

STATE-BY-STATE DISABILITY BACKLOG

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State ²	Hearing Backlog ¹	
	2013	2014
Florida	64,680	69,228
California	52,691	63,652
New York	46,956	55,563
Pennsylvania	46,085	50,875
Texas	41,050	46,773
Georgia	39,526	39,591
Tennessee	35,014	38,597
Ohio	33,294	37,346
Michigan	35,035	36,562
Alabama	32,929	33,427
North Carolina	30,152	32,052
Missouri	27,565	27,574
Illinois	20,730	23,415
South Carolina	17,113	22,506
Virginia	14,706	21,220
Indiana	19,334	21,151
New Jersey	14,497	20,188
Kentucky	17,071	18,929
National Hearing Centers	24,208	17,809
Mississippi	16,988	17,312
Washington	15,256	15,996
Arizona	8,941	15,236
West Virginia	15,593	15,159
Oklahoma	13,081	14,304
Wisconsin	10,531	11,994
Oregon	10,864	11,673
Massachusetts	11,808	11,374
Louisiana	16,406	10,992
Maryland	8,832	10,966
Colorado	9,992	8,900
Arkansas	9,629	8,017
New Mexico	5,350	7,883
Minnesota	8,462	7,680
Connecticut	6,027	6,713
Kansas	6,064	6,293
Puerto Rico (territory)	4,472	5,592
District of Columbia	3,790	4,866
Nevada	3,035	4,865
Iowa	4,529	4,575
Montana	2,505	3,797
Utah	3,477	3,546
Maine	3,575	3,452
New Hampshire	3,317	3,158
Delaware	3,198	3,000
Nebraska	2,687	2,861
Rhode Island	2,798	2,788
North Dakota	2,638	2,650
Hawaii	594	1,008
Alaska	795	602
TOTAL	827,870	903,710

Idaho, South Dakota, Vermont, Wyoming³

1 Total pending claims, hearing offices (HO), Office of Disability Adjudication and Review, <http://www.ssa.gov/appeals/publicusefiles.html>; FY2014 through 12/27/13.

2 For total SSDI beneficiaries by state, http://www.socialsecurity.gov/policy/docs/statcomps/di_asr/.

3 Claims in these states are routed through adjacent/nearby offices in other states. They are counted in those Note: Some states include claims from other states in their totals. For example, the Kansas City hearing office also receives claims from parts of Kansas and Nebraska; http://www.ssa.gov/appeals/ho_locator.html.

Five National Hearing Centers receive claims from across the U.S.; locations: Albuquerque, N.M.; Baltimore, Chicago, Falls Church, Va., and St. Louis.

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