

**Table 1.****Beneficiaries as a percentage of the total resident population and of the population aged 65 or older, by state, 2001**

State	Total population		Population aged 65 or older	
	Number (thousands)	Percentage receiving benefits <sup>a</sup>	Number (thousands)	Percentage receiving benefits <sup>a</sup>
United States	284,797	15.7	35,291	91.2
Alabama	4,464	18.8	584	92.7
Alaska	635	8.9	37	93.9
Arizona	5,307	15.4	692	85.1
Arkansas	2,692	19.6	374	93.2
California	34,501	12.3	3,656	85.7
Colorado	4,418	12.2	426	91.7
Connecticut	3,425	16.9	470	94.8
Delaware	796	16.9	104	92.9
District of Columbia	572	12.8	68	78.6
Florida	16,397	19.8	2,848	85.3
Georgia	8,384	13.4	802	91.4
Hawaii	1,224	15.3	164	87.9
Idaho	1,321	15.2	149	96.1
Illinois	12,482	14.8	1,495	91.7
Indiana	6,115	16.5	753	95.8
Iowa	2,923	18.6	433	96.2
Kansas	2,695	16.4	355	93.7
Kentucky	4,066	18.4	506	92.9
Louisiana	4,465	16.0	517	90.6
Maine	1,287	19.7	185	95.2
Maryland	5,375	13.7	609	88.6
Massachusetts	6,379	16.6	860	91.8
Michigan	9,991	16.6	1,223	96.1
Minnesota	4,972	15.0	597	94.5
Mississippi	2,858	18.2	345	91.9
Missouri	5,630	18.0	754	94.4
Montana	904	17.6	122	94.0
Nebraska	1,713	16.7	231	94.6
Nevada	2,106	14.2	235	91.6
New Hampshire	1,259	16.1	150	97.5
New Jersey	8,484	16.0	1,114	92.5
New Mexico	1,829	15.4	217	89.4
New York	19,011	15.9	2,446	89.5
North Carolina	8,186	16.8	985	94.5
North Dakota	634	18.0	94	95.0
Ohio	11,374	16.8	1,507	93.5
Oklahoma	3,460	17.3	457	93.0
Oregon	3,473	16.4	442	95.6
Pennsylvania	12,287	19.2	1,908	93.6
Rhode Island	1,059	18.2	152	93.6
South Carolina	4,063	17.3	496	92.8
South Dakota	757	18.1	108	96.7
Tennessee	5,740	17.5	712	93.9
Texas	21,325	12.5	2,118	89.7
Utah	2,270	10.8	196	91.2
Vermont	613	17.2	78	95.6
Virginia	7,188	14.7	808	91.2
Washington	5,988	14.3	671	93.4
West Virginia	1,802	22.0	276	93.2
Wisconsin	5,402	16.8	704	96.8
Wyoming	494	15.6	58	95.3

a. Percentage receiving benefits is based on the number of beneficiaries in December 2001.

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.  
Population data for 2001 on which percentages are based are from the U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division.





**Table 4.****Number of beneficiaries with benefits in current-payment status, by type of benefit, sex of beneficiaries aged 65 or older, and county, December 2001**

County	Total	Retirement			Survivors		Disability			Aged 65 or older	
		Retired workers <sup>a</sup>	Spouses	Children	Widowers <sup>b</sup>	Children	Disabled workers	Spouses	Children	Men	Women
Total, New Hampshire <sup>c</sup>	202,984	135,746	9,220	1,422	17,434	6,696	24,124	462	7,880	61,925	84,694
Belknap	12,395	8,555	625	80	940	350	1,365	40	440	4,060	5,080
Carroll	10,180	7,045	610	80	845	300	975	35	290	3,515	4,095
Cheshire	13,325	9,085	585	105	1,155	385	1,500	40	470	4,190	5,630
Coos	8,515	5,380	470	80	935	270	1,040	25	315	2,575	3,535
Grafton	14,710	9,930	830	90	1,360	400	1,540	45	515	4,755	6,205
Hillsboro	54,610	36,365	2,105	380	4,635	1,935	6,835	100	2,255	15,890	23,155
Merrimack	23,040	15,140	965	155	1,950	935	2,865	35	995	6,730	9,710
Rockingham	40,220	27,035	1,860	285	3,435	1,300	4,665	90	1,550	12,410	16,555
Strafford	17,565	11,595	750	95	1,480	525	2,350	40	730	5,135	7,280
Sullivan	8,410	5,605	420	70	700	290	990	15	320	2,660	3,445

a. Includes special age-72 beneficiaries.

b. Includes nondisabled widow(er)s, disabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents.

c. Total includes beneficiaries with unknown county code.

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

Table 5.

**Amount of benefits in current-payment status, by type of benefit, sex of beneficiaries aged 65 or older, and county, December 2001 (in thousands of dollars)**

County	Total	Retirement			Survivors		Disability			Aged 65 or older	
		Retired workers <sup>a</sup>	Spouses	Children	Widow(er)s <sup>b</sup>	Children	Disabled workers	Spouses	Children	Men	Women
Total, New Hampshire <sup>c</sup>	167,295	121,065	4,387	663	15,126	4,303	19,809	86	1,855	63,271	64,651
Belknap	10,240	7,674	296	36	809	222	1,098	8	96	4,148	3,848
Carroll	8,249	6,155	290	33	732	173	791	8	67	3,490	2,992
Cheshire	11,116	8,246	284	48	1,002	240	1,190	7	99	4,316	4,400
Coos	6,634	4,570	205	33	775	171	809	4	66	2,474	2,559
Grafton	12,131	8,905	397	43	1,199	245	1,219	9	115	4,857	4,739
Hillsboro	45,910	33,105	1,028	187	4,092	1,259	5,692	17	530	16,724	18,203
Merrimack	18,961	13,576	462	77	1,702	591	2,309	7	237	6,867	7,557
Rockingham	33,512	24,076	884	136	3,001	888	4,096	18	413	12,723	12,474
Strafford	13,697	9,774	336	42	1,215	329	1,829	5	166	4,951	5,315
Sullivan	6,835	4,973	204	28	600	182	778	3	67	2,716	2,562

a. Includes special age-72 beneficiaries.

b. Includes nondisabled widow(er)s, disabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents.

c. Total includes beneficiaries with unknown county code.

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