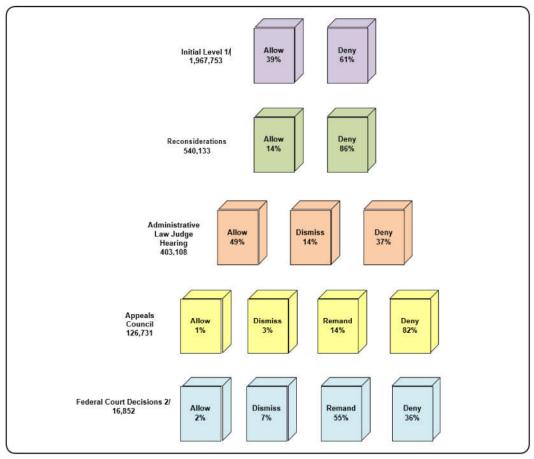
Limitation on Administrative Expenses

FY 2020 DISABILITY DECISION DATA

Table 3.25 – Fiscal Year 2020 Disability Decision Data^{1, 2}



- Initial and Reconsideration Data: SSA State Agency Operations Report
- Administrative Law Judge and Appeals Council data: SSA Office of Hearings Operations (OHO) and Office of Analytics, Review, and Oversight (OARO)
 Federal Court data: SSA Office of General (OGC)

"Workload volumes do not align with actual performance as reported in our key performance measures table because the

*Includes Title II, Title XVI, and concurrent initial disability determinations and appeals decisions issued in FY 2020, regardless of the year in which the initial claim was filed, and regardless of whether the claimant ever received benefits (in a small number of the year). cases with a favorable disability decision benefits are subsequently denied because the claimant does not meet other eligibility requirements). Does not include claims where an eligibility determination was reached without a determination of disability. If a determination or appeals decision was made on Title II and Title XVI claims for the same person, the results are treated as one concurrent decision

[1] In March 2020, SSA reinstated the reconsideration level of appeal to the last remaining prototype state resulting in a national, unified disability process. Prior to the change, the first level of appeal for the ten prototype states was a hearing before an Administrative Law Judge.

[2] Federal Court data includes appeals of Continuing Disability Reviews.

NOTE: Due to rounding, data may not always total 100%. Prepared by: SSA, ODSSI (Office of Decision Support and Strategic Information) Date Prepared: March 5, 2021

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