57,596	644	0	154	N/A	SD	16,900	1,031	3	58	N/A
KS	59,375	3,608	15	137	5,902	TN	116,481	8,314	16	326	5,681
KY	82,239	5,578	11	223	6,654	TX	419,451	47,570	114	1,106	N/A
LA	73,791	4,624	2	220	7,222	UT	69,925	5,285	25	253	2,151
ME	29,019	2,721	0	40	31	VT	12,129	999	4	35	951
MD	91,967	9,898	13	222	2,763	VA	148,002	16,610	24	400	2,334
MA	151,397	15,434	150	9,093	11,217	WA	120,396	11,401	14	323	8,165
MI	176,743	16,414	10	494	2,003	WV	40,293	1,981	14	99	N/A
MN	112,375	16,084	71	420	2,745	WI	104,775	10,402	3	358	449
MS	58,139	3,889	7	157	5,089	WY	12,241	852	0	64	247

Source: United States Department of Education: Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Public Data & Resources; 2014 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Part B Data; www2.ed.gov/programs/osepidea/618-data/index.html.

[1] Autism.

[2] Deaf-Blindness.

[3] Traumatic Brain Injury.

[4] Developmental Delay.

Table 9.4 Special Education—Educational Environment—Students Ages 6 to 21 Served under Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B, that Spent 40 Percent or More Time Inside Regular Class: Fall 2015

State	Number		Regular Class [1]	% [2]
	All Environments	Regular Class [1]		
U.S.	5,930,475	4,817,854		81.2
AL	76,910	69,067		89.8
AK	16,275	14,322		88.0
AZ	117,264	96,952		82.7
AR	55,197	46,009		83.4
CA	649,108	481,145		74.1
CO	82,327	74,441		90.4
CT	66,339	56,658		85.4
DE	18,712	14,855		79.4
DC	10,787	7,770		72.0
FL	333,117	269,649		80.9
GA	184,113	152,148		82.6
HI	16,779	13,113		78.2
ID	26,387	23,242		88.1
IL	258,906	204,191		78.9
IN	153,319	127,896		83.4
IA	57,596	50,768		88.1
KS	59,375	53,155		89.5
KY	82,239	73,352		89.2
LA	73,791	60,156		81.5
ME	29,019	24,938		85.9
MD	91,967	72,495		78.8
MA	151,397	118,510		78.3
MI	176,743	144,655		81.8
MN	112,375	94,443		84.0
MS	58,139	47,341		81.4
MO	109,205	93,088		85.2
MT	15,795	13,551		85.8
NE	42,238	37,102		87.8
NV	46,614	38,848		83.3
NH	25,471	22,444		88.1
NJ	213,727	156,626		73.3
NM	45,422	35,991		79.2
NY	432,484	300,937		69.6
NC	179,738	150,718		83.9
ND	11,981	10,900		91.0
OH	231,999	187,018		80.6
OK	99,436	88,453		89.0
OR	74,143	64,990		87.7
PA	270,611	230,265		85.1
RI	20,493	16,281		79.4
SC	92,344	74,993		81.2
SD	16,900	15,341		90.8
TN	116,481	100,321		86.1
TX	419,451	352,359		84.0
UT	69,925	60,152		86.0
VT	12,129	10,640		87.7
VA	148,002	124,036		83.8
WA	120,396	102,834		85.4
WV	40,293	35,962		89.3
WI	104,775	91,622		87.4
WY	12,241	11,111		90.8

Source: United States Department of Education: Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Public Data & Resources; 2014 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Part B Data; www2.ed.gov/programs/osepidea618-data/index.html.

[1] Number greater than 40 percent in regular class.

[2] Greater than 40 percent as a percent of students in all environments.





Table 9.5 Education—People ages 25 and older with less than a high school education by disability status: 2016

State	Less than High School Education (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]	State	Less than High School Education (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]
	Disability	No Disability			Disability	No Disability	
U.S.	21.7	10.5	11.2	MO	20.5	7.6	12.9
AL	26.5	11.6	14.9	MT	14.8	5.8	9.0
AK	15.9	5.7	10.2	NE	13.9	8.1	5.8
AZ	18.7	11.8	6.9	NV	17.2	13.3	4.0
AR	23.5	11.1	12.4	NH	15.0	5.1	10.0
CA	26.3	16.0	10.4	NJ	20.9	9.1	11.9
CO	13.2	7.7	5.5	NM	21.6	12.2	9.4
CT	20.6	7.2	13.4	NY	25.4	11.4	13.9
DE	18.1	8.4	9.7	NC	22.6	10.4	12.2
DC	20.7	8.0	12.7	ND	19.6	6.3	13.3
FL	20.2	10.6	9.5	OH	19.7	7.4	12.4
GA	23.8	11.2	12.6	OK	19.2	9.8	9.4
HI	17.3	6.2	11.2	OR	15.2	8.3	6.8
ID	15.7	7.8	7.9	PA	20.2	7.5	12.7
IL	21.0	9.3	11.7	RI	25.3	8.6	16.6
IN	20.6	9.4	11.2	SC	24.4	10.3	14.1
IA	16.2	6.8	9.4	SD	18.4	6.2	12.2
KS	15.1	8.1	7.0	TN	24.6	9.7	14.9
KY	26.9	10.4	16.5	TX	25.4	15.2	10.2
LA	28.2	12.0	16.2	UT	12.1	7.4	4.7
ME	16.1	5.2	10.9	VT	14.5	6.4	8.1
MD	18.9	8.2	10.7	VA	20.8	9.0	11.8
MA	20.6	7.4	13.3	WA	16.0	7.9	8.1
MI	19.3	7.2	12.2	WV	25.9	9.4	16.5
MN	14.7	5.7	8.9	WI	15.9	6.1	9.9
MS	28.1	11.9	16.2	WY	14.3	5.0	9.3

Source: Calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, Public Use Microdata Sample. Data represents the civilian, noninstitutional population. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability. [1] The difference in percentage points between people with less education than a high school diploma or general equivalency diploma with and without a disability.

Table 9.6 Education—People ages 25 and older with only a high school education by disability status: 2016

State	High School or General Equivalency Diploma (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]	State	High School or General Equivalency Diploma (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]
	Disability	No Disability			Disability	No Disability	
U.S.	33.9	25.6	8.4	MO	37.8	28.8	9.0
AL	35.2	28.9	6.3	MT	34.9	26.7	8.2
AK	28.3	28.2	0.1	NE	36.7	23.8	12.9
AZ	28.9	22.8	6.1	NV	33.5	28.2	5.3
AR	39.1	32.9	6.2	NH	36.1	24.9	11.2
CA	25.1	19.5	5.7	NJ	37.7	25.9	11.9
CO	30.2	19.9	10.3	NM	30.2	25.4	4.7
CT	34.3	25.8	8.5	NY	32.8	24.8	8.0
DE	35.9	31.1	4.8	NC	31.8	24.2	7.6
DC	34.2	13.9	20.3	ND	35.3	25.6	9.7
FL	34.3	27.6	6.6	OH	41.3	31.3	10.0
GA	34.1	26.1	8.0	OK	35.9	29.5	6.4
HI	36.0	26.0	10.1	OR	29.4	21.4	8.1
ID	35.6	26.2	9.3	PA	43.7	32.8	10.9
IL	33.3	24.5	8.8	RI	35.1	25.9	9.2
IN	40.6	31.9	8.7	SC	32.9	28.0	4.9
IA	38.2	28.5	9.7	SD	33.1	27.8	5.3
KS	36.9	23.7	13.2	TN	38.6	30.6	8.0
KY	37.2	30.6	6.6	TX	29.3	24.1	5.3
LA	36.3	33.3	3.0	UT	28.9	21.7	7.2
ME	38.7	31.3	7.3	VT	40.9	26.3	14.6
MD	34.0	23.8	10.2	VA	31.7	22.5	9.2
MA	33.8	22.5	11.3	WA	29.9	20.7	9.2
MI	36.7	27.3	9.4	WV	43.0	38.5	4.5
MN	36.6	22.8	13.8	WI	39.6	29.2	10.4
MS	33.6	30.1	3.5	WY	36.7	28.0	8.7

Source: Calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, Public Use Microdata Sample. Data represents the civilian, noninstitutional population. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] The difference in percentage points between people with high school diplomas or general equivalency diplomas with and without a disability.





