

Table 15. Number and Percentage of Accepted Disabling Claims by Occupation,
Oregon, 1999 - 2003

Occupation of Claimant ¹	ACCEPTANCE YEAR									
	1999		2000		2001		2002		2003	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
TOTAL	25,802	100.0	25,365	100.0	24,645	100.0	23,482	100.0	21,832	100.0
Professional & Managerial	1,535	5.9	1,607	6.3	1,740	7.1	1,654	7.0	1,620	7.4
Executive and Administrative	641	2.5	646	2.5	695	2.8	672	2.9	726	3.3
Food Serv., Lodging Managr	105	0.4	85	0.3	92	0.4	101	0.4	89	0.4
Properties Manager	52	0.2	40	0.2	43	0.2	42	0.2	41	0.2
Service Organization Man.	27	0.1	16	0.1	27	0.1	25	0.1	44	0.2
Other Management Occup.	457	1.8	505	2.0	533	2.2	504	2.1	552	2.5
Engineers, Arch., Surveyors	35	0.1	31	0.1	40	0.2	24	0.1	35	0.2
Math & Computer Scientists	25	0.1	20	0.1	25	0.1	17	0.1	24	0.1
Natural Scientists	13	0.1	16	0.1	22	0.1	18	0.1	16	0.1
Health Diagnosing Occupation	12	0.0	21	0.1	12	0.0	5	0.0	21	0.1
Health Assessing & Treating	320	1.2	344	1.4	376	1.5	381	1.6	322	1.5
Registered Nurse	265	1.0	293	1.2	317	1.3	319	1.4	268	1.2
Other Hlth Assessor,Treat.	55	0.2	51	0.2	59	0.2	62	0.3	54	0.2
Teachers, Postsecondary	24	0.1	18	0.1	19	0.1	23	0.1	21	0.1
Teachers, exc. Postsecondary	223	0.9	273	1.1	269	1.1	252	1.1	226	1.0
Presch, Elementary Teacher	68	0.3	47	0.2	64	0.3	76	0.3	62	0.3
Secondary Teacher	57	0.2	43	0.2	61	0.2	51	0.2	30	0.1
Other Teachers	98	0.4	183	0.7	144	0.6	125	0.5	134	0.6
Counselors, Educ. & Vocation	24	0.1	20	0.1	21	0.1	28	0.1	24	0.1
Librarians, Archivists	4	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0	7	0.0	5	0.0
Social Scientists	15	0.1	12	0.0	21	0.1	16	0.1	10	0.0
Social, Rec, Relig. Workers	95	0.4	93	0.4	126	0.5	126	0.5	103	0.5
Lawyers & Judges	3	0.0	1	0.0	5	0.0	2	0.0	4	0.0
Artists, Enter., Atheletes	101	0.4	105	0.4	103	0.4	83	0.4	83	0.4
Techn., Sales, Admin. Support	3,168	12.3	3,280	12.9	3,316	13.5	3,180	13.5	2,893	13.3
Technical Support Workers	525	2.0	670	2.6	638	2.6	559	2.4	559	2.6
Health Technologists	187	0.7	199	0.8	223	0.9	230	1.0	281	1.3
Clinical Lab Technician	28	0.1	38	0.1	42	0.2	42	0.2	37	0.2
Radiology Technician	16	0.1	9	0.0	13	0.1	18	0.1	25	0.1
Licensed Practical Nurse	47	0.2	34	0.1	38	0.2	33	0.1	53	0.2
Other Health Technologists	96	0.4	118	0.5	130	0.5	137	0.6	166	0.8
Engineering Technicians	89	0.3	93	0.4	100	0.4	78	0.3	85	0.4
Science Technicians	45	0.2	37	0.1	34	0.1	47	0.2	32	0.1
Technicians, NEC	204	0.8	341	1.3	281	1.1	204	0.9	161	0.7
Airplane Pilot	6	0.0	9	0.0	13	0.1	8	0.0	12	0.1
Other Technician, NEC	198	0.8	332	1.3	268	1.1	196	0.8	149	0.7
Sales Occupations	1,347	5.2	1,353	5.3	1,316	5.3	1,315	5.6	1,224	5.6
Supervisors, Sales	326	1.3	305	1.2	318	1.3	275	1.2	257	1.2
Sales Representatives	88	0.3	107	0.4	103	0.4	87	0.4	96	0.4
Retail Sales Workers	899	3.5	923	3.6	879	3.6	935	4.0	848	3.9
Sales Related Occupations	34	0.1	18	0.1	16	0.1	18	0.1	23	0.1
Administrative Support Occup	1,296	5.0	1,257	5.0	1,362	5.5	1,306	5.6	1,110	5.1
Supervisors, Admin. Support	32	0.1	29	0.1	27	0.1	41	0.2	28	0.1
Computer Equipmt. Operators	7	0.0	2	0.0	8	0.0	6	0.0	4	0.0

