

Recipients of social assistance and average payments of social assistance by region, family cycle, age, duration of benefit, time and contents

	Total																	
	1997		1998		1999		2000		2001		2002		2003		2004		2005	
	Recipients of social assistance (persons)	Average payment per month (NOK)	Recipients of social assistance (persons)	Average payment per month (NOK)	Recipients of social assistance (persons)	Average payment per month (NOK)	Recipients of social assistance (persons)	Average payment per month (NOK)	Recipients of social assistance (persons)	Average payment per month (NOK)	Recipients of social assistance (persons)	Average payment per month (NOK)	Recipients of social assistance (persons)	Average payment per month (NOK)	Recipients of social assistance (persons)	Average payment per month (NOK)	Recipients of social assistance (persons)	Average payment per month (NOK)
<b>18</b>																		
<b>Nordland</b>																		
Single																		
-20 years	472	3 503	445	4 000	464	4 789	483	4 457	422	4 409	447	4 937	442	5 317	443	5 233	445	5 435
20-24 years	1 247	4 042	1 082	4 238	1 084	4 607	1 115	4 773	1 145	5 154	1 101	5 260	1 110	5 363	1 112	5 321	1 134	5 359
25-44 years	1 895	4 555	1 813	4 982	1 907	5 217	1 924	5 283	1 955	5 561	1 866	5 923	1 823	6 188	1 823	6 065	1 839	6 108
45-66 years	895	3 689	941	4 047	978	3 934	993	4 365	1 073	4 499	1 056	4 890	1 002	5 145	1 044	5 355	1 042	5 576
67 years or more	254	2 498	232	2 786	189	3 094	214	3 319	207	3 093	182	3 671	160	3 982	123	4 535	116	4 621
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Single parents																		
-20 years	27	3 732	34	4 314	7	4 107	8	4 031	16	6 043	20	3 630	18	6 410	6	5 833	15	5 227
20-24 years	243	4 007	226	4 795	139	4 898	137	4 989	140	5 327	112	6 397	110	5 766	105	6 119	107	6 479
25-44 years	1 006	4 452	1 018	4 888	777	5 065	842	5 534	846	6 112	817	6 506	778	6 639	759	6 617	712	7 102
45-66 years	152	4 087	194	4 606	124	4 644	139	5 640	163	5 456	145	6 075	136	6 543	156	6 093	157	6 001
67 years or more	1	2 904	18	3 639	0	0	1	1 086	2	11 050	2	4 404	2	6 110	0	0	2	7 873
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Couples without children																		
-20 years	37	3 077	53	4 304	52	4 566	45	4 792	48	4 955	44	4 472	45	4 376	46	5 390	53	5 673
20-24 years	136	4 045	155	4 473	181	5 204	211	5 736	185	5 511	191	6 279	182	5 856	193	5 823	160	5 007
25-44 years	336	4 805	359	5 683	440	6 114	535	7 204	615	7 397	553	7 749	533	7 344	509	7 098	494	6 072
45-66 years	319	4 696	234	5 639	256	6 367	269	6 738	272	6 359	281	6 980	260	6 836	307	6 407	292	5 996
67 years or more	65	4 712	52	6 200	44	6 518	45	6 447	44	7 080	46	6 225	43	5 515	25	6 227	26	7 236
Unknown	0	0	1	1 000	1	1 800	1	500	1	1 200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Couples with children																		
-20 years	4	6 010	13	5 199	9	5 058	11	6 615	10	6 648	10	4 989	7	6 873	6	5 307	6	6 745
20-24 years	104	4 372	106	4 638	111	5 463	119	6 212	100	6 780	72	6 383	72	7 002	71	6 946	63	6 765
25-44	855	6 017	726	6 754	608	7 782	657	8 652	619	8 850	678	9 510	676	9 501	616	8 724	547	8 833





or more	25	4 767	27	5 870	23	7 934	23	8 076	29	7 853	28	8 200	22	6 737	14	10 164	18	8 856
Unknown	0	0	1	320	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Couples with children																		
-20 years	3	7 442	3	14 526	4	6 402	0	0	2	5 946	1	1 753	1	2 611	2	4 889	1	2 163
20-24 years	43	4 651	38	4 224	29	5 907	29	5 910	37	5 603	37	5 502	29	6 786	23	7 845	22	7 608
25-44 years	296	5 295	286	5 576	276	6 977	268	7 626	263	8 090	275	9 230	289	9 773	252	8 248	229	7 811
45-66 years	76	5 000	65	4 965	63	7 905	58	8 430	56	6 822	55	7 122	68	9 598	59	8 127	63	9 558
67 years or more	1	2 415	1	3 861	0	0	2	750	0	0	1	16 456	1	20 660	1	16 846	2	14 918
Unknown	1	4 472	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown																		
-20 years	8	2 958	2	2 114	2	2 376	4	2 403	2	6 545	2	7 226	0	0	0	0	0	0
20-24 years	21	2 801	5	2 246	4	882	7	1 690	5	2 617	6	1 275	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-44 years	32	3 775	10	4 301	18	4 276	17	2 350	7	3 041	3	6 264	0	0	0	0	0	0
45-66 years	16	7 427	7	2 847	10	3 609	4	1 127	5	1 919	8	3 353	0	0	0	0	0	0
67 years or more	2	489	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	3	4 020	1	122	4	1 465	0	0	0	0	2	2 350	0	0	0	0	0	0

**Footnote(s):**

Includes benefits to refugees and immigrants in 2003. Includes benefits to refugees and immigrants for some municipalities in 2004