Table 9.7 Education—People ages 25 and older with a 4-year college degree by disability status: 2016

State	College Diploma (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]	State	College Diploma (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]
	Disability	No Disability			Disability	No Disability	
U.S.	10.3	21.4	-11.2	MO	8.7	20.4	-11.7
AL	8.2	17.4	-9.2	MT	13.2	23.6	-10.5
AK	11.2	20.0	-8.7	NE	11.4	23.9	-12.5
AZ	11.0	19.6	-8.6	NV	9.2	16.5	-7.3
AR	6.1	16.4	-10.3	NH	12.4	24.4	-12.0
CA	11.9	22.4	-10.5	NJ	12.5	25.6	-13.1
CO	14.6	26.7	-12.1	NM	11.7	16.9	-5.2
CT	13.1	23.9	-10.8	NY	10.6	22.0	-11.5
DE	14.7	20.4	-5.7	NC	10.0	21.9	-11.9
DC	10.3	26.6	-16.3	ND	10.7	24.2	-13.5
FL	11.3	19.9	-8.6	OH	8.3	19.7	-11.4
GA	9.9	21.0	-11.1	OK	9.5	19.5	-10.0
HI	11.7	24.0	-12.3	OR	12.1	21.9	-9.8
ID	11.3	20.4	-9.1	PA	9.0	21.3	-12.3
IL	10.9	23.0	-12.1	RI	9.4	23.4	-13.9
IN	7.7	18.7	-11.1	SC	9.2	20.2	-11.0
IA	10.6	21.3	-10.7	SD	12.2	22.3	-10.1
KS	9.2	23.5	-14.3	TN	7.4	19.2	-11.8
KY	6.7	16.4	-9.7	TX	10.6	20.8	-10.2
LA	7.3	17.2	-9.9	UT	11.6	23.0	-11.4
ME	8.5	21.8	-13.4	VT	13.1	23.4	-10.2
MD	10.9	22.7	-11.8	VA	12.7	23.7	-11.0
MA	12.0	26.0	-14.0	WA	12.4	24.1	-11.7
MI	8.3	19.3	-11.0	WV	6.5	14.7	-8.2
MN	11.6	24.9	-13.3	WI	10.6	21.6	-11.0
MS	7.6	15.5	-7.9	WY	8.5	19.3	-10.8

Source: Calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, Public Use Microdata Sample. Data represents the civilian, noninstitutional population. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] The difference in percentage points between people with college diplomas with and without a disability.

Table 9.8 Education—People ages 25 and older with more than a 4-year college degree by disability status: 2016

State	Greater than College Education (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]	State	Greater than College Education (%)		Gap (% pts) [1]
	Disability	No Disability			Disability	No Disability	
U.S.	6.4	13.2	-6.9	MO	5.0	12.1	-7.1
AL	4.6	10.8	-6.3	MT	4.5	11.3	-6.8
AK	7.9	11.9	-4.0	NE	5.4	11.9	-6.5
AZ	7.1	11.7	-4.6	NV	5.8	8.7	-2.9
AR	4.6	9.3	-4.7	NH	9.0	15.5	-6.5
CA	7.3	13.2	-6.0	NJ	7.5	16.5	-9.0
CO	9.3	16.3	-7.0	NM	7.6	13.0	-5.4
CT	8.5	18.3	-9.9	NY	8.2	17.0	-8.8
DE	6.8	13.5	-6.7	NC	5.5	12.2	-6.7
DC	13.0	36.8	-23.7	ND	3.7	8.1	-4.4
FL	7.0	11.3	-4.2	OH	4.8	11.8	-7.0
GA	5.7	13.1	-7.4	OK	5.3	9.6	-4.2
HI	7.4	11.7	-4.4	OR	6.7	14.2	-7.4
ID	5.7	9.6	-3.9	PA	5.8	13.6	-7.8
IL	6.6	14.2	-7.6	RI	5.2	15.5	-10.3
IN	5.3	10.4	-5.1	SC	5.6	10.8	-5.1
IA	5.7	10.4	-4.7	SD	3.4	10.5	-7.1
KS	7.3	13.4	-6.1	TN	4.7	10.9	-6.2
KY	3.9	11.3	-7.4	TX	5.8	11.0	-5.2
LA	4.8	9.3	-4.5	UT	7.3	11.9	-4.6
ME	6.5	12.7	-6.2	VT	6.0	16.9	-10.8
MD	10.3	19.8	-9.5	VA	8.0	18.0	-10.0
MA	9.1	20.9	-11.8	WA	6.4	14.4	-8.0
MI	5.3	12.6	-7.3	WV	3.6	10.4	-6.8
MN	6.4	12.5	-6.1	WI	5.7	11.1	-5.4
MS	4.9	9.6	-4.7	WY	6.3	10.2	-4.0

Source: Calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey, Public Use Microdata Sample. Data represents the civilian, noninstitutional population. Based on a sample and subject to sampling variability.
 [1] The difference in percentage points between people with additional education after a college diploma with and without a disability.



Section 10: Vocational Rehabilitation

This section presents statistics on **Vocational Rehabilitation** programs, administered by the **Rehabilitation Services Administration** in the United States. These data concern the number of individuals with disabilities who apply for services, receive services, and find employment (are **successfully rehabilitated**). Presented here categorically, **vocational rehabilitation** agencies often provide services through both state and private rehabilitation agencies (combined), broad state-based services for people (general), and specialized services to people with visual impairments (blind). The tables also address the expenditures associated with **vocational rehabilitation**, as well as whether **vocational rehabilitation** agencies are on **order of selection**. The principal source of this data is the **Rehabilitation Services Administration's** Management Information System. Please note: The statistics presented in this section may vary from those provided by state agencies due to varying methods and analytic procedures.

Tables

Table 10.1: In the **Federal Fiscal Year 2015** state **vocational rehabilitation** agencies processed 506,489 applicants.

Table 10.2: In the **Federal Fiscal Year 2015**, state **vocational rehabilitation** agencies closed 320,155 cases of individuals who either initiated or completed services.

Table 10.3: In the **Federal Fiscal Year 2015**, state **vocational rehabilitation** agencies closed 181,008 cases of individuals who either initiated or completed services in which the individuals entered **successful employment**.

Table 10.4: In the **Federal Fiscal Year 2015**, of 320,155 closed cases of individuals who either initiated or completed services, 56.5 percent achieved **successful employment**, i.e., a **rehabilitation rate** of 56.5 percent.

Table 10.5: In **Federal Fiscal Year 2015**, thirty-five agencies were on **Order of Selection**. Over the period from 2011 to 2015, nineteen states have never had any agency on **Order of Selection**. Over the period from 2011 to 2015, seventeen states have always had all of their agencies on **Order of Selection**.

Table 10.6: From 2014 to 2015, the number of **Vocational Rehabilitation** applicants in the U.S. changed by -2.4 percent.

Table 10.7: From 2014 to 2015, the **rehabilitation rate** in the U.S. changed by -0.3 **percentage points**.

