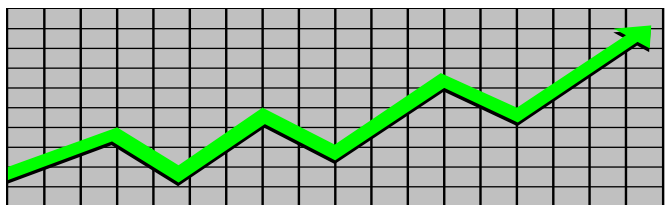


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CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS



August 2024
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DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS

AUGUST 2024

Each month the Division of Family Development publishes its program statistics for: WFNJ/TANF, NJ SNAP, Emergency Assistance, General Assistance, and Child Support Services. When possible, information is provided separately for children and adults. Many tables also provide trend data with information broken down by county for readers to consider. This report is compiled and prepared by The Bureau of Research & Reporting.

WFNJ/TANF

- As of the end of August, the TANF caseload had increased by 342 cases, from 11,304 in August 2023 to 11,646 in August 2024; an increase of 3%.
- The counties with caseloads that increased the most since August 2023 were Cumberland (25.2%), Hunterdon (16.1%), and Middlesex (15.9%).
- The counties with caseloads that decreased the most since August 2023 were Bergen (-15.1%), Essex (-5%), and Warren (-3.7%).
- Of the WFNJ/TANF cases, 2,370 or 20.4% were child-only in August 2024.
- The counties with the most child-only cases were Camden (401), Hudson (344), and Essex (242).
- Hudson (5,515), Essex (4,442), and Camden (4,180) counties had the greatest number of persons receiving TANF in August 2024.

NJ SNAP (Formerly FOOD STAMPS)

- In August 2024, there were 450,896 households receiving NJ SNAP benefits. The number of NJ SNAP households increased by 40,624 or 9.9%, since August 2023.
- There were 847,121 persons receiving NJ SNAP benefits as of August 2024; an increase of 58,293 or 7.4% since August 2023.
- The counties having the highest SNAP caseload increase since August 2023 were Union (21.8%), Essex (15.2%), and Mercer (13.5%).

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

- There were 1,659 TANF families receiving Emergency Assistance (EA) in August 2024; an increase of 285 or 20.7% since August 2023.
- In August 2024, EA payments were made for 608 SSI recipients.

DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS AUGUST 2024

- There were 2,294 GA cases with Emergency Assistance payments in August 2024; an increase of 424 or 22.7% since August 2023.
- The counties that showed the highest percent increase in Emergency Assistance payments were Passaic (226.7%), Cumberland (185.7%), and Hudson (154.8%).
- The counties that showed the highest percent decrease in Emergency Assistance payments were Gloucester (-42.3%), Salem (-40%), and Hunterdon (-39.3%).

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

- The total numbers of cases receiving GA has increased from 11,657 to 15,714 since August 2023; an increase of 34.8%.
- There were 11,689 Employable GA and 4,025 Unemployable GA cases in August 2024.
- The counties that showed a percent increase for GA cases were Passaic (77.5%), Hudson (75.2%), and Salem (67.9%) since August 2023.
- The counties that showed the highest percent decrease for GA cases since August 2023 was Hunterdon (-28.6%).
- In August 2024, GA cases showed a 0.49% increase since July 2024.

CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES (QUARTERLY REPORT)

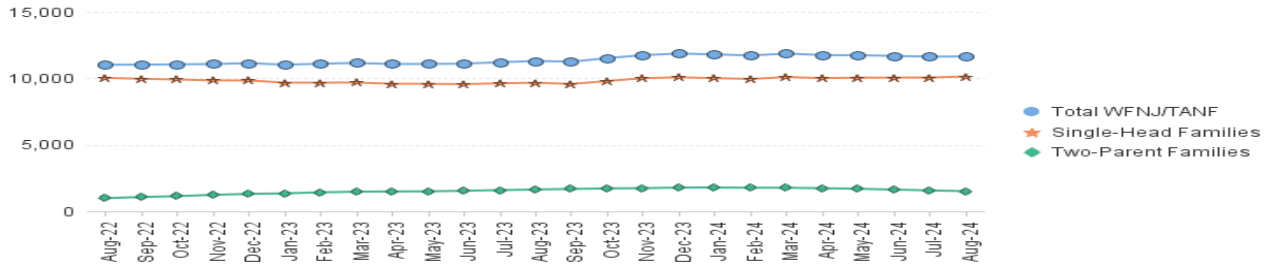
- The total collection for the Child Support Services Program was about \$276 million from April 2024 to June 2024; an increase of 1.35% over the same period from FFY 2023.
- Total distributions increased 0.2% from June 2023.

WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY (WFNJ)

- During the report month of August 2024, there were 595 families in which at least one member was employed and an additional 194 families whose WFNJ assistance cases were closed due to employment - related earnings.
- The three counties with the greatest number of employed active WFNJ recipients were: Hudson (111), Essex (109), and Camden (62).
- There were 254 former TANF cases receiving post-TANF support in the form of child care assistance.

TABLE 1:
WFNJ/TANF
PROGRAMSTATEWIDE NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS DURING AUGUST 2024
NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES & PERSONS RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF FOR AUGUST 2024

AUGUST 2022 THROUGH AUGUST 2024												
		Cases Added	Cases Closed	Child-Only Cases ‡	Total Single-Head Families	2-Parent Families	Total WFNJ/TANF Families	%CHNG (1 Yr.)	Total Persons	%CHNG (1 Yr.)	Adults	Children
2022	AUG	713	609	2,687	10,037	987	11,024	19.9%	29,453	25.6%	9,324	20,129
	SEP	755	808	2,651	9,959	1,070	11,029	22.6%	29,486	28.1%	9,448	20,038
	OCT	753	821	2,626	9,910	1,139	11,049	18.6%	29,606	23.9%	9,562	20,044
	NOV	801	822	2,573	9,843	1,234	11,077	18.4%	29,858	23.0%	9,738	20,120
	DEC	747	792	2,578	9,837	1,308	11,145	15.4%	30,064	19.4%	9,875	20,189
2022	Average	699	623	2,701	9,755	939	10,693		28,466		8,931	19,535
2023	JAN	669	792	2,560	9,674	1,346	11,020	12.0%	29,683	15.1%	9,806	19,877
	FEB	760	717	2,531	9,676	1,426	11,102	9.8%	30,019	12.7%	9,997	20,022
	MAR	822	864	2,565	9,683	1,470	11,153	7.5%	30,069	9.6%	10,058	20,011
	APR	739	858	2,548	9,587	1,490	11,077	5.9%	29,826	7.5%	10,019	19,807
	MAY	825	813	2,523	9,586	1,498	11,084	4.4%	29,863	6.0%	10,059	19,804
	JUN	827	855	2,500	9,562	1,540	11,102	4.0%	29,926	5.8%	10,142	19,784
	JUL	823	764	2,487	9,624	1,590	11,214	2.7%	30,222	4.1%	10,317	19,905
	AUG	887	841	2,445	9,666	1,638	11,304	2.5%	30,533	3.7%	10,497	20,036
	SEP	912	1,097	2,410	9,577	1,677	11,254	2.0%	30,443	3.2%	10,521	19,922
	OCT	944	891	2,463	9,800	1,722	11,522	4.3%	31,139	5.2%	10,781	20,358
	NOV	859	795	2,495	10,011	1,737	11,748	6.1%	31,776	6.4%	10,990	20,786
	DEC	900	836	2,484	10,080	1,781	11,861	6.4%	32,067	6.7%	11,158	20,909
2023	Average	831	844	2,501	9,711	1,576	11,287		30,464		10,362	20,102
2024	JAN	819	879	2,456	10,010	1,790	11,800	7.1%	31,992	7.8%	11,134	20,858
	FEB	743	865	2,451	9,953	1,768	11,721	5.6%	31,775	5.8%	11,038	20,737
	MAR	784	797	2,453	10,095	1,767	11,862	6.4%	32,088	6.7%	11,176	20,912
	APR	832	944	2,414	10,014	1,733	11,747	6.0%	31,674	6.2%	11,066	20,608
	MAY	805	869	2,435	10,047	1,689	11,736	5.9%	31,556	5.7%	10,990	20,566
	JUN	816	920	2,444	10,054	1,631	11,685	5.3%	31,338	4.7%	10,872	20,466
	JUL	802	853	2,383	10,064	1,569	11,633	3.7%	31,312	3.6%	10,819	20,493
	AUG	864	932	2,370	10,138	1,508	11,646	3.0%	31,376	2.8%	10,784	20,592
2024	Average to date	808	882	2,426	10,047	1,682	11,729		31,639		10,985	20,654

