



Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training

TDI Monthly Update

August 2020

Temporary Disability Insurance

Initial Claims – A total of 3,593 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were processed during the month of August. More than 57 percent of the applications were approved, and nearly 43 percent were pending.

Payments – During the period 26,220 payments totaling \$14.4 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$549 per week.

Temporary Caregiver Insurance

TCI claims – Of the 3,593 initial TDI applications processed during the month of August 979 (27.2%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 417 (42.6%) were approved and 562 (57.4%) were pending.

Type of Claim– Nearly 76 percent of the TCI claims approved were for bonding with a child and (24.5%) were for care of a family member.

Reason for Claim – The majority (74.6%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a newborn, followed by care of a spouse (9.1%) and care of a parent at (8.4%).

TCI Payments – During the month of August, 1,640 TCI payments totaling \$1.0 million were issued. TCI payments averaged \$610 per week.

To Date – 11,234 TCI initial claims have been filed accounting for 26.7 percent of the 42,102 TDI applications filed in 2020. There have been 19,592 TCI payments issued to date totaling \$10,815,963.

	Total	Female	Male
Total Applications	3,593	2,205	1,388
Approved	2,065	1,302	763
Pending	1,528	903	625
Number of Payments	26,220	n/a	n/a
Amount of Payments	\$ 14,403,174	n/a	n/a
Average Payment	\$ 549	n/a	n/a

Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims

	Total	Female	Male
Total Filed	979	466	513
Approved	417	213	204
Pending	562	253	309
<i>as a percent of</i>			
Total Filed	27.2%	21.1%	37.0%
Approved	20.2%	16.4%	26.7%
Pending	36.8%	28.0%	49.4%
Care of Family Member	102	64	38
Bond with Child	315	149	166
Number of Payments	1,640	916	724
Amount of Payments	\$ 1,000,878	\$ 553,188	\$ 447,690
Average Payment	\$ 610	\$ 604	\$ 618

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