

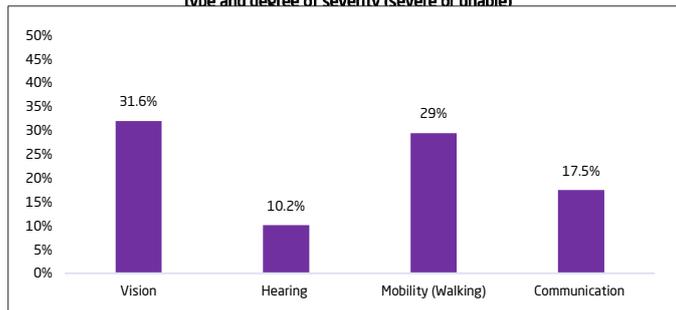
78% of households with disabled individuals strive to involve them in society.

Results of Census 2022 showed that the disability prevalence accounted for 1.8% out of the total population in the Kingdom. The Disability Survey is one of the field surveys carried out by the General Authority for Statistics. It aims to provide data on the types and causes of disability, as well as the practical and demographic characteristics of individuals with disabilities and their geographical distribution. The targeted sample was selected from Census 2022, with a total sample size of 29,920 households. The survey results indicated that 41.5% of individuals have one disability, while 58.5% of individuals have more than one disability, according to the degree of severity (severe or unable) out of the total number of individuals who have one disability and more in the targeted sample. On the other hand, the results indicated that the percentage of individuals with vision disability was 21.8%, while the percentage of individuals with hearing disability was 7.0%. Those with communication disability made up 2.7% of the total, while the percentage of individuals with mobility disability (unable to walk) was 52.6% of the total number of individuals with one disability in the targeted sample based on the degree of severity (severe or unable).

Disability for age group (2-4 years) by type and degree of severity (severe or unable).

The survey results revealed that the percentage of individuals in the age group (2-4 years) who have more than one disability reached 68.2%. On the other hand, the percentage of individuals who have one disability recorded 31.8% out of total individuals with one disability or more based on the degree of severity (severe or unable) for the same age group. However, males who have one disability amounted to 29.2%, while males with more than one disability recorded 70.8% out of the total males who have one disability or more for the same age group. Meanwhile, females who have one disability amounted to 35.0%, whereas the females who have more than one disability recorded 65.0% out of the total females with disabilities for the same age group. Figure1 illustrates individuals with one disability by type and degree of severity

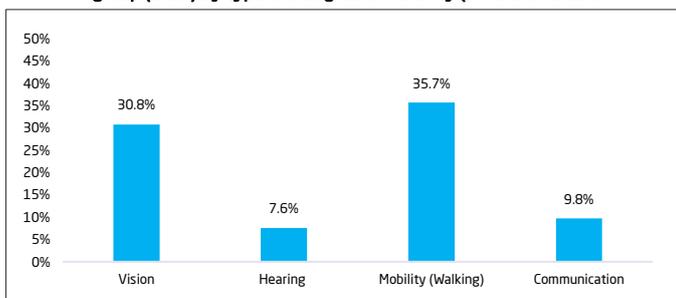
Figure1. Percentage distribution of individuals with one disability for the age group (2-4) by type and degree of severity (severe or unable)



Disability for age group (5-17 years) by type and degree of severity (severe or unable).

The percentage of individuals in the age group (5-17 years) who have more than one disability was 60.0%, whereas the percentage of individuals who have one disability was 40.0% out of total of individuals with one disability or more based on the degree of severity (severe or unable) for the same age group. In addition, Males with one disability accounted for 38.1% while males with more than one disability made up 61.9% out of total males with one disability or more. Meanwhile, females who have one disability recorded 42.5%, while females who have more than one disability amounted to 57.5% out of the total females with disabilities for the same age group. Figure2 shows individuals with one disability by type and degree of severity (severe or unable).

Figure 2: Percentage distribution of individuals with one disability for the age group (5-17) by type and degree of severity (severe or unable)



Disability for age group (18 +) by disability type and degree of severity (severe or unable).

