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Table 40.
Blind and disabled recipients who work, selected months 1976–2019

Month	All blind and disabled recipients ^a	Blind and disabled recipients who work			Total as a percentage of all blind and disabled recipients
		Total	Receiving SSI ^b	Section 1619(b) participants	
December					
1976	2,088,242	70,719	70,719	...	3.4
1977	2,186,771	83,697	83,697	...	3.8
1978	2,249,025	87,697	87,697	...	3.9
1979	2,277,859	92,270	92,270	...	4.1
1980	2,334,241	99,276	99,276	...	4.3
1981	2,340,785	102,632	102,632	...	4.4
1982	2,314,364	107,803	102,288	5,515	4.7
1983	2,391,262	113,899	108,734	5,165	4.8
1984	2,499,046	--	--	--	--
1985	2,633,552	--	--	--	--
1986	2,795,756	--	--	--	--
1987	2,945,244	172,855	157,223	15,632	5.9
1988	3,046,074	189,144	173,519	15,625	6.2
1989	3,172,270	205,837	187,583	18,254	6.5
1990	3,386,603	219,932	196,415	23,517	6.5
1991	3,681,050	229,619	202,355	27,264	6.2
1992	4,126,816	248,917	217,268	31,649	6.0
1993	4,544,777	265,649	230,350	35,299	5.8
1994	4,870,564	282,476	241,793	40,683	5.8
1995	5,115,014	298,635	251,633	47,002	5.8
1996	5,252,991	308,300	256,395	51,905	5.9
1997	5,189,724	319,855	262,766	57,089	6.2
1998	5,293,829	326,475	266,933	59,542	6.2
1999	5,317,861	340,618	271,353	69,265	6.4
2000	5,395,935	360,427	276,855	83,572	6.7
2001	5,500,481	346,110	269,655	76,455	6.3
2002	5,618,506	340,910	258,733	82,177	6.1
2003	5,740,683	323,682	252,585	71,097	5.6
2004	5,850,359	328,204	254,523	73,681	5.6
2005	5,977,788	336,570	258,365	78,205	5.6
2006	6,113,277	349,420	260,070	89,350	5.7
2007	6,252,564	357,344	259,793	97,551	5.7
2008	6,416,726	355,761	256,280	99,481	5.5
2009	6,582,261	340,175	248,641	91,534	5.2
2010	6,801,164	318,537	245,786	72,751	4.7
2011	6,996,435	312,779	247,011	65,768	4.5
2012	7,174,617	313,655	245,728	67,927	4.4
2013	7,274,177	312,068	244,250	67,818	4.3
2014	7,253,997	314,912	244,679	70,233	4.3
2015	7,228,405	328,008	251,675	76,333	4.5
2016	7,167,151	336,837	256,258	80,579	4.7
2017	7,140,090	342,217	253,327	88,890	4.8
2018	7,054,273	342,046	247,338	94,708	4.8
2019	7,012,277	342,207	240,131	102,076	4.9

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Table 40.
Blind and disabled recipients who work, selected months 1976–2019—Continued

Month	All blind and disabled recipients ^a	Blind and disabled recipients who work			Total as a percentage of all blind and disabled recipients
		Total	Receiving SSI ^b	Section 1619(b) participants	
2017					
March	7,172,669	336,264	254,394	81,870	4.7
June	7,152,836	339,346	254,194	85,152	4.7
September	7,146,807	342,168	254,018	88,150	4.8
December	7,140,090	342,217	253,327	88,890	4.8
2018					
March	7,112,676	339,085	249,662	89,423	4.8
June	7,091,690	341,431	248,576	92,855	4.8
September	7,079,001	343,446	247,385	96,061	4.9
December	7,054,273	342,046	247,338	94,708	4.8
2019					
March	7,028,928	339,969	246,202	93,767	4.8
June	7,025,035	342,764	245,870	96,894	4.9
September	7,035,013	345,423	244,779	100,644	4.9
December	7,012,277	342,207	240,131	102,076	4.9

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTES: . . . = not applicable; -- = not available.

a. Includes section 1619(b) participants.

b. Includes section 1619(a) participants and SSI recipients earning less than the substantial gainful activity level (\$1,260 effective January 2020).

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Table 41.
Blind and disabled recipients who work, by state or other area, December 2019

State or area	All blind and disabled recipients	Recipients who work	
		Number	Percentage of all blind and disabled recipients
All areas	7,012,277	342,207	4.9
Alabama	153,622	4,176	2.7
Alaska	10,906	698	6.4
Arizona	103,205	4,675	4.5
Arkansas	100,573	4,089	4.1
California	881,283	40,214	4.6
Colorado	63,083	4,134	6.6
Connecticut	60,557	4,094	6.8
Delaware	16,075	1,013	6.3
District of Columbia	23,779	846	3.6
Florida	435,965	14,525	3.3
Georgia	235,661	8,184	3.5
Hawaii	17,667	808	4.6
Idaho	30,023	2,306	7.7
Illinois	237,125	13,185	5.6
Indiana	123,847	6,923	5.6
Iowa	49,906	5,282	10.6
Kansas	45,411	3,973	8.7
Kentucky	163,774	5,033	3.1
Louisiana	164,399	5,696	3.5
Maine	35,606	2,042	5.7
Maryland	108,286	6,138	5.7
Massachusetts	161,174	9,967	6.2
Michigan	255,032	14,159	5.6
Minnesota	84,747	10,392	12.3
Mississippi	108,904	2,659	2.4
Missouri	131,245	7,506	5.7
Montana	16,705	1,728	10.3
Nebraska	26,839	2,802	10.4
Nevada	42,380	2,164	5.1
New Hampshire	18,100	1,736	9.6
New Jersey	143,542	7,628	5.3
New Mexico	54,599	1,967	3.6
New York	512,964	19,633	3.8
North Carolina	213,734	9,206	4.3
North Dakota	7,961	1,033	13.0
Ohio	295,774	18,754	6.3
Oklahoma	91,806	4,015	4.4
Oregon	80,836	5,146	6.4
Pennsylvania	334,065	17,121	5.1
Rhode Island	29,708	1,563	5.3
South Carolina	108,208	4,960	4.6
South Dakota	13,336	1,543	11.6
Tennessee	165,377	5,088	3.1
Texas	546,861	21,438	3.9
Utah	29,665	3,106	10.5

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Table 41.

