

Table 12
Number of DTC claimants benefitting through a tax reduction by BADL, 2013- 2022

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									
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Vision	13,630	11,990	11,030	11,280	11,520	12,640	11,930	10,470	11,080	10,990
Walking	189,940	204,000	219,170	232,310	232,970	233,160	238,890	240,250	240,560	235,230
Speaking	37,770	39,970	40,080	46,170	46,710	52,140	54,360	51,780	56,820	65,000
Mental Functions	163,260	169,140	180,400	188,760	186,560	201,340	214,560	218,970	244,760	255,790
Hearing	18,460	18,950	18,680	19,350	18,120	17,700	17,570	17,880	20,340	21,260
Feeding	47,440	46,210	44,730	48,240	46,160	49,670	49,680	48,210	51,620	60,030
Dressing	94,290	99,150	103,170	107,120	103,600	106,290	108,800	107,870	111,760	118,240
Eliminating	49,320	50,160	51,800	57,500	57,110	63,200	63,220	64,330	67,230	71,480
Life-Sustaining Therapy	21,400	24,170	26,570	32,870	36,480	47,240	44,700	50,310	43,990	50,670
Cumulative	36,470	42,050	47,560	54,240	51,750	60,220	63,610	69,440	67,120	49,600
Total Unique Certificates	671,980	705,790	743,190	797,860	790,960	843,610	867,330	879,510	915,270	938,270

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.