Table 10.1 Vocational Rehabilitation—Applicants: Federal Fiscal Year 2015

State	Agency Type	Applicants	State	Agency Type	Applicants
U.S.	-	506,489	MO	General	13,657
AL	Combined	9,646	MT	Combined	3,098
AK	Combined	1,749	NE	General	5,413
AZ	Combined	5,969	NV	Combined	2,980
AR	General	6,690	NH	Combined	2,313
CA	Combined	36,326	NJ	General	11,897
CO	Combined	5,597	NM	General	3,395
CT	General	3,871	NY	General	36,167
DE	General	2,860	NC	General	20,141
DC	Combined	3,128	ND	Combined	1,390
FL	General	24,273	OH	Combined	19,753
GA	Combined	11,353	OK	Combined	7,181
HI	Combined	1,215	OR	General	1,872
ID	General	6,071	PA	Combined	20,626
IL	Combined	14,722	RI	Combined	2,459
IN	Combined	12,044	SC	General	14,906
IA	General	6,067	SD	General	2,151
KS	Combined	4,507	TN	Combined	6,787
KY	General	12,673	TX	General	37,750
LA	Combined	7,577	UT	Combined	7,553
ME	General	4,115	VT	General	3,978
MD	Combined	7,435	VA	General	9,645
MA	General	9,612	WA	General	9,459
MI	General	17,032	WV	Combined	4,947
MN	General	7,349	WI	Combined	13,927
MS	Combined	7,518	WY	Combined	1,881

Source: U.S. Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration, Management Information System, Ad Hoc Query of the ARR RSA-113 Cumulative Caseload Report; rsa.ed.gov. In some states there are separate agencies for the blind.

Table 10.2 Vocational Rehabilitation—Closures after Services Initiated or Completed: Federal Fiscal Year 2015

State	Agency Type	Closures	State	Agency Type	Closures
U.S.	-	320,155	MO	General	8,301
AL	Combined	6,986	MT	Combined	1,945
AK	Combined	975	NE	General	3,260
AZ	Combined	2,621	NV	Combined	1,652
AR	General	4,250	NH	Combined	2,545
CA	Combined	26,905	NJ	General	6,094
CO	Combined	2,873	NM	General	2,019
CT	General	2,341	NY	General	18,997
DE	General	2,143	NC	General	11,470
DC	Combined	2,311	ND	Combined	744
FL	General	13,478	OH	Combined	12,039
GA	Combined	4,420	OK	Combined	4,644
HI	Combined	600	OR	General	1,131
ID	General	3,863	PA	Combined	15,076
IL	Combined	11,751	RI	Combined	931
IN	Combined	7,003	SC	General	11,123
IA	General	4,047	SD	General	1,122
KS	Combined	3,142	TN	Combined	4,369
KY	General	7,437	TX	General	20,127
LA	Combined	3,667	UT	Combined	5,951
ME	General	1,951	VT	General	3,719
MD	Combined	4,290	VA	General	7,034
MA	General	7,725	WA	General	4,832
MI	General	11,482	WV	Combined	3,605
MN	General	5,018	WI	Combined	8,319
MS	Combined	7,537	WY	Combined	1,128

Source: U.S. Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration, Management Information System, Ad Hoc Query of the ARR RSA-113 Cumulative Caseload Report; rsa.ed.gov. In some states there are separate agencies for the blind.

Table 10.3 Vocational Rehabilitation—Closures with Successful Employment Outcomes: Federal Fiscal Year 2015

State	Agency Type	Successful Closures	State	Agency Type	Successful Closures
U.S.	-	181,008	MO	General	5,063
AL	Combined	4,602	MT	Combined	729
AK	Combined	576	NE	General	2,168
AZ	Combined	1,339	NV	Combined	886
AR	General	3,077	NH	Combined	1,042
CA	Combined	13,416	NJ	General	3,822
CO	Combined	1,686	NM	General	778
CT	General	1,460	NY	General	11,284
DE	General	1,138	NC	General	6,317
DC	Combined	670	ND	Combined	531
FL	General	5,034	OH	Combined	5,562
GA	Combined	2,926	OK	Combined	2,300
HI	Combined	266	OR	General	760
ID	General	2,186	PA	Combined	8,778
IL	Combined	5,923	RI	Combined	643
IN	Combined	4,103	SC	General	6,706
IA	General	2,321	SD	General	769
KS	Combined	1,345	TN	Combined	2,358
KY	General	4,497	TX	General	13,241
LA	Combined	2,347	UT	Combined	3,502
ME	General	1,132	VT	General	1,922
MD	Combined	2,559	VA	General	4,032
MA	General	3,789	WA	General	3,191
MI	General	6,653	WV	Combined	2,090
MN	General	3,104	WI	Combined	4,875
MS	Combined	4,607	WY	Combined	663

Source: U.S. Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration, Management Information System, Ad Hoc Query of the ARR RSA-113 Cumulative Caseload Report; rsa.ed.gov. In some states there are separate agencies for the blind.

Table 10.4 Vocational Rehabilitation—Rehabilitation Rate: Federal Fiscal Year 2015

State	Agency Type	Rehabilitation Rate [1]	State	Agency Type	Rehabilitation Rate [1]
U.S.	-	56.5	MO	General	61.0
AL	Combined	65.9	MT	Combined	37.5
AK	Combined	59.1	NE	General	66.5
AZ	Combined	51.1	NV	Combined	53.6
AR	General	72.4	NH	Combined	40.9
CA	Combined	49.9	NJ	General	62.7
CO	Combined	58.7	NM	General	38.5
CT	General	62.4	NY	General	59.4
DE	General	53.1	NC	General	55.1
DC	Combined	29.0	ND	Combined	71.4
FL	General	37.3	OH	Combined	46.2
GA	Combined	66.2	OK	Combined	49.5
HI	Combined	44.3	OR	General	67.2
ID	General	56.6	PA	Combined	58.2
IL	Combined	50.4	RI	Combined	69.1
IN	Combined	58.6	SC	General	60.3
IA	General	57.4	SD	General	68.5
KS	Combined	42.8	TN	Combined	54.0
KY	General	60.5	TX	General	65.8
LA	Combined	64.0	UT	Combined	58.8
ME	General	58.0	VT	General	51.7
MD	Combined	59.7	VA	General	57.3
MA	General	49.0	WA	General	66.0
MI	General	57.9	WV	Combined	58.0
MN	General	61.9	WI	Combined	58.6
MS	Combined	61.1	WY	Combined	58.8

Source: U.S. Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration, Management Information System, Ad Hoc Query of the ARR RSA-113 Cumulative Caseload Report; rsa.ed.gov. In some states there are separate agencies for the blind. The rehabilitation rate is the number of closures with successful employment outcomes divided by the number of closures after initiating or completing services.
 [1] The number of closures with successful employment outcomes divided by the number of closures after initiating or completing services.

