Section A -- Financial Statistics

The tables in this section generally present data on financial operations under the Railroad Retirement and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Acts for fiscal year 2021 and for varying numbers of prior years.

The main source of financing the railroad retirement program is a payroll tax paid by employers and employees. Railroad retirement taxes and benefits are paid on a two-tier basis. Employers and employees pay tier I taxes at the same rate as social security taxes, subject to the prevailing social security taxable maximum. Tier II taxes finance benefits payable over and above social security levels, but earnings subject to the tax are restricted to the social security taxable maximums which would have been applicable under continuation of pre-1977 social security law. Both employers and employees pay tier II taxes, but at different rates.

In calendar years 2020 and 2021, a tier I tax rate of 7.65 percent for employers and employees applied to compensation up to \$137,700 and \$142,800 per year, respectively. The tier I rates include taxes that finance the hospital insurance portion of Medicare; that tax rate for both employers and employees was 1.45 percent for 2020 and 2021. There is no limit to earnings subject to the hospital insurance portion of the tier I tax rate. Beginning in 2013, employees pay an additional 0.9 percent on earnings above \$200,000 (for those who file an individual return) or \$250,000 (for those who file a joint return).

The tier II tax rate is determined annually from a tax rate schedule based on the average account benefits ratio. The average account benefits ratio is the average for the 10 fiscal years preceding the calendar year of the ratio of the fair market value of the assets in the Railroad Retirement Account and the National Railroad Retirement Investment Trust (and for years before 2002, the Social Security Equivalent Benefit Account) as of the close of each fiscal year to the total benefits and administrative expenses paid from those accounts during the fiscal year. Employer tax rates can range from 8.2 percent to 22.1 percent. Employee tax rates can range from 0 percent to 4.9 percent. In calendar years 2020 and 2021, the tier II tax rates paid by employers and employees were 13.1 percent and 4.9 percent, respectively, and were levied on annual earnings up to \$102,300 in 2020 and \$106,200 in 2021.

Additional income is derived from Federal income taxes on tier I, tier II and vested dual benefits, from interest on invested funds and from the financial interchange with the social security system. The experience under the latter arrangement is presented in table A3. Under this arrangement, the social security trust funds are, in effect, credited with the additional payroll and income taxes they would have received, and charged with the additional benefits and administrative costs they would have paid if railroad employment had been covered under the social security program, with allowances for interest. Financial interchange determinations are made jointly by the Railroad Retirement Board, the Social Security Administration, and the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services on an annual basis. Separate determinations are made with respect to the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance, Disability Insurance, and Hospital Insurance Trust Funds.

The railroad unemployment and sickness benefit programs are financed by contributions from railroad employers, based on a percentage of their employees' taxable earnings. The taxable earnings base for those programs was the first \$1,655 in 2020 and \$1,710 in 2021 of each employee's monthly earnings. Beginning in 1991, each employer's contribution rate is experience based.

The Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act of 2020 (CARES Act), enacted March 27, 2020, authorized payment of special extended unemployment benefits, enhanced unemployment benefits to those that received regular unemployment benefits between July 1, 2019 and June 30, 2020, and waived the waiting period for unemployment and sickness benefits. Special extended unemployment benefits, authorized under the CARES Act, were financed by the remaining funds originally allocated to the Railroad Retirement Board by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and the Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009. Under the CARES Act, enhanced unemployment benefits were funded by an appropriation of \$425,000,000 and waiting period waiver benefits were funded by an appropriation of \$50,000,000. The Continued Assistance for Rail Workers Act of 2020 (CARWA), enacted December 27, 2020, reauthorized the appropriations and the unemployment and sickness benefits paid under the CARES Act through March 14, 2021. The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA), enacted March 11, 2021, continued the unemployment and sickness benefits through registration periods beginning September 6, 2021, and appropriated an additional \$2,000,000 for special extended unemployment benefits.

Fiscal years begin October 1 of the prior calendar year and end September 30.

In the tables, detailed figures may not add to totals shown because of rounding.

