

Table 7
Number of individuals with a DTC certificate by duration and restriction, 2022

This table presents the number of individuals with an accepted DTC certificate broken down by restriction and by the deemed duration of eligibility as either indeterminate or temporary. Individuals who report multiple restrictions on their DTC certificate are counted for each restriction, while the “Total Unique Certificates” column presents a count of unique eligible individuals for that duration.

Deemed Duration

Restriction	Indeterminate	Temporary	Total
Vision	50,780	820	51,600
Walking	477,460	115,620	593,080
Speaking	85,960	74,120	160,070
Mental Functions	337,260	255,390	592,640
Hearing	68,010	4,810	72,820
Feeding	98,300	27,520	125,820
Dressing	208,940	57,030	265,970
Eliminating	112,280	37,650	149,930
Life-Sustaining Therapy	77,960	33,470	111,440
Cumulative	57,890	61,830	119,720
Total Unique Certificates	977,470	487,950	1,465,420

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 are as of September 21, 2023 and are subject to change.
3. Counts represent individuals with an accepted DTC certificate that was effective on December 31, 2022.
4. Individuals with multiple restrictions linked to their certificate will be counted once for each restriction, while the “Total Unique Certificates” column presents a unique count of individuals eligible for the DTC for that duration. As such, this column will not add up to the sum of the previous columns.