NJ STATEWIDE
Eligible Families Receiving WFNJ/TANF
AUGUST 2022 THROUGH AUGUST 2024

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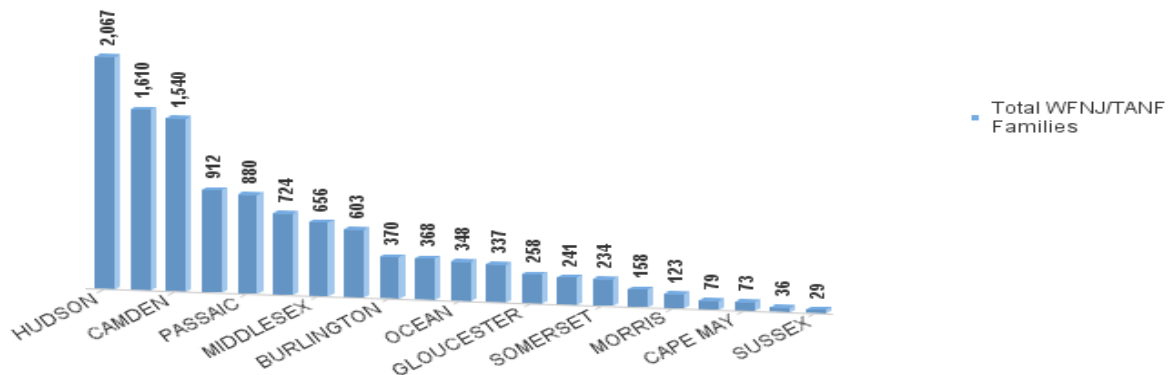
‡ Child-only cases are defined as families in which no eligible adult receives TANF program benefits, yet the family continues to be headed by at least one of the biological parents, or grandparents, or other appropriate adult.

TABLE 2:

WFNJ/TANF PROGRAM NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY COUNTY DURING AUGUST 2024
 NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF FOR AUGUST 2024

County	Cases Added	Cases Closed **	Child-Only Cases ‡	1-Adult Cases	Total Single-Head Families	2-Parent Families	Total WFNJ/TANF Families	%CHNG (3 Mon)	%CHNG (1 Yr.)
ATLANTIC	34	47	175	373	548	55	603	-1.6%	-1.0%
BERGEN	37	40	60	236	296	41	337	-2.3%	-15.1% *
BURLINGTON	29	47	91	242	333	37	370	-4.6%	-2.9%
CAMDEN	100	90	401	1,004	1,405	135	1,540	-0.1%	2.0%
CAPE MAY	6	5	25	44	69	4	73	0.0%	2.8%
CUMBERLAND	32	26	102	230	332	36	368	1.9%	25.2% Δ
ESSEX	74	129	242	967	1,209	401	1,610	-5.5%	-5.0% *
GLOUCESTER	36	21	59	183	242	16	258	9.3%	1.2%
HUDSON	181	173	344	1,475	1,819	248	2,067	3.4%	7.3%
HUNTERDON	1	0	4	24	28	8	36	-2.7%	16.1% Δ
MERCER	69	76	170	619	789	123	912	0.2%	9.0%
MIDDLESEX	47	43	179	418	597	59	656	3.0%	15.9% Δ
MONMOUTH	25	26	49	178	227	14	241	-4.0%	0.8%
MORRIS	15	7	25	77	102	21	123	0.0%	7.0%
OCEAN	25	21	57	259	316	32	348	1.8%	4.8%
PASSAIC	53	56	183	624	807	73	880	-0.2%	-3.1%
SALEM	13	21	31	115	146	12	158	-2.5%	2.6%
SOMERSET	17	13	47	173	220	14	234	-0.8%	0.0%
SUSSEX	6	3	6	18	24	5	29	11.5%	0.0%
UNION	57	82	103	452	555	169	724	-3.6%	13.1%
WARREN	7	6	17	57	74	5	79	16.2%	-3.7% *
NJ Total	864	932	2,370	7,768	10,138	1,508	11,646	-0.3%	3.0%

Total WFNJ/TANF Families
 AUGUST 2024
 By County



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** 'Cases closed' include cases that received a benefit in the prior month, but did not receive any TANF benefit for the report month.

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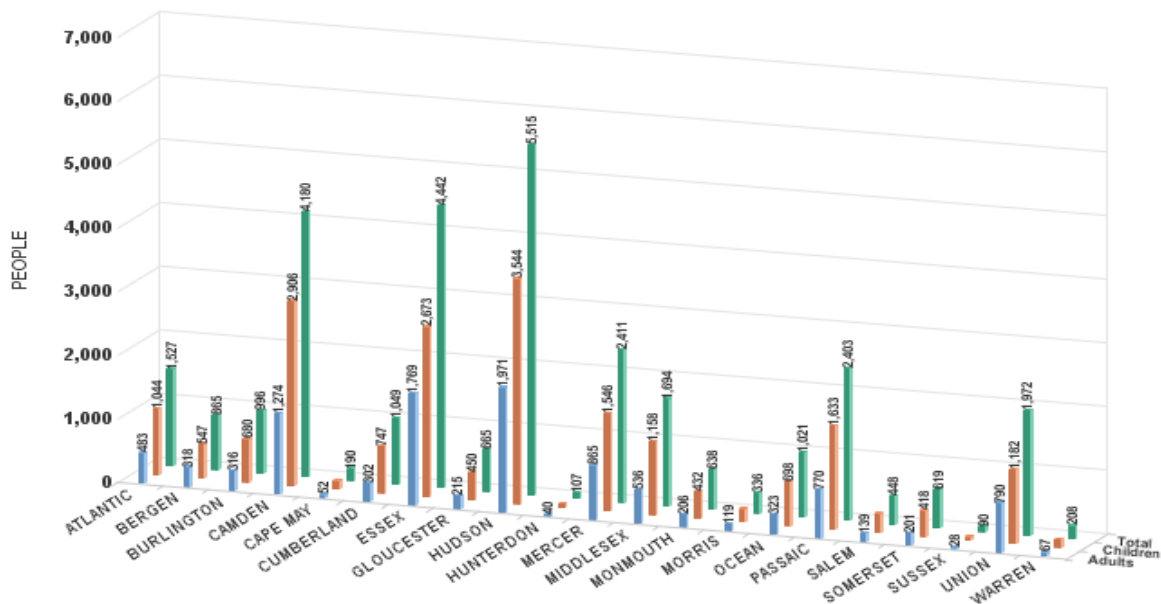
TABLE 2B :

WFNJ/TANF
PROGRAMNUMBER OF PARTICIPATING PERSONS, ADULTS, AND CHILDREN
BY COUNTY FOR AUGUST 2024

County	Adults	Children	Child/Adult Ratio	PERSONS		
				Total Persons	% Chng (1 Yr)	Persons Per Case
ATLANTIC	483	1,044	2.16	1,527	-2.3%	2.53
BERGEN	318	547	1.72	865	-16.7%	* 2.57
BURLINGTON	316	680	2.15	996	-3.0%	2.69
CAMDEN	1,274	2,906	2.28	4,180	2.9%	2.71
CAPE MAY	52	138	2.65	190	-0.5%	2.60
CUMBERLAND	302	747	2.47	1,049	23.7%	Δ 2.85
ESSEX	1,769	2,673	1.51	4,442	-6.0%	* 2.76
GLOUCESTER	215	450	2.09	665	-1.0%	2.58
HUDSON	1,971	3,544	1.80	5,515	6.0%	2.67
HUNTERDON	40	67	1.68	107	33.8%	Δ 2.97
MERCER	865	1,546	1.79	2,411	7.1%	2.64
MIDDLESEX	536	1,158	2.16	1,694	14.8%	2.58
MONMOUTH	206	432	2.10	638	4.9%	2.65
MORRIS	119	217	1.82	336	8.7%	2.73
OCEAN	323	698	2.16	1,021	9.9%	2.93
PASSAIC	770	1,633	2.12	2,403	-1.8%	2.73
SALEM	139	309	2.22	448	6.7%	2.84
SOMERSET	201	418	2.08	619	-1.7%	2.65
SUSSEX	28	62	2.21	90	25.0%	Δ 3.10
UNION	790	1,182	1.50	1,972	12.1%	2.72
WARREN	67	141	2.10	208	-6.7%	* 2.63
NJ Total	10,784	20,592	1.91	31,376	2.8%	2.69