Table 10.5 Vocational Rehabilitation—State Agencies with Individuals on Order of Selection at Fiscal Year-End: 2011 through 2015

State	Agency Type	Federal Fiscal Year				
		11	12	13	14	15
AL	Combined	No	No	No	No	No
AK	Combined	No	No	No	No	No
AZ	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
AR	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
AR	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
CA	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
CO	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
CT	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
CT	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
DE	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
DE	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
DC	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
FL	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
FL	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
GA	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
HI	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
ID	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
ID	General	No	No	No	No	No
IL	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
IN	Combined	No	No	No	No	No
IA	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
IA	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
KS	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
KY	Blind	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
KY	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
LA	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
ME	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
ME	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
MD	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
MA	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
MA	General	No	No	No	No	No
MI	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
MI	General	No	No	No	No	No
MIN	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
MIN	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
MS	Combined	No	No	No	No	No
MO	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
MO	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
MT	Combined	No	No	No	No	No
NE	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
NE	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
NV	Combined	No	No	No	No	No
NH	Combined	No	No	No	No	No
NJ	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
NJ	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
NM	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
NM	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
NY	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
NY	General	No	No	No	No	No
NC	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
NC	General	No	No	No	No	No
ND	Combined	No	No	No	No	No
OH	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
OK	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
OR	Blind	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
OR	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
PA	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
RI	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
SC	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
SC	General	No	No	No	No	No
SD	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
SD	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
TN	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
TX	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
TX	General	No	No	No	No	No
UT	Combined	No	No	No	No	No
VT	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
VT	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
VA	Blind	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
VA	General	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
WA	Blind	No	No	No	No	No
WA	General	No	No	No	No	No
WV	Combined	No	No	No	No	No
WI	Combined	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
WY	Combined	No	No	No	No	No

Source: U.S. Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration, Management Information System, Ad Hoc Query of the ARR RSA-113 Cumulative Caseload Report; rsa.ed.gov. In some states there are separate agencies for the blind.

Table 10.6 Vocational Rehabilitation—Change in the Number of Applicants: 2014 to 2015

State	Agency Type	Applicants		% [1]	State	Agency Type	Applicants		% [1]
		2014	2015				2014	2015	
U.S.	-	519,060	506,489	-2.4	MO	General	13,046	13,657	4.7
AL	Combined	19,640	9,646	-50.9	MT	Combined	3,249	3,098	-4.6
AK	Combined	1,689	1,749	3.6	NE	General	5,558	5,413	-2.6
AZ	Combined	5,744	5,969	3.9	NV	Combined	2,933	2,980	1.6
AR	General	6,546	6,690	2.2	NH	Combined	2,717	2,313	-14.9
CA	Combined	36,563	36,326	-0.6	NJ	General	12,464	11,897	-4.5
CO	Combined	4,861	5,597	15.1	NM	General	3,420	3,395	-0.7
CT	General	3,628	3,871	6.7	NY	General	32,810	36,167	10.2
DE	General	2,615	2,860	9.4	NC	General	20,714	20,141	-2.8
DC	Combined	3,358	3,128	-6.8	ND	Combined	1,165	1,390	19.3
FL	General	25,575	24,273	-5.1	OH	Combined	19,197	19,753	2.9
GA	Combined	8,086	11,353	40.4	OK	Combined	6,646	7,181	8.0
HI	Combined	1,025	1,215	18.5	OR	General	7,679	1,872	-75.6
ID	General	5,584	6,071	8.7	PA	Combined	21,264	20,626	-3.0
IL	Combined	15,709	14,722	-6.3	RI	Combined	2,960	2,459	-16.9
IN	Combined	12,238	12,044	-1.6	SC	General	13,955	14,906	6.8
IA	General	6,036	6,067	0.5	SD	General	2,214	2,151	-2.8
KS	Combined	5,144	4,507	-12.4	TN	Combined	7,692	6,787	-11.8
KY	General	11,861	12,673	6.8	TX	General	34,524	37,750	9.3
LA	Combined	7,383	7,577	2.6	UT	Combined	9,658	7,553	-21.8
ME	General	4,126	4,115	-0.3	VT	General	4,118	3,978	-3.4
MD	Combined	7,919	7,435	-6.1	VA	General	10,704	9,645	-9.9
MA	General	9,659	9,612	-0.5	WA	General	9,728	9,459	-2.8
MI	General	16,920	17,032	0.7	WV	Combined	5,107	4,947	-3.1
MN	General	7,317	7,349	0.4	WI	Combined	12,929	13,927	7.7
MS	Combined	8,220	7,518	-8.5	WY	Combined	1,818	1,881	3.5

Source: U.S. Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration, Management Information System, Ad Hoc Query of the ARR RSA-113 Cumulative Caseload Report, rsa.ed.gov. In some states there are separate agencies for the blind. The rehabilitation rate is the number of closures with successful employment outcomes divided by the number of closures after initiating or completing services.
 [1] Percent Change in Applicants.

Table 10.7 Vocational Rehabilitation—Change in the Rehabilitation Rate: 2014 to 2015

State	Agency Type	Rehabilitation Rate (%)		Change (% pts) [1]	State	Agency Type	Rehabilitation Rate (%)		Change (% pts) [1]
		2014	2015				2014	2015	
U.S.	-	56.8	56.5	-0.3	MO	General	61.7	61.0	-0.7
AL	Combined	69.1	65.9	-3.2	MT	Combined	42.2	37.5	-4.7
AK	Combined	62.4	59.1	-3.3	NE	General	66.3	66.5	0.2
AZ	Combined	49.3	51.1	1.8	NV	Combined	56.2	53.6	-2.6
AR	General	65.8	72.4	6.6	NH	Combined	57.8	40.9	-16.8
CA	Combined	58.1	49.9	-8.3	NJ	General	64.4	62.7	-1.7
CO	Combined	43.6	58.7	15.1	NM	General	40.9	38.5	-2.4
CT	General	61.4	62.4	0.9	NY	General	58.6	59.4	0.8
DE	General	65.5	53.1	-12.4	NC	General	58.1	55.1	-3.0
DC	Combined	58.1	29.0	-29.1	ND	Combined	62.9	71.4	8.4
FL	General	29.9	37.3	7.5	OH	Combined	43.0	46.2	3.2
GA	Combined	64.7	66.2	1.5	OK	Combined	54.8	49.5	-5.3
HI	Combined	30.0	44.3	14.4	OR	General	62.4	67.2	4.8
ID	General	58.2	56.6	-1.6	PA	Combined	56.1	58.2	2.1
IL	Combined	51.8	50.4	-1.4	RI	Combined	59.6	69.1	9.5
IN	Combined	59.5	58.6	-0.9	SC	General	56.1	60.3	4.2
IA	General	59.7	57.4	-2.3	SD	General	70.6	68.5	-2.1
KS	Combined	40.6	42.8	2.2	TN	Combined	58.1	54.0	-4.2
KY	General	53.8	60.5	6.7	TX	General	66.3	65.8	-0.5
LA	Combined	65.5	64.0	-1.5	UT	Combined	52.4	58.8	6.5
ME	General	56.4	58.0	1.6	VT	General	57.9	51.7	-6.2
MD	Combined	59.1	59.7	0.6	VA	General	61.8	57.3	-4.4
MA	General	59.8	49.0	-10.8	WA	General	62.1	66.0	3.9
MI	General	56.0	57.9	1.9	WV	Combined	68.1	58.0	-10.1
MN	General	61.4	61.9	0.4	WI	Combined	60.9	58.6	-2.3
MS	Combined	73.4	61.1	-12.3	WY	Combined	60.1	58.8	-1.3

Source: U.S. Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration, Management Information System, Ad Hoc Query of the ARR RSA-113 Cumulative Caseload Report; rsa.ed.gov. In some states there are separate agencies for the blind. The rehabilitation rate is the number of closures with successful employment outcomes divided by the number of closures after initiating or completing services.
 [1] The difference in percentage points in the rehabilitation rate between 2015 and 2014.



Section 11: Employment Policy

This section presents statistics relevant to disability employment policy research in the United States. Specifically, the data address state **minimum wage rates**, **Social Security disability allowance rates**, **Supplemental Security Income supplementary payments**, and **earned income tax credit rates**.

The data for state **minimum wage rates** are accurate as of August 2016, and were gathered from the **Department of Labor**. The Federal minimum wage is presented as default if a state does not have a minimum wage or if the rate is below the Federal level.

The data for **Social Security disability allowance rates** and **Supplemental Security Income supplementary payments** are from the **Social Security Administration**. More information about allowance rates and supplementary payments can be found in the State Assistance Programs for SSI Recipients report released in January 2011 through the **Social Security Administration**.

