



TDI Monthly Update

October 2014

Temporary Disability Insurance

Initial Claims – A total of 4,472 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were filed during the month of October. Approximately 90 percent of the applications were approved and 10 percent were denied.

Payments – During the period 32,988 payments totaling \$14.6 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$441 per week.

Temporary Caregiver Insurance

TCI claims – Of the 4,472 initial TDI applications filed during the month of October, 595 (13.3%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 466 (78.3%) were approved and 129 (21.7%) were denied.

Type of Claim– Nearly one-quarter (23.8%) of the TCI claims approved were for care of a family member and more than three-quarters (76.2%) were for bonding with a child.

Reason for Claim – The majority (75.1%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a new born, followed by care of a spouse (11.6%) and care of a parent at (7.9%).

TCI Payments – During the month of October; 1,691 TCI payments totaling over \$839 thousand were issued. TCI payments averaged \$496 per week.

To Date – 4,319 TCI initial claims have been filed accounting for 11.0 percent of the 39,439 TDI applications filed. There have been 11,063 TCI payments issued to date totaling \$5,572,528.

Temporary Disability Insurance Claims Including Caregiver Claims

	Total	Female	Male
Total Filed	4,472	2,997	1,475
Approved	4,012	2,715	1,297
Denied	460	282	178
Number of Payments	32,988	n/a	n/a
Amount of Payments	\$ 14,561,236	n/a	n/a
Average Payment	\$ 441	n/a	n/a

Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims

	Total	Female	Male
Total Filed	595	403	192
Approved	466	321	145
Denied	129	82	47
<i>as a percent of</i>			
Total Filed	13.3%	13.4%	13.0%
Approved	11.6%	11.8%	11.2%
Denied	28.0%	29.1%	26.4%
Care of Family Member	111	74	37
Bond with Child	355	247	108
Number of Payments	1,691	1,193	498
Amount of Payments	\$ 838,965	\$ 598,633	\$ 240,332
Average Payment	\$ 496	\$ 502	\$ 483

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