



# TDI Monthly Update

March 2018

## Temporary Disability Insurance

**Initial Claims** – A total of 3,729 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were filed during the month of March. More than 79 percent of the applications were approved and nearly 21 percent were pending.

**Payments** – During the period 28,109 payments totaling \$14.0 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$497 per week.

## Temporary Caregiver Insurance

**TCI claims** – Of the 3,729 initial TDI applications filed during the month of March, 860 (23.1%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 454 (52.8%) were approved and 406 (47.2%) were pending.

**Type of Claim**– One-quarter (25.8%) of the TCI claims approved were for care of a family member and three-quarters (74.2%) were for bonding with a child.

**Reason for Claim** – The majority (73.1%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a new born, followed by care of a spouse (11.5%) and care of a parent at (8.8%).

**TCI Payments** – During the month of March, 1,626 TCI payments totaling nearly \$869 thousand were issued. TCI payments averaged \$534 per week.

**To Date** – 2,938 TCI initial claims have been filed accounting for 24.7 percent of the 11,904 TDI applications filed in 2018. There have been 5,699 TCI payments issued to date totaling \$3,103,205.

	<b>Total</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>
Total Applications	3,729	2,411	1,318
<b>Approved</b>	2,952	1,957	995
Pending	777	454	323
Number of Payments	28,109	n/a	n/a
Amount of Payments	\$ 13,961,851	n/a	n/a
Average Payment	\$ 497	n/a	n/a

## *Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims*

	<b>Total</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>
Total Filed	860	510	350
<b>Approved</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>149</b>
Pending	406	205	201
<i>as a percent of</i>			
Total Filed	23.1%	21.2%	26.6%
<b>Approved</b>	15.4%	15.6%	15.0%
Pending	52.3%	45.2%	62.2%
<b>Care of Family Member</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>34</b>
<b>Bond with Child</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>115</b>
Number of Payments	1,626	1,123	503
Amount of Payments	\$ 868,563	598,408	270,155
Average Payment	\$ 534	\$ 533	\$ 537

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