The data for **earned income tax credit rates** were found through the **Internal Revenue Service**. The **earned income tax credit rates** are the percent of the federal **earned income tax credit** amount that that can be claimed on state tax returns.

Tables

Table 11.1: In 2016, the states with the highest and lowest **Social Security disability allowance rates** were Alaska and Mississippi, with allowance rates of 53.30 and 23.40 percent.

Table 11.2: In 2016, the states with the highest and lowest **earned income tax credits** were California and Louisiana, with credits of 85.00 and 3.50 percent.

Table 11.3: In 2011, the states with the highest and lowest **Supplemental Security Income Supplementary Payments** were Indiana and Utah, with payments of \$827.06 and \$3.13.

Table 11.4: In 2016, the state with the highest **minimum wage rate** was the District of Columbia with a rate of \$11.50. 21 states have no minimum wage or one that is lower than the Federal Minimum of \$7.25.

Table 11.1 Employment Policy—Social Security Disability Insurance Allowance Rate for People Living in the United States, by State: 2016

State	SSDI Allowance Rate (%)	State	SSDI Allowance Rate (%)
U.S.	-	MO	30.60
AL	27.10	MT	32.30
AK	53.30	NE	38.40
AZ	27.00	NV	38.50
AR	33.30	NH	53.10
CA	32.90	NJ	34.30
CO	37.60	NM	33.10
CT	32.20	NY	36.50
DE	36.10	NC	24.60
DC	40.30	ND	41.60
FL	30.00	OH	33.90
GA	31.10	OK	30.50
HI	29.70	OR	34.60
ID	36.80	PA	36.70
IL	34.30	RI	32.40
IN	28.90	SC	32.50
IA	38.40	SD	34.90
KS	47.30	TN	28.00
KY	29.10	TX	34.70
LA	36.50	UT	43.10
ME	32.40	VT	40.60
MD	32.00	VA	38.00
MA	41.00	WA	40.70
MI	34.90	WV	27.90
MN	36.30	WI	37.00
MS	23.40	WY	46.30

Source: Social Security Administration, SSA State Agency Monthly Workload Data: <https://www.ssa.gov/disability/data/ssa-sa-mowl.htm>.





Table 11.2 Employment Policy—State Earned Income Tax Credits for People Living in the United States: 2016

State	Earned Income Tax Credit Rates (%)	State	Earned Income Tax Credit Rates (%)
U.S.	-	MO	-
AL	-	MT	-
AK	-	NE	10.00
AZ	-	NV	-
AR	-	NH	-
CA	85.00	NJ	-
CO	10.00	NM	-
CT	27.50	NY	30.00
DE	20.00	NC	-
DC	40.00	ND	-
FL	-	OH	5.00
GA	-	OK	5.00
HI	-	OR	8.00
ID	-	PA	-
IL	10.00	RI	12.50
IN	9.00	SC	-
IA	15.00	SD	-
KS	17.00	TN	-
KY	-	TX	-
LA	3.50	UT	-
ME	5.00	VT	32.00
MD	25.50	VA	20.00
MA	23.00	WA	10.00
MI	6.00	WV	-
MN	34.00	WI	-
MS	-	WY	-

Source: Internal Revenue Service, States and Local Governments with Earned Income Tax Credit; <https://www.irs.gov/credits-deductions/individuals/earned-income-tax-credit/states-and-local-governments-with-earned-income-tax-credit>.

Table 11.3 Employment Policy—Monthly Supplemental Security Income Supplementary Payments for People Living in the United States, by State: 2011

State	SSI Supplementary Payments (\$)	Living Arrangements	State	SSI Supplementary Payments (\$)	Living Arrangements
U.S.	-	Not applicable	MO	156.00	Licensed residential care facility - level 1
AL	60.00	Receiving independent home care in private home or personal care home, level of independence A	MT	94.00	Assisted living facility
AK	362.00	Living independently	NE	5.00	Living independently
AZ	-	No Program	NV	109.30	Living independently - blind
AR	-	No Program	NH	27.00	Living independently or in the household of another
CA	171.00	Living independently with cooking facilities - aged and disabled	NJ	31.25	Living alone or with others
CO	25.00	Living independently or in the household of another	NM	100.00	Licensed adult residential care home
CT	168.00	Independent community living	NY	87.00	Living alone
DE	140.00	Certified adult residential care facility	NC	554.00	Adult care home - basic (aged, blind, and disabled)
DC	485.00	Adult foster care home (50 beds or less)	ND	-	No Program
FL	78.40	Adult family care home	OH	506.00	Adult family or foster home
GA	20.00	Medicaid facility	OK	42.00	Living independently
HI	651.90	Foster care home	OR	-	No Program
ID	53.00	Living independently or in the household of another	PA	22.10	Living alone
IL	-	No data available	RI	39.92	Living alone
IN	827.06	Licensed residential facility	SC	483.00	Licensed community residential care facility
IA	22.00	Living independently - blind	SD	15.00	Living independently
KS	32.00	Medicaid facility	TN	-	No Program
KY	520.00	Personal care facility	TX	60.00	Medicaid facility
LA	8.00	Medicaid facility	UT	3.13	Living in the household of another
ME	10.00	Living alone or with others	VT	52.04	Living independently
MD	66.00	Care home - minimal supervision	VA	686.00	Assisted living facility - planning district 8
MA	114.39	Living independently - disabled	WA	46.00	Living independently
MI	14.00	Living independently	WV	-	No Program
MIN	81.00	Living independently	WI	83.78	Living independently
MS	-	No Program	WY	25.00	Living independently

Source: Social Security Administration, State Assistance Programs for SSI Recipients, January 2011; https://www.ssa.gov/policy/docs/progdesc/ssi_st_asst/2011/.





Table 11.4 Employment Policy—Minimum Wage Rates for People Living in the United States, by State: 2016

State	Minimum Wage Rate (\$)	State	Minimum Wage Rate (\$)
U.S.	7.25	MO	7.65
AL	7.25	MT	8.05
AK	9.75	NE	9.00
AZ	8.05	NV	8.25
AR	8.00	NH	7.25
CA	10.00	NJ	9.00
CO	8.31	NM	7.50
CT	9.60	NY	9.00
DE	8.25	NC	7.25
DC	11.50	ND	7.25
FL	8.05	OH	8.10
GA	7.25	OK	7.25
HI	8.50	OR	9.75
ID	7.25	PA	7.25
IL	8.25	RI	9.60
IN	7.25	SC	7.25
IA	7.25	SD	8.55
KS	7.25	TN	7.25
KY	7.25	TX	7.25
LA	7.25	UT	7.25
ME	7.50	VT	9.60
MD	8.75	VA	7.25
MA	10.00	WA	9.47
MI	8.50	WV	8.75
MN	9.50	WI	7.25
MS	7.25	WY	7.25

Source: Department of Labor, Minimum Wage Laws in the States – August 1, 2016, Consolidated State Minimum Wage Update Table; <https://www.dol.gov/whd/minwage/america.htm#Consolidated>.

Glossary

4-year college degree—Having attained a bachelor’s degree and no additional professional degrees. People in this category are ages 25 and over.

Allowance Rate (Initial)—The number of allowances divided by the determinations, expressed as a percentage.

Allowances (Initial)—Fully or partially favorable determinations.

Ambulatory Disability—In the American Community Survey, individuals five or more years old who responded “yes” when asked if they had “serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs.”

American Community Survey (ACS)—The American Community Survey is a large, continuous demographic survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau that will provide accurate and up-to-date profiles of America’s communities every year. Annual and multiyear estimates of population and housing data are generated for small areas, including tracts and population subgroups. This information is collected by mailing questionnaires to a sample of addresses. See the U.S. Census Bureau website for additional details.

