



# TDI Monthly Update

December 2016

## Temporary Disability Insurance

**Initial Claims** – A total of 3,592 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were filed during the month of December. More than 81 percent of the applications were approved and nearly 19 percent were denied.

**Payments** – During the period 28,270 payments totaling \$13.7 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$483 per week.

## Temporary Caregiver Insurance

**TCI claims** – Of the 3,592 initial TDI applications filed during the month of December, 798 (22.2%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 472 (59.1%) were approved and 326 (40.9%) were denied.

**Type of Claim**– Less than one-quarter (18.9%) of the TCI claims approved were for care of a family member and over three-quarters (81.1%) were for bonding with a child.

**Reason for Claim** – The majority (78.2%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a new born, followed by care of a spouse (9.1%) and care of a parent at (5.9%).

**TCI Payments** – During the month of December, 1,631 TCI payments totaling more than \$884 thousand were issued. TCI payments averaged \$542 per week.

**To Date** – 9,937 TCI initial claims have been filed accounting for 20.6 percent of the 48,281 TDI applications filed in 2016. There have been 20,977 TCI payments issued in 2016 totaling \$11,201,050.

### *Temporary Disability Insurance Claims Including Caregiver Claims*

	<b>Total</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>
Total Determinations	3,592	2,315	1,277
<b>Approved</b>	2,924	1,906	1,018
Denied	668	409	259
Number of Payments	28,270	n/a	n/a
Amount of Payments	\$ 13,658,055	n/a	n/a
Average Payment	\$ 483	n/a	n/a

### *Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims*

	<b>Total</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>
Total Filed	798	448	350
<b>Approved</b>	<b>472</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>180</b>
Denied	326	156	170
<i>as a percent of</i>			
Total Filed	22.2%	19.4%	27.4%
<b>Approved</b>	16.1%	15.3%	17.7%
Denied	48.8%	38.1%	65.6%
<b>Care of Family Member</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>Bond with Child</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>145</b>
Number of Payments	1,631	1,075	556
Amount of Payments	\$ 884,315	566,472	317,843
Average Payment	\$ 542	\$ 527	\$ 572