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Summary

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According to the U.S. Census Bureau, a hearing disability is defined as being deaf or having serious difficulty hearing. The lowest state or territory was District of Columbia (DC) at 18.3%. The highest state or territory was Wyoming (WY) at 39.5%. Detailed information is available below in the map and table below.

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates.

State-by-State Map

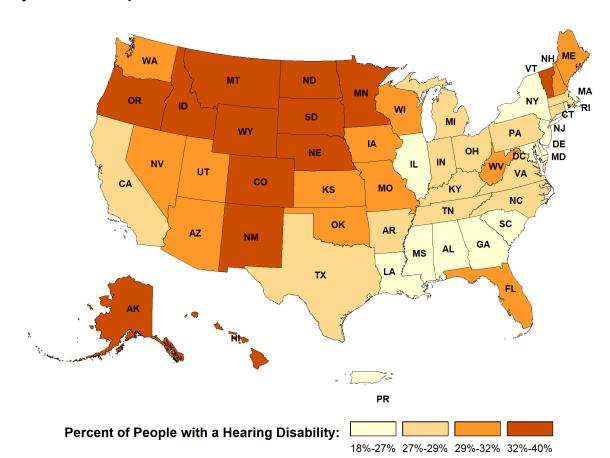


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State	Disability	Disability	Disability	Disability	Disability	Disability	Disability	Disability	Disability	Disability	Disability	Disability
Alabama (AL)	205,755	26.3%	148,888	19.0%	294,559	37.7%	441,726	56.5%	153,841	19.7%	282,496	36.1%
Alaska (AK)	33,576	38.6%	17,146	19.7%	31,073	35.8%	38,889	44.8%	14,585	16.8%	25,109	28.9%
Arizona (AZ)	284,118	31.4%	172,791	19.1%	323,419	35.8%	457,640	50.7%	160,113	17.7%	298,348	33.0%
Arkansas (AR)	145,297	28.4%	102,390	20.0%	194,738	38.1%	278,460	54.5%	98,547	19.3%	174,445	34.1%
California (CA)	1,143,342	27.9%	767,418	18.7%	1,567,822	38.2%	2,124,558	51.8%	956,738	23.3%	1,627,378	39.7%
Colorado (CO)	193,460	33.1%	107,309	18.4%	214,723	36.7%	268,681	46.0%	93,398	16.0%	183,857	31.5%
Connecticut (CT)	107,783	27.4%	64,504	16.4%	154,113	39.1%	193,251	49.1%	77,594	19.7%	143,979	36.5%
Delaware (DE)	29,500	24.7%	19,306	16.2%	46,973	39.4%	61,387	51.4%	23,567	19.8%	41,038	34.4%
District of Columbia (DC)	14,603	18.3%	18,936	23.8%	29,916	37.5%	42,011	52.7%	14,072	17.7%	26,869	33.7%
Florida (FL)	794,063	28.7%	524,027	18.9%	1,012,961	36.6%	1,483,280	53.6%	548,177	19.8%	979,315	35.4%
Georgia (GA)	329,133	26.1%	258,530	20.5%	483,094	38.3%	664,797	52.7%	239,774	19.0%	435,335	34.5%
Hawaii (HI)	51,160	33.2%	24,727	16.1%	55,848	36.3%	78,874	51.2%	29,791	19.4%	59,107	38.4%
Idaho (ID)	78,137	34.0%	40,993	17.8%	89,557	39.0%	103,996	45.3%	39,119	17.0%	69,972	30.5%
Illinois (IL)	373,234	26.9%	253,065	18.2%	487,858	35.1%	737,160	53.1%	280,905	20.2%	518,070	37.3%
Indiana (IN)	254,476	28.4%	158,668	17.7%	341,251	38.0%	462,427	51.5%	162,717	18.1%	299,234	33.4%
Iowa (IA)	114,803	31.7%	55,688	15.4%	132,855	36.7%	168,333	46.5%	60,760	16.8%	114,698	31.7%
Kansas (KS)	117,885	31.8%	66,309	17.9%	136,810	36.9%	181,903	49.0%	63,336	17.1%	116,395	31.4%
Kentucky (KY)	216,116	28.4%	151,669	19.9%	302,602	39.7%	411,693	54.0%	145,029	19.0%	265,151	34.8%
Louisiana (LA)	179,854	25.8%	155,329	22.3%	270,659	38.9%	357,217	51.3%	137,299	19.7%	235,365	33.8%
Maine (ME)	66,708	31.6%	28,128	13.3%	87,080	41.3%	96,235	45.6%	34,525	16.4%	71,098	33.7%
Maryland (MD)	160,857	24.7%	108,784	16.7%	249,485	38.2%	333,963	51.2%	124,414	19.1%	229,109	35.1%
Massachusetts (MA)	217,531	27.7%	124,099	15.8%	317,862	40.5%	374,268	47.7%	156,077	19.9%	287,464	36.6%