Δ=higher caseload % change

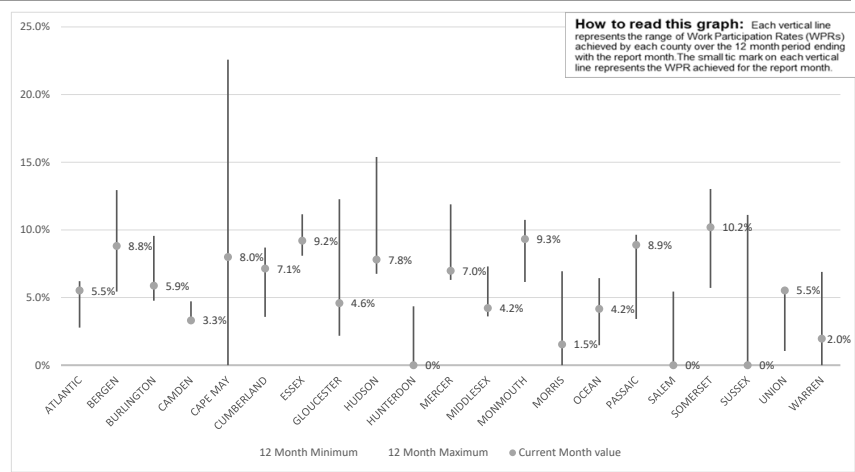
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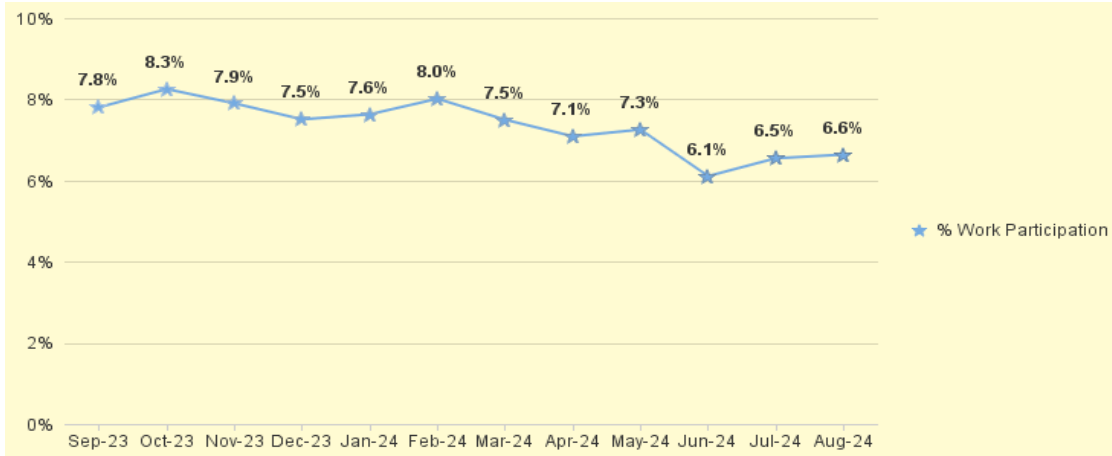
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Work Participation Rates Achieved Over 12 Month Period
Ending with AUGUST 2024



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TABLE 4 :

**WFNJ/TANF Work Participation Rates
for 12-Month Period Ending with AUGUST 2024 Statewide**



* The Work Participation rate measures the number of countable Temporary Assistance for Needs Families (TANF) participants based on federal formula.
The reported rate is considered to be preliminary until officially calculated by the federal government soon after the close of each federal fiscal year.

TABLE 5 :
NJ SNAP
(FOOD STAMPS)

**NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS
AND CHILDREN FOR AUGUST 2024 (STATEWIDE)**

AUGUST 2022 THROUGH AUGUST 2024

		HOUSEHOLDS				PERSONS					
		WFNJ/ TANF	Other low income	Total	% CHNG (1 YR)	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% CHNG (1 YR)	Age 60+	People with a disability
2022	AUG	12,919	421,433	434,352	-3.8%	475,405	401,190	876,595	0.3%	151,643	224,286
	SEP	11,543	391,350	402,893	-11.9%	440,973	348,303	789,276	-11.1%	150,801	220,166
	OCT	11,175	384,016	395,191	-14.5%	433,352	329,837	763,189	-14.4%	152,434	220,723
	NOV	10,978	386,385	397,363	-14.6%	436,125	332,459	768,584	-14.4%	153,574	221,980
	DEC	11,094	393,042	404,136	-13.7%	443,837	340,993	784,830	-13.1%	155,061	227,586
2022	Average	11,011	418,196	429,207		469,290	362,512	831,802		154,511	227,191
2023	JAN	11,120	388,312	399,432	-14.7%	438,140	336,442	774,582	-14.2%	153,633	223,462
	FEB	10,806	388,213	399,019	-13.7%	437,832	336,772	774,604	-12.9%	154,374	223,539
	MAR	12,027	407,914	419,941	-10.0%	460,274	373,470	833,744	-7.1%	156,031	227,136
	APR	11,987	408,628	420,615	-6.6%	460,514	370,535	831,049	-4.1%	156,584	227,434
	MAY	11,026	397,178	408,204	-6.0%	446,453	341,774	788,227	-5.6%	157,317	225,010
	JUN	11,193	399,666	410,859	-2.9%	449,079	343,009	792,088	-2.7%	157,999	225,250
	JUL	11,874	408,109	419,983	2.0%	458,990	363,129	822,119	3.4%	158,680	226,431
	AUG	11,445	398,827	410,272	-5.5%	448,110	340,718	788,828	-10.0%	158,893	224,313
	SEP	11,607	397,739	409,346	1.6%	446,467	338,291	784,758	-0.6%	160,208	225,665
	OCT	11,862	399,663	411,525	4.1%	448,591	338,651	787,242	3.2%	161,651	226,946
	NOV	11,994	404,810	416,804	4.9%	453,939	342,920	796,859	3.7%	162,683	227,481
	DEC	12,360	413,594	425,954	5.4%	464,039	351,241	815,280	3.9%	164,787	233,859
2023	Average	11,608	401,054	412,663		451,036	348,079	799,115		158,570	226,377
2024	JAN	12,147	413,384	425,531	6.5%	462,636	348,128	810,764	4.7%	164,794	231,669
	FEB	11,859	416,486	428,345	7.3%	465,489	348,007	813,496	5.0%	165,676	231,340
	MAR	12,058	426,988	439,046	4.5%	476,761	357,715	834,476	0.1%	167,855	233,743
	APR	11,717	426,510	438,227	4.2%	474,957	354,424	829,381	-0.2%	168,166	233,544
	MAY	11,715	431,264	442,979	8.5%	479,707	356,729	836,436	6.1%	169,629	234,656
	JUN	11,848	435,764	447,612	8.9%	484,805	359,806	844,611	6.6%	171,199	235,765
	JUL	11,626	432,725	444,351	5.8%	481,340	354,315	835,655	1.6%	171,322	234,963
2024	AUG	12,047	438,849	450,896	9.9%	488,286	358,835	847,121	7.4%	172,882	236,688
2024	Average to date	11,877	427,746	439,623		476,748	354,745	831,493		168,940	234,046