Base Population—The sum of a population or an estimate used as the root for evaluation purposes. Typically, the last Census count or the estimate from a previous date is used.

Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey (BRFSS)—The Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) is a state-based system of health surveys that collects information on health risk behaviors, preventive health practices, and health care access primarily related to chronic disease and injury. BRFSS was established in 1984 by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC); currently data are collected monthly in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and Guam. More than 350,000 adults are interviewed each year, making the BRFSS the largest telephone health survey in the world. States use BRFSS data to identify emerging health problems, establish and track health objectives, and develop and evaluate public health policies and programs. Many states also use BRFSS data to support health-related legislative efforts. See the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention website for additional details.

Beneficiary (SSA)—An individual who is receiving benefits, or monthly payments, from Social Security Disability Insurance.

Binge Drinking (BRFSS)—Respondents were asked “[c]onsidering all types of alcoholic beverages, how many times during the past 30 days did you have [5, if male respondent] [4, if female respondent] or more drinks on occasion?” Respondents who reported doing so at least one time were considered to have engaged in binge drinking.

Centers for Medicaid and Medicare Services (CMS)—The federal agency with the United States Department of Health and Human Services that administers the Medicaid and Medicare programs.

Civilian—A person not in active-duty military.

Cognitive Difficulty (ACS)—In the American Community Survey, individuals who indicated “yes” when asked if due to a physical, mental, or emotional problem, they had difficulty remembering, concentrating, or making decisions (DREM).

Current Population Survey-Basic Monthly Survey (CPS-BMS)—The Current Population Survey-Basic Monthly Survey (CPS-BMS) is a monthly survey of about 50,000 households conducted by the Bureau of the Census for the Bureau of Labor Statistics. This survey is the primary source of information on the labor force characteristics of the U.S. population and provides estimates for the nation as a whole. The sample is scientifically selected to represent the civilian non-institutionalized population. Individuals are asked questions about the employment status of each member of the household 15 years of age and older, but published data only focuses on those ages 16 and over. Estimates obtained from the CPSBMS include employment, unemployment, earnings, hours of work, and other indicators. See the U.S. Census Bureau website for additional details.

Current Population Survey-Annual Social and Economic Supplement (CPS-ASEC)—The Current Population Survey Annual Social and Economic Supplement (CPS-ASEC) is an annual survey conducted by the Bureau of the Census. This survey is the primary source of information on income, poverty, and health insurance in the U.S. It also asks about employment in the previous calendar year. The sample for the CPS-ASEC is drawn from the sample of the CPS-BMS. The CPS-ASEC is also known as the CPS March Supplement and the CPS Income Supplement. See the U.S. Census Bureau website for additional details.

Department of Labor (DOL)—The Department of Labor is a US government department responsible for the assessment and management of wage and hour standards, occupational safety, unemployment insurance benefits, reemployment services and some economic statistics.

Determination (Initial)—A determination is the finding made by a state agency on the initial claim made in the designated time period. The finding can be favorable, partially favorable, or unfavorable.

Disability Rating—The disability rating scale is used to track the impairment, disability, or handicap of an individual. The severity of the disability corresponds to the value of the rating and is used to determine eligibility for supports and services and ability to work or return to work.

Disability Status (ACS, BRFSS, CPS-BMS & CPS-ASEC)—The U.S. Census Bureau used six questions to identify persons with disabilities. A response of “yes” to any one of the questions indicates that the person in question has a disability—vision, hearing, cognitive, ambulatory, self-care, and independent living. However, the cognitive, ambulatory, self-care, and independent living related questions are not used to identify disability in individuals less than five years old, and the independent living related question is not used

to identify disability in individuals less than 18 years old.

The ACS, BRFSS, and CPS use a set of six questions to identify persons with disabilities. A response of “yes” to any one of the questions indicates that the person in question has a disability. The disability questions appear in the CPS in the following format:

This month we want to learn about people who have physical, mental, or emotional conditions that cause serious difficulty with their daily activities. Please answer for household members who are 16 years old or over.

- *Is anyone deaf or does anyone have serious difficulty hearing?*
- *Is anyone blind or does anyone have serious difficulty seeing even when wearing glasses?*
- *Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, does anyone have serious difficulty concentrating, remembering, or making decisions?*
- *Does anyone have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?*
- *Does anyone have difficulty dressing or bathing?*
- *Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, does anyone have difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor’s office or shopping?*

Disability Type—See **disability status** and specific definitions in the glossary (Vision Disability, Hearing Disability, Ambulatory Disability, Cognitive Disability, Independent Living Disability, and Self-Care Disability).

Disabled-Worker (SSA)—A worker not yet at full retirement age receiving insurance payments due to a disability.

Earned/Earnings (ACS)—Regularly received income from salaries/wages, self-employment or both, for people 16 or more years old before deductions for personal income taxes, Social Security, bond purchases, union dues, Medicare deductions, etc.

Earned Income Tax—Earned income tax is the tax that is applied to the income a person has earned over a designated time period.

Earned Income Tax Credit—The Earned Income Tax Credit is a refundable tax credit for working individuals who earn low to moderate incomes, providing extra benefits for individuals with children.

Earned Income Tax Credit Rate—The percent of the federal EITC amount that that can be claimed on state tax returns.

Earnings Gap—The difference in percentage earned between two populations, usually people with and without disabilities.

Educational Attainment (ACS)—All individuals 18 years or older are classified based on their highest degree or level of education attained. The categories include:

1. Completed the twelfth grade without receiving a high school diploma.

2. High school graduate meaning received a diploma or General Educational Diploma (G.E.D.), and did not attend college.
3. Some college credit, but less than one year.
4. One or more years of college, but no degree.
5. Associate's degree which includes people who generally completed two years of college level work in an occupational program that prepared them for a specific occupation, or an academic program primarily in the arts and sciences. The course work may or may not be transferable to a bachelor's degree.
6. Bachelor's degree or more which includes individuals who received a bachelor's degree and have taken additional courses but not received a Master's or PhD.
7. Master's degrees include the traditional MA and MS degrees and field-specific degrees, such as MSW and MBA.
8. Professional degrees which includes MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, and JD.
9. Doctorate degrees which include PhD.

Schooling completed in foreign or ungraded school systems is reported as the equivalent level of schooling in the regular American system. Certificates or diplomas for training in specific trades or from vocational, technical, or business schools are not included. Honorary degrees awarded for a respondent's accomplishments are not included.

Employed/Employed Persons (CPS-BMS & CPS-ASEC)—Individuals 16 years or older who are civilians and are not currently institutionalized and, during the reference week; (a) performed at least one hour of work as a paid employee, worked in their own business, profession, or on their own farm, or worked 15 hours or more as an unpaid worker in a business owned by a relative; and (b) all those who had jobs or businesses but are on leave because of vacation, illness, bad weather, childcare problems, maternity or paternity leave, labor-management dispute, job training, or other family or personal reasons, regardless of whether they were compensated for the time off or were seeking other jobs. Each employed person is counted only once, even if he or she holds more than one job. Individuals who work around their own house (painting, repairing, or own home housework) or volunteer for religious, charitable, and other organizations are excluded.

Employed/Employed Persons (ACS)—In the American Community Survey, people who responded as having worked during the past week. See **employed** status for the American Community Survey for greater detail.

Employment/Employment Status (ACS)—In the American Community Survey, individuals were asked a series of questions designed to identify their status. Based on the answers, individuals were classified into one of five groups: (1) people who worked at any time during the reference week; (2) people on temporary layoff who were available for work; (3) people who did not work during the reference week but who had jobs or businesses from which they were temporarily absent (excluding layoff); (4) people who did not work during the

reference week, but who were looking for work during the last four weeks and were available for work during the reference week; and (5) people not in the labor force. The employment status data shown in American Community Survey tabulations relate to people 16 years or older.

