

Allsup Backlog Rankings Analysis - Updated 4/29/10

Rank	State	Total State Backlog in Days ^a	Total State Claims Pending at Level 3 ^a	Statewide Average Processing Times	Total State Claims Pending at Levels 1 & 2 ^b	Furloughs ^c
*	AK	616,962	961	642.0	1,180	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
1	OH	16,689,981	28,751	580.5	52,487	10 days. Applies to all employees for FYs 2010 and 2011.
2	MI	18,198,476	32,281	563.8	31,933	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
3	MN	5,048,960	9,016	560.0	10,007	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
4	WI	3,886,460	7,076	549.2	16,638	8 days. Applies to all employees for FYs 2010 and 2011.
5	NE	1,603,448	3,014	532.0	3,266	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
6	IN	7,971,735	15,081	528.6	20,144	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
7	AL	15,995,031	31,706	504.5	14,579	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
8	NJ	4,670,877	9,396	497.1	18,582	10 days. Applies to all employees through June 2010.
9	IL	11,811,974	23,763	497.1	30,670	Illinois Furlough in place but DDS partially exempt. No hiring freeze.
10	DC	1,889,859	3,849	491.0	2,085	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
11	CO	4,960,278	10,154	488.5	11,356	Colorado Furlough in place but DDS exempt. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
12	MO	10,464,513	21,496	486.8	16,210	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
13	SC	5,547,338	11,460	484.1	23,782	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
14	OR	4,172,934	8,625	483.8	10,064	6 to 7 days. Applies to all employees in FYs 2010 and 2011. Includes DDS shutdown days and furlough days based on salary.
15	FL	18,729,092	39,648	472.4	57,897	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
16	AZ	4,033,790	8,690	464.2	15,340	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
17	NM	2,111,380	4,580	461.0	8,636	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
18	NY	21,909,708	47,956	456.9	33,528	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
19	KY	6,677,901	14,745	452.9	21,658	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
20	GA	8,014,993	17,808	450.1	57,364	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
21	NC	8,439,006	18,784	449.3	35,719	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
22	MS	6,278,619	14,071	446.2	13,857	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
23	TN	11,319,556	25,371	446.2	33,204	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
24	ND	1,143,072	2,592	441.0	1,200	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
25	MD	2,507,775	5,765	435.0	21,391	Furlough in place but DDS exempt. No hiring freeze.
26	KS	1,806,043	4,171	433.0	7,963	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
27	CA	26,414,396	61,625	428.6	83,153	36 days. Applies to all employees through June 2010.
28	RI	1,486,130	3,530	421.0	5,984	12 days. Applies to all employees through June 2010.
29	IA	1,265,460	3,013	420.0	6,219	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
30	NH	1,763,542	4,219	418.0	3,365	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
31	WA	5,104,913	12,253	416.6	14,099	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
32	MT	1,482,208	3,563	416.0	2,383	No furlough. No hiring freeze.

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33	NV	682,132	1,676	407.0	8,490	12 days. Applies to FYs 2010 and 2011. Adjudicative staff—examiners, medical consultants, unit supervisors, and call center staff—exempt from the furlough.
34	AR	3,858,929	9,641	400.3	10,998	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
35	VA	4,892,236	12,386	395.0	25,952	1 day. Applies to all employees on May 28, 2010.
36	CT	3,080,204	7,868	391.5	9,157	3 days. Applies to all employees for FY 2010.
37	PA	15,386,932	39,378	390.7	40,570	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
38	HI	209,282	538	389.0	2,718	18 to 24 days. Applies to all employees in FYs 2010 and 2011.
39	MA	4,129,205	10,653	387.6	22,772	3 to 9 days. Applies to managers for FY 2010, with number of days depending on salary. Other staff exempt from furlough.
40	OK	4,468,317	11,827	377.8	13,903	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
41	UT	1,574,166	4,209	374.0	5,595	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
42	WV	4,270,678	11,951	357.3	8,915	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
43	LA	5,564,128	16,080	346.0	13,564	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
44	TX	9,010,867	26,891	335.1	56,629	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
45	ME	1,126,916	3,374	334.0	5,496	10 days. Applies to FYs 2010 and 2011. Some staff exempted.
46	DE	478,632	1,554	308.0	2,234	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
-	PR	1,047,955	3,644	287.6	8,114	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
-	AK	-	-	-	1,180	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
-	ID	-	-	-	3,576	No furlough. Hiring freeze but DDS exempt.
-	SD	-	-	-	1,712	No furlough. Hiring freeze for DDS.
-	VT	-	-	-	1,999	No furlough. No hiring freeze.
-	WY	-	-	-	936	No furlough. No hiring freeze.

*Note 1: Some claims in Alaska, Idaho, South Dakota, Vermont and Wyoming are handled by other hearing offices; respectively, Seattle, Wash.; Spokane, Wash., and Billings, Mont.; Fargo, N.D., and Denver, Colo.; Manchester, N.H.; and Denver, Colo. Alaska's first Social Security disability hearing office opened Feb. 19.

*Note 2: The Kansas City, Mo., hearing office receives cases from the eastern portion of Kansas; SSA reports those totals through Missouri.

^a Data through March 26, 2010 (FY) from http://www.ssa.gov/appeals/DataSets/02_HO_Workload.html

^b Data via Allsup FOIA request: Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)-Title II and Supplemental Security Income (SSI)-Title XVI - Disability

^c Furlough information from November 2009 SSA OIG report: "Impact of State Budget Issues on the Social Security Administration's Disability Analysis by Allsup, April 2010"