This Table is based on those Households & Persons that recived SNAP issuances (benefits) during the month

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* Age 60+ and People with a disability columns are independent subsets of total persons. An individual might appear in both columns

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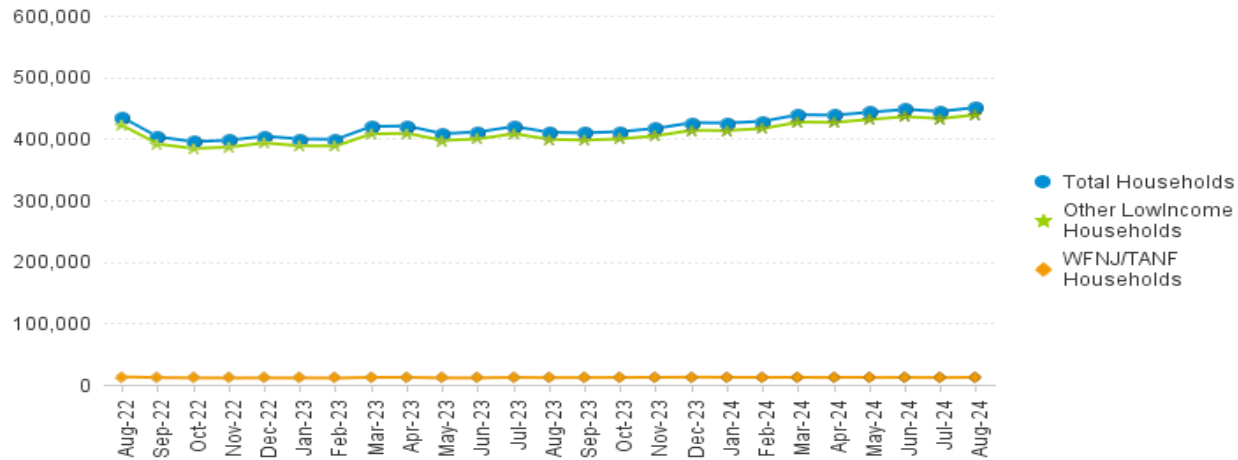
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TRENDS FOR PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS & PERSONS

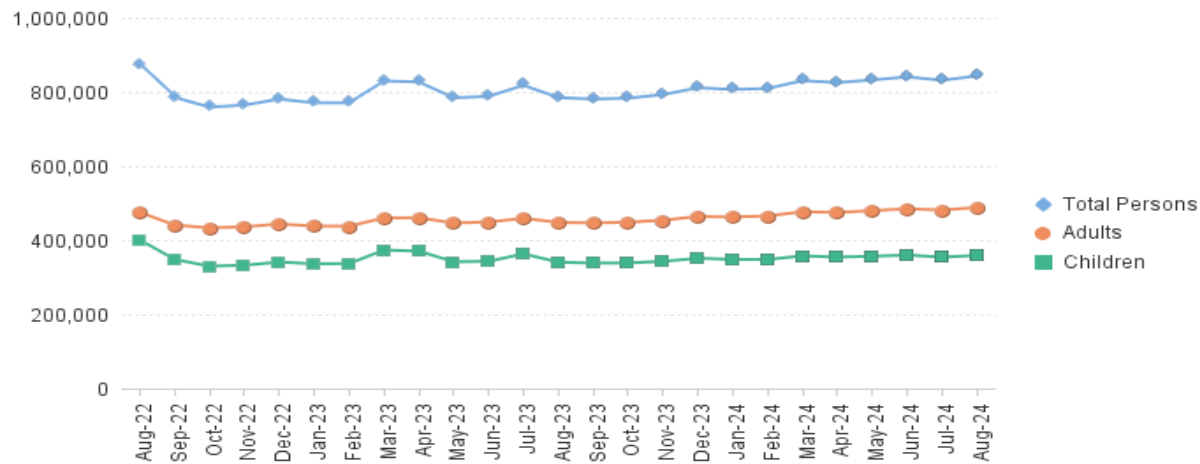
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AUGUST 2022 THROUGH AUGUST 2024 (STATEWIDE)

Statewide NJ SNAP Households: AUGUST 2022 Through AUGUST 2024



Statewide NJ SNAP Persons: AUGUST 2022 Through AUGUST 2024



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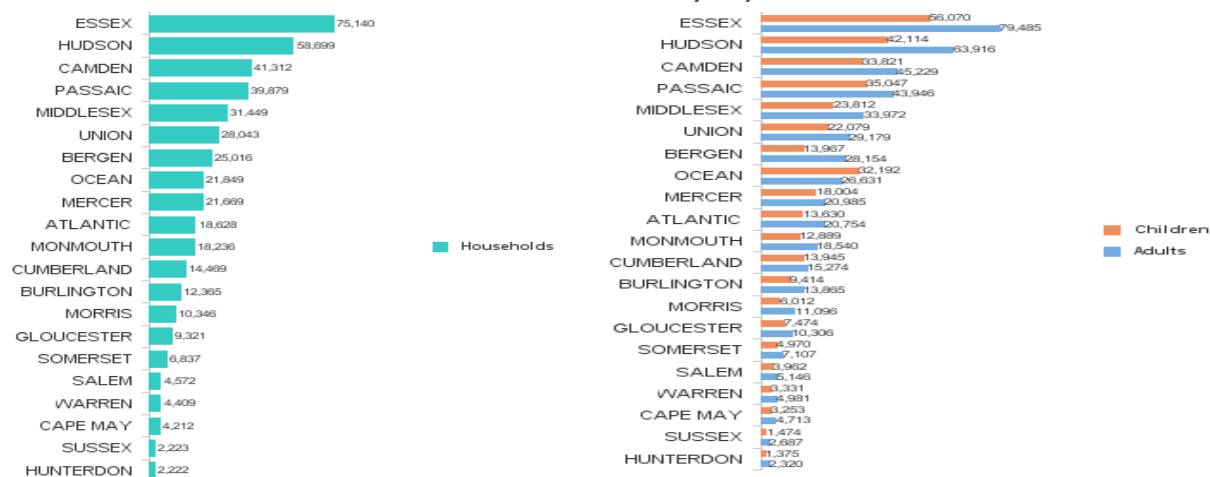
**NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS
AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR AUGUST 2024**

County	HOUSEHOLDS				PERSONS					
	WFNJ/ TANF	Other low income	TOTAL	% Chng (1 Yr)	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% Chng (1 Yr)	Age 60+	People with a disability
ATLANTIC	557	18,071	18,628	0.7%	20,754	13,630	34,384	-2.0%	7,060	10,280
BERGEN	345	24,671	25,016	6.3%	28,154	13,967	42,121	5.9%	15,612	17,467
BURLINGTON	532	11,833	12,365	10.5%	13,865	9,414	23,279	8.9%	4,197	7,100
CAMDEN	1,477	39,835	41,312	8.9%	45,229	33,821	79,050	6.9%	12,282	20,474
CAPE MAY	79	4,133	4,212	5.2%	4,713	3,253	7,966	4.0%	1,448	2,348
CUMBERLAND	328	14,141	14,469	11.2%	15,274	13,945	29,219	8.8%	4,082	7,586
ESSEX	1,884	73,256	75,140	15.2%	79,485	56,070	135,555	11.5%	22,880	32,688
GLOUCESTER	270	9,051	9,321	10.7%	10,306	7,474	17,780	10.0%	3,338	6,338
HUDSON	2,092	56,607	58,699	8.3%	63,916	42,114	106,030	5.4%	24,823	29,981
HUNTERDON	41	2,181	2,222	7.1%	2,320	1,375	3,695	7.7%	904	1,287
MERCER	920	20,749	21,669	13.5%	20,985	18,004	38,989	11.4%	6,188	10,794
MIDDLESEX	677	30,772	31,449	8.4%	33,972	23,812	57,784	7.2%	15,462	19,075
MONMOUTH	259	17,977	18,236	7.6%	18,540	12,889	31,429	5.8%	7,627	10,309
MORRIS	155	10,191	10,346	12.6%	11,096	6,012	17,108	11.2%	5,603	6,114
OCEAN	338	21,511	21,849	5.1%	26,631	32,192	58,823	0.4%	7,882	11,517
PASSAIC	906	38,973	39,879	5.9%	43,946	35,047	78,993	3.7%	16,760	20,088
SALEM	150	4,422	4,572	9.6%	5,146	3,962	9,108	6.9%	1,315	2,394
SOMERSET	236	6,601	6,837	12.5%	7,107	4,970	12,077	10.4%	2,972	4,014
SUSSEX	39	2,184	2,223	6.2%	2,687	1,474	4,161	3.6%	994	1,578
UNION	670	27,373	28,043	21.8%	29,179	22,079	51,258	20.8%	9,878	12,592
WARREN	92	4,317	4,409	7.9%	4,981	3,331	8,312	8.0%	1,575	2,664
NJ TOTAL	12,047	438,849	450,896	9.9%	488,286	358,835	847,121	7.4%	172,882	236,688

△=higher caseload % change

*=lower caseload % change

**Total NJ SNAP Recipients
AUGUST 2024 by County**



Data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse.