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Michigan (MI)	384,915	27.5%	221,379	15.8%	555,207	39.6%	714,593	51.0%	275,551	19.7%	507,232	36.2%
Minnesota (MN)	191,097	32.0%	87,693	14.7%	231,827	38.8%	260,905	43.7%	108,627	18.2%	199,640	33.4%
Mississippi (MS)	118,600	24.8%	104,161	21.8%	182,122	38.1%	272,069	56.9%	100,916	21.1%	181,706	38.0%
Missouri (MO)	253,205	29.0%	153,409	17.6%	333,050	38.2%	457,529	52.4%	158,485	18.2%	302,264	34.6%
Montana (MT)	51,366	36.4%	22,193	15.7%	50,079	35.5%	67,001	47.4%	23,038	16.3%	42,488	30.1%
Nebraska (NE)	73,772	33.7%	38,662	17.7%	76,071	34.8%	102,677	46.9%	34,198	15.6%	64,264	29.4%
Nevada (NV)	117,079	31.7%	86,877	23.5%	130,066	35.2%	194,343	52.6%	73,317	19.9%	122,075	33.1%
New Hampshire (NH)	53,245	31.2%	25,227	14.8%	65,715	38.5%	77,702	45.6%	26,883	15.8%	54,490	32.0%
New Jersey (NJ)	225,193	24.8%	165,399	18.2%	326,918	36.0%	483,974	53.4%	198,434	21.9%	347,000	38.3%
New Mexico (NM)	104,483	33.1%	68,062	21.6%	121,324	38.4%	165,491	52.4%	63,110	20.0%	110,593	35.0%
New York (NY)	537,455	24.1%	400,141	18.0%	818,893	36.8%	1,216,698	54.7%	497,478	22.4%	858,249	38.6%
North Carolina (NC)	375,385	27.8%	263,064	19.4%	511,243	37.8%	716,908	53.0%	264,095	19.5%	473,783	35.0%
North Dakota (ND)	28,580	35.2%	14,753	18.1%	28,039	34.5%	36,402	44.8%	12,072	14.8%	23,169	28.5%
Ohio (OH)	433,458	27.0%	272,139	16.9%	627,281	39.1%	812,775	50.6%	299,017	18.6%	557,977	34.8%
Oklahoma (OK)	194,968	31.5%	131,547	21.3%	221,522	35.8%	329,661	53.3%	108,573	17.6%	197,172	31.9%
Oregon (OR)	190,010	32.4%	96,881	16.5%	237,293	40.4%	279,552	47.6%	105,528	18.0%	197,435	33.6%
Pennsylvania (PA)	477,254	27.1%	294,633	16.8%	693,298	39.4%	883,048	50.2%	333,508	19.0%	635,479	36.1%
Rhode Island (RI)	36,845	26.4%	21,333	15.3%	60,491	43.4%	67,773	48.6%	29,628	21.2%	53,118	38.1%
South Carolina (SC)	190,103	26.6%	145,289	20.3%	262,227	36.6%	384,839	53.8%	142,084	19.8%	254,747	35.6%

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South Dakota (SD)	34,702	34.0%	17,375	17.0%	34,646	33.9%	46,143	45.1%	15,063	14.7%	29,419	28.8%
Tennessee (TN)	286,301	28.2%	201,338	19.8%	391,703	38.6%	545,513	53.7%	192,458	18.9%	360,238	35.5%
Texas (TX)	911,426	28.6%	684,509	21.5%	1,194,273	37.5%	1,626,765	51.0%	639,930	20.1%	1,073,269	33.7%
Utah (UT)	90,684	30.8%	49,395	16.8%	120,305	40.8%	124,510	42.3%	47,190	16.0%	91,856	31.2%
Vermont (VT)	28,736	32.0%	13,737	15.3%	36,004	40.1%	39,498	44.0%	14,876	16.6%	27,766	31.0%
Virginia (VA)	267,806	27.6%	179,527	18.5%	355,260	36.7%	489,864	50.6%	189,190	19.5%	341,185	35.2%
Washington (WA)	286,266	31.0%	155,474	16.8%	361,975	39.1%	445,243	48.1%	168,241	18.2%	310,612	33.6%
West Virginia (WV)	111,343	31.9%	72,787	20.8%	131,270	37.6%	195,177	55.9%	67,257	19.2%	122,782	35.1%
Wisconsin (WI)	201,201	30.0%	100,998	15.0%	248,083	36.9%	319,681	47.6%	127,800	19.0%	223,185	33.2%
Wyoming (WY)	29,541	39.5%	13,408	17.9%	24,404	32.6%	34,129	45.6%	9,919	13.3%	19,375	25.9%
Puerto Rico (PR)	143,659	20.4%	211,395	29.9%	307,734	43.6%	388,279	55.0%	168,038	23.8%	311,622	44.1%