



# Minnesota Congressional Statistics, 2017

*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 2017**

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	
Minnesota	1,012,620	738,425	122,142	57,628	35,757	58,668	1,367,867	1,076,049	79,352	784,547
1	136,240	100,481	15,312	8,315	4,635	7,497	176,013	139,277	11,036	107,586
2	111,117	82,469	12,126	5,892	4,058	6,572	159,380	126,768	8,740	87,322
3	120,405	91,964	10,813	6,501	5,353	5,774	182,967	149,505	10,219	99,133
4	115,133	82,483	15,206	5,941	4,149	7,354	162,992	127,767	8,792	87,735
5	96,926	67,370	15,155	4,773	3,154	6,474	132,100	101,646	6,820	72,000
6	112,630	81,534	14,399	5,853	3,434	7,410	154,698	120,491	8,158	84,923
7	152,898	111,101	17,236	10,494	5,454	8,613	185,748	144,981	12,779	119,768
8	167,271	121,023	21,895	9,859	5,520	8,974	213,969	165,614	12,808	126,080
All areas <sup>c</sup>	61,903,360	42,446,992	8,695,475	4,090,523	2,501,729	4,168,641	79,732,580	59,602,066	5,271,028	45,808,776

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 2017**

Congressional district	Number of recipients							Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients with OASDI <sup>a</sup>
	Total	By type			By age			Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	
		Aged	Blind	Disabled	Under 18	18-64	65 or older					
Minnesota	93,892	11,104	744	82,044	12,629	58,467	22,796	54,656	5,344	435	48,877	27,200
1	9,249	1,040	88	8,121	1,433	5,766	2,050	4,976	417	49	4,510	3,302
2	7,075	1,001	70	6,004	1,161	4,179	1,735	4,108	482	39	3,586	1,856
3	7,145	1,388	61	5,696	854	3,898	2,393	4,108	723	35	3,350	1,769
4	18,028	2,253	145	15,630	2,163	10,754	5,111	10,971	1,224	90	9,657	4,065
5	22,275	3,138	172	18,965	3,063	12,934	6,278	13,689	1,750	113	11,827	5,167
6	7,031	671	62	6,298	1,096	4,688	1,247	4,044	304	41	3,699	1,976
7	10,260	916	81	9,263	1,403	6,897	1,960	5,536	267	36	5,232	4,113
8	12,829	697	65	12,067	1,456	9,351	2,022	7,224	176	32	7,016	4,952
All areas <sup>b</sup>	8,227,676	1,176,476	68,947	6,982,253	1,182,593	4,805,112	2,239,971	4,754,456	506,540	39,787	4,208,129	2,738,814

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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