



## DISABILITY DETERMINATION SERVICES

### Year in Review October 1, 2018 – September 30, 2019

#### SSI/DI Claims Processed Disability Determination Services

Total Receipt of Cases:	75,330
Total Disposition of Cases:	76,620
Initial Claims Filed:	44,306
Initial Claims Disposed:	42,724
% Allowed:	42.9%
CDR Receipts:	16,478
CDR Dispositions:	19,684
Accuracy of Decisions:	96.9 %

#### Purchased Services

Consultative Examinations Purchased:	17,117
Consultative Examination Rate:	22.3%
Medical Evidence of Record Purchased:	67,694
Medical Evidence of Record Rate:	88.4%
Total Medical Costs:	\$ 6,873,768

#### Massachusetts SSI/SSDI Summary

Total MA Population:	6.90M
MA SSI Recipients, 2018:	183,889
MA SSDI Recipients, 2018:	226,065
Annual SSDI Benefits Paid:	\$3.33B
Annual SSI Benefits Paid:	\$1.19B

### FACTS AT A GLANCE

<b>Total Budget:</b>	<b>\$46,971,951</b>
<b>Cost Per Case:</b>	<b>\$613.05</b>
<b>Total Disposition of SSI/DI Cases:</b>	<b>76,620</b>
<b>Accuracy of Initial Decisions:</b>	<b>96.9%</b>
<b>Federal Accuracy of Decision Standard:</b>	<b>90.6%</b>

**Vision and Mission:**

The Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission (MRC) promotes equality, empowerment and independence of individuals with disabilities. These goals are achieved through enhancing and encouraging personal choice and the right to succeed or fail in the pursuit of independence and employment in the community.

**Who We Serve:**

The MRC provides comprehensive services to people with disabilities that maximize their quality of life and economic self-sufficiency in the community.

**Disability Determination Services (DDS) Division:**

Handles disability claims on behalf of the Social Security Administration.

- Determines Eligibility for Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)
- Determines Eligibility for Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Processes Continuing Disability Review Claims (CDRs)