

Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training

TDI Monthly Update

August 2018

Temporary Disability Insurance

Initial Claims – A total of 4,078 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were filed during the month of August. More than 78 percent of the applications were approved, and nearly 22 percent were pending.

Payments – During the period 32,066 payments totaling \$16.3 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$508 per week.

Temporary Caregiver Insurance

- **TCI claims** Of the 4,078 initial TDI applications filed during the month of August 1,333 (32.7%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 712 (53.4%) were approved and 621 (46.6%) were pending.
- **Type of Claim** Eighteen percent of the TCI claims approved were for care of a family member (82.0%) were for bonding with a child.
- **Reason for Claim** The majority (79.9%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a new born, followed by care of a spouse (8.6%) and care of a parent at (6.3%).
- **TCI Payments** During the month of August, 2,504 TCI payments totaling nearly \$1.4 million were issued. TCI payments averaged \$561 per week.
- **To Date** 8,181 TCI initial claims have been filed accounting for 25.1 percent of the 32,602 TDI applications filed in 2018. There have been 15,757 TCI payments issued to date totaling \$8,641,801.

	Total	Female	Male
Total Applications	4,078	2,638	1,440
Approved	3,191	2,122	1,069
Pending	887	516	371
Number of Payments	32,066	n/a	n/a
Amount of Payments	\$ 16,280,936	n/a	n/a
Average Payment	\$ 508	n/a	n/a

Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims

	Total	Female	Male
Total Filed	1,333	729	604
Approved	712	412	300
Pending	621	317	304
as a percent of			
Total Filed	32.7%	27.6%	41.9%
Approved	22.3%	19.4%	28.1%
Pending	70.0%	61.4%	81.9%
Care of Family Member	128	83	45
Bond with Child	584	329	255
Number of Payments	2,504	1,559	945
Amount of Payments	\$ 1,404,348	839,639	564,709
Average Payment	\$ 561	\$ 539	\$ 598

Equal Opportunity Employer / Program / Auxiliary aids and services available upon request to individuals with disabilities / TTY via RI Relay 711.

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