

**Table 12****Number of DTC claimants benefitting through a tax reduction by BADL, 2011-2018**

This table presents the number of DTC claimants benefitting through a tax reduction, broken down by BADL. The number of claimants benefitting through a tax reduction for each BADL is derived by multiplying both the total "Number of Claimants" by the share of accepted DTC determinations by BADL published in Table 11. For more information, please refer to the description of "Number of claimants benefitting through a tax reduction" in the "Description of DTC items" section of the explanatory notes.

BADL	Number of Claimants								
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	
Vision	12,240	12,190	13,520	11,830	10,930	11,210	11,450	12,620	
Walking	175,110	184,610	187,490	201,860	216,750	230,130	231,070	231,710	
Speaking	35,040	38,860	38,990	40,840	40,960	46,800	47,370	52,640	
Mental Functions	138,980	155,990	166,180	172,410	183,520	191,850	189,280	203,620	
Hearing	17,600	17,860	18,410	18,860	18,560	19,280	18,060	17,680	
Feeding	44,120	44,000	47,200	45,950	44,550	48,010	45,910	49,670	
Dressing	89,060	90,760	93,720	98,420	102,520	106,520	102,970	105,900	
Eliminating	46,900	46,210	48,990	49,770	51,510	57,220	56,820	62,970	
Life-Sustaining Therapy	20,720	22,520	21,440	24,230	26,660	33,010	36,580	47,230	
Cumulative	26,290	31,840	36,210	41,790	47,420	54,080	51,720	60,000	
<b>Total</b>	<b>606,080</b>	<b>644,850</b>	<b>672,140</b>	<b>705,970</b>	<b>743,390</b>	<b>798,110</b>	<b>791,240</b>	<b>844,020</b>	

## Notes:

1. All counts are rounded to the nearest ten. The sum of the data may not add to the total, due to rounding.
2. Data on the number of claimants are as of December 31 of the respective calendar year and are subject to change.
3. Data are from returns processed between January 1 and December 31 of the respective calendar year.
4. (Re)assessments processed during the calendar year that did not result in a change to the DTC amount utilized were not counted in these estimates.
5. Number of claimants benefitting through a tax reduction refers to the number of unique tax filers who claimed the DTC, either for themselves, their spouse or their dependent during the calendar year.
6. The number of claimants benefitting through a tax reduction for each BADL is derived by multiplying both the total "Number of Claimants" and the "Total Amount of DTC Utilized" by the share of accepted DTC determinations by BADL published in Table 11.