

## STATE-BY-STATE DISABILITY BACKLOG RANKINGS

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Ranking	State	Backlog <sup>1</sup>	Total Beneficiaries <sup>2</sup>	Backlog as % of Beneficiaries
1	Kansas	14,842	55,542	26.72%
2	District of Columbia	2,299	10,233	22.47%
3	North Dakota	2,518	11,604	21.70%
4	Michigan	49,951	250,351	19.95%
5	Alabama	30,972	178,375	17.36%
6	South Carolina	22,653	135,892	16.67%
7	Indiana	24,330	148,690	16.36%
8	Mississippi	16,346	109,531	14.92%
9	Georgia	30,498	205,249	14.86%
10	New Mexico	7,088	48,044	14.75%
11	Ohio	36,561	251,748	14.52%
12	Tennessee	26,709	190,539	14.02%
13	Montana	3,019	21,611	13.97%
14	Louisiana	15,857	114,609	13.84%
15	Colorado	10,217	75,836	13.47%
16	Oregon	10,349	78,860	13.12%
17	Nebraska	4,356	33,915	12.84%
18	New York	52,212	416,715	12.53%
19	Missouri	19,648	168,301	11.67%
20	West Virginia	9,479	83,143	11.40%
21	Washington	14,754	130,146	11.34%
22	Pennsylvania	33,454	309,778	10.80%
23	Wisconsin	12,481	116,190	10.74%
24	North Carolina	27,390	261,068	10.49%
25	Illinois	24,278	231,633	10.48%
26	Oklahoma	9,536	97,042	9.83%
27	Texas	39,211	410,912	9.54%
28	Arkansas	10,357	109,118	9.49%
29	Rhode Island	2,779	29,721	9.35%
30	Florida	38,056	407,268	9.34%
31	Utah	2,903	32,274	8.99%
32	Minnesota	8,087	94,885	8.52%
33	Delaware	1,765	21,685	8.14%
34	Kentucky	12,906	167,356	7.71%
35	Maine	3,647	48,022	7.59%
36	Maryland	6,155	94,524	6.51%
37	Iowa	3,961	61,782	6.41%
38	New Hampshire	2,158	34,310	6.29%
39	California	35,568	570,084	6.24%
40	Connecticut	3,761	67,281	5.59%
41	New Jersey	8,586	158,619	5.41%
42	Virginia	6,539	173,734	3.76%
43	Arizona	4,607	125,727	3.66%
44	Massachusetts	5,436	158,781	3.42%
45	Nevada	1,014	46,966	2.16%
46	Hawaii	362	19,203	1.89%
<b>Backlog Figures Not Available</b>				
	Alaska <sup>3</sup>		10,211	
	Idaho <sup>4</sup>		31,318	
	South Dakota <sup>5</sup>		15,038	
	Vermont <sup>6</sup>		16,663	
	Wyoming <sup>7</sup>		9,918	

<sup>1</sup> Total Pending at Office of Disability Adjudication and Review (12/31/06)

<sup>2</sup> Total SSDI beneficiaries according to the SSA Office of Policy Data, Congressional Statistics, December 2006

<sup>3</sup> All Alaska hearing appeals are routed to the Seattle, Wash., hearing office.

<sup>4</sup> All Idaho hearing appeals are routed to the Spokane, Wash., hearing office.

<sup>5</sup> All South Dakota hearing appeals are routed to the Fargo, N.D. or Denver, Colo., hearing offices.

<sup>6</sup> All Vermont hearing appeals are routed to the Manchester, N.H., hearing office.

<sup>7</sup> All Wyoming hearing appeals are routed to the Billing, Mont., Denver, Colo., or Salt Lake City, Utah, hearing office.