Table A1.--Beneficiaries and benefits paid under the Railroad Retirement Act and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act, by fiscal year, 2012-2021, cash basis

Fiscal year	Total ¹	Retirement ²	Survivor ²	Unemployment ³	Sickness
BENEFICIARIES (in thousands)					
2012	595	429	150	10	17
2013	592	429	146	11	16
014	585	428	141	10	16
.015	581	428	136	9	16
016	583	428	131	17	17
017	574	427	127	12	16
018	563	423	123	9	16
019	557	422	119	9	15
2020	568	418	116	26	18
2021	⁴ 558	412	113	17	25
BENEFIT PAYMENTS (in millions)					
2012	\$11,446.3	\$9,155.4	\$2,171.7	⁵ \$46.2	\$73.0
2013	11,748.1	9,456.5	2,175.5	⁵51.5	64.6
2014	11,998.3	9,724.9	2,167.2	⁵ 40.8	65.4
2015	12,273.2	10,012.2	2,156.9	36.7	67.4
2016	12,497.4	10,202.4	2,139.2	80.2	75.6
2017	12,593.3	10,341.4	2,121.9	53.8	76.3
2018	12,803.5	10,567.2	2,118.8	40.7	76.8
019	13,077.9	10,836.8	2,125.0	42.3	73.8
2020	13,470.3	10,975.4	2,131.4	⁶ 282.3	⁶ 81.2
2021	13,436.6	11.001.0	2,140.0	⁶ 198.0	⁶ 97.7

¹ Beneficiaries and benefit payments include partition payments to spouses and divorced spouses where the employee is deceased or not otherwise entitled to an annuity. Benefit payments also include a small amount of payments for hospital insurance benefits for services in Canada. The number of beneficiaries represents all individuals paid benefits in year. In the total number for each year, beneficiaries are counted only once, even though they may have received more than one type of benefit.

NOTE.-- In Statistical Tables through 2018, information in this table, with respect to unemployment and sickness benefits paid, was reported on a net basis. Beginning with the 2019 report, these amounts are shown on a gross basis.

² Retirement benefits include vested dual benefit and supplemental annuity payments. Survivor benefits include vested dual benefit payments but exclude partition payments.

³ In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, amounts reflect a reduction of 9.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after February 28, 2013, 7.2% for days after September 30, 2013, 7.3% for days after September 30, 2014, 6.8% for days after September 30, 2015, 6.9% for days after September 30, 2016, 6.6% for days after September 30, 2017, 6.2% for days after September 30, 2018, 5.9% for days after September 30, 2019 and 5.7% for days after September 30, 2020 and before January 3, 2021. Beginning January 3, 2021, the Continued Assistance to Rail Workers Act of 2020 (CARWA) temporarily suspended sequestration until 30 days after a Presidential declaration of an end to the national emergency concerning the COVID-19 pandemic.

⁴ In fiscal year 2021, 7,700 individuals received both retirement and survivor benefits, 1,900 employees received both unemployment and sickness benefits, and 1,400 employees received benefits under both the Railroad Retirement Act and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act.

⁵ Includes temporary extended unemployment benefits under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009, as amended by the Tax Relief, Unemployment Insurance Reauthorization, and Job Creation Act of 2010, the Temporary Payroll Tax Cut Continuation Act of 2011, the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012, and the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012. Benefits had to begin by December 31, 2013.

⁶ Beginning in May 2020, RUIA claimants have also been paid under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act of 2020, CARWA, and the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, with no benefits payable under these acts for registration periods beginning after September 6, 2021. In fiscal years 2020 and 2021, gross unemployment benefits for these temporary payments were \$151.2 million and \$105.2 million, respectively. Gross sickness benefits were \$1.7 million and \$4.8 million, respectively.

