

## Number and characteristics of parents with disabilities who have children under 18, 2008-09

### State of DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Total population living in households	538,561				
	Number	Number with Disabilities	+/-	Percent with Disabilities	+/-
Parents of children under 18	96,200	8,500	705	8.9	0.7
Type of disability					
Hearing		1,500	299	1.6	0.3
Vision		2,300	368	2.4	0.4
Mobility		4,800	530	5.0	0.5
Cognitive		2,700	401	2.8	0.4
Daily activity limitation		2,800	408	2.9	0.4
Gender of parent					
Male	34,800	2,800	408	8.1	1.1
Female	61,400	5,700	578	9.3	0.9
Marital status					
Married	48,000	2,200	357	4.5	0.7
Not married	48,200	6,400	611	13.2	1.2
Living arrangement					
Living with spouse/partner	52,000	3,200	437	6.2	0.8
No live-in spouse/partner	44,200	5,300	557	12.0	1.2
Race/ethnicity					
White	32,800	1,100	261	3.5	0.8
African American	55,800	7,000	640	12.6	1.1
Latino/Hispanic	11,700	600	* 182	4.8	* 1.5
Family income					
< 100% Federal Poverty Level (FPL)	17,400	3,800	471	21.7	2.4
100-199% FPL	16,100	1,800	328	11.3	1.9
≥200% FPL	62,700	2,900	416	4.7	0.6
Receiving Supplemental Security Income	4,400	2,100	353	47.6	5.8
Grandparents caring for grandchildren under 18	4,700	1,700	315	35.5	5.4

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