

Table 7
Number of individuals with a DTC certificate by duration and restriction, 2023

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						Expires after 2028	Total
		Expires in 2023	Expires in 2024	Expires in 2025	Expires in 2026	Expires in 2027	Expires in 2028		
Vision	51,020	110	160	120	100	100	120	150	51,870
Walking	511,440	12,910	20,180	18,340	18,190	18,870	22,720	12,280	634,930
Speaking	89,760	7,040	10,670	10,320	11,390	13,370	15,190	16,000	173,720
Mental Functions	356,520	21,690	36,510	38,250	44,620	51,160	67,940	54,520	671,200
Hearing	72,850	590	790	740	710	640	710	780	77,800
Feeding	106,180	2,510	4,000	3,700	4,010	5,030	6,280	6,490	138,200
Dressing	224,510	5,580	8,720	8,250	8,630	10,090	12,000	10,280	288,050
Eliminating	122,330	3,480	5,600	5,480	6,010	6,530	8,230	7,530	165,180
Life-Sustaining Therapy	98,900	3,480	5,310	5,230	4,760	3,840	3,010	4,760	129,290
Cumulative	60,830	7,480	10,890	10,560	10,430	9,270	10,430	5,220	125,100
Total Unique Certificates	1,050,850	49,150	77,120	76,330	81,340	86,020	107,310	77,640	1,605,760

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 November 22, 2024 and are subject to change.
3. Counts represent individuals with an accepted DTC certificate that was effective on December 31, 2023.
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.