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* Age 60+ and People with a disability columns are independent subsets of total persons. An individual might appear in both columns

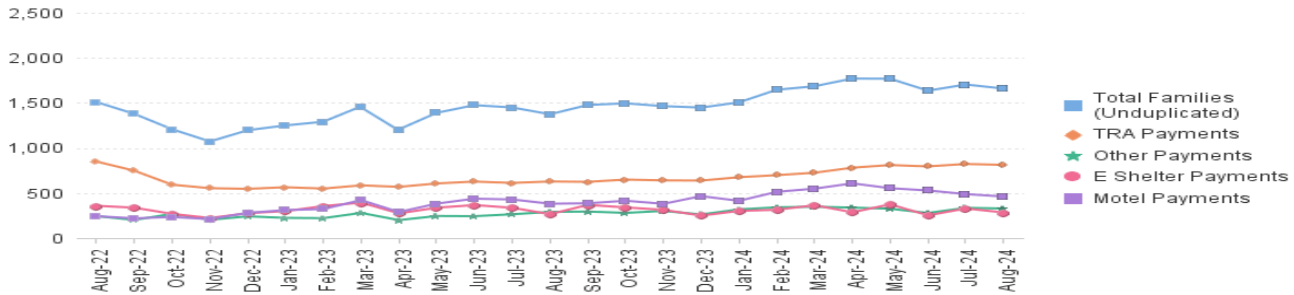
TABLE 8 :

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (STATEWIDE)

TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS
AUGUST 2022 THROUGH AUGUST 2024 - STATEWIDE

		Total WFNJ/EA Families (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Temp Rent Asst. Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Motel Housing Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Shelter/Transitional Housing Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Other WFNJ/EA Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)
2022	AUG	1,509	16.2%	849	-6.4%	243	117.0%	358	52.3%	243	41.3%
	SEP	1,378	3.7%	747	-14.7%	219	58.7%	337	17.8%	201	19.6%
	OCT	1,207	-8.1%	592	-29.8%	234	105.3%	268	-0.4%	269	35.2%
	NOV	1,072	-13.8%	553	-34.6%	210	92.7%	223	-1.3%	203	5.2%
	DEC	1,197	-6.3%	546	-33.9%	280	120.5%	276	10.4%	241	50.6%
2022	Average	1,296		723		204		289		230	
2023	JAN	1,250	4.5%	564	-20.1%	310	148.0%	299	4.9%	224	19.8%
	FEB	1,291	6.0%	549	-23.8%	322	113.2%	355	29.6%	221	5.2%
	MAR	1,462	4.7%	585	-24.3%	421	112.6%	394	18.7%	279	3.0%
	APR	1,206	-5.9%	568	-27.8%	289	72.0%	274	3.4%	199	-11.9%
	MAY	1,390	1.0%	606	-23.5%	382	109.9%	337	2.7%	245	2.5%
	JUN	1,475	6.3%	627	-21.7%	437	95.1%	366	32.1%	243	12.5%
	JUL	1,449	8.7%	612	-24.6%	428	101.9%	336	38.8%	264	3.5%
	AUG	1,374	-8.9%	628	-26.0%	381	56.8%	265	-26.0%	290	19.3%
	SEP	1,477	7.2%	624	-16.5%	386	76.3%	368	9.2%	294	46.3%
	OCT	1,495	23.9%	649	9.6%	414	76.9%	340	26.9%	279	3.7%
	NOV	1,464	36.6%	640	15.7%	380	81.0%	313	40.4%	301	48.3%
	DEC	1,448	21.0%	638	16.8%	465	66.1%	249	-9.8%	262	8.7%
2023	Average	1,398		608		385		325		258	
2024	JAN	1,506	20.5%	675	19.7%	413	33.2%	301	0.7%	318	42.0%
	FEB	1,646	27.5%	698	27.1%	513	59.3%	314	-11.5%	341	54.3%
	MAR	1,685	15.3%	725	23.9%	548	30.2%	364	-7.6%	348	24.7%
	APR	1,770	46.8%	781	37.5%	607	110.0%	286	4.4%	338	69.8%
	MAY	1,768	27.2%	810	33.7%	553	44.8%	374	11.0%	325	32.7%
	JUN	1,636	10.9%	795	26.8%	528	20.8%	252	-31.1%	278	14.4%
	JUL	1,704	17.6%	822	34.3%	488	14.0%	328	-2.4%	335	26.9%
	AUG	1,659	20.7%	812	29.3%	461	21.0%	284	7.2%	328	13.1%
2024	Average to date	1,672		765		514		313		326	

NJ STATEWIDE
Families Receiving Emergency Assistance
AUGUST 2022 THROUGH AUGUST 2024



WFNJ/EA data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse.

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* Effective Feb '11 Transitional Housing Payments were removed from 'Other EA Payments' and added to 'Shelter Payments'.

TABLE 9 :

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (BY COUNTY)

TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS BY COUNTY (UNDUPLICATED CASES) FOR AUGUST 2024

County	TOTAL WFNJ/EA Families (Undupl)	% CHNG From AUG 23		Temp Rent Asst. Payments (Undupl)	Motel Housing Payments (Undupl)	Shelter/Transitional Housing Payments (Undupl)	Other WFNJ/EA Payments (Undupl)	SSI Recipients Receiving EA **
ATLANTIC	61	48.8%	Δ	38	16	0	13	45
BERGEN	35	6.1%		18	4	12	6	19
BURLINGTON	146	-4.6%		14	77	62	9	8
CAMDEN	55	96.4%	Δ	8	27	17	7	23
CAPE MAY	24	20.0%		4	19	0	1	15
CUMBERLAND	6	20.0%		0	1	5	0	3
ESSEX	101	11.0%		55	0	37	14	14
GLOUCESTER	10	-54.5%	*	3	0	0	8	4
HUDSON	396	39.9%		252	110	29	72	100
HUNTERDON	2	-71.4%	*	1	1	0	0	1
MERCER	174	-0.6%		89	59	20	34	129
MIDDLESEX	97	5.4%		55	7	0	54	63
MONMOUTH	29	-31.0%		0	0	29	1	40
MORRIS	26	44.4%		9	13	3	3	25
OCEAN	66	69.2%	Δ	29	35	0	12	13
PASSAIC	197	38.7%		146	11	27	35	39
SALEM	4	-20.0%		0	0	0	4	1
SOMERSET	85	30.8%		46	26	10	28	43
SUSSEX	1	-66.7%	*	0	1	0	0	2
UNION	132	36.1%		41	47	32	24	19
WARREN	12	-7.7%		4	7	1	3	2
NJ Total	1,659	20.7%		812	461	284	328	608

Δ=higher caseload % change

*=lower caseload % change

** SSI-EA includes pay codes 22 and 24, data is derived from NJ Division of Family Development FAMIS Report #FM430-03A

WFNJ/EA data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse.

