

Table E-12. State Rankings — **Social Insurance, Human Services, Medicare, Medicaid, and State Children's Health Insurance Program: 2003**

Item	Unit	United States	State	Value	State	Value	State	Value	State	Value	State	Value
Top 5												
Social security benefits												
Beneficiaries (Dec. 31)												
Total	1,000 . .	45,312	California	4,304	Florida	3,278	New York	3,024	Texas	2,731	Pennsylvania	2,377
Retired workers and dependents ¹	1,000 . .	31,652	California	3,110	Florida	2,433	New York	2,156	Texas	1,865	Pennsylvania	1,703
Payments ²												
Total	mil. dol.	463,006	California	43,857	Florida	33,305	New York	32,187	Texas	27,068	Pennsylvania	24,919
Retired workers and dependents ¹	mil. dol.	309,918	California	30,115	Florida	23,685	New York	22,188	Texas	17,506	Pennsylvania	16,941
Federal food stamp program												
Participants (Sept. 30)	1,000 . .	21,222	Texas	1,872	California	1,709	New York	1,436	Florida	1,041	Illinois	954
Federal cost ³	mil. dol.	21,332	Texas	1,881	California	1,806	New York	1,677	Illinois	1,053	Florida	988
National school lunch program												
Participants	1,000 . .	27,928	California	2,732	Texas	2,672	New York	1,788	Florida	1,398	Georgia	1,130
Federal cost ⁴	mil. dol.	7,051	California	949	Texas	774	New York	489	Florida	411	Illinois	288
Supplemental security income (SSI) ⁵												
Recipients (Dec.)	1,000 . .	6,902	California	1,163	New York	625	Texas	455	Florida	409	Pennsylvania	311
Annual payments	mil. dol.	34,696	California	7,573	New York	3,400	Florida	1,908	Texas	1,901	Pennsylvania	1,599
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) ⁶												
Recipients (Dec.)	1,000 . .	4,867	California	1,107	New York	336	Texas	318	Pennsylvania	214	Michigan	206
Annual payments ⁷	mil. dol.	26,340	California	5,851	New York	4,463	Michigan	1,205	Pennsylvania	1,109	Ohio	1,007
State unemployment insurance ⁸												
Beneficiaries, first payments	1,000 . .	9,827	California	1,380	New York	599	Pennsylvania	566	Texas	533	Michigan	502
Benefits paid	mil. dol.	41,117	California	6,115	New York	3,124	Pennsylvania	2,678	Illinois	2,455	Texas	2,204
Medicare enrollment	1,000 . .	40,173	California	4,078	Florida	2,921	New York	2,763	Texas	2,390	Pennsylvania	2,110
Medicaid ⁹												
Enrollment ¹⁰	1,000 . .	49,755	California	9,301	New York	3,921	Texas	2,953	Florida	2,676	Tennessee	1,732
Payments ¹¹	mil. dol.	213,491	New York	31,489	California	23,636	Texas	11,121	Florida	9,827	Ohio	9,186
State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP)												
Enrollment ¹²	1,000 . .	5,985	California	955	New York	897	Texas	726	Florida	443	Georgia	252
Expenditures ¹³	mil. dol.	4,276.4	California	565.0	Texas	405.6	Florida	357.7	New York	352.2	New Jersey	262.6
Bottom 5												
Social security benefits												
Beneficiaries (Dec. 31)												
Total	1,000 . .	45,312	Alaska	59	Wyoming	79	Vermont	107	North Dakota	114	South Dakota	138
Retired workers and dependents ¹	1,000 . .	31,652	Alaska	38	Wyoming	58	Vermont	74	North Dakota	82	South Dakota	98
Payments ²												
Total	mil. dol.	463,006	Alaska	574	Wyoming	809	Vermont	1,066	North Dakota	1,082	South Dakota	1,282
Retired workers and dependents ¹	mil. dol.	309,918	Alaska	364	Wyoming	566	North Dakota	719	Vermont	723	South Dakota	873
Federal food stamp program												
Participants (Sept. 30)	1,000 . .	21,222	Wyoming	25	North Dakota	40	Vermont	41	New Hampshire	45	Delaware	46
Federal cost ³	mil. dol.	21,332	Wyoming	24	North Dakota	37	Vermont	38	New Hampshire	40	Delaware	48
National school lunch program												
Participants	1,000 . .	27,928	Wyoming	49	Alaska	53	Vermont	54	Delaware	75	North Dakota	77
Federal cost ⁴	mil. dol.	7,051	Wyoming	10	Vermont	10	North Dakota	13	Delaware	15	New Hampshire	16
Supplemental security income (SSI) ⁵												
Recipients (Dec.)	1,000 . .	6,902	Wyoming	6	North Dakota	8	Alaska	11	Delaware ¹⁴	13	New Hampshire ¹⁴	13
Annual payments	mil. dol.	34,696	Wyoming	25	North Dakota	32	Alaska	47	South Dakota	52	Vermont	57
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) ⁶												
Recipients (Dec.)	1,000 . .	4,867	Wyoming	1	Idaho	3	South Dakota	6	North Dakota	9	Delaware ¹⁵	13
Annual payments ⁷	mil. dol.	26,340	South Dakota	26	North Dakota	42	Idaho	43	Arkansas	54	Montana ¹⁵	56
State unemployment insurance ⁸												
Beneficiaries, first payments	1,000 . .	9,827	South Dakota	12	North Dakota ¹⁶	16	Wyoming ¹⁶	16	New Hampshire	23	Montana	27
Benefits paid	mil. dol.	41,117	South Dakota	33	North Dakota	47	Wyoming	49	Montana	81	Vermont	101
Medicare enrollment	1,000 . .	40,173	Alaska	48	Wyoming	69	Vermont	93	North Dakota	103	Delaware	119
Medicaid ⁹												
Enrollment ¹⁰	1,000 . .	49,755	Wyoming	59	North Dakota	70	Montana	104	New Hampshire	104	Alaska	110
Payments ¹¹	mil. dol.	213,491	Wyoming	280	North Dakota	423	South Dakota	504	Montana	533	Vermont	607
State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP)												
Enrollment ¹²	1,000 . .	5,985	Minnesota	4	North Dakota	5	Wyoming	5	Vermont	7	Washington	10
Expenditures ¹³	mil. dol.	4,276.4	Minnesota	(Z)	Vermont	3.1	Wyoming	3.9	New Hampshire	4.4	Delaware	4.6

