

## Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training

# TDI Monthly Update

### June 2015

#### **Temporary Disability Insurance**

**Initial Claims** – A total of 4,521 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were filed during the month of June. More than 80 percent of the applications were approved and nearly 20 percent were denied.

Payments – During the period 32,571 payments totaling \$14.8 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$455 per week.

#### **Temporary Caregiver Insurance**

TCI claims – Of the 4,521 initial TDI applications filed during the month of June, 661 (14.6%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 436 (66.0%) were approved and 225 (34.0%) were denied.

**Type of Claim**– More than one-quarter (25.9%) of the TCI claims approved were for care of a family member and less than three-quarters (74.1%) were for bonding with a child.

**Reason for Claim** – The majority (72.9%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a new born, followed by care of a spouse (11.9%) and care of a parent at (8.0%).

**TCI Payments** – During the month of June, 1,627 TCI payments totaling over \$829 thousand were issued. TCI payments averaged \$510 per week.

To Date – 3,337 TCI initial claims have been filed accounting for 13.8 percent of the 24,226 TDI applications filed in 2015.

There have been 8,411 TCI payments issued to date totaling \$4,266,566.

Temporary Disability Insurance Claims Including Caraginar Claims

Temporary Disability Insurance Claims Including Caregiver Claims								
		Total	Female	Male				
Total Filed		4,521	3,014	1,507				
Approved		3,630	2,455	1,175				
Denied		891	559	332				
Number of Payments		32,571	n/a	n/a				
Amount of Payments	\$	14,831,675	n/a	n/a				
Average Payment	\$	455	n/a	n/a				

#### Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims

	Total	Female	Male
Total Filed	661	403	258
Approved	436	292	144
Denied	225	111	114
as a percent of			
Total Filed	14.6%	13.4%	17.1%
Approved	12.0%	11.9%	12.3%
Denied	25.3%	19.9%	34.3%
Care of Family Member	113	75	38
<b>Bond with Child</b>	323	217	106
Number of Payments	1,627	1,125	502
Amount of Payments	\$ 829,277	\$ 560,099	\$ 269,178
Average Payment	\$ 510	\$ 498	\$ 536