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Number WFNJ Families Receiving EA by County
AUGUST 2024

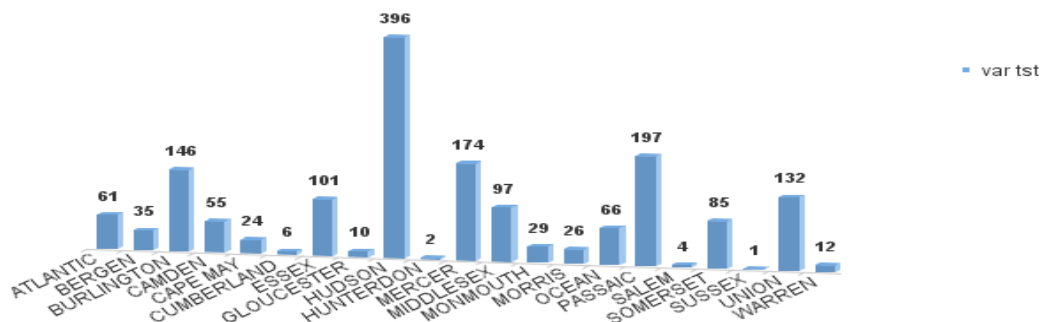
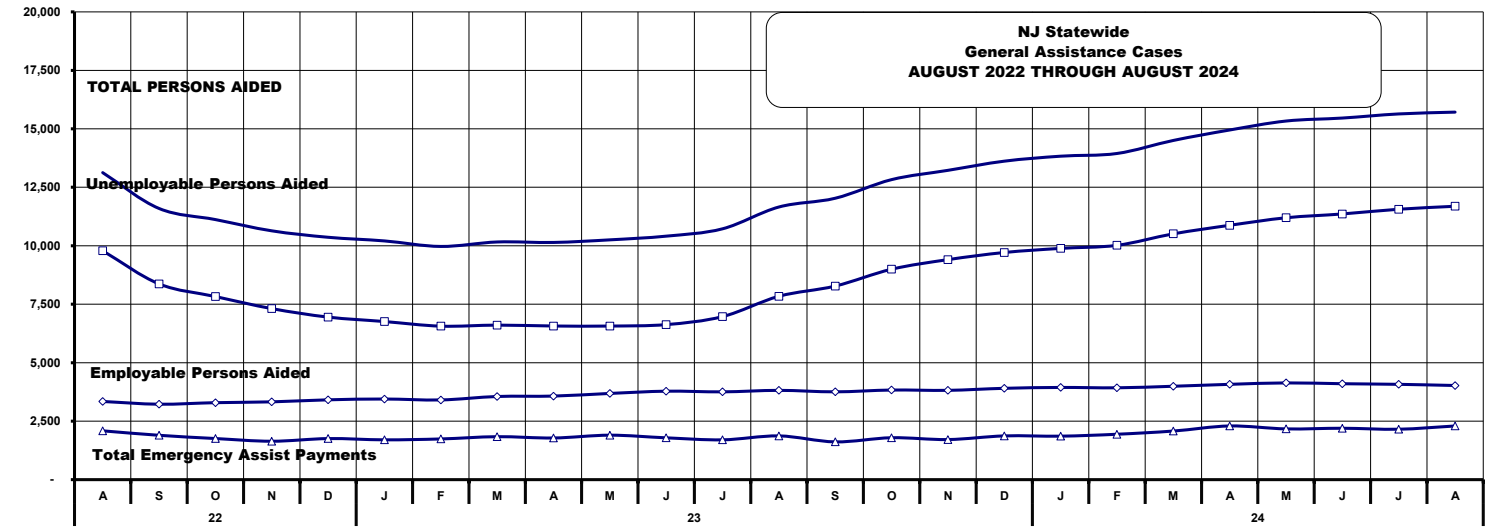


TABLE 10:
GENERAL
ASSISTANCE
PROGRAM

NUMBER OF EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS
AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS - STATEWIDE
AUGUST 2022 THROUGH AUGUST 2024

	Total Cases						Emergency Assistance Cases			
	Employable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Unemployable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)	Temporary Rental Assistance	Other GA-EA	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)
2022 AUG	9,785	7.3%	3,342	-16.1%	13,127	0.2%	691	1,396	2,087	13.2%
SEP	8,370	-7.5%	3,225	-17.6%	11,595	-10.5%	635	1,261	1,896	-0.3%
OCT	7,829	-15.9%	3,291	-15.1%	11,120	-15.7%	574	1,184	1,758	-3.3%
NOV	7,313	-24.4%	3,326	-13.7%	10,639	-21.3%	602	1,040	1,642	-4.6%
DEC	6,950	-30.8%	3,413	-11.5%	10,363	-25.4%	599	1,157	1,756	-3.1%
2022 AVERAGE	10,103		3,619		13,722		688	1,192	1,880	
2023 JAN	6,760	-34.0%	3,447	-9.3%	10,207	-27.3%	590	1,112	1,702	4.8%
FEB	6,563	-38.6%	3,408	-10.6%	9,971	-31.2%	570	1,170	1,740	-6.1%
MAR	6,607	-42.4%	3,555	-8.1%	10,162	-33.7%	586	1,251	1,837	-10.8%
APR	6,569	-44.4%	3,573	-6.5%	10,142	-35.1%	623	1,158	1,781	-8.1%
MAY	6,567	-45.5%	3,686	-3.1%	10,253	-35.3%	634	1,267	1,901	-0.1%
JUN	6,629	-46.1%	3,782	-2.0%	10,411	-35.6%	633	1,155	1,788	-12.0%
JUL	6,971	-44.0%	3,754	-2.8%	10,725	-34.3%	605	1,097	1,702	-12.9%
AUG	7,840	-19.9%	3,817	14.2%	11,657	-11.2%	602	1,268	1,870	-10.4%
SEP	8,277	-1.1%	3,755	16.4%	12,032	3.8%	610	1,005	1,615	-14.8%
OCT	8,997	14.9%	3,831	16.4%	12,828	15.4%	583	1,209	1,792	1.9%
NOV	9,407	28.6%	3,818	14.8%	13,225	24.3%	600	1,114	1,714	4.4%
DEC	9,712	39.7%	3,905	14.4%	13,617	31.4%	598	1,272	1,870	6.5%
2023 AVERAGE	7,575		3,694		11,269		603	1,173	1,776	
2024 JAN	9,888	46.3%	3,942	14.4%	13,830	35.5%	612	1,247	1,859	9.2%
FEB	10,019	52.7%	3,927	15.2%	13,946	39.9%	513	1,428	1,941	11.6%
MAR	10,510	59.1%	3,993	12.3%	14,503	42.7%	629	1,449	2,078	10.0%
APR	10,875	65.6%	4,075	14.0%	14,950	47.4%	659	1,636	2,295	28.9%
MAY	11,197	70.5%	4,136	12.2%	15,333	49.5%	680	1,490	2,170	14.2%
JUN	11,360	71.4%	4,101	8.4%	15,461	48.5%	696	1,501	2,197	22.9%
JUL	11,562	65.9%	4,075	8.6%	15,637	45.8%	662	1,494	2,156	26.7%
AUG	11,689	49.1%	4,025	5.4%	15,714	34.8%	749	1,545	2,294	22.7%
2023 AVERAGE TO DATE	10,888		4,034		14,922		650	1,474	2,124	



Source: NJ Division of Family Development, GA Fiscal Unit

TABLE 11:
GENERAL
ASSISTANCE
PROGRAM

EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE CASES
AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE CASES RECEIVING PAYMENTS BY COUNTY
AUGUST 2024

