

Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training

TDI Monthly Update

July 2015

Temporary Disability Insurance

Initial Claims – A total of 4,066 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were filed during the month of July. Nearly 78 percent of the applications were approved and more than 22 percent were denied.

Payments – During the period 28,930 payments totaling \$13.1 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$454 per week.

Temporary Caregiver Insurance

TCI claims – Of the 4,066 initial TDI applications filed during the month of July, 710 (17.5%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 424 (59.7%) were approved and 286 (40.3%) were denied.

Type of Claim– Less one-quarter (24.1%) of the TCI claims approved were for care of a family member and more than three-quarters (75.9%) were for bonding with a child.

Reason for Claim – The majority (74.5%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a new born, followed by care of a spouse (10.6%) and care of a parent at (7.3%).

TCI Payments – During the month of July, 1,415 TCI payments totaling over \$733 thousand were issued. TCI payments averaged \$518 per week.

To Date – 4,299 TCI initial claims have been filed accounting for 14.4 percent of the 29,841 TDI applications filed in 2015.

There have been 10,344 TCI payments issued to date totaling \$5,272,214.

Temporary Disability Insurance Claims Including Caregiver Claims

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		Total	Female	Male				
Total Filed		4,066	2,684	1,382				
Approved		3,154	2,133	1,021				
Denied		912	551	361				
Number of Payments		28,930	n/a	n/a				
Amount of Payments	\$	13,133,527	n/a	n/a				
Average Payment	\$	454	n/a	n/a				

Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims

	Total	Female	Male
Total Filed	710	398	312
Approved	424	267	157
Denied	286	131	155
as a percent of			
Total Filed	17.5%	14.8%	22.6%
Approved	13.4%	12.5%	15.4%
Denied	31.4%	23.8%	42.9%
Care of Family Member	102	72	30
Bond with Child	322	195	127
Number of Payments	1,415	925	490
Amount of Payments	\$ 733,458	\$ 463,118	\$ 270,340
Average Payment	\$ 518	\$ 501	\$ 552