

Social Security Snapshot

Social Security Contributes Billion\$ to Louisiana's Economy

In Louisiana there are **895,826** Social Security beneficiaries, including:

- 523,785 Retired Workers
- 156,107 Disabled Workers
- 85,355 Widow(er)s
- 45,376 Spouses
- 85,203 Children

**Social Security benefits provide \$12 Billion
Each year to Louisiana's economy**

Social Security provides a lifeline to beneficiaries, their families, and the local businesses which serve them. While some in Washington claim America can't afford programs like Social Security and Medicare, the truth is states like Louisiana can't afford to lose the economic benefits they provide to every community in the state.



Louisiana Social Security Snapshot by Congressional District

Congressional District	Total Recipients	Total Annual Benefit	Retirees	Disabled	Widow(er)s & Spouses	Children
LA - 1	155,512	\$2.4 billion	98,103	22,627	22,850	11,932
LA - 2	143,280	\$1.8 billion	79,434	29,919	17,984	15,943
LA - 3	149,068	\$2.1 billion	83,624	26,282	24,648	14,514

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LA - 4	154,431	\$2.1 billion	91,251	27,719	21,000	14,461
LA - 5	159,056	\$2 billion	90,198	29,307	23,182	16,369
LA - 6	134,479	\$2 billion	81,175	20,253	21,067	11,984