Blind and disabled recipients who work, by state or other area, December 2019—Continued

State or area	All blind and disabled recipients	Recipients who work	
		Number	Percentage of all blind and disabled recipients
Vermont	14,620	1,308	8.9
Virginia	139,829	6,860	4.9
Washington	133,823	7,428	5.6
West Virginia	69,126	1,798	2.6
Wisconsin	112,828	10,772	9.5
Wyoming	6,827	665	9.7
Outlying area			
Northern Mariana Islands	909	28	3.1

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTE: Includes section 1619(b) participants.

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Table 42.
Percentage distribution of all blind and disabled recipients and those who work aged 18–64, by diagnostic group, December 2019

Diagnostic group	All blind and disabled recipients	Recipients who work ^a
Total		
Number	4,646,559	324,018
Percent	100.0	100.0
Congenital anomalies	1.2	2.6
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	2.0	0.9
Infectious and parasitic diseases	1.1	0.8
Injuries	2.4	1.3
Mental disorders		
Autistic disorders	3.7	9.2
Developmental disorders	0.8	1.6
Childhood and adolescent disorders not elsewhere classified	1.0	2.3
Intellectual disability	18.9	33.8
Mood disorders	14.8	10.2
Organic mental disorders	3.3	3.8
Schizophrenic and other psychotic disorders	8.7	5.8
Other mental disorders	6.0	5.4
Neoplasms	1.3	0.9
Diseases of the—		
Blood and blood-forming organs	0.4	0.5
Circulatory system	4.2	1.5
Digestive system	0.9	0.5
Genitourinary system	1.1	0.8
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	15.3	6.3
Nervous system and sense organs ^b	8.1	8.9
Respiratory system	2.1	0.9
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	0.2	0.1
Other	0.3	0.4
Unknown	2.0	1.7

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

a. Includes section 1619(b) participants.

b. Most disabled recipients classified as blind are included in this category. A few blind recipients with a primary impairment other than diseases of the eye are coded in other categories. Also, a few recipients are classified with diseases of the eye, but their impairment does not meet the definition of blindness.

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Table 43.

All blind and disabled recipients, those who work, and section 1619(b) participants aged 18–64, by age, December 2019

Age	All blind and disabled recipients ^a		Recipients who work ^a		Section 1619(b) participants	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percentage of all blind and disabled recipients	Number	Percentage of all blind and disabled recipients
Total	4,743,478	100.0	324,018	6.8	96,919	2.0
18–21	315,746	6.7	30,293	9.6	3,678	1.2
22–25	304,964	6.4	46,316	15.2	11,787	3.9
26–29	342,237	7.2	51,348	15.0	16,412	4.8
30–39	753,676	15.9	82,415	10.9	26,813	3.6
40–49	756,449	15.9	44,413	5.9	15,328	2.0
50–59	1,445,912	30.5	48,344	3.3	15,749	1.1
60–64	824,494	17.4	20,889	2.5	7,152	0.9

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

a. Includes section 1619(b) participants.

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Table 44.
Blind and disabled recipients in December 2018, by program status and earnings in December 2019

Program status in December 2018	Total	Receiving payments in December 2019			Not receiving payments in December 2019					
		Section 1619(a)	Have earnings	No earnings	Ineligible because of earned income			Other excess income	Other nonpay	
					Section 1619(b)	Reasons no longer eligible				
						Do not need or use Medicaid	Can pay for equivalent coverage			Both
All blind and disabled recipients	6,971,113	13,571	212,532	6,037,032	102,867	267	133	109	126,151	478,451
Receiving payments										
Section 1619(a)	14,529	4,210	2,544	2,726	2,749	8	4	6	450	1,832
Have earnings	233,561	3,034	155,545	38,550	11,667	20	8	3	5,830	18,904
No earnings	6,622,921	4,841	49,526	5,983,694	26,535	55	17	23	111,641	446,589
Not receiving payments										
Section 1619(b)	100,102	1,486	4,917	12,062	61,916	184	104	77	8,230	11,126

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

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Table 45.
Blind and disabled recipients who work, by state or other area, December 2019

