

## **Population Statistics**

**Table 1: Demographic Trends** 

	2002	2004	2006	2008	2010	2012	2014
State population (in thousands)	5,790	5,901	6,068	6,215	6,346	6,456	6,549
State unemployment rate	5.1%	5.4%	5.9%	6.9%	9.7%	8.2%	6.7%

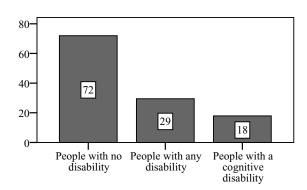
Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Table 2: Employment Participation for Working-Age People (Ages 16–64)

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Number of people with no disability	3,515,744	3,540,299	3,563,466	3,579,594	3,594,175	3,581,347	3,587,162
Number of people with any disability	520,145	534,741	531,224	554,412	544,867	564,240	582,052
Number of people with a cognitive disability	214,251	224,283	230,115	237,745	239,562	246,326	248,465
Number of people with no disability who are employed	2,627,712	2,506,036	2,473,785	2,509,257	2,536,319	2,566,998	2,581,566
Number of people with any disability who are employed	181,140	157,378	149,635	156,420	150,145	167,123	171,457
Number of people with a cognitive disability who are employed	49,863	40,607	40,476	39,454	39,559	47,932	44,463
Percentage of people with no disability who are employed	74.7%	70.8%	69.4%	70.1%	70.6%	71.7%	72.0%
Percentage of people with any disability who are employed	34.8%	29.4%	28.2%	28.2%	27.6%	29.6%	29.5%
Percentage of people with a cognitive disability who are employed	23.3%	18.1%	17.6%	16.6%	16.5%	19.5%	17.9%

Source: American Community Survey (ACS)

Figure 1: Percentage of Working-Age Population Employed in 2014



Source: American Community Survey (ACS).



# Population Statistics Social Security Disability Benefit Recipient Statistics

**Table 3: Employment Outcomes for Working-Age People (Ages 16–64)** 

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Mean annual earnings from work for people with no disability (in thousands of dollars)	\$36.7	\$36.1	\$35.9	\$36.9	\$37.5	\$38.5	\$39.2
Mean annual earnings from work for people with any disability (in thousands of dollars)	\$24.7	\$26.8	\$25.0	\$26.9	\$26.1	\$29.3	\$29.6
Mean annual earnings from work for people with a cognitive disability (in thousands of dollars)	\$16.9	\$17.8	\$17.5	\$17.3	\$16.9	\$21.1	\$18.4
Mean weekly hours worked for people with no disability	39	39	38	39	39	39	39
Mean weekly hours worked for people with any disability	38	37	36	37	37	37	37
Mean weekly hours worked for people with a cognitive disability	35	33	32	33	33	35	33
Percentage of people with no disability living below the poverty line	11.6%	13.3%	14.2%	14.5%	14.7%	14.6%	15.2%
Percentage of people with any disability living below the poverty line	28.5%	30.8%	29.9%	31.1%	31.9%	31.1%	31.4%
Percentage of people with a cognitive disability living below the poverty line	34.4%	36.9%	36.7%	39.3%	37.0%	36.7%	39.3%

Source: American Community Survey (ACS)

**Table 4: Employment and Work Incentive Program Participation for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Beneficiaries** 

	2000	2002	2004	2006	2008	2010	2012	2014
Total number of SSI recipients with disabilities	142,816	142,993	144,217	147,892	152,078	161,876	171,101	172,868
Number of SSI recipients with disabilities who are working	6,826	5,740	5,216	5,352	5,437	4,752	4,489	4,508
Percentage of SSI recipients with disabilities who are working	4.8%	4.0%	3.6%	4.0%	3.6%	2.9%	2.6%	2.6%
SSI recipients with disabilities who received Plans for Achieving Self-Support (PASS) benefits	13	13	15	20	20	11	9	
SSI recipients with disabilities who received Impairment Related Work Expenses (IRWE) benefits	218	172	142	101	72	48	43	52
SSI recipients with disabilities who received Blind Work Expenses (BWE) benefits	74	56	47	36	25	23	17	17

Source: Social Security Administration, "SSI Disabled Recipients Who Work"



#### **Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities**

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Figure 2: Percentage of People Served in Integrated Employment

Source: The National Survey of State Intellectual and Developmental Disability Agencies' Day and Employment Services

Table 5: Intellectual and Developmental Disability (IDD) Agency Outcomes by Employment Settings

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Total number of people served	7,770	7,917	7,872	7,789	6,446	6,848	7,026	7,110
Number of people served in integrated employment	1,693	1,590	1,477	1,272	1,149	1,109	1,328	1,340
Percentage of people served in integrated employment	22%	20%	19%	16%	18%	16%	19%	19%
People served in integrated employment per 100K state population	27.5	25.6	23.5	20.0	17.9	17.2	20.4	20.5
Number of people served in facility-based work						3,558	0	
Number of people served in facility-based non-work						3,558	3,745	3,742
Number of people served in community-based non-work*						6,057	6,464	6,667
Number of people served in facility-based and non-work settings**						7,116	10,209	10,409
Number on waiting list for day and employment services	0	•		0		7,159	0	

Source: The National Survey of State Intellectual and Developmental Disability Agencies' Day and Employment Services

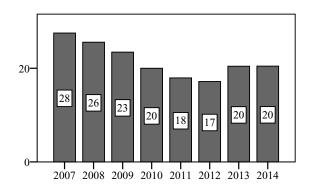
<sup>\*</sup>Not formally collected until FY 1996.