Table A2.--Status of the Railroad Retirement Act accounts and trust funds, by fiscal year, 2012-2021 (In millions), cash basis

<u>-</u>	Fiscal Year									
Item	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
RAILROAD RETIREMENT ACCOUNT										
Receipts										
Tax transfers ¹	\$2.659.8	\$3,140.2	\$3,392.2	\$3,760.8	\$3,586.7	\$3,562.9	\$3,822.9	\$3,730.4	\$3,120.0	\$3,373.6
Interest and profit on investments ²	11.4	9.0	14.0	17.2	16.8	16.4	15.8	11.0	(18.6)	9.2
Transfers from the National RR Investment Trust 3	2.026.0	1,581.0	1,429.0	1,191.0	1,410.0	1,821.0	1,809.0	1,794.0	2,280.0	2,838.0
Transfers from the SSEB Account ³	19.0	171.0	93.0	129.0		(296.0)	91.0	191.0	(83.0)	103.0
Loan repayments from RUI Account ⁴										17.5
Loan repayments from DBP Account ⁴			4.5							
			1.0	•••••	•••••	•••••				
Expenditures										
Benefit payments 5	\$4,775.0	\$4,906.2	\$5,044.0	\$5,106.8	\$5,229.0	\$5,321.4	\$5,446.1	\$5,548.2	\$5,591.5	\$5,607.2
Financial Interchange adjustment 6	(141.9)	(166.6)	(164.0)	(162.3)	(146.5)					
Net transfers to administration	69.6	70.2	69.3	` 72.1 [′]	` 72.3 [′]	76.7	85.7	84.1	88.4	91.0
Loans to RUI Account									22.0	98.0
Loans to DBP Account 7			4.5							
SOCIAL SECURITY EQUIVALENT BENEFIT ACCOUNT 8										
Receipts										
Tax transfers ¹	\$2,878.5	\$2,954.1	\$3,163.1	\$3,389.3	\$3,097.5	\$3,113.8	\$3,267.3	\$3,129.8	\$2,594.0	\$3,226.5
Interest and profit on investments 2	20.1	22.4	21.9	24.3	18.6	14.9	24.4	23.4	(9.4)	19.6
Transfers under financial interchange 9		4,499.0	4,700.8	4,676.6	4,662.7	4,522.5	4,942.4	4,946.4	4,987.7	4,899.6
Advances against financial interchange 10	3,738.6	3,943.0	3,886.1	3,849.9	3,926.1	4,095.4	4,109.1	4,306.4	4,793.0	5,040.6
Expenditures										
Benefit payments	\$6,506.7	\$6,686.9	\$6,815.2	\$7,035.4	\$7,090.4	\$7,124.5	\$7,226.7	\$7,403.8	\$7,509.8	\$7,531.7
Financial Interchange adjustment ⁶	141.9	166.6	164.0	162.3	146.5					
Market and the second and advantage and a second a second and a second a second and	31.4	30.1	32.3	32.9	30.0	30.5	29.8	33.4	29.4	26.5
Net transfers to administration		576.6	611.6	594.7	656.8	637.4	596.5	570.3	606.4	568.2
Transfers under financial interchange 9	510.9	370.0	00							
	510.9 3,946.3	3,863.1	4,041.9	3,982.7	3,940.1	4,054.5	4,194.3	4,202.4	4,458.2	4,951.6

Table A2.--Status of the Railroad Retirement Act accounts and trust funds, by fiscal year, 2012-2021 (In millions), cash basis - Continued

	Fiscal Year									
Item	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
NATIONAL RAILROAD RETIREMENT INVESTMENT TRUST 11 Cash and investment balance at end of period 12	\$23,586.2	\$24,963.7	\$26,039.9	\$24,483.9	\$25,007.7	\$26,389.6	\$26,468.7	\$25,332.4	\$24,468.6	\$28,289.6
DUAL BENEFITS PAYMENTS ACCOUNT ¹³ Loans from Railroad Retirement Account ⁷ Benefit payments Repayment of loans from Railroad Retirement Account ⁴	\$48.6	\$42.6	\$4.5 37.2 4.5	\$31.9 	\$27.5	\$23.6 	\$20.2 	\$17.1 	\$14.0 	\$11.3

¹ Net of U.S. Treasury adjustments for payroll tax refunds to certain carriers and their employees for prior periods. Includes Federal income tax transfers under section 72(r) of the Internal Revenue Code as amended. In calendar years 2011-2012, Social Security Equivalent Benefit (SSEB) Account includes general revenue transfers under the Tax Relief, Unemployment Insurance Reauthorization, and Job Creation Act of 2010 and the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012, respectively. The final reconciliation for calendar years 2011-2012 occurred in June 2015. In fiscal year 2012, SSEB Account includes a one-time general revenue transfer under the Hiring Incentives to Restore Employment Act of 2010. In fiscal year 2021, SSEB Account includes a one-time general revenue transfer under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act of 2020 and other associated 2020 COVID-19 related legislation.