State or area	Total	Section 1619(a) participants		Section 1619(b) participants		Other blind and disabled recipients who work	
		Number	Percentage of total	Number	Percentage of total	Number	Percentage of total
All areas	342,207	14,368	4.2	102,076	29.8	225,763	66.0
Alabama	4,176	195	4.7	1,300	31.1	2,681	64.2
Alaska	698	30	4.3	220	31.5	448	64.2
Arizona	4,675	197	4.2	1,566	33.5	2,912	62.3
Arkansas	4,089	149	3.6	999	24.4	2,941	71.9
California	40,214	2,511	6.2	11,406	28.4	26,297	65.4
Colorado	4,134	148	3.6	1,255	30.4	2,731	66.1
Connecticut	4,094	126	3.1	1,089	26.6	2,879	70.3
Delaware	1,013	44	4.3	300	29.6	669	66.0
District of Columbia	846	76	9.0	390	46.1	380	44.9
Florida	14,525	684	4.7	4,710	32.4	9,131	62.9
Georgia	8,184	359	4.4	2,563	31.3	5,262	64.3
Hawaii	808	29	3.6	308	38.1	471	58.3
Idaho	2,306	114	4.9	754	32.7	1,438	62.4
Illinois	13,185	547	4.1	3,431	26.0	9,207	69.8
Indiana	6,923	255	3.7	2,029	29.3	4,639	67.0
Iowa	5,282	170	3.2	1,456	27.6	3,656	69.2
Kansas	3,973	101	2.5	940	23.7	2,932	73.8
Kentucky	5,033	181	3.6	1,404	27.9	3,448	68.5
Louisiana	5,696	258	4.5	1,751	30.7	3,687	64.7
Maine	2,042	74	3.6	744	36.4	1,224	59.9
Maryland	6,138	316	5.1	1,990	32.4	3,832	62.4
Massachusetts	9,967	407	4.1	3,416	34.3	6,144	61.6
Michigan	14,159	604	4.3	4,182	29.5	9,373	66.2
Minnesota	10,392	337	3.2	2,838	27.3	7,217	69.4
Mississippi	2,659	103	3.9	838	31.5	1,718	64.6
Missouri	7,506	210	2.8	2,115	28.2	5,181	69.0
Montana	1,728	38	2.2	431	24.9	1,259	72.9
Nebraska	2,802	80	2.9	604	21.6	2,118	75.6
Nevada	2,164	78	3.6	559	25.8	1,527	70.6
New Hampshire	1,736	73	4.2	594	34.2	1,069	61.6
New Jersey	7,628	259	3.4	2,056	27.0	5,313	69.7
New Mexico	1,967	76	3.9	613	31.2	1,278	65.0
New York	19,633	995	5.1	7,472	38.1	11,166	56.9
North Carolina	9,206	276	3.0	2,476	26.9	6,454	70.1
North Dakota	1,033	22	2.1	281	27.2	730	70.7
Ohio	18,754	607	3.2	5,013	26.7	13,134	70.0
Oklahoma	4,015	135	3.4	1,211	30.2	2,669	66.5
Oregon	5,146	253	4.9	1,695	32.9	3,198	62.1
Pennsylvania	17,121	687	4.0	5,129	30.0	11,305	66.0
Rhode Island	1,563	72	4.6	459	29.4	1,032	66.0
South Carolina	4,960	136	2.7	1,218	24.6	3,606	72.7
South Dakota	1,543	21	1.4	432	28.0	1,090	70.6
Tennessee	5,088	187	3.7	1,653	32.5	3,248	63.8
Texas	21,438	960	4.5	6,654	31.0	13,824	64.5
Utah	3,106	88	2.8	806	25.9	2,212	71.2

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Table 45.
Blind and disabled recipients who work, by state or other area, December 2019—Continued

State or area	Total	Section 1619(a) participants		Section 1619(b) participants		Other blind and disabled recipients who work	
		Number	Percentage of total	Number	Percentage of total	Number	Percentage of total
Vermont	1,308	62	4.7	479	36.6	767	58.6
Virginia	6,860	287	4.2	1,903	27.7	4,670	68.1
Washington	7,428	361	4.9	2,811	37.8	4,256	57.3
West Virginia	1,798	81	4.5	561	31.2	1,156	64.3
Wisconsin	10,772	276	2.6	2,766	25.7	7,730	71.8
Wyoming	665	29	4.4	193	29.0	443	66.6
Outlying area							
Northern Mariana Islands	28	4	14.3	13	46.4	11	39.3

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

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Table 46.
Blind and disabled recipients who work and their average earnings, by selected characteristics,
December 2019

Characteristic	Number	Percent	Average earnings (dollars)
Total	342,207	100.0	860
Age			
Under 18	2,967	0.9	902
18–21	30,293	8.9	756
22–25	46,316	13.5	852
26–29	51,348	15.0	924
30–39	82,415	24.1	903
40–49	44,413	13.0	906
50–59	48,344	14.1	871
60–64	20,889	6.1	792
65 or older	15,222	4.4	563
Sex			
Male	192,876	56.4	871
Female	149,331	43.6	846
Earned income ^a			
Wages	316,761	92.6	899
Self-employment income	27,491	8.0	466
Earnings (dollars)			
65 or less	47,199	13.8	39
66–99	12,337	3.6	82
100–199	31,294	9.1	142
200–299	25,967	7.6	240
300–399	22,405	6.5	339
400–499	19,491	5.7	438
500–599	19,150	5.6	535
600–699	17,179	5.0	637
700–799	14,962	4.4	740
800–899	14,265	4.2	836
900–999	11,313	3.3	937
1,000–1,099	12,149	3.6	1,031
1,100–1,199	8,177	2.4	1,139
1,200–1,299	9,317	2.7	1,232
1,300–1,399	6,272	1.8	1,338
1,400–1,499	5,590	1.6	1,437
1,500–1,599	6,712	2.0	1,529
1,600–1,699	5,716	1.7	1,636
1,700–1,799	4,715	1.4	1,740
1,800–1,899	4,764	1.4	1,832
1,900 or more	43,233	12.6	2,861
Unearned income ^a			
None	199,900	58.4	1,009
Social Security benefits	122,617	35.8	592
Other pensions	2,323	0.7	738
Income based on need	228	0.1	1,022
Asset income	1,473	0.4	655
Other	21,470	6.3	968

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Table 46.
Blind and disabled recipients who work and their average earnings, by selected characteristics,
December 2019—Continued

Characteristic	Number	Percent	Average earnings (dollars)
Work incentives ^a			
Section 1619(a)	14,368	4.2	1,492
Section 1619(b)	102,076	29.8	1,750
Plan to achieve self-support (PASS) ^b	157	(L)	1,106
Impairment-related work expenses (IRWE)	2,941	0.9	895
Blind work expenses (BWE)	876	0.3	1,440

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTES: Includes section 1619(b) participants.

