

Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training

TDI Monthly Update

January 2021

Temporary Disability Insurance

Initial Claims – A total of 3,511 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were processed during the month of January. Nearly 49 percent of the applications were approved, and 51.1 percent were pending.

Payments – During the period 27,508 payments totaling \$15.4 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$561 per week.

Temporary Caregiver Insurance

TCI claims – Of the 3,511 initial TDI applications processed during the month of January 1,179 (33.6%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 438 (37.2%) were approved and 741 (62.8%) were pending.

Type of Claim– More than 72 percent of the TCI claims approved were for bonding with a child and (27.9%) were for care of a family member.

Reason for Claim – The majority (71.2%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a newborn, followed by care of a child (10.7%) and care of a parent at (7.5%).

TCI Payments – During the month of January, 1,603 TCI payments totaling nearly \$970 thousand were issued. TCI payments averaged \$604 per week.

To Date – 16,139 TCI initial claims have been filed accounting for 26.6 percent of the 60,633 TDI applications filed in 2020. There have been 26,773 TCI payments issued to date totaling \$15,186,061.

		Total	Female	Male	
Total Applications		3,511	2,130	1,381	
Approved		1,716	1,060	656	
Pending		1,795	1,070	725	
Number of Payments		27,508	n/a	n/a	
Amount of Payments	\$ 13	5,424,962	n/a	n/a	
Average Payment	\$	561	n/a	n/a	

Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims

	Total	Female	Male
Total Filed	1,179	659	520
Approved	438	265	173
Pending	741	394	347
as a percent of			
Total Filed	33.6%	30.9%	37.7%
Approved	25.5%	25.0%	26.4%
Pending	41.3%	36.8%	47.9%
Care of Family Member	122	84	38
Bond with Child	316	181	135
Number of Payments	1,603	988	615
Amount of Payments	\$ 968,897	\$ 567,295	\$ 401,602
Average Payment	\$ 604	\$ 574	\$ 653

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

