

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

UNITED STATES

Total population living in households	297,271,164				
	Number	Number with Disabilities	+/-	Percent with Disabilities	+/-
Parents of children under 18	66,319,300	4,108,000	15,131	6.2	0.02
Type of disability					
Hearing		899,700	7,256	1.4	0.01
Vision		790,700	6,807	1.2	0.01
Mobility		1,877,800	10,406	2.8	0.02
Cognitive		1,515,800	9,374	2.3	0.01
Daily activity limitation		1,319,000	8,758	2.0	0.01
Gender of parent					
Male	29,786,500	1,798,600	10,190	6.0	0.03
Female	36,532,800	2,309,400	11,502	6.3	0.03
Marital status					
Married	49,861,600	2,479,900	11,904	5.0	0.02
Not married	16,457,600	1,628,000	9,707	9.9	0.06
Living arrangement					
Living with spouse/partner	51,496,400	2,609,300	12,199	5.1	0.02
No live-in spouse/partner	14,822,800	1,498,700	9,323	10.1	0.06
Race/ethnicity					
White	50,101,200	3,000,900	13,043	6.0	0.03
African American	8,166,400	719,400	6,496	8.8	0.08
Asian/Pacific Islander	3,908,100	130,800	2,782	3.3	0.07
American Indian/Alaska Native	1,003,600	140,000	2,878	13.9	0.27
Latino/Hispanic	12,159,800	669,400	6,269	5.5	0.05
Family income					
< 100% Federal Poverty Level (FPL)	8,791,300	1,227,900	8,456	14.0	0.09
100-199% FPL	12,408,500	1,073,600	7,916	8.7	0.06
≥200% FPL	45,119,500	1,806,500	10,212	4.0	0.02
Receiving Supplemental Security Income	1,242,500	646,200	6,160	52.0	0.35
Grandparents caring for grandchildren under 18	2,667,300	666,700	6,256	25.0	0.20