(L) = less than 0.05 percent.

a. The sum of the entries may be greater than the total because some recipients may receive more than one type of earned or unearned income or both earned and unearned income, or they may benefit from more than one work incentive provision.

b. Number of working recipients with a PASS. See Tables 53–56 for data on all recipients with a PASS.

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Table 47.
Number of section 1619 participants and percentage change from prior period, selected months
1982–2019

Month	Section 1619(a) participants		Section 1619(b) participants ^a	
	Number	Percentage change from prior period	Number	Percentage change from prior period
December				
1982	287	...	5,515	...
1983	392	36.6	5,165	-6.3
1984	--	--	--	--
1985	--	--	--	--
1986	--	--	--	--
1987	14,559	...	15,632	...
1988	19,920	36.8	15,625	b
1989	25,655	28.8	18,254	16.8
1990	13,994	-45.5	23,517	28.8
1991	15,531	11.0	27,264	15.9
1992	17,603	13.3	31,649	16.1
1993	20,028	13.8	35,299	11.5
1994	24,315	21.4	40,683	15.3
1995	28,060	15.4	47,002	15.5
1996	31,085	10.8	51,905	10.4
1997	34,673	11.5	57,089	10.0
1998	37,271	7.5	59,542	4.3
1999	25,528	-31.5	69,265	16.3
2000	27,542	7.9	83,572	20.7
2001	22,100	-19.8	76,455	-8.5
2002	17,271	-21.9	82,177	7.5
2003	17,132	-0.8	71,097	-13.5
2004	17,114	-0.1	73,681	3.6
2005	17,621	3.0	78,205	6.1
2006	17,394	-1.3	89,350	14.3
2007	16,939	-2.6	97,551	9.2
2008	16,142	-4.7	99,481	2.0
2009	11,900	-26.3	91,534	-8.0
2010	11,305	-5.0	72,751	-20.5
2011	11,763	4.1	65,768	-9.6
2012	11,813	0.4	67,927	3.3
2013	12,054	2.0	67,818	-0.2
2014	12,757	5.8	70,233	3.6
2015	13,098	2.7	76,333	8.7
2016	13,480	2.9	80,579	5.6
2017	15,210	12.8	88,890	10.3
2018	14,443	-5.0	94,708	6.5
2019	14,368	-0.5	102,076	7.8

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Table 47.
Number of section 1619 participants and percentage change from prior period, selected months
1982–2019—Continued

Month	Section 1619(a) participants		Section 1619(b) participants ^a	
	Number	Percentage change from prior period	Number	Percentage change from prior period
2017				
March	13,674	1.4	81,870	1.6
June	14,164	3.6	85,152	4.0
September	14,600	3.1	88,150	3.5
December	15,210	4.2	88,890	0.8
2018				
March	14,938	-1.8	89,423	0.6
June	15,464	3.5	92,855	3.8
September	15,972	3.3	96,061	3.5
December	14,443	-9.6	94,708	-1.4
2019				
March	14,286	-1.1	93,767	-1.0
June	14,735	3.1	96,894	3.3
September	14,912	1.2	100,644	3.9
December	14,368	-3.6	102,076	1.4

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTES: When the substantial gainful activity (SGA) level is periodically raised, SSI recipients with earnings below the increased SGA level become eligible for regular SSI benefits rather than the special cash payments under section 1619(a). This can lead to decreases in the number of 1619(a) participants.

. . . = not applicable; -- = not available.

a. Includes blind participants. Of the 102,076 participants in December 2019, 1,474 were blind.

b. Between zero and -0.05 percent.

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Table 48.

Ranking of state or other area, by section 1619 participants as a percentage of all blind and disabled recipients in state aged 18–64, December 2019

State or area	Ranking	All blind and disabled recipients ^a	Section 1619 participants	
			Number	Percent
All areas		4,743,478	111,034	2.34
Minnesota	1	59,574	3,063	5.14
North Dakota	2	5,864	298	5.08
South Dakota	3	9,378	439	4.68
Vermont	4	11,463	527	4.60
New Hampshire	5	14,459	660	4.56
Iowa	6	36,803	1,587	4.31
Wyoming	7	5,190	213	4.10
Utah	8	21,680	877	4.05
Idaho	9	22,041	849	3.85
Wisconsin	10	79,769	2,945	3.69
Montana	11	12,336	443	3.59
Massachusetts	12	109,629	3,688	3.36
Nebraska	13	20,113	667	3.32
Washington	14	96,211	3,072	3.19
Oregon	15	59,320	1,876	3.16
Kansas	16	32,260	992	3.08
Alaska	17	8,069	244	3.02
Delaware	18	10,941	328	3.00
Colorado	19	45,878	1,351	2.94
Maryland	20	75,977	2,221	2.92
Maine	21	27,514	789	2.87
Connecticut	22	42,232	1,181	2.80
Northern Mariana Islands	23	590	16	2.71
District of Columbia	24	16,435	437	2.66
New York	25	315,847	8,075	2.56
Ohio	26	215,232	5,389	2.50
Pennsylvania	27	225,222	5,572	2.47
Hawaii	28	12,725	314	2.47
Michigan	29	186,478	4,573	2.45
Indiana	30	90,672	2,214	2.44
Rhode Island	31	21,335	517	2.42
Arizona	32	70,587	1,664	2.36
New Jersey	33	94,799	2,216	2.34
Illinois	34	163,898	3,822	2.33
California	35	550,676	12,789	2.32
Missouri	36	97,136	2,236	2.30
Texas	37	338,021	7,207	2.13
Virginia	38	99,725	2,096	2.10
Oklahoma	39	66,321	1,296	1.95
Nevada	40	31,569	616	1.95
Florida	41	268,205	5,068	1.89
North Carolina	42	150,107	2,642	1.76
New Mexico	43	37,113	652	1.76
Louisiana	44	109,188	1,907	1.75
Georgia	45	160,562	2,790	1.74

