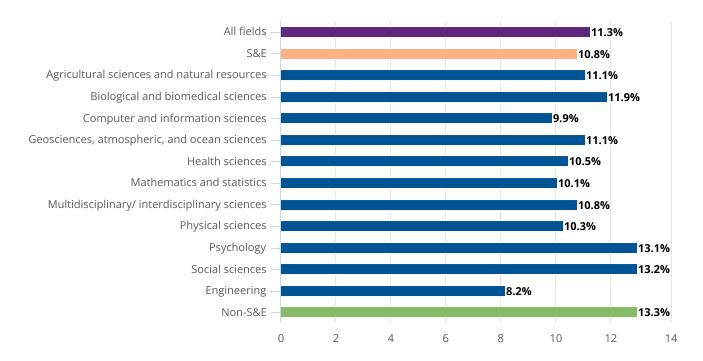
Figure 7-10

Doctorate recipients with disability, by selected field: 2021



S&E = science and engineering.

Note(s)

S&E fields listed here differ from those used in other figures that used data from the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System, Completions Survey. In previous years, health sciences was classified as non-S&E. Doctorate recipients could report more than one disability. Survey asks degree of difficulty—none, slight, moderate, severe, or unable to do—an individual has in seeing (with glasses), hearing (with hearing aid), walking without assistance, lifting 10 pounds, or concentrating, remembering, or making decisions. Those respondents who answered "moderate," "severe," or "unable to do" for any activity were classified as having a disability. Data in this table are based on research doctorates only. Percentages were calculated by taking the number of persons who indicated that they had a disability and dividing it by the number of persons who responded to the disability question.

Source(s):

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, special tabulations (2022) of the 2021 Survey of Earned Doctorates.