The percentage of individuals in the age group (18 years and above) who have more than one disability was 58.0% , while individuals with one disability accounted for 42.0% out of total individuals with one disability or more based on the degree of severity (severe or unable) for the same age group .However, Males with one disability recorded 44.3% while males who have more than one disability amounted to 55.7% out of total males with one disability or more for the same age group. On the other hand, females with one disability recorded 39.3%, whereas females who have more than one disability made up 60.7% out of the total females with disabilities for the same age group. . Figure3 illustrates individuals with one disability by type and degree of severity (severe or unable)

Figure3: Percentage distribution of individuals with one disability for the age group (18) years and above by type and degree of severity (severe or unable)

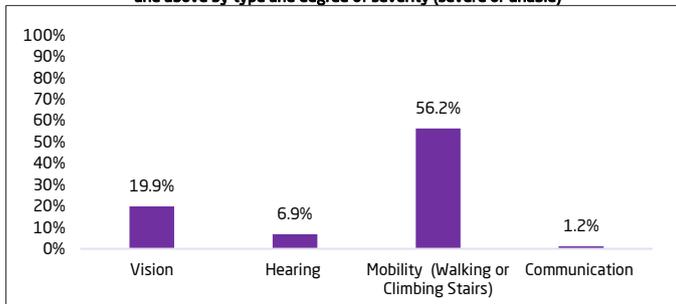


Table2 Percentage distribution of the occupational status of individuals with disabilities aged (15+).

Occupational status of individuals with disabilities aged (15+)	
Occupational status	Percentage
Paid employee	13.8%
Unpaid employee	0.3%
Works as an employer and employs others	0.6%
Self-employed and does not employ others.	0.4%
Unemployed and has previously worked	3.0%
Unemployed and has never previously worked	9.3%
Dedicated to housework	15.8%
Retired.	19.6%
Unable to work	27.6%
Volunteer	0.2%
other	9.6%

*Data include some difficulty and multiple disability

Table3 Percentage distribution of disability reasons

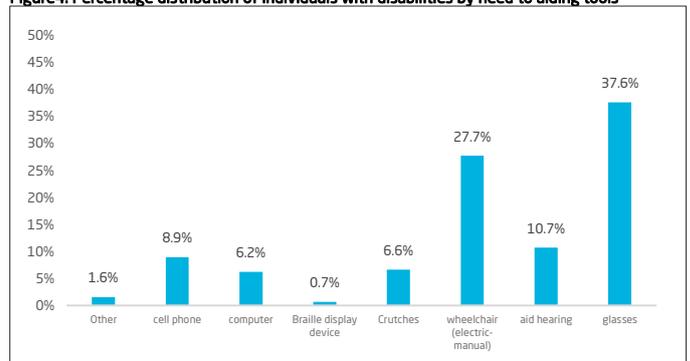
Disability reasons		
percentage	Disability reasons	
	Congenital factors	26.9%
	Factors during pregnancy	1.5%
	Factors during childbirth	8.8%
	Traffic accidents	4.7%
	Aging	16.1%
	Due to illness	39.2%
	Medical errors	0.9%
	Other	1.8%

*Data include some difficulty and multiple disability

Percentage of individuals with disabilities who need aiding tools

Percentage of individuals with disability who need aiding tools reached 58 % out of the total number in targeted sample.

Figure4. Percentage distribution of individuals with disabilities by need to aiding tools



*Data include some difficulty and multiple disability

**Percentage of households having one disabled member or more
Percentage of households seeking to integrate the disabled individual into society**

The percentage of households who have a single member with disability amounted to 79.7%. However, the percentage of households that have more than one member with disability was 20.3% out of total households in the sample. Meanwhile, the percentage of households that always seek to integrate the disabled individual into society reached 78.0%, while households that often seek to integrate the disabled individual into society accounted for 16.2%. However, households that do not seek to integrate the disabled individual into society amounted to 5.8% out of the total households in the sample.

Reference Metadata

This bulletin reviews indicators of individuals with disabilities based on the results of the 2023 Disability Survey. Sample selected from Census 2022 and were 29920 families. For more details on the methodology, click on the metadata.