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Table 48.
Ranking of state or other area, by section 1619 participants as a percentage of all blind and disabled recipients in state aged 18–64, December 2019—Continued

State or area	Ranking	All blind and disabled recipients ^a	Section 1619 participants	
			Number	Percent
South Carolina	46	75,209	1,296	1.72
Arkansas	47	65,866	1,092	1.66
Tennessee	48	120,885	1,762	1.46
Kentucky	49	115,394	1,524	1.32
Alabama	50	111,223	1,443	1.30
West Virginia	51	51,507	614	1.19
Mississippi	52	74,250	885	1.19

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

a. Includes section 1619(b) participants.

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Table 49.
Section 1619(a) participants and their average earnings, by state or other area, selected months
2018–2019

State or area	December 2018		September 2019		December 2019	
	Number	Average earnings (dollars)	Number	Average earnings (dollars)	Number	Average earnings (dollars)
All areas	14,443	1,453	14,912	1,456	14,368	1,492
Alabama	179	1,435	190	1,431	195	1,461
Alaska	36	1,429	30	1,445	30	1,482
Arizona	202	1,423	219	1,425	197	1,476
Arkansas	147	1,419	154	1,437	149	1,463
California	2,674	1,554	2,730	1,560	2,511	1,591
Colorado	144	1,418	156	1,426	148	1,448
Connecticut	109	1,459	117	1,460	126	1,472
Delaware	40	1,462	50	1,420	44	1,498
District of Columbia	54	1,416	54	1,455	76	1,459
Florida	653	1,414	691	1,428	684	1,468
Georgia	355	1,414	410	1,418	359	1,456
Hawaii	29	1,404	40	1,439	29	1,488
Idaho	95	1,432	93	1,466	114	1,497
Illinois	520	1,418	515	1,430	547	1,464
Indiana	232	1,454	250	1,441	255	1,476
Iowa	149	1,456	151	1,452	170	1,528
Kansas	101	1,417	103	1,421	101	1,481
Kentucky	200	1,438	181	1,460	181	1,489
Louisiana	272	1,408	279	1,414	258	1,445
Maine	71	1,438	86	1,447	74	1,496
Maryland	278	1,413	308	1,436	316	1,465
Massachusetts	443	1,441	412	1,432	407	1,471
Michigan	629	1,440	648	1,435	604	1,468
Minnesota	306	1,449	318	1,438	337	1,485
Mississippi	107	1,421	118	1,445	103	1,452
Missouri	225	1,433	216	1,429	210	1,481
Montana	41	1,422	42	1,426	38	1,487
Nebraska	75	1,463	79	1,466	80	1,485
Nevada	80	1,450	101	1,442	78	1,496
New Hampshire	60	1,470	70	1,446	73	1,469
New Jersey	293	1,466	255	1,449	259	1,486
New Mexico	76	1,412	74	1,460	76	1,472
New York	1,074	1,429	1,017	1,431	995	1,471
North Carolina	297	1,416	305	1,428	276	1,467
North Dakota	25	1,415	21	1,421	22	1,496
Ohio	552	1,434	653	1,435	607	1,485
Oklahoma	130	1,442	134	1,433	135	1,479
Oregon	234	1,434	264	1,429	253	1,458
Pennsylvania	630	1,419	666	1,430	687	1,472
Rhode Island	65	1,401	78	1,422	72	1,454
South Carolina	141	1,425	174	1,411	136	1,445
South Dakota	39	1,460	38	1,447	21	1,564
Tennessee	196	1,418	202	1,430	187	1,461
Texas	1,010	1,425	1,000	1,431	960	1,464
Utah	84	1,415	92	1,446	88	1,451

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Table 49.
Section 1619(a) participants and their average earnings, by state or other area, selected months
2018–2019—Continued

State or area	December 2018		September 2019		December 2019	
	Number	Average earnings (dollars)	Number	Average earnings (dollars)	Number	Average earnings (dollars)
Vermont	56	1,469	51	1,522	62	1,561
Virginia	264	1,421	299	1,425	287	1,446
Washington	361	1,427	362	1,439	361	1,474
West Virginia	91	1,452	105	1,448	81	1,468
Wisconsin	285	1,450	286	1,431	276	1,467
Wyoming	29	1,450	20	1,450	29	1,514
Outlying area						
Northern Mariana Islands	5	1,383	5	1,372	4	1,504

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

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Table 50.
Section 1619(b) participants and their average earnings, by state or other area, selected months
2018–2019