Employment Gap—The difference between the percentage of people employed for two different sub-populations, usually people with and without disabilities.

Employment Participation—Individuals who participated in the labor force. Includes all persons classified as employed or unemployed.

Employment-Population Ratio (CPS-BMS)—The proportion of the civilian non-institutional population aged 16 or more years who are employed.

Employment Rate (CPS-ASEC)—The number of individuals that are employed as a percent of the civilian non-institutional population.

Federal Fiscal Year—The United States federal government's fiscal year is the twelve month period ending on September 30th of that year.

Full-Time, Full-Year (CPS-ASEC)—A person is considered to be a working full-time, full-year if he or she worked 35 hours or more per week for 50 to 52 weeks in the past 12 months.

Full-Time, Full-Year Rate (CPS-ASEC)—The number of individuals that are working fulltime, full-year as a percent of the civilian noninstitutional population.

Hearing Disability (ACS)—In the American Community Survey, individuals who indicated “yes” when asked if they were “deaf or ... [had] serious difficulty hearing.”

Health Insurance Coverage (ACS)—In the American Community Survey, health insurance coverage is broadly defined as both private health insurance and public coverage. Respondents are asked to report their current coverage and to mark “yes” or “no” for each of the eight types listed:

1. Insurance through a current or former employer or union (of this person or another family member).
2. Insurance purchased directly from an insurance company (by this person or another family member).
3. Medicare, for people 65 and older, or people with certain disabilities.
4. Medicaid, Medical Assistance, or any kind of government-assistance plan for those with low incomes or a disability.
5. TRICARE or other military health care.
6. VA (including those who have ever used or enrolled for VA health care).
7. Indian Health Service.

8. Any other type of health insurance or health coverage plan.

Health Insurance Coverage (BRFSS)—In the Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, respondents are considered to have health insurance coverage if they respond ‘yes’ to having, “...any kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as HMOs, or government plans such as Medicare, or Indian Health Service?”

Health Insurance Coverage Gap—The difference in percentage points of health insurance coverage between people with and without disabilities.

Income (ACS)—The sum of all wages, salary, commissions, bonuses, and tips; self-employment income from own nonfarm and farm businesses, including proprietorships and partnerships; interest, dividends, net rental income, royalty income, and income from estates and trusts; Social Security and Railroad Retirement income; Supplemental Security Income; any public assistance and welfare payments from the state and local welfare office; retirement, survivor, and disability pensions; and any other sources received regularly such as Veterans Affairs payments, unemployment compensation, child support, and alimony.

Income Maintenance Programs—Government programs that provide direct financial assistance to needy individuals, families, and/ or households. Examples include Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) and general assistance.

Independent Living Disability (ACS)—In the American Community Survey, individuals who indicated “yes” when asked if due to a physical, mental, or emotional condition, they had difficulty “doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor’s office or shopping.”

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA)—A law ensuring services to children with disabilities throughout the nation. IDEA governs how states and public agencies provide early intervention, special education, and related services to more than 6.5 million eligible infants, toddlers, children, and youth with disabilities. Infants and toddlers with disabilities (birth-2) and their families receive early intervention services under IDEA Part C. Children and youth (ages 3-21) receive special education and related services under IDEA Part B.

Internal Revenue Service—The Internal Revenue Service is the federal tax collection agency and has the responsibility of enforcing tax laws for the United States federal government.

Labor Force (CPS-BMS & CPS-ASEC)—All persons classified as employed or unemployed.

Labor Force Participation Rate (CPS-BMS & CPS-ASEC)—The labor force as a percent of the civilian non-institutional population.

Labor Market Attachment (CPS-ASEC)—A person is considered to be attached to the labor market if he or she worked at least 52 hours in the calendar year prior to the survey.

Labor Market Attachment Rate (CPS-ASEC)—The number of individuals attached to the

labor market as a percent of the civilian non-institutional population.

Less than a high school education—Having attained an education through 12th grade without attaining a high school degree or General Equivalency Degree. People in this category are ages 25 and over.

Living in the Community—Describes persons who are residing in the community and who are not living in institutions such as jails, prisons, nursing homes, hospitals, etc.

Median Earnings—The median is the middlemost value of a sample that separates the upper half of the values from the lower half of the values. The median earnings is the amount that divides the income distribution in two equal groups. Half of the people earn more than this value and half of the people earn less than this value.

Medicaid (CMS)—Medicaid is a state administered, but federally required, program to provide health insurance to certain groups of people. States determine specific eligibility requirements, but in general low income individuals, families, children, and pregnant women are eligible for health care coverage under Medicaid. In some states, other groups (such as people with disabilities) are also eligible.

Medicare (CMS)—Medicare is a Federal program that provides health care services to individuals 65 or older, individuals under age 65 with disabilities, and individuals of all ages with end-stage renal failure. There are three programs within Medicare: Part A (hospital insurance), Part B (medical insurance), and Prescription Drug Coverage (new since January 1, 2006). Individuals pay into Part A throughout their careers, and then Part A covers that individual for hospital care. People who are eligible for Medicare have the opportunity to purchase Part B, or medical insurance that covers them for more than just hospital care.

Minimum Wage—A minimum wage is the lowest a person can be paid for hourly work in the US, set by the federal government.

Minimum Wage Rate—The minimum wage rate is set by individual US states. This rate must be equal to or above the federal minimum wage.

More than a 4-year college degree—Having attained a master's, professional, or doctoral degree. People in this category are ages 25 and over.

Non-Institutionalized Population—Describes individuals who are residing in the community and who are not living in institutions such as jails, prisons, nursing homes, hospitals, etc.

OASDI Benefits—The Social Security Administration's Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI) program provides monthly benefits to qualified retired and disabled workers, their dependents and to survivors of insured workers. Eligibility and benefit amounts are determined by the worker's contributions to Social Security.

Obese/Obesity (BRFSS)—The condition where a person has a body mass index greater

than 30.

Office of Special Education Programs—Part of the United States Department of Education, the Office of Special Education Programs' mission is to improve education-related outcomes and experiences of infants, toddlers, children and youth with disabilities ages birth through 21 by providing leadership and financial support at the state and federal level. Their goals include:

- “Fostering and supporting research and the development of knowledge and innovations to improve results for infants, toddlers, children, and youth with disabilities;” and
- “Evaluating, monitoring, and reporting on the implementation of federal policy and programs and the effectiveness of early intervention and educational efforts for infants, toddlers, children, and youth with disabilities.”

Only a high school education—Having attained a high school degree or General Equivalency Degree and no additional education. People in this category are ages 25 and over.

Order of Selection—A state is required by the Federal Government to implement an order of selection when it does not have the funds and/or the personnel to provide services for all eligible individuals with disabilities. This process is detailed under The Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and 34 CFR 361.36. When this situation occurs, a state must classify eligible individuals according to the significance of their disability(ies), and must serve the most significantly disabled first.

Participation in the labor force—See **labor force**.

Percentage Point(s)—A number, count or ratio expressed as a fraction of 100.

Persons with Targeted Disability—People with Targeted Disabilities are recognized and defined by the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission and United States Office of Personnel Management as “[People with]... the most severe disabilities including blindness, deafness, partial and full paralysis, missing extremities, dwarfism, epilepsy, intellectual disabilities, and psychiatric disabilities. Individuals with these disabilities typically have the greatest difficulty finding employment. ... the federal government has a special emphasis on recruiting, hiring, and retaining people with targeted disabilities.”

