

2013 SSI Payment Levels in Massachusetts

Living Arrangement A - FULL COST OF LIVING

	BENEFIT TYPE	FEDERAL BENEFIT	STATE SUPPLEMENT *	<u>TOTAL</u>
INDIVIDUAL	Aged	\$710.00	\$128.82	\$838.82
	Disabled	\$710.00	\$114.39	\$824.39
	Blind	\$710.00	\$149.74	\$859.74
MEMBER OF A COUPLE	Aged	\$533.00	\$100.86	\$633.86
	Disabled	\$533.00	\$ 90.03	\$623.03
	Blind	\$533.00	\$326.74	\$859.74

Living Arrangement B - SHARED LIVING

	BENEFIT TYPE	FEDERAL BENEFIT	STATE SUPPLEMENT *	<u>TOTAL</u>
INDIVIDUAL	Aged	\$710.00	\$ 39.26	\$749.26
	Disabled	\$710.00	\$ 30.40	\$740.40
	Blind	\$710.00	\$149.74	\$859.74
MEMBER OF A COUPLE	Aged	\$533.00	\$100.86	\$633.86
	Disabled	\$533.00	\$90.03	\$623.03
	Blind	\$533.00	\$326.74	\$859.74

Living Arrangement C - HOUSEHOLD OF ANOTHER

	BENEFIT TYPE	FEDERAL BENEFIT	STATE SUPPLEMENT *	<u>TOTAL</u>
INDIVIDUAL	Aged	\$473.34	\$104.36	\$577.70
	Disabled	\$473.34	\$ 87.58	\$560.92
	Blind	\$473.34	\$386.40	\$859.74
MEMBER OF A COUPLE	Aged	\$355.34	\$107.90	\$463.24
	Disabled	\$355.34	\$ 97.09	\$452.43
	Blind	\$355.34	\$504.40	\$859.74

Living Arrangement E - LICENSED REST HOME

	BENEFIT TYPE	FEDERAL BENEFIT	STATE SUPPLEMENT *	<u>TOTAL</u>
INDIVIDUAL	Aged	\$710.00	\$293.00	\$1003.00
	Disabled	\$710.00	\$293.00	\$1003.00
	Blind	\$710.00	\$149.74	\$859.74
MEMBER OF A COUPLE	Aged	\$533.00	\$470.00	\$1003.00
	Disabled	\$533.00	\$470.00	\$1003.00
	Blind	\$533.00	\$326.74	\$859.74

Living Arrangement F - RESIDENT OF A TITLE XIX FACILITY WHERE MEDICAID PAYS MORE THAN 50 % OF COST OF CARE

	BENEFIT TYPE	FEDERAL BENEFIT	STATE SUPPLEMENT *	<u>TOTAL</u>
INDIVIDUAL	Aged	\$30.00	\$42.80	\$72.80
	Disabled	\$30.00	\$42.80	\$72.80
	Blind	\$30.00	\$42.80	\$72.80
MEMBER OF A COUPLE	Aged	\$30.00	\$42.80	\$72.80
	Disabled	\$30.00	\$42.80	\$72.80
	Blind	\$30.00	\$42.80	\$72.80

Living Arrangement G - ASSISTED LIVING

	BENEFIT TYPE	FEDERAL BENEFIT	STATE SUPPLEMENT *	<u>TOTAL</u>
INDIVIDUAL	Aged	\$710.00	\$454.00	\$1164.00
	Disabled	\$710.00	\$454.00	\$1164.00
	Blind	\$710.00	\$454.00	\$1164.00
MEMBER OF A COUPLE	Aged	\$533.00	\$340.50	\$873.50
	Disabled	\$533.00	\$340.50	\$873.50
	Blind	\$533.00	\$340.50	\$873.50

* Effective 4/1/12, Massachusetts assumed state administration of the SSI state supplement. This means that the state determines the state supplement amount and provides the payment separately. For more information see <http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/consumer/basic-needs/financial/ssp.html>

2013 SSI and SSDI Threshold Amounts

SSI Resource Limit	\$2000.00 (individual) \$3000 (couple)
SSI Federal Benefit Rate	\$710.00 (individual) \$1066.00 (elig. couple)
SSI Child Allocation	\$356.00
SSI Student Earned Income Exclusion	\$1730.00/month up to \$6960.00/year
Value of 1/3 Reduction (reduction in FBR applied when individual/couple lives throughout a month in another person's household and receives both food and shelter from others living in the household)	\$236.66 (individ) ? \$355.33 (elg. couple) ?
Substantial Gainful Activity - Disabled	\$1040.00/month
Substantial Gainful Activity - Blind	\$1740.00/month
SSDI Trial Work Month	\$750.00
SSDI Cost of 1 Quarter of Coverage	\$1160.00 (\$4640/year for 4 QC)
Maximum Monthly Social Security Retirement Benefit (at full retirement age)	\$2533.00
Maximum Taxable Earnings (amount of earnings subject to FICA taxes to fund Social Security Retirement, Disability and Survivors benefits)	\$113,700.00
Medicare Part B Premium	\$104.90/month (higher if income > \$85,000/year (individual))