State or area	December 2018		September 2019		December 2019	
	Number	Average earnings (dollars)	Number	Average earnings (dollars)	Number	Average earnings (dollars)
All areas	94,708	1,631	100,644	1,692	102,076	1,750
Alabama	1,183	1,668	1,290	1,696	1,300	1,814
Alaska ^a	227	1,683	217	1,763	220	1,774
Arizona	1,490	1,718	1,562	1,744	1,566	1,818
Arkansas	980	1,595	1,007	1,588	999	1,604
California	10,612	1,907	11,205	1,989	11,406	2,045
Colorado	1,160	1,556	1,232	1,616	1,255	1,652
Connecticut ^a	1,023	1,475	1,054	1,497	1,089	1,530
Delaware	283	1,533	276	1,551	300	1,607
District of Columbia	383	2,058	392	2,170	390	2,205
Florida	4,268	1,596	4,651	1,604	4,710	1,675
Georgia	2,238	1,694	2,469	1,731	2,563	1,779
Hawaii ^a	312	1,889	308	2,033	308	2,062
Idaho ^a	667	1,505	739	1,576	754	1,580
Illinois ^a	3,229	1,540	3,402	1,623	3,431	1,668
Indiana ^a	1,921	1,484	2,030	1,548	2,029	1,626
Iowa	1,391	1,297	1,468	1,356	1,456	1,408
Kansas ^a	880	1,366	963	1,447	940	1,510
Kentucky	1,438	1,620	1,411	1,715	1,404	1,807
Louisiana	1,573	1,503	1,693	1,561	1,751	1,582
Maine	678	1,547	731	1,612	744	1,693
Maryland	1,874	1,744	1,993	1,858	1,990	1,889
Massachusetts	3,134	1,788	3,316	1,867	3,416	1,913
Michigan	3,904	1,566	4,200	1,620	4,182	1,676
Minnesota ^a	2,750	1,449	2,872	1,529	2,838	1,578
Mississippi	738	1,692	817	1,702	838	1,837
Missouri ^a	2,028	1,253	2,108	1,333	2,115	1,383
Montana	380	1,365	440	1,430	431	1,472
Nebraska ^a	633	1,409	601	1,423	604	1,449
Nevada ^a	518	1,749	562	1,896	559	1,904
New Hampshire ^a	572	1,590	574	1,518	594	1,627
New Jersey	1,925	1,605	2,065	1,670	2,056	1,757
New Mexico	550	1,585	587	1,661	613	1,710
New York	6,937	1,837	7,369	1,913	7,472	1,993
North Carolina	2,261	1,546	2,444	1,604	2,476	1,680
North Dakota ^a	295	1,342	279	1,389	281	1,506
Ohio ^a	4,619	1,439	4,853	1,494	5,013	1,559
Oklahoma ^a	1,122	1,337	1,196	1,394	1,211	1,421
Oregon ^a	1,462	1,592	1,642	1,663	1,695	1,699
Pennsylvania	4,458	1,645	4,844	1,727	5,129	1,791
Rhode Island	416	1,677	423	1,738	459	1,770
South Carolina	1,155	1,547	1,230	1,585	1,218	1,634
South Dakota	419	1,281	436	1,276	432	1,360
Tennessee	1,463	1,620	1,604	1,607	1,653	1,685
Texas	6,285	1,671	6,650	1,737	6,654	1,780
Utah ^a	776	1,452	788	1,428	806	1,485

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Table 50.
Section 1619(b) participants and their average earnings, by state or other area, selected months
2018–2019—Continued

State or area	December 2018		September 2019		December 2019	
	Number	Average earnings (dollars)	Number	Average earnings (dollars)	Number	Average earnings (dollars)
Vermont	453	1,449	464	1,555	479	1,602
Virginia ^a	1,749	1,500	1,891	1,544	1,903	1,606
Washington	2,602	1,876	2,784	1,939	2,811	1,990
West Virginia	585	1,831	578	1,817	561	1,925
Wisconsin	2,536	1,402	2,724	1,460	2,766	1,495
Wyoming	163	1,364	200	1,508	193	1,461
Outlying area						
Northern Mariana Islands	10	2,542	10	2,634	13	2,879

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

a. The Social Security Administration identifies persons as potential participants; the state makes final Medicaid determinations.

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Table 51.
Section 1619 participants and their average earnings, by selected characteristics, December 2019

Characteristic	Section 1619(a) participants			Section 1619(b) participants		
	Number	Percent	Average earnings (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average earnings (dollars)
All participants	14,368	100.0	1,492	102,076	100.0	1,750
Age						
Under 18	122	0.8	1,533	497	0.5	--
18–21	1,524	10.6	1,521	3,678	3.6	1,817
22–25	2,119	14.7	1,472	11,787	11.5	1,760
26–29	2,331	16.2	1,481	16,412	16.1	1,819
30–39	3,506	24.4	1,490	26,813	26.3	1,801
40–49	2,013	14.0	1,497	15,328	15.0	1,740
50–59	2,056	14.3	1,496	15,749	15.4	1,740
60–64	566	3.9	1,497	7,152	7.0	1,598
65 or older	131	0.9	1,510	4,660	4.6	1,338
Sex						
Male	7,853	54.7	1,501	57,034	55.9	1,823
Female	6,515	45.3	1,482	45,042	44.1	1,658
Earned income ^a						
Wages	14,083	98.0	1,493	98,975	97.0	1,770
Self-employment income	423	2.9	1,463	4,147	4.1	1,393
Earnings (dollars)						
Less than 400	...	...	...	5,834	5.7	267
400–499	...	...	...	3,387	3.3	442
500–599	...	...	...	4,439	4.3	538
600–699	...	...	...	4,888	4.8	639
700–799	...	...	...	4,874	4.8	741
800–899	...	...	...	4,942	4.8	837
900–999	...	...	...	3,939	3.9	938
1,000–1,099	...	...	...	4,231	4.1	1,031
1,100–1,199	...	...	...	3,081	3.0	1,140
1,200–1,299	1,066	7.4	1,280	3,478	3.4	1,232
1,300–1,399	3,449	24.0	1,338	2,314	2.3	1,339
1,400–1,499	3,030	21.1	1,438	2,109	2.1	1,438
1,500–1,599	3,673	25.6	1,529	2,507	2.5	1,529
1,600–1,699	1,964	13.7	1,620	3,358	3.3	1,646
1,700–1,799	317	2.2	1,738	4,121	4.0	1,740
1,800–1,899	365	2.5	1,836	4,103	4.0	1,832
1,900 or more	504	3.5	2,143	40,471	39.6	2,873
Unearned income ^a						
None	13,617	94.8	1,493	44,710	43.8	2,500
Social Security benefits	220	1.5	1,462	51,827	50.8	1,052
Other pensions	25	0.2	1,451	711	0.7	1,645
Income based on need	9	0.1	1,418	76	0.1	1,708
Asset income	48	0.3	1,529	365	0.4	1,664
Other	463	3.2	1,482	6,979	6.8	1,892
Work incentives ^a						
Plan to achieve self-support (PASS) ^b	55	0.4	2,028	0	0.0	0
Impairment-related work expenses (IRWE)	206	1.4	1,517	839	0.8	1,710
Blind work expenses (BWE)	0	0.0	0	276	0.3	2,363

