



**Table 12**  
**Number of DTC claimants benefitting through a tax reduction by BADL, 2011-2019**

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	2019
Vision	12,270	12,200	13,570	11,910	10,970	11,220	11,460	12,590	11,920
Walking	175,770	185,350	188,360	202,410	217,440	230,560	231,480	231,950	238,080
Speaking	34,770	38,490	38,590	40,630	40,750	46,660	47,200	52,550	54,630
Mental Functions	137,840	154,970	164,980	170,940	182,410	190,990	188,540	203,040	215,770
Hearing	17,500	17,870	18,430	18,920	18,630	19,280	18,060	17,660	17,560
Feeding	44,190	44,040	47,320	46,130	44,630	48,110	46,050	49,630	49,640
Dressing	89,150	90,950	93,950	98,780	102,780	106,730	103,180	106,010	108,610
Eliminating	47,350	46,490	49,160	49,990	51,630	57,300	56,920	63,030	63,120
Life-Sustaining Therapy	20,660	22,480	21,430	24,250	26,590	32,930	36,500	47,210	44,710
Cumulative	26,490	31,930	36,270	41,900	47,450	54,190	51,690	60,100	63,520
<b>Total</b>	<b>606,000</b>	<b>644,750</b>	<b>672,050</b>	<b>705,860</b>	<b>743,280</b>	<b>797,970</b>	<b>791,080</b>	<b>843,770</b>	<b>867,570</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.