

Table 13 DTC utilization by BADL, 2014-2023

This table presents the dollar amount of DTC utilized by claimants broken down by BADL. The total amount of DTC utilized for each BADL is derived by multiplying both the "Total Amount of DTC Utilized" by the share of accepted DTC determinations by BADL published in Table 11. For more information, please refer to the description of "Total Amount of DTC Utilized" in the "Description of DTC Itilized" in the "Description of the explanatory notes.

Total Amount of DTC Utilized (Thousands of Dollars)

BADL	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Vision	18,067	16,566	17,340	16,228	20,786	18,617	16,540	18,109	19,068	18,236
Walking	307,508	329,541	356,901	328,502	383,655	372,711	379,904	393,464	408,006	455,222
Speaking	59,869	59,916	70,568	65,553	85,471	84,575	81,768	92,758	112,586	117,535
Mental Functions	253,965	270,216	288,817	262,055	329,962	333,856	345,621	399,610	443,096	502,105
Hearing	28,530	28,072	29,695	25,538	29,109	27,394	28,275	33,239	36,859	40,563
Feeding	69,570	67,156	74,020	65,001	81,648	77,459	76,207	84,378	104,057	117,979
Dressing	149,319	155,023	164,412	145,934	174,731	169,674	170,528	182,711	205,043	225,476
Eliminating	75,532	77,820	88,228	80,458	103,906	98,581	101,693	109,923	123,946	139,534
Life-Sustaining Therapy	36,313	39,801	50,389	51,278	77,647	69,624	79,469	71,914	87,841	119,077
Cumulative	63,269	71,440	83,189	72,870	98,886	99,166	109,694	109,728	86,030	88,925
Total	1,061,942	1,115,551	1,223,558	1,113,418	1,385,802	1,351,656	1,389,698	1,495,834	1,626,532	1,824,651

Notes:

- 1. All amounts are rounded to the nearest thousand. The sum of the data may not add to the total, due to rounding.
- 2. Data on DTC utilization are as of December 31 of the respective calendar year and are subject to change.
- 3. Data on DTC utilization are from returns processed between January 1 and December 31 of the respective calendar year.
- 4. For data on DTC utilization, (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. Total amount of DTC utilized refers to the dollar amount of federal tax savings as the result of an assessed DTC claim. This estimate does not include any additional savings achieved from provincial/territorial tax.
- 6. The total amount of DTC utilized for each BADL is derived by multiplying the "Total Amount of DTC Utilized" by the share of accepted DTC determinations by BADL published in Table 11.