

2011 CDA Long-Term Disability Claims Survey Disability Claims by Diagnosis

% of New and Existing LTD Claims

Claim Diagnosis Category	2009		2010	
	New*	Existing*	New*	Existing*
Musculoskeletal/Connective Tissue	26.9	30.1	27.5	30.1
Nervous System-Related	6.9	13.4	6.9	13.4
Cardiovascular/Circulatory	9.1	13.0	9.1	12.7
Cancer and Neoplasms	15.4	8.3	14.6	8.4
Injuries and Poisoning	11.0	7.7	10.3	7.8
Mental Disorders	8.3	7.6	9.1	7.7
Symptoms, Signs and Ill-Defined	3.7	3.0	3.0	3.0
Respiratory System	2.3	2.8	2.3	3.0
Infections and Parasitic Diseases	1.2	2.3	2.7	2.8
Endocrine, Nutritional and Metabolic Diseases, and Immunity Disorders	1.3	2.4	1.3	2.3
Digestive System	2.5	2.2	2.5	2.2
Genitourinary System	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Complications of Pregnancy, Childbirth and the Puerperium	5.6	1.1	5.1	1.4
Skin and Subcutaneous Tissue	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.9
Congenital Anomalies	0.4	0.9	0.6	0.8
Blood and Blood-Forming Organs	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Other	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.3
Total:	100%	100%	100%	100%

*“New” claims are those approved in the survey year; “existing” claims are ongoing but were approved in prior years. Source: 2011 CDA Long-Term Disability Claims Review.