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Occupation of Claimant ¹	ACCEPTANCE YEAR									
	1999		2000		2001		2002		2003	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Secretaries and Typists	83	0.3	74	0.3	85	0.3	79	0.3	63	0.3
Information Clerks	101	0.4	93	0.4	115	0.5	96	0.4	70	0.3
Record Process, exc. Finance	49	0.2	46	0.2	59	0.2	60	0.3	55	0.3
Finance Record Processors	98	0.4	88	0.3	87	0.4	80	0.3	60	0.3
Office Machine Operators	8	0.0	3	0.0	8	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0
Communications Equip. Oper.	15	0.1	13	0.1	8	0.0	5	0.0	8	0.0
Mail Distributors	103	0.4	72	0.3	55	0.2	52	0.2	39	0.2
Schedulers, Distributors, NEC	311	1.2	364	1.4	376	1.5	415	1.8	354	1.6
Shipping Clerk	138	0.5	170	0.7	143	0.6	155	0.7	152	0.7
Stock Clerk	72	0.3	78	0.3	98	0.4	133	0.6	108	0.5
Meter Reader	19	0.1	9	0.0	20	0.1	21	0.1	14	0.1
Other Distributing Clerks	82	0.3	107	0.4	115	0.5	106	0.5	80	0.4
Adjustors, Investigators	59	0.2	63	0.2	94	0.4	77	0.3	75	0.3
Misc. Admin. Support Occup.	430	1.7	410	1.6	440	1.8	388	1.7	348	1.6
General Office Clerk	111	0.4	115	0.5	139	0.6	107	0.5	80	0.4
Bank Teller	17	0.1	17	0.1	27	0.1	16	0.1	20	0.1
Data Entry Keyer	24	0.1	25	0.1	29	0.1	25	0.1	15	0.1
Teacher's Aide	84	0.3	69	0.3	85	0.3	93	0.4	81	0.4
Other Admin. Support, NEC	194	0.8	184	0.7	160	0.6	147	0.6	152	0.7
Service Occupations	4,116	16.0	4,182	16.5	4,227	17.2	4,254	18.1	3,984	18.2
Private Household Workers	48	0.2	75	0.3	77	0.3	43	0.2	25	0.1
Protective Service Workers	550	2.1	556	2.2	620	2.5	699	3.0	655	3.0
Firefighting and Prevention	158	0.6	171	0.7	228	0.9	250	1.1	208	1.0
Police and Detectives	230	0.9	219	0.9	221	0.9	299	1.3	280	1.3
Guards	162	0.6	166	0.7	171	0.7	150	0.6	167	0.8
Food Preparation Services	1,473	5.7	1,482	5.8	1,336	5.4	1,305	5.6	1,191	5.5
Supervisor, Food Prep.	69	0.3	73	0.3	51	0.2	62	0.3	64	0.3
Bartender	78	0.3	76	0.3	82	0.3	68	0.3	56	0.3
Waiter, Waitress	241	0.9	239	0.9	194	0.8	183	0.8	136	0.6
Cook	467	1.8	448	1.8	401	1.6	349	1.5	396	1.8
Food Counter Worker	87	0.3	99	0.4	69	0.3	56	0.2	64	0.3
Kitchen Worker, Food	216	0.8	213	0.8	244	1.0	255	1.1	211	1.0
Waiters Assistant	44	0.2	59	0.2	73	0.3	65	0.3	58	0.3
Other Food Prep. Worker	271	1.1	275	1.1	222	0.9	267	1.1	206	0.9
Health Service Occupations	755	2.9	781	3.1	844	3.4	871	3.7	846	3.9
Health Aide, exc. Nursing	124	0.5	126	0.5	150	0.6	138	0.6	141	0.6
Nursing Aide	631	2.4	655	2.6	694	2.8	733	3.1	705	3.2
Cleaning, Bldg. Service Occup	1,012	3.9	975	3.8	1,016	4.1	1,039	4.4	986	4.5
Maid, Houseman	286	1.1	260	1.0	240	1.0	300	1.3	260	1.2
Janitor, Cleaner	687	2.7	671	2.6	726	2.9	676	2.9	661	3.0
Other Bldg. Service Workers	39	0.2	44	0.2	50	0.2	63	0.3	65	0.3
Personal Service Occupations	278	1.1	313	1.2	334	1.4	297	1.3	281	1.3
Barber, Hairdresser, Cosm.	35	0.1	32	0.1	39	0.2	28	0.1	34	0.2
Recreation Attendant	25	0.1	36	0.1	44	0.2	28	0.1	33	0.2
Public Trans. Attendants	89	0.3	93	0.4	72	0.3	90	0.4	83	0.4
Welfare Service Aide	4	0.0	3	0.0	8	0.0	4	0.0	6	0.0
Child Care, exc. Private	28	0.1	39	0.2	50	0.2	32	0.1	28	0.1
Other Personal Serv. Occup.	97	0.4	110	0.4	121	0.5	115	0.5	97	0.4