Z Less than \$50,000.

¹Includes special benefits for persons age 72 and over not insured under regular or transitional provisions of the Social Security Act.

²Unnegotiated checks not deducted.

³Includes benefits only and excludes administrative expenditures.

⁴Includes cash payments and commodity costs.

⁵Data cover federal SSI payments and/or federally administered state supplementation.

⁶Prior to TANF, the cash assistance program to families was called Aid to Families with Dependent Children (1980–1996). Under the new welfare law (Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996), the program became TANF.

⁷Represents federal and state funds expended in fiscal year.

⁸Includes unemployment compensation for state and local government employees where covered by state law.

⁹The data presented here are for 2002 because later data were unavailable at the time of this table's preparation.

¹⁰Persons who had payments made on their behalf at any time during the fiscal year.

¹¹Payments are for fiscal year and reflect federal and state hospital share payments. Data exclude disproportionate hospital share payments. Disproportionate share hospitals receive higher Medicaid reimbursement than other hospitals because they treat a disproportionate share of Medicaid patients.

¹²Number of children ever enrolled in SCHIP.

¹³Expenditures for which states are entitled to federal reimbursement under Title XXI and that reconcile any advance of Title XXI federal funds made on the basis of estimates.

¹⁴Delaware, New Hampshire, South Dakota, and Vermont share the same rank.

¹⁵Delaware and New Hampshire share the same rank.

¹⁶North Dakota and Wyoming share the same rank.

Note: If two or more states share the same rank, they are listed alphabetically. When six or more states make up the top 5 or bottom 5 listing due to shared ranks, only five states are listed alphabetically within the table and the remaining states are listed in the corresponding footnote.

Survey, Census, or Data Collection Method: Social security, federal food stamp program, and national school lunch program—For information, please refer to Table A-80. SSI, TANF, and state unemployment insurance—For information, please refer to Table A-81. Medicare, Medicaid, and SCHIP—For information, please refer to Table A-83.

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