- ² Net of interest on U.S. Treasury adjustments for payroll tax refunds (see footnote 1).
- ³ Under the Railroad Retirement and Survivors' Improvement Act of 2001, as amended, the portion of the Railroad Retirement (RR) Account not needed to pay current administrative expenses is to be transferred to the National Railroad Retirement Investment Trust (Trust). The Trust may transfer funds back to the RR Account for payment of benefits. The balance of the SSEB Account not needed to pay current benefits and administrative expenses is to be transferred to the Trust or to the RR Account. The SSEB Account transferred funds to the Trust in fiscal year 2003 and to the RR Account thereafter. In fiscal years 2017 and 2020, the RR Account transferred funds to the SSEB Account to pay benefits.
- ⁴ Includes interest.
- ⁵ Effective January 1, 2002, supplemental benefits are paid from the RR Account.
- 6 Adjustments in benefit payments charged to the SSEB Account as compared to actual financial interchange benefits, with interest. This adjustment was discontinued in fiscal year 2017.
- ⁷ Due to delay in enactment of a continuing resolution, the Dual Benefits Payments Account borrowed \$4,500,000 from the RR Account in October 2013 in order to pay vested dual benefits. The loan was repaid in entirety in December 2013.
- 8 Established October 1, 1984, to keep track of the financing and payment of social security level portions of railroad retirement benefits.
- ⁹ Transfers to or from OASDHI Trust Funds under section 7(c)(2) of the 1974 Railroad Retirement Act.
- 10 Advances, including interest, from U.S. Treasury to offset lag in receipt of financial interchange funds under section 7(c)(4) of the 1974 Railroad Retirement Act as amended.
- ¹¹ Established February 1, 2002, for investment of railroad retirement assets.
- 12 Source: National Railroad Retirement Investment Trust.
- ¹³ Established October 1, 1981, to keep track of the financing and payment of vested dual benefits.

NOTE.--This Table has been revised to only include information from the U.S. Department of the Treasury's Monthly Treasury Statements and other resources within the U.S. Railroad Retirement Board's Bureau of the Actuary and Research.

Table A3.--Status of the financial interchange between the Railroad Retirement Accounts and the Old-Age and Survivors, Disability, and Hospital Insurance Trust Funds, by fiscal year, 2012-2021, cash basis (In millions)

Fiscal year	Taxes ¹	Benefit payments and administrative expenses ²	Amount due as of end of year to or (from) the Railroad Retirement Accounts ³	Transferred to or (from) the Railroad Retirement Accounts ⁴
OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANG	CE			
2012	\$2,127.0	⁵ \$5,896.1	⁵ \$5,896.1 \$3,879.8	
2013	2,106.4	6,199.5	4,190.3	3,948.4
014	2,232.4	6,320.4	4,191.2	4,257.1
2015	2,385.2	6,511.6	4,222.9	4,258.0
2016	2,225.4	⁶ 6,388.4	4,251.6	4,286.9
2017	2,121.3	6,717.3	4,697.4	4,315.8
2018	2,250.4	6,955.3	4,803.5	4,768.9
2019	2,268.7	6,975.0	4,763.7	4,880.4
2020	2,187.0	⁷ 6,848.8	4,732.9	4,844.0
2021				4,792.5
Cumulative 1937-2021	\$77,364.9	\$226,674.6		\$160,011.9
DISABILITY INSURANCE				
2012	\$315.5	⁸ \$818.7	\$541.0	\$511.8
2013	327.0	739.6	436.7	550.6
2014	342.9	732.7	412.0	443.7
2015	362.4	715.1	370.1	418.6
2016	428.9	⁹ 625.4	203.6	375.7
2017	441.6	601.4	170.9	206.7
2018	464.2	506.4	65.0	173.5
2019	374.9	512.8	141.4	66.0
2020	328.4	¹⁰ 432.1	105.8	143.8
2021				107.1
Cumulative 1937-2021	\$11,099.8	\$18,523.6		\$8,258.4