Prevalence—The proportion of the population with a particular status or condition. Prevalence is usually expressed as a percentage or a number of people per unit of the population.

Prevalence Rate—The prevalence of a particular status or condition estimated over a specific period of time.

Projected Population—Estimates of what the population will be at a future date. The United States Census Bureau definition states that population projections “are typically based on an estimated population consistent with the most recent decennial census and are

produced using the cohort-component method.”

Population—The total number of inhabitants in a defined geographic area including all races, classes, and groups.

Poverty (ACS & CPS-ASEC)—The U.S. Office of Management and Budget in Statistical Policy, Directive 14 sets the standards for which poverty is calculated. The U.S. Census Bureau uses a set of dollar value thresholds that vary by family size and composition to determine who is in poverty. If a family’s total income is less than the dollar value of the appropriate threshold, then that family and every individual in it is considered to be in poverty.

Poverty Gap—The difference between the poverty rates of two populations, usually people with and without disabilities.

Poverty Rate (ACS & CPS-ASEC)—Percent of the population who are determined to be in poverty.

Postsecondary Institutions—In the United States, any education, school, training or program beyond the high school level.

Race (ACS)—Individuals identified themselves as one of six categories in the survey: White, Black or African American, American Indian or Alaska Native, Asian, Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander, and Some Other Race.

Rehabilitation Rate—The number of successful employment outcomes divided by the number of closures after initiating or completing services.

Rehabilitation Services Administration—The Rehabilitation Services Administration is a United States Department of Education agency that helps individuals with disabilities obtain employment and live more independently. Data provided by the Rehabilitation Services Administration can be found in the ‘Ad Hoc Query’ section of their website: <http://rsa.ed.gov>.

Resident Population—All residents (both civilian and Armed Forces) living in the United States (all 50 states and the District of Columbia).

Sampling Variability—The variation of a statistic when estimated from repeated samples.

Seasonally Adjusted Statistics—Statistics that face predictable variation over the course of a year due to seasonal changes (i.e. increases in employment in farming during harvest months) and are adjusted using statistical techniques that attempt to account for these expected seasonal changes.

Self-Care Disability (ACS)—In the American Community Survey, individuals who indicated “yes” when asked if they “have difficulty dressing or bathing.”

Service-Connected Disability Rating—In the American Community Survey, the VA service connected disability rating for an individual who is a veteran. The rating reflects the degree of the veteran’s disability on a scale from 0 to 100 percent, in increments of 10 percent.

Service-Connected Disability Rating Status—In the American Community Survey, the designation associated with individuals who were in the Reserves or National Guard, trained with the Reserves or National Guard, or active duty military that have a disability as a result of disease or injury incurred or aggravated during active military service. These disabilities are defined according to the VA Schedule for Rating Disabilities in Title 38, U.S. Code of Federal Regulations, Part 4.

Smoking (BRFSS)—Respondents were asked about smoking: “Have you smoked at least 100 cigarettes in your entire life?” and “Do you now smoke cigarettes every day, some days, or not at all?” Respondents who reported smoking at least 100 cigarettes in their lifetime and who, at the time of survey, smoked either every day or some days were defined as current smoker (i.e., smoking).

Social Security Administration—The Social Security Administration is an independent agency within the United States federal government managing services supporting people eligible for social security programs. This includes employment-, retirement-, survivor- and disability-related benefits. These benefits are earned by paying Social Security taxes on earnings.

Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)—A monthly benefit paid to disabled workers and certain family members if the worker meets eligibility criteria including evidence of disability and a sufficient work history.

Social Security Income (SSI)—A monthly benefit paid to low-income persons with disabilities if they meet eligibility criteria including evidence of disability.

Social Security Income Supplement—The Social Security Income supplement is managed by individual states to provide extra support for people with disabilities.

Social Security Income Supplementary Payments—Social Security Income Supplementary Payments are extra supplementary payments to people with disabilities on top of the SSI they receive from the federal government. Each state manages the supplementary payments independently.

Special Education—Specially designed instruction, at no cost to the parents, to meet the unique needs of a child with a disability, including (i) instruction at the classroom, home, hospitals and institutions, and in other settings; and (ii) physical education. The term can include each of the following: (i) speech-language pathology services, or any other related service, if the service is considered special education rather than a related service under state standards; (ii) travel training; and (iii) vocational education.

Successful Employment (VR)—The U.S. Department of Education Rehabilitation Services Administration defines successful employment as employment for at least 90 days in an integrated employment setting.

Successfully Rehabilitated—Successful rehabilitation describes achieved vocational rehabilitation outcomes including occupational/ vocational skills training, employment (re-

entering the workforce), technical assistance, and transportation services.

Supplemental Security Income (SSI)—The Social Security Administration pays benefits to disabled adults and children who have limited income and resources. Social Security Income benefits also are payable to people 65 and older without disabilities who meet the financial limits.

Unemployed Persons (CPS-BMS & CPS-ASEC)—Individuals who are 16 years or older and were available to work, who had no employment during the reference week, and had made specific efforts to find employment sometime during the month prior to the reference week.

Unemployment Rate (ACS, CPS-BMS, CPS-ASEC)—The percent of the labor force who do not have a job and are available and looking for work. See **unemployed persons**.

United States Census Bureau—An agency within the United States Federal Statistical System tasked with producing data about the American people and economy. Their primary task is to conduct the United States Census every ten years.

United States Department of Health and Human Services—A department in the United States government tasked with protecting and maintaining the health of all Americans.

Veteran(s)—A person who previously served in the armed forces.

Veteran Benefits—Federal assistance provided to Veterans and their dependents. This includes disability compensation, Veteran’s pension programs, medical care, and educational programs.

Vision Disability—In the American Community Survey, individuals who indicated “yes” when asked if they were “blind or ... have serious difficulty seeing even when wearing glasses.”

Vocational Rehabilitation (VR)—Employment services offered to individuals with mental or physical disabilities. These services are designed to enable participants to attain skills, resources, attitudes, and expectations needed to compete in the interview process, get a job, and keep a job. These services may also help an individual retrain for employment after an injury or mental disorder has disrupted previous employment.

Work Limitation (CPS-ASEC)—A person is considered to have a work limitation if he or she has “a health problem or disability which prevents them from working or which limits the kind or amount of work he or she can do.”

Rehabilitation Research and Training Center on Disability Statistics and Demographics (StatsRRTC)

Policymakers, program administrators, service providers, researchers, advocates for people with disabilities, and people with disabilities and their families need accessible, valid data/statistics to support their decisions related to policy improvements, program administration, service delivery, protection of civil rights, and major life activities. The StatsRRTC supports decision making through a variety of integrated research and outreach activities by (a) improving knowledge about and access to existing data, (b) generating the knowledge needed to improve future disability data collection, and (c) strengthening connections between the data from and regarding respondents, researchers, and decision makers. In this way, the Stats RRTC supports the improvement of service systems that advance the quality of life for people with disabilities.

Led by the University of New Hampshire, the StatsRRTC is a collaborative effort involving the following partners: American Association of People with Disabilities, Center for Essential Management Services, Council of State Administrators of Vocational Rehabilitation, Kessler Foundation, Mathematica Policy Research, and Public Health Institute.

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Employment Policy and Measurement Rehabilitation Research and Training Center (EPM-RRTC)

The EPM-RRTC generates and translates new information about disability employment policy and ways to measure the labor market experiences of people with disabilities. By improving the quality of available information about program interactions, policy options, and employment outcomes, the EPM-RRTC increases evidence-based advocacy and policymaking.

Led by the University of New Hampshire, the EPM-RRTC is a collaborative effort involving the following partners: Association of University Centers on Disability, Hunter College, Kessler Foundation, Mathematica Policy Research, and the University of Chicago.

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