



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

**Table 1.**  
**Number of OASDI beneficiaries in current-payment status and total monthly benefits, December 2014**

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries						Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)			Number of beneficiaries aged 65 or older
	Total	Retired workers	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s and parents	Spouses <sup>a</sup>	Children <sup>b</sup>	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s and parents	
North Carolina	1,948,531	1,299,071	332,173	120,801	51,825	144,661	2,375,750	1,724,255	143,751	1,341,149
1	161,884	96,889	35,497	11,102	3,308	15,088	177,385	117,727	11,404	100,854
2	138,722	92,334	22,925	8,768	3,851	10,844	169,103	122,583	10,478	95,998
3	145,412	96,727	24,039	10,063	4,456	10,127	170,639	122,834	11,631	100,428
4	108,119	69,599	19,339	6,713	3,392	9,076	134,091	95,787	8,194	72,925
5	164,726	113,775	25,796	9,919	4,353	10,883	204,709	152,387	12,218	117,028
6	166,391	116,545	25,177	9,750	4,350	10,569	212,482	160,108	12,082	119,906
7	173,772	116,789	28,584	10,990	4,801	12,608	212,873	155,376	12,917	120,318
8	154,555	99,477	29,813	9,169	3,030	13,066	183,060	128,724	10,267	101,059
9	114,294	82,940	12,700	7,132	4,251	7,271	158,277	122,897	10,106	86,840
10	172,382	116,225	30,629	9,969	3,723	11,836	211,248	153,763	12,029	118,262
11	203,552	139,998	32,476	12,676	6,130	12,272	242,733	179,595	14,830	145,261
12	115,566	68,823	26,679	6,638	1,938	11,488	130,342	86,648	7,349	69,710
13	129,156	88,950	18,519	7,912	4,242	9,533	168,809	125,824	10,247	92,560
All areas <sup>c</sup>	59,007,158	39,008,771	8,954,518	4,236,220	2,452,435	4,355,214	71,693,353	51,826,267	5,212,795	42,084,088

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

- a. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.
- b. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired, deceased, or disabled.
- c. Includes beneficiaries in the 50 States, District of Columbia, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, and foreign countries.

**Supplemental Security Income (SSI)** is a federal cash assistance program that provides monthly payments to low-income aged, blind, or disabled persons in the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and the Northern Mariana Islands.

**Table 2.**  
**Number of recipients of federally administered SSI payments and total monthly payments, December 2014**

Congressional district	Number of recipients				Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients	
	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With OASDI <sup>a</sup>	Aged 65 or older
North Carolina	235,300	18,590	1,782	214,928	127,056	5,066	902	121,087	81,935	43,574
1	38,863	2,892	266	35,705	20,640	637	126	19,876	14,680	7,826
2	15,469	1,225	114	14,130	8,447	354	56	8,038	5,095	2,706
3	16,948	1,270	125	15,553	8,895	298	65	8,532	6,308	3,109
4	16,621	1,301	141	15,179	9,195	441	73	8,680	5,106	2,773
5	14,040	1,114	131	12,795	7,503	276	60	7,167	4,834	2,483
6	14,096	1,279	94	12,723	7,482	330	49	7,104	5,161	2,767
7	19,713	1,491	130	18,092	10,210	328	65	9,817	7,474	3,966
8	22,195	1,418	151	20,626	12,221	344	74	11,803	7,505	3,723
9	6,596	981	45	5,570	3,647	396	27	3,224	1,808	1,528
10	19,690	1,304	150	18,236	10,861	340	87	10,434	6,779	3,133
11	16,849	1,365	144	15,340	8,750	340	70	8,340	6,582	3,404
12	25,252	2,074	207	22,971	14,457	722	109	13,626	7,651	4,364
13	8,968	876	84	8,008	4,749	262	41	4,445	2,952	1,792
<b>All areas<sup>b</sup></b>	<b>8,335,704</b>	<b>1,151,940</b>	<b>67,383</b>	<b>7,116,381</b>	<b>4,686,279</b>	<b>484,313</b>	<b>37,911</b>	<b>4,164,055</b>	<b>2,749,128</b>	<b>2,122,871</b>

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

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

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

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