<sup>\*\*</sup>May be used by agency if they do not have categorical breakdown for facility-based work and non-work and community-based non-work. Duplicated counts for individuals served in non-work settings may result in figures that are not equal to the sum of all non-work categories.

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#### **Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities**

Figure 3: Number of IDD Agency Customers Served in Integrated Employment per 100,000 People in General State Population



Source: The National Survey of State Intellectual and Developmental Disability Agencies' Day and Employment Services

Table 6: IDD Agency Day and Employment Spending by Setting (in Thousands of Dollars)

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Total funding for all IDD agency services				•			102,675	101,627
Integrated employment funding						•	11,372	11,247
Facility-based work funding		•	•			•	0	0
Facility-based non-work funding	•						24,128	24,012
Community-based non-work funding			•				64,877	58,460

Source: The National Survey of State Intellectual and Developmental Disability Agencies' Day and Employment Services

Table 7: IDD Agency Day and Employment Funding by Source (in Thousands of Dollars)

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Total funding for all IDD agency services			•	•			102,675	101,627
Funding from state, local, and county resources							105	3,778
Title XX Social Services Block Grant funding							0	0
Title XIX Medicaid ICF MR funding							0	0
Title XIX Medicaid Waiver funding							100,274	93,633

Source: The National Survey of State Intellectual and Developmental Disability Agencies' Day and Employment Services



### **Department of Rehabilitation Services**

Table 8: Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) Case Closures and Employment Outcomes

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Total number of closures	9,830	15,532	8,935	11,466	9,007	8,170	8,929	9,201
Total number of closures with ID	1,739	2,812	1,599	1,758	1,613	1,471	1,610	1,617
Closures into an employment setting	2,828	2,484	1,906	1,651	1,734	1,906	1,966	2,159
Closures with ID into an employment setting	650	586	441	372	326	378	437	472
Closures with an IPE but no employment outcome	1,664	5,489	1,566	1,801	2,384	2,221	1,348	1,555
Closures with ID and an IPE but no employment outcome	352	1,120	355	403	515	443	270	305
Closures with supported employment as a goal*	910	1,595	686	544	683	614	503	
Closures with ID and supported employment as a goal*	523	711	372	293	348	282	266	
Rehabilitation rate for all closures with an IPE	63.0%	31.2%	54.9%	47.8%	42.1%	46.2%	59.3%	58.1%
Rehabilitation rate for all closures with ID**	64.9%	34.3%	55.4%	48.0%	38.8%	46.0%	61.8%	60.7%
Percentage of all closures into employment	28.8%	16.0%	21.3%	14.4%	19.3%	23.3%	22.0%	23.5%
Percentage of all closures with ID into employment	37.4%	20.8%	27.6%	21.2%	20.2%	25.7%	27.1%	29.2%

Source: Rehabilitation Services Administration 911 (RSA-911)

**Table 9: Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) Employment Outcomes** 

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Mean weekly earnings at closure	\$310	\$315	\$288	\$283	\$290	\$284	\$272	\$276
Mean weekly earnings for closures with ID	\$142	\$149	\$143	\$163	\$162	\$192	\$181	\$185
Mean weekly hours worked at closure	29.4	28.5	26.1	26.8	27.3	27.4	26.6	27.0
Mean weekly hours worked for closures with ID	21.6	21.2	19.5	20.8	20.7	23.8	22.2	22.6
Number of closures into employment per 100K state population	46.0	40.0	30.3	26.0	27.1	29.5	30.3	33.0
Number of closures with ID into employment per 100K state population	10.6	9.4	7.0	5.9	5.1	5.9	6.7	7.2

Source: Rehabilitation Services Administration 911 (RSA-911)

<sup>\*</sup>Due to RSA changes in reporting supported employment goals in 2014, this data point is not available this year.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Rehabilitation Rate = (# closures into employment) / (# closures into employment + # closures with an IPE but without an employment outcome)

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Figure 4: Rehabilitation Rate Trends for All VR Customers

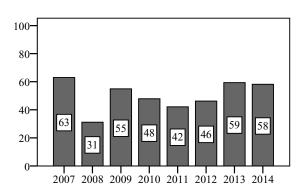
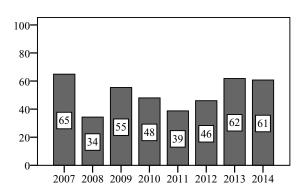


Figure 5: Rehabilitation Rate Trends for VR Customers with ID



Source: Rehabilitation Services Administration 911 (RSA-911).

Table 10: Work Status (Setting) at Closure for VR Customers with ID (2007)

	Count	Percentage
Integrated employment (with and without supports)	629	96.2%
Sheltered workshop	4	0.6%
Self-employment (not Business Enterprise Program)	1	0.2%
State-agency-managed Business Enterprise Program	0	0.0%
Homemaker	18	2.8%
Unpaid family worker	2	0.3%
Total	654	100.0%

Source: Rehabilitation Services Administration 911 (RSA-911)

Table 11: Work Status (Setting) at Closure for VR Customers with ID (2014)

	Count	Percentage
Integrated employment (with and without supports)	464	98.3%
Sheltered workshop	0	0.0%
Self-employment (not Business Enterprise Program)	1	0.2%
State-agency-managed Business Enterprise Program	0	0.0%
Homemaker	5	1.1%
Unpaid family worker	2	0.4%
Total	472	100.0%

Source: Rehabilitation Services Administration 911 (RSA-911)