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	1999		2000		2001		2002		2003	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Farming, Forestry, Fishing	1,450	5.6	1,315	5.2	1,336	5.4	1,382	5.9	1,318	6.0
Agricultural Occupations	848	3.3	768	3.0	787	3.2	843	3.6	775	3.5
Farm Operators, Managers	19	0.1	8	0.0	12	0.0	14	0.1	17	0.1
Farm Occup., exc. Managers	496	1.9	439	1.7	448	1.8	482	2.1	466	2.1
Supervisor, Farm Workers	20	0.1	21	0.1	28	0.1	27	0.1	33	0.2
Farm Worker	379	1.5	355	1.4	331	1.3	359	1.5	354	1.6
Marine Life Cultiv.Worker	4	0.0	-	-	1	0.0	4	0.0	2	0.0
Nursery Worker	93	0.4	63	0.2	88	0.4	92	0.4	77	0.4
Related Agricultural Occup.	333	1.3	321	1.3	327	1.3	347	1.5	292	1.3
Supervisor, Rel.Agric.Occ.	34	0.1	27	0.1	27	0.1	30	0.1	26	0.1
Gardener, Except Farm	248	1.0	250	1.0	259	1.1	253	1.1	216	1.0
Animal Care, Except Farm	32	0.1	37	0.1	33	0.1	50	0.2	42	0.2
Sorter, Agricultural Prod.	19	0.1	7	0.0	8	0.0	13	0.1	7	0.0
Inspector, Agric.Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0.0	1	0.0
Forestry Occup (exc.Logging)	105	0.4	68	0.3	95	0.4	115	0.5	76	0.3
Logging Occupations	497	1.9	478	1.9	452	1.8	424	1.8	467	2.1
Bucker, Cutter, Faller	145	0.6	124	0.5	105	0.4	95	0.4	95	0.4
Chaser, Bumper, Landingman	65	0.3	71	0.3	51	0.2	44	0.2	46	0.2
Chokerman, Choker Setter	95	0.4	74	0.3	82	0.3	55	0.2	82	0.4
Grader, Scaler (Log)	7	0.0	5	0.0	6	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0
Hooker, Hook Tender	40	0.2	26	0.1	36	0.1	42	0.2	35	0.2
Loader, Log Stacker	6	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0	11	0.0	15	0.1
Log Truck Driver	32	0.1	48	0.2	58	0.2	63	0.3	48	0.2
Rigger, Rigging Slinger	40	0.2	43	0.2	35	0.1	32	0.1	42	0.2
Skidder, Yarder	16	0.1	6	0.0	16	0.1	10	0.0	13	0.1
Logging Laborer, NEC	51	0.2	74	0.3	57	0.2	65	0.3	85	0.4
Fishers, Hunters, Trappers	-	-	1	0.0	2	0.0	-	-	-	-
Production, Craft, Repair Occ.	4,295	16.6	3,957	15.6	3,862	15.7	3,655	15.6	3,286	15.1
Mechanics and Repairers	1,395	5.4	1,335	5.3	1,335	5.4	1,250	5.3	1,120	5.1
Supervisors, Mechanics	34	0.1	44	0.2	47	0.2	48	0.2	44	0.2
Machinery Repairers	624	2.4	600	2.4	623	2.5	577	2.5	535	2.5
Automobile Mechanic	178	0.7	181	0.7	186	0.8	180	0.8	165	0.8
Bus, Truck Mechanic	145	0.6	148	0.6	153	0.6	134	0.6	122	0.6
Auto Body Repairer	52	0.2	41	0.2	55	0.2	48	0.2	50	0.2
Heavy Equipment Mechanic	80	0.3	74	0.3	79	0.3	64	0.3	57	0.3
Farm Equipment Mechanic	11	0.0	10	0.0	14	0.1	18	0.1	24	0.1
Indust.Machinery Repairer	52	0.2	55	0.2	39	0.2	32	0.1	38	0.2
Other Mach. Maint.Workers	106	0.4	91	0.4	97	0.4	101	0.4	79	0.4
Electronics Repairers	308	1.2	261	1.0	250	1.0	250	1.1	221	1.0
Comm.,Data Proc.Eqp. Rep.	75	0.3	69	0.3	58	0.2	68	0.3	43	0.2
Appliance Repairer	24	0.1	28	0.1	33	0.1	23	0.1	23	0.1
Telephone, Line Installer	64	0.2	57	0.2	42	0.2	47	0.2	39	0.2
Misc. Electrical Repairer	14	0.1	17	0.1	17	0.1	12	0.1	10	0.0
Heat, Ac, Refrig.Mechanic	131	0.5	90	0.4	100	0.4	100	0.4	106	0.5
Misc. Mechanics, Repairers	429	1.7	430	1.7	415	1.7	375	1.6	320	1.5
Millwright	124	0.5	122	0.5	114	0.5	109	0.5	110	0.5