Table A3.--Status of the financial interchange between the Railroad Retirement Accounts and the Old-Age and Survivors, Disability, and Hospital Insurance Trust Funds, by fiscal year, 2012-2021, cash basis (In millions) - Continued

Fiscal year	Taxes ¹	Benefit payments and administrative expenses ²	Amount due as of end of year to or (from) the Railroad Retirement Accounts ³	Transferred to or (from) the Railroad Retirement Accounts ⁴
HOSPITAL INSURANCE				
2012	\$551.0	\$3.6	(\$566.6)	(\$510.9)
2013	584.1	3.4	(602.0)	(576.6)
2014	566.6	1.8	(585.4)	(611.6)
2015	627.3	2.5	(647.0)	(594.7)
2016	608.9	2.5	(627.9)	(656.8)
2017	574.0	3.1	(587.6)	(637.4)
2018	611.4	1.8	(561.3)	(596.5)
2019	585.1	2.2	(596.4)	(570.3)
2020	553.8	2.0	(561.1)	(606.4)
2021				(568.2)
Cumulative 1937-2021	\$18,981.7	\$113.6		(\$20,286.6)

¹ Beginning fiscal year 1984, Old-Age and Survivors Insurance and Disability Insurance includes Federal income taxes. Hospital Insurance income taxes included beginning fiscal year 1994.

NOTE.--Under the financial interchange provision of the Railroad Retirement Act, the Railroad Retirement Board, the Commissioner of Social Security, and the Secretary of Health and Human Services make annual determinations of the amounts which would place the Federal Old-Age and Survivors, Disability, and Hospital Insurance Trust Funds in the same position in which they would have been had railroad employment been covered by the Social Security and Federal Insurance Contributions Acts. Transfers are to or from the Railroad Retirement Account in all years through fiscal year 1984; beginning fiscal year 1985, transfers are to or from the Social Security Equivalent Benefit Account. All figures are net after adjustment for changes in prior years.

² Cumulative for Old-Age and Survivors Insurance and Disability Insurance is net of pre-1957 military service adjustments. For Hospital Insurance, administrative expenses only.

³ Includes interest at rate applicable to each trust fund.

⁴ Represents transfer of amount due at end of preceding year with interest from due date to date of transfer.

⁵ Includes -\$154.8 million adjustment for pre-1957 military service.

⁶ Includes -\$228.9 million adjustment for pre-1957 military service.

⁷ Includes -\$409.4 million adjustment for pre-1957 military service.

⁸ Includes +\$74.5 million adjustment for pre-1957 military service.

⁹ Includes -\$0.7 million adjustment for pre-1957 military service.

¹⁰ Includes +\$5.3 million adjustment for pre-1957 military service.

Table A6.--Retirement, survivor, unemployment, and sickness benefit payments, by class of benefit and state of residence of beneficiary, fiscal year 2021 (In thousands), cash basis

State	Total	Retirement benefits	Survivor ¹ benefits	Unemployment ^{2, 3, 4} benefits	Sickness ^{2, 3, 4} benefits
Alabama	• • •		\$42,842	\$2,120	\$2,028
Alaska	4,473	2,944	733	772	24
Arizona	257,313	211,536	41,909	2,405	1,463
Arkansas	256,817	209,514	39,269	5,823	2,212
California	609,555	489,265	101,678	12,537	6,075
Colorado	232,982	198,515	29,686	3,781	999
Connecticut	77,150	64,507	11,408	539	696
Delaware	71,698	62,634	7,942	504	619
Washington DC	7,958	6,940	826	159	32
Florida	758,576	641,817	110,008	4,753	1,998
Georgia	451,057	369,026	70,050	8,371	3,611
Hawaii	3,746	3,127	602	9	7
ldaho	121,516	101,655	17,778	1,461	621
Illinois	807,643	650,071	128,510	21,406	7,656
Indiana	389,651	313,128	66,552	5,682	4,290
lowa	232,472	192,735	36,523	2,002	1,213
Kansas	356,383	295,916	53,879	4,947	1,641
Kentucky	338,707	270,221	62,764	3,276	2,447
Louisiana	188,894	150,595	31,003	5,479	1,816
Maine	49,998	40,153	9,532	131	182
Maryland	214,368	179,515	30,782	2,505	1,567
Massachusetts	98,774	83,473	13,305	738	1,258
Michigan	306,441	246,220	55,721	2,652	1,848
Minnesota	330,565	272,908	52,291	3,837	1,529
Mississippi	136,626	108,223	25,313	2,161	929
Missouri	486,867	400,665	72,996	9,747	3,458
Montana	166,380	137,356	22,620	5,570	834
Nebraska	453,059	394,375	49,939	4,654	4,091
Nevada	79,916	66,627	12,238	756	295
New Hampshire	22,925	19,208	3,492	83	142