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTES: -- = not available; . . . = not applicable.

a. The sum of the entries may be greater than the total because some recipients may receive more than one type of earned or unearned income or both earned and unearned income, or they may benefit from more than one work incentive provision.

b. Includes 8 persons with a PASS that excludes only resources.

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Table 52.
Percentage distribution of section 1619 participants aged 18–64, by diagnostic group, December 2019

Diagnostic group	All blind and disabled recipients	Section 1619(a) participants	Section 1619(b) participants
Total			
Number	4,646,559	14,115	96,919
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0
Congenital anomalies	1.2	0.8	1.2
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	2.0	1.0	1.2
Infectious and parasitic diseases	1.1	1.1	1.3
Injuries	2.4	1.4	1.9
Mental disorders			
Autistic disorders	3.7	8.2	6.3
Developmental disorders	0.8	2.1	1.3
Childhood and adolescent disorders not elsewhere classified	1.0	2.5	1.6
Intellectual disability	18.9	26.2	25.3
Mood disorders	14.8	14.3	13.8
Organic mental disorders	3.3	4.4	4.3
Schizophrenic and other psychotic disorders	8.7	6.3	6.9
Other mental disorders	6.0	7.4	6.7
Neoplasms	1.3	0.9	1.3
Diseases of the—			
Blood and blood-forming organs	0.4	0.8	0.8
Circulatory system	4.2	1.7	1.9
Digestive system	0.9	0.6	0.7
Genitourinary system	1.1	0.9	1.2
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	15.3	6.6	8.6
Nervous system and sense organs ^a	8.1	9.3	10.7
Respiratory system	2.1	0.9	1.0
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	0.2	0.2	0.2
Other	0.3	0.4	0.4
Unknown	2.0	1.8	1.6

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

a. Most disabled recipients classified as blind are included in this category. A few blind recipients with a primary impairment other than diseases of the eye are coded in other categories. Also, a few recipients are classified with diseases of the eye, but their impairment does not meet the definition of blindness.

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Table 53.
Recipients benefiting from specified work incentives, by state or other area and provision,
December 2019

State or area	Plan to achieve self-support (PASS) ^a	Impairment-related work expenses (IRWE)	Blind work expenses (BWE)
All areas	480	2,941	876
Alabama	3	61	10
Alaska	0	0	3
Arizona	5	40	11
Arkansas	17	33	(X)
California	99	166	109
Colorado	9	28	11
Connecticut	4	30	6
Delaware	0	12	4
District of Columbia	0	3	(X)
Florida	8	276	62
Georgia	8	163	13
Hawaii	8	(X)	(X)
Idaho	0	6	5
Illinois	(X)	117	32
Indiana	(X)	55	16
Iowa	33	16	12
Kansas	14	95	5
Kentucky	3	50	16
Louisiana	(X)	42	16
Maine	10	6	(X)
Maryland	0	70	14
Massachusetts	23	93	42
Michigan	10	70	27
Minnesota	(X)	39	22
Mississippi	(X)	10	9
Missouri	23	56	10
Montana	9	13	(X)
Nebraska	15	14	5
Nevada	5	20	9
New Hampshire	3	6	4
New Jersey	16	94	19
New Mexico	(X)	21	3
New York	77	197	68
North Carolina	6	138	39
North Dakota	0	(X)	(X)
Ohio	3	44	46
Oklahoma	(X)	31	3
Oregon	8	14	16
Pennsylvania	(X)	75	29
Rhode Island	(X)	6	(X)
South Carolina	(X)	16	3
South Dakota	3	7	(X)
Tennessee	6	56	12
Texas	21	379	76
Utah	(X)	7	5

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Table 53.
Recipients benefiting from specified work incentives, by state or other area and provision,
December 2019—Continued

State or area	Plan to achieve self-support (PASS) ^a	Impairment-related work expenses (IRWE)	Blind work expenses (BWE)
Vermont	(X)	3	0
Virginia	0	121	17
Washington	4	61	19
West Virginia	0	5	3
Wisconsin	(X)	69	26
Wyoming	0	(X)	0
Outlying area			
Northern Mariana Islands	0	0	(X)

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTE: (X) = suppressed to avoid disclosing information about particular individuals.

a. Includes 127 persons with a PASS that excludes only resources.