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	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Other Misc.Mech.,Repairer	305	1.2	308	1.2	301	1.2	266	1.1	210	1.0
Construction Trades	2,082	8.1	1,838	7.2	1,867	7.6	1,738	7.4	1,626	7.4
Supervisor, Construction	114	0.4	82	0.3	103	0.4	100	0.4	91	0.4
Brick, Stone Mason	40	0.2	42	0.2	30	0.1	28	0.1	34	0.2
Carpet Installer	45	0.2	35	0.1	26	0.1	23	0.1	16	0.1
Carpenter	670	2.6	585	2.3	600	2.4	508	2.2	550	2.5
Drywall Installer	82	0.3	80	0.3	75	0.3	64	0.3	63	0.3
Electrician	272	1.1	253	1.0	280	1.1	266	1.1	227	1.0
Painter, Construction	129	0.5	126	0.5	119	0.5	107	0.5	93	0.4
Plasterer	15	0.1	11	0.0	14	0.1	14	0.1	8	0.0
Plumber, Pipefitter	155	0.6	169	0.7	170	0.7	135	0.6	149	0.7
Concrete Finisher	52	0.2	43	0.2	49	0.2	29	0.1	41	0.2
Glazier	33	0.1	37	0.1	27	0.1	19	0.1	20	0.1
Insulation Worker	41	0.2	29	0.1	25	0.1	26	0.1	23	0.1
Roofer	140	0.5	125	0.5	109	0.4	119	0.5	100	0.5
Metal Duct Installer	32	0.1	25	0.1	24	0.1	25	0.1	16	0.1
Structural Metal Worker	51	0.2	50	0.2	48	0.2	53	0.2	30	0.1
Other Construction Workers	211	0.8	146	0.6	168	0.7	222	0.9	165	0.8
Mining, Extraction Workers	9	0.0	13	0.1	6	0.0	7	0.0	3	0.0
Precision Production Occup.	809	3.1	771	3.0	654	2.7	660	2.8	537	2.5
Supervisors, Precis. Prod.	126	0.5	131	0.5	127	0.5	131	0.6	91	0.4
Precision Metalworkers	243	0.9	239	0.9	195	0.8	169	0.7	152	0.7
Tool and Die Maker	9	0.0	11	0.0	11	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0
Machinist	125	0.5	111	0.4	82	0.3	80	0.3	80	0.4
Sheet Metal Worker	79	0.3	80	0.3	71	0.3	52	0.2	43	0.2
Other Prec. Metal Workers	30	0.1	37	0.1	31	0.1	30	0.1	23	0.1
Precision Woodworkers	76	0.3	47	0.2	38	0.2	39	0.2	47	0.2
Cabinetmaker	69	0.3	46	0.2	35	0.1	34	0.1	43	0.2
Other PrecisionWoodworker	7	0.0	1	0.0	3	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0
Precision Textile Workers	21	0.1	16	0.1	13	0.1	13	0.1	10	0.0
Precision Workers, Assorted	88	0.3	71	0.3	54	0.2	73	0.3	41	0.2
ElectricEquipmt.Assembler	65	0.3	51	0.2	32	0.1	28	0.1	21	0.1
Other Asst. Prcsn. Worker	23	0.1	20	0.1	22	0.1	45	0.2	20	0.1
Precision Food Production	168	0.7	188	0.7	161	0.7	162	0.7	142	0.7
Butcher	99	0.4	118	0.5	89	0.4	86	0.4	72	0.3
Baker	46	0.2	47	0.2	41	0.2	50	0.2	50	0.2
Food Batchmaker	23	0.1	23	0.1	31	0.1	26	0.1	20	0.1
Precision Inspector, Tester	26	0.1	19	0.1	19	0.1	20	0.1	11	0.1
Plant and System Operators	61	0.2	60	0.2	47	0.2	53	0.2	43	0.2
Operators,Assemblers,Laborers	10,741	41.6	10,453	41.2	9,642	39.1	8,717	37.1	7,773	35.6
Operatives, Except Transport	2,887	11.2	2,890	11.4	2,786	11.3	2,196	9.4	2,037	9.3
Metal, Plastic Mach. Oper.	245	0.9	223	0.9	219	0.9	148	0.6	136	0.6
Lathe Operator	5	0.0	10	0.0	3	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0
Press Machine Operator	23	0.1	31	0.1	25	0.1	7	0.0	13	0.1
Grinding Machine Operator	77	0.3	60	0.2	78	0.3	56	0.2	37	0.2
Casting Machine Operator	46	0.2	38	0.1	35	0.1	28	0.1	23	0.1

