



# *TDI Monthly Update*

*September 2014*

## Temporary Disability Insurance

**Initial Claims** – A total of 4,055 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were filed during the month of September. Approximately 85 percent of the applications were approved and 15 percent were denied.

**Payments** – During the period 33,861 payments totaling \$15.0 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$443 per week.

## Temporary Caregiver Insurance

**TCI claims** – Of the 4,055 initial TDI applications filed during the month of September, 574 (14.2%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 458 (79.8%) were approved and 116 (20.2%) were denied.

**Type of Claim**– Nearly one-quarter (22.5%) of the TCI claims approved were for care of a family member and more than three-quarters (77.5%) were for bonding with a child.

**Reason for Claim** – The majority (76.0%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a new born, followed by care of a spouse (10.7%) and care of a parent at (6.3%).

**TCI Payments** – During the month of September; 1,619 TCI payments totaling over \$831 thousand were issued. TCI payments averaged \$513 per week.

**To Date** – 3,851 TCI initial claims have been filed accounting for 10.7 percent of the 35,920 TDI applications filed. There have been 9,657 TCI payments issued to date totaling \$4,878,696.

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

	<b>Total</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>
Total Filed	4,055	2,697	1,358
<b>Approved</b>	3,453	2,325	1,128
Denied	602	372	230
Number of Payments	33,861	n/a	n/a
Amount of Payments	\$ 14,983,837	n/a	n/a
Average Payment	\$ 443	n/a	n/a

### *Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims*

	<b>Total</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>
Total Filed	574	381	193
<b>Approved</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>142</b>
Denied	116	65	51
<i>as a percent of</i>			
Total Filed	14.2%	14.1%	14.2%
<b>Approved</b>	13.3%	13.6%	12.6%
Denied	19.3%	17.5%	22.2%
<b>Care of Family Member</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>Bond with Child</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>116</b>
Number of Payments	1,619	1,153	466
Amount of Payments	\$ 831,288	\$ 590,777	\$ 240,511
Average Payment	\$ 513	\$ 512	\$ 516