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Table 54.
Recipients benefiting from specified work incentives, by selected characteristics and provision,
December 2019

Characteristic	Plan to achieve self-support (PASS) ^a		Impairment-related work expenses (IRWE)		Blind work expenses (BWE)	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	480	100.0	2,941	100.0	876	100.0
Age						
Under 18	0	0.0	4	0.1	0	0.0
18–21	21	4.4	210	7.1	34	3.9
22–25	62	12.9	525	17.9	112	12.8
26–29	45	9.4	554	18.8	124	14.2
30–39	109	22.7	818	27.8	268	30.6
40–49	98	20.4	329	11.2	145	16.6
50–59	105	21.9	311	10.6	110	12.6
60–64	32	6.7	126	4.3	49	5.6
65 or older	8	1.7	64	2.2	34	3.9
Sex						
Male	206	42.9	1,753	59.6	479	54.7
Female	274	57.1	1,188	40.4	397	45.3
Earned income ^b						
Wages	168	35.0	2,800	95.2	828	94.5
Self-employment income	23	4.8	157	5.3	58	6.6
Earnings (dollars)						
None	295	61.5	0	0.0	0	0.0
65 or less	5	1.0	220	7.5	48	5.5
66–99	(X)	(X)	57	1.9	23	2.6
100–199	(X)	(X)	240	8.2	60	6.8
200–299	8	1.7	240	8.2	50	5.7
300–399	12	2.5	228	7.8	46	5.3
400–499	16	3.3	210	7.1	25	2.9
500–599	9	1.9	193	6.6	31	3.5
600–699	17	3.5	184	6.3	37	4.2
700–799	8	1.7	161	5.5	28	3.2
800–899	11	2.3	132	4.5	23	2.6
900–999	11	2.3	123	4.2	28	3.2
1,000–1,099	10	2.1	124	4.2	34	3.9
1,100–1,199	6	1.3	88	3.0	25	2.9
1,200–1,299	12	2.5	94	3.2	28	3.2
1,300–1,399	6	1.3	74	2.5	20	2.3
1,400–1,499	6	1.3	63	2.1	28	3.2
1,500–1,599	5	1.0	63	2.1	17	1.9
1,600–1,699	4	0.8	52	1.8	30	3.4
1,700–1,799	4	0.8	44	1.5	21	2.4
1,800–1,899	4	0.8	35	1.2	17	1.9
1,900 or more	25	5.2	316	10.7	257	29.3
Unearned income ^b						
None	133	27.7	1,591	54.1	491	56.1
Social Security benefits	326	67.9	1,156	39.3	340	38.8
Other pensions	7	1.5	27	0.9	8	0.9
Income based on need	0	0.0	(X)	(X)	0	0.0
Asset income	4	0.8	14	0.5	9	1.0
Other	24	5.0	211	7.2	50	5.7

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTE: (X) = suppressed to avoid disclosing information about particular individuals.

a. Includes 127 persons with a PASS that excludes only resources.

b. The sum of the entries may be greater than the total because some recipients may receive more than one type of earned or unearned income or both earned and unearned income.

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Table 55.

Percentage distribution of recipients benefiting from specified work incentives, by diagnostic group and provision, December 2019

Diagnostic group	All blind and disabled recipients	Plan to achieve self-support (PASS) ^a	Impairment-related work expenses (IRWE)	Blind work expenses (BWE)
Total				
Number	4,646,559	480	2,941	876
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Congenital anomalies	1.2	1.3	4.0	(X)
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	2.0	1.3	0.7	(X)
Infectious and parasitic diseases	1.1	1.0	0.8	(X)
Injuries	2.4	3.1	1.6	0.0
Mental disorders				
Autistic disorders	3.7	4.8	15.1	(X)
Developmental disorders	0.8	(X)	1.6	0.0
Childhood and adolescent disorders not elsewhere classified	1.0	0.8	1.5	0.0
Intellectual disability	18.9	6.5	32.4	1.9
Mood disorders	14.8	25.8	5.8	(X)
Organic mental disorders	3.3	4.0	3.6	0.0
Schizophrenic and other psychotic disorders	8.7	9.8	4.3	0.0
Other mental disorders	6.0	9.2	2.8	(X)
Neoplasms	1.3	0.8	0.6	(X)
Diseases of the—				
Blood and blood-forming organs	0.4	(X)	(X)	0.0
Circulatory system	4.2	2.1	1.8	0.8
Digestive system	0.9	0.6	0.4	0.0
Genitourinary system	1.1	0.6	0.7	(X)
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	15.3	11.7	5.6	(X)
Nervous system and sense organs ^b	8.1	14.0	14.2	93.2
Respiratory system	2.1	0.6	0.3	0.0
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	0.2	0.0	(X)	0.0
Other	0.3	(X)	0.4	0.0
Unknown	2.0	1.0	1.4	2.4

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTE: (X) = suppressed to avoid disclosing information about particular individuals.

a. Includes 127 persons with a PASS that excludes only resources.

b. Most disabled recipients classified as blind are included in this category. A few blind recipients with a primary impairment other than diseases of the eye are coded in other categories. Also, a few recipients are classified with diseases of the eye, but their impairment does not meet the definition of blindness.

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Table 56.

Percentage distribution of recipients with income excluded under specified work incentives, by amount excluded and provision, December 2019

Amount excluded (dollars)	Plan to achieve self-support (PASS) ^a	Impairment-related work expenses (IRWE)	Blind work expenses (BWE)
Total			
Number	353	2,941	876
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 25	0.0	20.1	15.6
25–49	0.0	16.5	9.9
50–99	(X)	26.5	13.6
100–199	(X)	22.9	17.2
200–299	2.8	7.5	10.5
300–399	3.7	2.7	8.8
400–499	3.4	1.5	5.9
500–599	6.5	0.7	4.5
600–699	7.6	0.4	3.1
700–799	7.9	0.2	2.6
800–899	9.3	0.3	1.7
900–999	6.2	(X)	1.7
1,000–1,099	11.3	(X)	1.1
1,100–1,199	5.1	(X)	0.9
1,200–1,299	5.7	(X)	(X)
1,300–1,399	2.8	0.1	(X)
1,400–1,499	1.7	0.0	(X)
1,500 or more	23.5	0.1	2.2

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTE: (X) = suppressed to avoid disclosing information about particular individuals.

a. Data do not include plans to achieve self-support that exclude only resources.

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