



## NJ Retirees Receive One Of The Highest Annual Benefit Payments

- The average public employee retiree in New Jersey will receive a pension of over \$30,000 this year from the State → *making New Jersey one of 8 of the states with the highest benefit payments.*
- The national "average annual benefit payment for state- and locally-administered pensions (total benefit payments divided by the number of beneficiaries) for the United States was \$26,128 in 2013." (Phillip Vidal, "Annual Survey of Public Pensions: State- and Locally Administered Defined Benefit Data Summary Report: 2013," [United States Census Bureau](#), February 2015)