Table A6.--Retirement, survivor, unemployment, and sickness benefit payments, by class of benefit and state of residence of beneficiary, fiscal year 2021 (In thousands), cash basis - Continued

State	Total	Retirement benefits	Survivor ¹ benefits	Unemployment ^{2, 3, 4} benefits	Sickness ^{2, 3, 4} benefits
New Jersey	\$245,762	\$204,366	\$35,298	\$2,323	\$3,774
New Mexico	102,232	82,596	17,365	1,643	629
New York	543,116	455,348	80,135	3,990	3,644
North Carolina	241,426	194,902	41,800	3,368	1,356
North Dakota	87,381	71,276	13,614	2,088	403
Ohio	536,812	417,588	108,142	6,656	4,426
Oklahoma	123,314	97,398	22,483	2,660	773
Oregon	183,523	149,003	31,490	1,944	1,086
Pennsylvania	744,975	602,277	129,775	7,546	5,377
Rhode Island	16,178	13,705	2,170	66	237
South Carolina	182,743	151,214	28,472	1,538	1,519
South Dakota	49,617	42,589	5,913	860	254
Tennessee	309,346	252,765	50,738	3,397	2,446
Texas	955,685	777,605	147,618	24,197	6,265
Utah	130,180	107,633	20,537	1,201	810
Vermont	14,336	11,495	2,721	100	20
Virginia	395,135	322,686	65,732	3,846	2,871
Washington	267,576	216,340	45,893	3,435	1,907
West Virginia	189,900	150,167	36,150	1,899	1,684
Wisconsin	232,603	189,954	37,655	3,402	1,592
Wyoming	116,423	99,657	12,864	2,880	1,022
Outside United States:					
Canada⁵	14,180	7,808	6,367	4	
Mexico	1,981	628	1,352		
Other	8,576	5,713	2,803	58	2
Total	\$13,445,880	\$11,000,962	\$2,149,276	\$197,964	\$97,678

Table A6.--Retirement, survivor, unemployment, and sickness benefit payments, by class of benefit and state of residence of beneficiary, fiscal year 2021 (In thousands), cash basis - Continued

NOTE.--Data partly estimated. Detail may not add to totals due to rounding.

¹ Includes partition payments to spouses and divorced spouses where the employee is deceased or not otherwise entitled to an annuity.

² Prior to fiscal year 2019, unemployment and sickness benefit payments were based on net amounts. Beginning in fiscal year 2019, that data is no longer available. Benefit payments now reflect gross amounts.

³ In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, amounts reflect a reduction of 6.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after September 30, 2018, 5.9% for days after September 30, 2019, and 5.7% for days after September 30, 2020 and before January 3, 2021. Beginning January 3, 2021, the Continued Assistance to Rail Workers Act of 2020 (CARWA) temporarily suspended sequestration until 30 days after a Presidential declaration of an end to the national emergency concerning the COVID-19 pandemic.

⁴ Benefit amounts include \$37.0 million in special extended unemployment benefits, \$65.9 million in enhanced unemployment benefits, \$2.3 million in unemployment waived waiting period benefits and \$4.8 million in sickness waived waiting period benefits paid under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act of 2020 (CARES Act) as extended by CARWA and the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA). These benefits were not sequestered.

⁵ There were no payments in fiscal year 2021 for hospital insurance benefits for services in Canada.