

Disability Status of North Dakotans: 2000

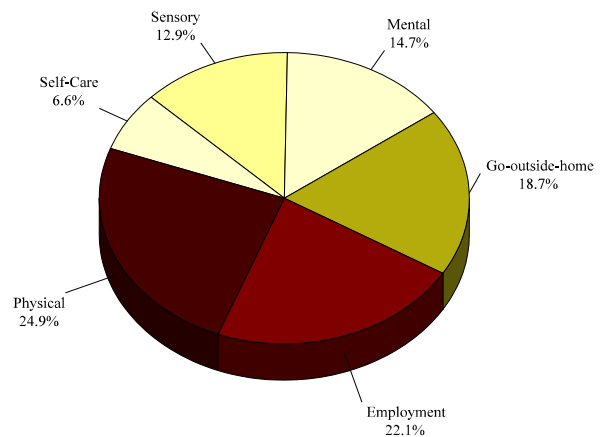
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Of civilian noninstitutionalized persons 65 years or older in North Dakota, 38.5 percent reported a disability in 2000; the 8th lowest proportion in the nation. The proportions of civilian noninstitutionalized persons 5 years and older in North Dakota with a disability increased with age. Less than 6 percent of persons 5 to 15 reported a disability in 2000; 10.3 percent of persons 16 to 20; 15.4 percent of persons 21 to 64; 27.9 percent of persons 65 to 74; and 49.9 percent of persons 75 and older.

Types of Disabilities Reported by North Dakotans: 2000

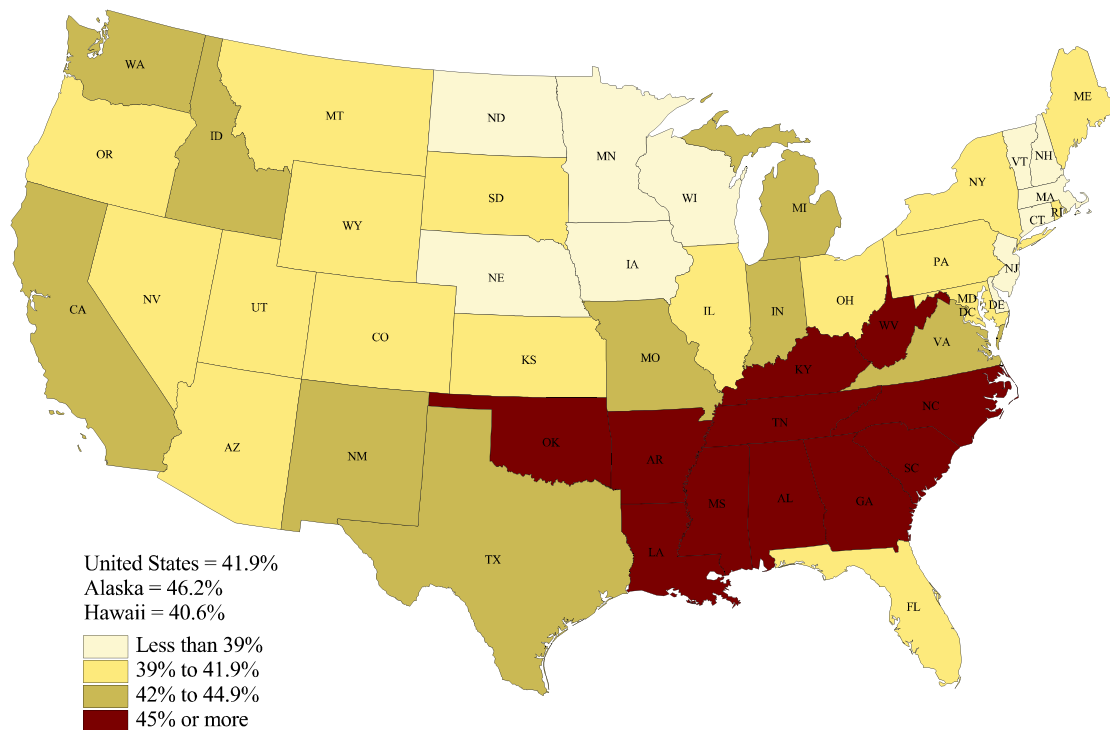
Disabilities of Civilian Noninstitutionalized Persons 5 Years and Older



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2000 Census, Summary File 3 (SF3) Table P41.

Percent of Civilian Noninstitutionalized Persons 65 Years and Older with a Disability by State: 2000

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2000 Census, Summary File 3 (SF3), Table P42.



Disability Status of Civilian Noninstitutionalized Persons 5 Years or Older in North Dakota by County: 2000

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2000 Census, Summary File 3 (SF3) Table P42.