	Total Cases						Emergency Assistance Cases			
	Employable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Unemployable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)	Temporary Rental Assistance	Other GA-EA	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)
ATLANTIC	1,068	28.5%	161	0.6%	1,229	24.0%	92	77	169	-0.6%
BERGEN	351	27.2%	242	-3.2%	593	12.7%	70	28	98	8.9%
BURLINGTON	460	46.5%	202	13.5%	662	34.6%	9	159	168	80.6%
CAMDEN	1,672	36.8%	519	13.1%	2,191	30.3%	36	76	112	49.3%
CAPE MAY	134	24.1%	57	54.1%	191	31.7%	11	66	77	67.4%
CUMBERLAND	440	69.2%	190	13.1%	630	47.2%	2	18	20	185.7% Δ
ESSEX	1,193	37.4%	254	0.8%	1,447	29.2%	28	94	122	-37.1%
GLOUCESTER	251	81.9%	118	-5.6%	369	40.3%	4	11	15	-42.3% *
HUDSON	1,822	95.7%	352	13.5%	2,174	75.2% Δ	157	159	316	154.8% Δ
HUNTERDON	49	-42.4%	51	-7.3%	100	-28.6% *	6	11	17	-39.3% *
MERCER	617	47.6%	265	6.9%	882	32.4%	49	102	151	67.8%
MIDDLESEX	423	64.6%	344	0.0%	767	27.6%	46	76	122	-23.3%
MONMOUTH	387	76.7%	231	7.9%	618	42.7%	3	128	131	48.9%
MORRIS	242	33.0%	151	-7.9%	393	13.6% *	45	46	91	0.0%
OCEAN	368	31.4%	213	-6.2%	581	14.6%	20	98	118	53.2%
PASSAIC	738	109.7%	185	10.1%	923	77.5% Δ	80	67	147	226.7% Δ
SALEM	164	124.7%	61	0.0%	225	67.9% Δ	1	2	3	-40.0% *
SOMERSET	317	37.2%	97	27.6%	414	34.9%	40	87	127	-4.5%
SUSSEX	33	106.3%	27	-20.6%	60	20.0%	0	9	9	125.0%
UNION	864	22.9%	240	8.1%	1,104	19.4%	38	199	237	-21.0%
WARREN	96	26.3%	65	0.0%	161	14.2%	12	32	44	76.0%
NJ TOTAL	11,689	49.1%	4,025	5.4%	15,714	34.8%	749	1,545	2,294	22.7%

Δ= ↑ Caseload %

* = ↓ Caseload %

**TABLE 12:
OFFICE OF
CHILD SUPPORT
SERVICES**

**OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES
QUARTERLY PERFORMANCE REPORT
STATE SUMMARY
TITLE IV-D SOURCE COLLECTION REPORT
Comparison of Quarter-3 (FFY 2023 vs. FFY 2024)**

COLLECTION SOURCE	TOTAL 4/1/2023 - 6/30/2023	% OF TOTAL COLLECTIONS	TOTAL 4/1/2024 - 6/30/2024	% OF TOTAL COLLECTIONS	DOLLAR CHANGE	% CHANGE
FEDERAL TAX	\$12,318,445	4.53%	\$14,225,764	5.16%	\$ 1,907,319	15.48%
STATE TAX	\$2,183,230	0.80%	\$2,955,526	1.07%	\$ 772,296	35.37%
UIB	\$6,401,604	2.35%	\$7,021,443	2.55%	\$ 619,839	9.68%
INC WITHHOLD	\$183,958,372	67.63%	\$184,593,836	66.96%	\$ 635,464	0.35%
FROM OTHER STATES	\$10,404,749	3.83%	\$10,597,851	3.84%	\$ 193,102	1.86%
ADMIN ENFORCEMENT	\$4,394,993	1.62%	\$4,810,022	0.02	\$ 415,029	9.44%
OTHER	\$52,343,617	19.24%	\$51,459,679	18.67%	\$ (883,938)	-1.69%
TOTAL COLLECTIONS*	\$272,005,010	100%	\$275,664,121	100%	\$ 3,659,111	1.35%
DISBURSED COLLECTIONS**	\$234,716,119		\$235,014,800		\$ 298,681	0.13%

* Includes collections on both current support and arrears.

** Includes collections on both current support and arrears; also includes money sent to other states.

SOURCE: NJKiDS (Based on Federal Quarterly Report of Collections - OCSE-34A except Disbursed Collections)

Disbursed Collections obtained from Federal Data Report - OCSE-157, which is reported annually to Congress and used in the calculation of incentive dollars earned by each state.

TABLE 13:
OFFICE OF
CHILD SUPPORT
SERVICES

OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES
STATE SUMMARY
TITLE IV-D PATERNITY ESTABLISHMENT REPORT
Comparison of August (FFY 2023 vs. FFY 2024)

County	AUGUST 2023			AUGUST 2024			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2023 to FFY 2024
	Total Children Born Out of Wedlock*	Number of Paternities Established	Percent of Paternities Established	Total Children Born Out of Wedlock*	Number of Paternities Established	Percent of Paternities Established	
Atlantic	4,726	4,723	99.9%	4,282	4,270	99.7%	-0.2%
Bergen	2,428	2,387	98.3%	2,220	2,180	98.2%	-0.1%
Burlington	3,575	3,519	98.4%	3,248	3,192	98.3%	-0.2%
Camden	12,024	11,771	97.9%	11,022	10,823	98.2%	0.3%
Cape May	862	868	100.7%	767	762	99.3%	-1.3%
Cumberland	5,232	5,180	99.0%	4,838	4,820	99.6%	0.6%
Essex	18,262	17,468	95.7%	16,562	15,906	96.0%	0.4%
Gloucester	3,196	3,174	99.3%	2,888	2,864	99.2%	-0.1%
Hudson	7,365	7,162	97.2%	6,811	6,605	97.0%	-0.3%
Hunterdon	151	154	102.0%	128	131	102.3%	0.4%
Mercer	4,903	4,786	97.6%	4,438	4,349	98.0%	0.4%
Middlesex	4,734	4,660	98.4%	4,298	4,207	97.9%	-0.6%
Monmouth	3,383	3,336	98.6%	3,025	2,956	97.7%	-0.9%
Morris	849	847	99.8%	729	732	100.4%	0.6%
Ocean	3,689	3,615	98.0%	3,315	3,260	98.3%	0.3%
Passaic	7,241	7,116	98.3%	6,438	6,338	98.4%	0.2%
Salem	2,283	2,206	96.6%	2,217	2,117	95.5%	-1.1%
Somerset	967	957	99.0%	822	805	97.9%	-1.0%
Sussex	385	390	101.3%	356	360	101.1%	-0.2%
Union	8,314	8,007	96.3%	7,846	7,536	96.0%	-0.3%
Warren	546	553	101.3%	451	453	100.4%	-0.8%
NJ TOTALS	95,115	92,879	97.6%	86,701	84,666	97.7%	0.0%

SOURCE: NJKiDS (Based on Federal Performance Measures - OCSE-157)

* Information on Out of Wedlock Births obtained from NJ Bureau of Vital Statistics

TABLE 14:
OFFICE OF
CHILD SUPPORT
SERVICES

OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES
STATE SUMMARY
TITLE IV-D REPORT OF CASES WITH ORDERS
Comparison of August (FFY 2023 vs. FFY 2024)

County	AUGUST 2023			AUGUST 2024			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2023 to FFY 2024
	Total Cases	Cases with Orders	% of Cases with Orders	Total Cases	Cases with Orders	% of Cases with Orders	
Atlantic	9,484	8,682	91.5%	8,942	8,225	92.0%	0.4%
Bergen	9,757	9,455	96.9%	9,446	9,168	97.1%	0.2%
Burlington	10,865	9,869	90.8%	10,539	9,505	90.2%	-0.6%
Camden	23,631	22,026	93.2%	22,508	20,982	93.2%	0.0%
Cape May	2,379	2,266	95.3%	2,245	2,139	95.3%	0.0%
Cumberland	10,028	9,458	94.3%	9,665	9,073	93.9%	-0.4%
Essex	32,843	28,559	87.0%	31,927	27,276	85.4%	-1.5%
Gloucester	8,338	7,977	95.7%	7,936	7,512	94.7%	-1.0%
Hudson	16,512	14,683	88.9%	16,258	14,301	88.0%	-1.0%
Hunterdon	1,076	1,010	93.9%	1,006	959	95.3%	1.5%
Mercer	10,774	9,644	89.5%	10,405	9,231	88.7%	-0.8%
Middlesex	14,443	13,251	91.7%	13,880	12,718	91.6%	-0.1%
Monmouth	10,215	9,578	93.8%	9,559	8,965	93.8%	0.0%
Morris	4,641	4,497	96.9%	4,441	4,312	97.1%	0.2%
Ocean	11,767	11,277	95.8%	11,186	10,671	95.4%	-0.4%
Passaic	15,573	13,746	88.3%	14,578	13,218	90.7%	2.4%
Salem	3,467	3,273	94.4%	3,368	3,150	93.5%	-0.9%
Somerset	3,744	3,346	89.4%	3,466	3,147	90.8%	1.4%
Sussex	2,190	2,148	98.1%	2,129	2,081	97.7%	-0.3%
Union	15,235	14,337	94.1%	14,534	13,839	95.2%	1.1%
Warren	2,121	2,007	94.6%	1,974	1,894	95.9%	1.3%
NJ TOTALS	219,083	201,089	91.8%	209,992	192,366	91.6%	-0.2%

