

**Total estimated number of deaths occurring in fiscal year 2023 for  
individuals pending a disability decision at the State Disability  
Determination Services (DDS) or hearing before an Administrative Law  
Judge (ALJ)**

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States and District of Columbia:	Number
Alaska	40
Alabama	1,170
Arkansas	710
Arizona	860
California	2,230
Colorado	320
Connecticut	200
District of Columbia	80
Delaware	100
Florida	3,070
Georgia	2,050
Hawaii	100
Iowa	190
Idaho	110
Illinois	1,160
Indiana	650
Kansas	270
Kentucky	620
Louisiana	570
Massachusetts	480
Maryland	590
Maine	90
Michigan	890
Minnesota	280
Missouri	530
Mississippi	790
Montana	120
North Carolina	1,370
North Dakota	60
Nebraska	130
New Hampshire	150
New Jersey	500
New Mexico	260
Nevada	310
New York	1,240
Ohio	920
Oklahoma	530
Oregon	290
Pennsylvania	940
Rhode Island	60

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South Carolina	1,110
South Dakota	70
Tennessee	1,340
Texas	3,470
Utah	190
Virginia	600
Vermont	30
Washington	410
Wisconsin	620
West Virginia	350
Wyoming	50
Total	33,270

Notes:

1. Does not include individuals dying while pending a hearing before an administrative appeals judge and cases pending at the Federal courts.
2. Includes individuals applying for disability benefits under either the OASDI program or SSI program.

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