Area	Civilian Noninstitutionalized Persons 5 Years or Older										
	Total	Ages 5 to 15		Ages 16 to 20		Ages 21 to 64		Ages 65 to 74		Ages 75 or Older	
		With Disability	Without Disability	With Disability	Without Disability	With Disability	Without Disability	With Disability	Without Disability	With Disability	Without Disability
North Dakota	586,289	5,586	95,037	5,460	47,511	53,170	292,164	12,601	32,636	21,000	21,124
Adams	2,392	20	379	28	122	232	1,063	62	219	134	133
Barnes	10,921	118	1,493	109	991	840	5,236	167	805	532	630
Benson	6,285	51	1,535	79	494	713	2,493	125	360	231	204
Billings	850	2	130	11	50	65	451	14	75	21	31
Bottineau	6,671	69	965	77	578	560	3,024	174	515	342	367
Bowman	3,006	17	506	11	173	197	1,470	70	255	143	164
Burke	2,162	14	298	5	126	155	1,008	68	224	102	162
Burleigh	63,510	586	10,063	697	4,976	5,762	33,430	1,423	3,058	1,798	1,717
Cass	113,993	1,224	16,421	1,059	9,718	10,484	63,911	1,565	4,403	2,560	2,648
Cavalier	4,572	4	809	35	230	280	2,157	108	424	232	293
Dickey	5,257	35	823	38	408	482	2,400	140	393	261	277
Divide	2,123	18	294	6	123	101	994	74	190	120	203
Dunn	3,345	12	652	15	217	274	1,605	112	177	131	150
Eddy	2,528	19	404	21	128	199	1,148	81	218	126	184
Emmons	4,022	17	658	21	210	384	1,695	159	394	289	195
Foster	3,474	14	637	36	194	233	1,645	138	266	139	172
Golden Valley	1,703	6	290	18	100	183	744	44	126	98	94
Grand Forks	59,045	655	9,045	641	6,553	5,087	31,189	823	2,257	1,291	1,504
Grant	2,661	21	400	9	170	245	1,174	64	254	174	150
Griggs	2,567	6	392	20	169	159	1,172	56	237	176	180
Hettinger	2,526	15	397	17	132	179	1,152	78	263	170	123
Kidder	2,578	12	377	29	162	174	1,194	96	240	171	123
LaMoure	4,413	23	713	18	329	315	1,983	146	394	252	240
Logan	2,143	13	320	6	104	191	909	117	197	165	121
McHenry	5,615	56	858	34	375	562	2,478	190	454	339	269
McIntosh	3,095	24	412	34	144	260	1,213	139	348	281	240
McKenzie	5,332	23	1,151	18	423	437	2,432	129	300	236	183
McLean	8,702	63	1,347	58	567	883	4,046	246	611	438	443
Mercer	8,145	126	1,584	83	532	650	4,029	154	419	344	224
Morton	23,208	225	4,000	175	1,591	2,126	11,655	622	1,281	876	657
Mountrail	6,038	41	1,152	43	396	545	2,842	182	292	272	273
Nelson	3,411	31	506	9	203	338	1,431	118	328	221	226
Oliver	1,963	23	355	12	140	153	978	43	119	63	77
Pembina	7,951	67	1,271	56	558	705	3,765	183	612	326	408
Pierce	4,298	25	674	27	252	353	1,954	151	337	224	301
Ramsey	11,049	165	1,748	130	837	1,192	4,928	281	732	482	554
Ransom	5,270	33	891	18	355	330	2,617	174	332	278	242
Renville	2,403	16	376	25	153	183	1,136	76	190	95	153
Richland	16,525	109	2,642	190	2,015	1,453	7,646	349	911	536	674
Rolette	12,389	174	3,081	145	1,113	1,360	5,242	277	392	361	244
Sargent	4,080	43	721	24	191	320	2,063	85	273	177	183
Sheridan	1,635	8	252	7	79	154	676	74	161	111	113
Sioux	3,602	41	982	49	372	457	1,465	77	91	57	11
Slope	729	0	119	3	51	164	255	22	85	16	14
Stark	20,970	165	3,484	227	1,845	2,209	9,816	428	1,196	868	732
Steele	2,123	9	386	18	127	96	1,044	55	191	93	104
Stutsman	19,927	185	2,962	184	1,669	1,887	9,536	541	1,260	789	914
Towner	2,676	16	444	2	170	158	1,275	63	231	164	153
Traill	7,803	45	1,293	49	657	677	3,595	174	540	328	445
Walsh	11,474	151	1,757	135	698	1,219	5,288	343	784	495	604
Ward	49,897	580	8,704	413	3,933	4,663	24,724	917	2,628	1,798	1,537
Wells	4,776	53	720	62	250	376	2,083	143	486	311	292
Williams	18,456	118	3,164	224	1,358	1,766	8,705	461	1,108	763	789



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