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Helpers, Mech. & Repairers	10	0.0	14	0.1	7	0.0	12	0.1	4	0.0
Construct, Mining, Prod. Help	774	3.0	751	3.0	587	2.4	610	2.6	583	2.7
Construct. Laborer, Help	707	2.7	687	2.7	517	2.1	539	2.3	535	2.5
Flaggers, Construction	-	-	-	-	16	0.1	17	0.1	18	0.1
Surveying, Mining Helper	1	0.0	1	0.0	4	0.0	2	0.0	1	0.0
Production Helper	66	0.3	63	0.2	50	0.2	52	0.2	29	0.1
Freight & Material Handlers	1,288	5.0	1,240	4.9	1,113	4.5	1,095	4.7	929	4.3
Garbage Collector	28	0.1	21	0.1	26	0.1	18	0.1	9	0.0
Stock Handler, Stevedore	318	1.2	433	1.7	400	1.6	307	1.3	274	1.3
Machine Feeder, Offbearer	207	0.8	172	0.7	139	0.6	192	0.8	122	0.6
Material Handler, NEC	735	2.8	614	2.4	548	2.2	578	2.5	524	2.4
Other Laborers	2,576	10.0	2,497	9.8	2,228	9.0	1,922	8.2	1,627	7.5
Service Station Worker	226	0.9	231	0.9	177	0.7	205	0.9	147	0.7
Vehicle Washer	133	0.5	109	0.4	95	0.4	97	0.4	84	0.4
Hand Packer	100	0.4	113	0.4	91	0.4	72	0.3	86	0.4
Laborer, exc. Construction	2,117	8.2	2,044	8.1	1,865	7.6	1,548	6.6	1,310	6.0
State Military Occupations	-	-	-	-	1	0.0	5	0.0	1	0.0
Occupation Not Reported	497	1.9	571	2.3	521	2.1	635	2.7	957	4.4

¹Bureau of Labor & Statistics Occupational Coding Manual, May 2000 edition.

Note: NEC = Not elsewhere classified.

- Dashes indicate no claims were received.

Source: Research and Analysis Section, Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services