

DISABILITIES IN AMERICA

Experiences Across the Lifespan

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EARLY INTERVENTION Birth to Age 2



94.9% of eligible infants and toddlers receive services in home/community setting.



DISABILITIES BY TYPE Ages 5-17



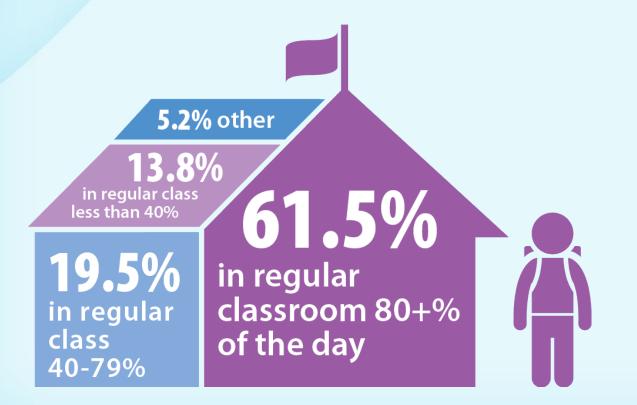
COGNITIVE 4.1% SELF-CARE 0.9% VISION 0.9% AMBULATORY 0.6% HEARING 0.6%

5.4% of all school-aged children who have a disability.



LEARNING ENVIRONMENT Ages 6-21

% of School Day Spent in an Integrated Class





POVERTY RATE Birth to Age 17

1 in 3 children with a disability live in poverty.



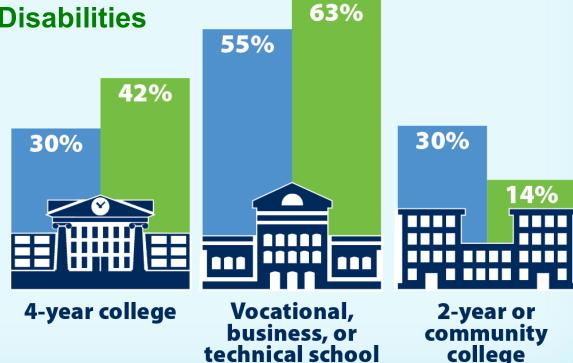
SPECIAL EDUCATION STUDENTS EXITING HIGH SCHOOL Ages 14-21





POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION GRADUATED OR COMPLETED PROGRAM

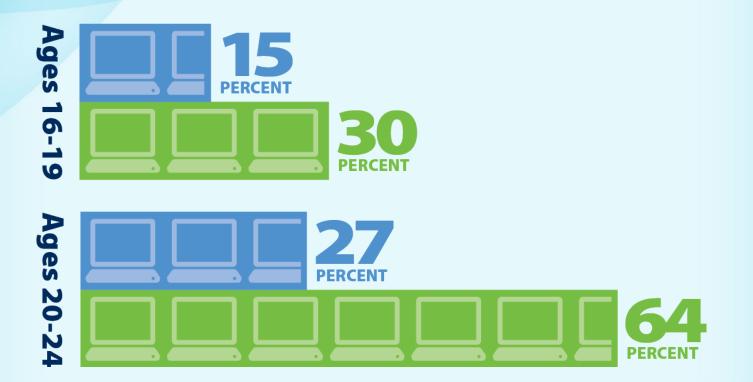
With Disabilities and Without Disabilities





YOUTH EMPLOYMENT Ages 16-24

With Disabilities and Without Disabilities





EMPLOYMENT RATE Ages 18-64





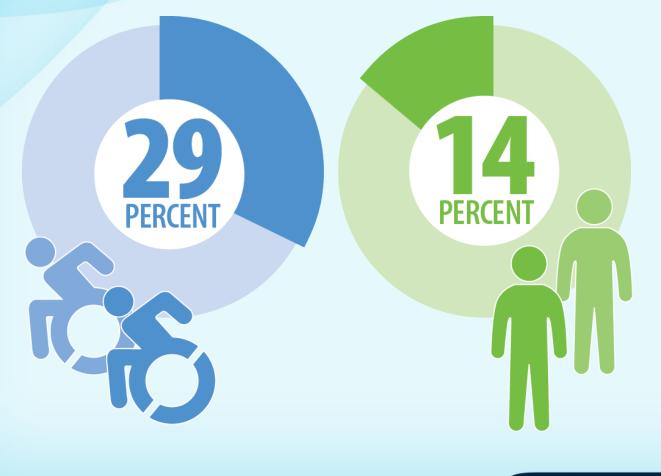
MEDIAN EARNINGS Ages 16+







With Disabilities and Without Disabilities





NUMBER OF DISABILITIES BY AGE





DISABILITIES BY TYPE Age 65+

AMBULATORY 66.5 % INDEPENDENT LIVING 47.8% HEARING 40.4% COGNITIVE 28.8% SELF-CARE 28.4% VISION 19.2%



LIVING ARRANGEMENTS Age 65+





OLDER ADULTS Age 65+



40% of all seniors with disabilities suffer from hunger.



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PROFILE OF AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES

17% poverty rate for veterans with disabilities ages 18-64 (2013) Nearly 1 in 5 people had a disability in the U.S. (2010)

1.15 million youth ages 13-25 received Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits (2012)

43% of total Medicaid payments were made for people with disabilities (2011) 14% of the total number of persons served by Medicaid were people with disabilities (2011)

Health insurance rates for people with disabilities ages 18+ (2013)

- 44% Private insurance
- 51% Public insurance
- (some have both)
- 16% No insurance

56% of individuals achieved successful employment through vocational rehabilitation (2012)

9% of youth ages 6-21 received special education services (2012)

29% disability prevalence rate for veterans (2013) Older women are more likely than older men to have five of the six types of disability (2012)





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