

Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training

TDI Monthly Update

September 2019

Temporary Disability Insurance

Initial Claims – A total of 4,070 initial applications for Temporary Insurance Benefits (TDI) were filed during the month of September. More than 78 percent of the applications were approved, and nearly 22 percent were pending.

Payments – During the period 32,202 payments totaling \$16.7 million were issued. TDI payments averaged \$518 per week.

Temporary Caregiver Insurance

TCI claims – Of the 4,070 initial TDI applications filed during the month of September 1,166 (28.6%) were Temporary Caregiver Insurance benefits (TCI). A total of 654 (56.1%) were approved and 512 (43.9%) were pending.

Type of Claim– Nineteen percent of the TCI claims approved were for care of a family member and (81.0%) were for bonding with a child.

Reason for Claim – The majority (79.2%) of TCI Claims approved were for bonding with a new born, followed by care of a spouse (8.0%) and care of a child at (6.0%).

TCI Payments – During the month of September, 2,263 TCI payments totaling \$1.3 million were issued. TCI payments averaged \$582 per week.

To Date – 9,674 TCI initial claims have been filed accounting for 26.0 percent of the 37,226 TDI applications filed in 2019. There have been 19,016 TCI payments issued to date totaling \$10,750,366.

| | Total | Female | Male |
|--------------------|------------------|--------|-------|
| Total Applications | 4,070 | 2,636 | 1,434 |
| Approved | 3,189 | 2,111 | 1,078 |
| Pending | 881 | 525 | 356 |
| Number of Payments | 32,202 | n/a | n/a |
| Amount of Payments | \$ 16,677,272 | n/a | n/a |
| Average Payment | \$ 518 | n/a | n/a |

Temporary Disability Insurance Caregiver Claims

| | Total | Female | Male |
|------------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|
| Total Filed | 1,166 | 625 | 541 |
| Approved | 654 | 398 | 256 |
| Pending | 512 | 227 | 285 |
| as a percent of | | | |
| Total Filed | 28.6% | 23.7% | 37.7% |
| Approved | 20.5% | 18.9% | 23.7% |
| Pending | 58.1% | 43.2% | 80.1% |
| Care of Family Member | 124 | 77 | 47 |
| Bond with Child | 530 | 321 | 209 |
| Number of Payments | 2,263 | 1,410 | 853 |
| Amount of Payments | \$ 1,318,017 | \$ 829,616 | \$ 488,401 |
| Average Payment | \$ 582 | \$ 588 | \$ 573 |

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