

Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training

TDI Monthly Update

January to April 2014

Temporary Disability Insurance

Initial Claims – A total of 14,508 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were filed during the January to April, 2014 period. Approximately 86 percent of the applications were approved and 14 percent were denied.

Payments – During the period 115,982 payments totaling \$51.9 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$448 per week.

Temporary Caregiver Insurance

- **TCI claims** Of the 14,508 initial TDI applications filed during the January to April, 2014 period:, 1,040 (7.2%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 782 (75.2%) were approved and 258 (24.8%) were denied.
- **Type of Claim** One-third (32.9%) of the TCI claims approved were for care of a family member and two- thirds (67.1%) were for bonding with a child.
- **Reason for Claim** The majority (65.2%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a new born, followed by care of a spouse (15.2%) and care of a parent (9.7%).
- **TCI Payments** During the January to April period; 2,327 TCI payments totaling over \$1.17 million were issued. TCI payments averaged \$504 per week.

Temporary Disability Insurance Claims Including Caregiver Claims						
		Total		Female		Male
Total Filed		14,508		9,460		5,048
Approved		12,490		8,221		4,269
Denied		2,018		1,239		779
Number of Payments		115,982		n/a		n/a
Amount of Payments	\$	51,932,764		n/a		n/a
Average Payment	\$	448		n/a		n/a
Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims						
		Total		Female		Male
Total Filed		1,040		688		352
Approved		782		545		237
Denied		258		143		115
as a percent of						
Total Filed		7.2%		7.3%		7.0%
Approved		6.3%		6.6%		5.6%
Denied		12.8%		11.5%		14.8%
Care of Family Member		257		184		73
Bond with Child		525		361		164
Number of Payments		2,327		1,612		715
Amount of Payments	\$	1,173,476	\$	804,223	\$	369,253
Average Payment	\$	504	\$	499	\$	516

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

