Did You Know É

Over 56 million people in the United States today report having a disability. (ThatÕs 19% of the total population or roughly 1 out of every 5 people!)

Of this number, over two-thirds, or 38 million, report having a severe disability.

While individuals with disabilities account for 19% of the total population, they make up 4% of AmericaÕs current labor force²

The unemployment rate for individuals with disabilities is 13.9% D signiPcantly higher than the 8.0% rate for individuals with no disability.

The number of individuals with disabilities is expected to increase over the next 10 years.

Medical advances will increase the number of people surviving with disabilities.

Military service-related disabilities will increase.

Aging population, who are more likely to become injured or to acquire a disability than



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