SOURCE: NJKiDS (Based on Federal Performance Measures - OCSE-157)

TABLE 15:
OFFICE OF
CHILD SUPPORT
SERVICES

OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES
STATE SUMMARY
TITLE IV-D COLLECTIONS ON CURRENT SUPPORT
Comparison of August (FFY 2023 vs. FFY 2024)

County	AUGUST 2023			AUGUST 2024			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2023 to FFY 2024
	Total Current Support Due	Total Current Support Distributed	Total Collection Rate	Total Current Support Due	Total Current Support Distributed	Total Collection Rate	
Atlantic	\$3,460,350	\$2,195,496	63.4%	\$3,297,556	\$2,080,656	63.1%	-0.4%
Bergen	\$7,210,826	\$5,364,870	74.4%	\$6,934,843	\$5,018,752	72.4%	-2.0%
Burlington	\$5,045,059	\$3,444,413	68.3%	\$4,816,908	\$3,252,909	67.5%	-0.7%
Camden	\$7,311,206	\$4,253,170	58.2%	\$6,980,542	\$4,011,877	57.5%	-0.7%
Cape May	\$949,989	\$657,955	69.3%	\$904,075	\$614,465	68.0%	-1.3%
Cumberland	\$2,882,646	\$1,656,608	57.5%	\$2,697,285	\$1,547,408	57.4%	-0.1%
Essex	\$9,777,119	\$5,645,244	57.7%	\$9,343,354	\$5,383,178	57.6%	-0.1%
Gloucester	\$3,673,651	\$2,408,907	65.6%	\$3,502,721	\$2,268,263	64.8%	-0.8%
Hudson	\$6,824,804	\$4,353,457	63.8%	\$6,600,084	\$4,079,632	61.8%	-2.0%
Hunterdon	\$926,047	\$783,073	84.6%	\$881,451	\$722,087	81.9%	-2.6%
Mercer	\$3,763,683	\$2,379,562	63.2%	\$3,656,742	\$2,252,522	61.6%	-1.6%
Middlesex	\$6,915,440	\$4,722,602	68.3%	\$6,581,311	\$4,441,174	67.5%	-0.8%
Monmouth	\$5,778,029	\$4,172,281	72.2%	\$5,410,161	\$3,828,522	70.8%	-1.4%
Morris	\$3,754,145	\$2,780,841	74.1%	\$3,533,365	\$2,477,366	70.1%	-4.0%
Ocean	\$5,776,752	\$4,057,515	70.2%	\$5,531,416	\$3,756,313	67.9%	-2.3%
Passaic	\$5,904,776	\$3,666,815	62.1%	\$5,687,271	\$3,458,423	60.8%	-1.3%
Salem	\$1,022,105	\$596,991	58.4%	\$1,003,675	\$576,707	57.5%	-0.9%
Somerset	\$2,397,500	\$1,928,124	80.4%	\$2,280,971	\$1,841,772	80.7%	0.3%
Sussex	\$1,511,402	\$1,146,634	75.9%	\$1,413,827	\$1,049,688	74.2%	-1.6%
Union	\$6,583,946	\$4,300,077	65.3%	\$6,311,318	\$4,054,602	64.2%	-1.1%
Warren	\$1,095,523	\$825,282	75.3%	\$1,033,299	\$797,660	77.2%	1.9%
NJ TOTALS	\$92,564,997	\$61,339,917	66.3%	\$88,402,175	\$57,513,978	65.1%	-1.2%

SOURCE: NJKIDS (Based on Federal Performance Measures - OCSE-157)

TABLE 16:
OFFICE OF
CHILD SUPPORT
SERVICES

OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES
STATE SUMMARY
TITLE IV-D CASES ARREARS COLLECTION REPORT
Comparison of August (FFY 2023 vs. FFY 2024)

County	AUGUST 2023			AUGUST 2024			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2023 to FFY 2024
	Total Cases with Arrears	Total Amount Collected	Average Arrears Collection per Case	Total Cases with Arrears	Total Amount Collected	Average Arrears Collection per Case	
Atlantic	5,965	\$604,673	\$101.37	5,535	\$510,751	\$92.28	-\$9.09
Bergen	6,259	\$1,380,868	\$220.62	6,051	\$1,022,327	\$168.95	-\$51.67
Burlington	6,684	\$846,471	\$126.64	6,329	\$836,186	\$132.12	\$5.48
Camden	13,790	\$1,547,794	\$112.24	12,839	\$1,085,316	\$84.53	-\$27.71
Cape May	1,560	\$196,150	\$125.74	1,481	\$224,790	\$151.78	\$26.05
Cumberland	6,066	\$764,686	\$126.06	5,693	\$454,781	\$79.88	-\$46.18
Essex	17,805	\$2,337,725	\$131.30	16,615	\$1,862,320	\$112.09	-\$19.21
Gloucester	5,365	\$701,377	\$130.73	5,017	\$517,731	\$103.20	-\$27.54
Hudson	10,168	\$1,168,042	\$114.87	9,732	\$1,068,157	\$109.76	-\$5.12
Hunterdon	647	\$221,491	\$342.34	607	\$97,701	\$160.96	-\$181.38
Mercer	6,807	\$1,120,895	\$164.67	6,328	\$619,004	\$97.82	-\$66.85
Middlesex	9,029	\$1,518,081	\$168.13	8,528	\$1,028,580	\$120.61	-\$47.52
Monmouth	6,334	\$1,128,453	\$178.16	5,939	\$842,596	\$141.88	-\$36.28
Morris	3,095	\$530,075	\$171.27	2,958	\$508,781	\$172.00	\$0.73
Ocean	7,229	\$1,100,234	\$152.20	6,794	\$870,217	\$128.09	-\$24.11
Passaic	9,442	\$1,078,163	\$114.19	9,007	\$1,051,447	\$116.74	\$2.55
Salem	2,018	\$208,487	\$103.31	1,865	\$165,632	\$88.81	-\$14.50
Somerset	2,243	\$385,709	\$171.96	2,089	\$506,874	\$242.64	\$70.68
Sussex	1,395	\$226,344	\$162.25	1,321	\$282,091	\$213.54	\$51.29
Union	9,483	\$1,245,377	\$131.33	9,042	\$1,176,717	\$130.14	-\$1.19
Warren	1,359	\$214,220	\$157.63	1,265	\$140,824	\$111.32	-\$46.31
NJ TOTALS	132,743	\$18,525,315	\$139.56	125,035	\$14,872,823	\$118.95	-\$20.61

SOURCE: OCSE-157 Child Support Enforcement Annual Data Report

Table 17**WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY STATISTICAL SUMMARY****WFNJ****AUGUST 2024**

COUNTY	EMPLOYMENT DIRECTED ACTIVITIES			EMPLOYED OPEN (WFNJ RECIPIENT)	SUPPORT SERVICES ON ACTIVE CASE		CLOSED FOR EMPLOYMENT THIS MONTH	POST ASSISTANCE CHILD CARE
	CWEP	ALL OTHER TRAINING	JOB SEARCH		CHILD CARE	TRAINING REL. EXPENSES		
ATLANTIC	8	76	6	23	23	49	6	21
BERGEN	23	1	59	9	55	15	10	4
BURLINGTON	135	5	51	28	29	13	6	7
CAMDEN	38	176	15	62	109	7	13	6
CAPE MAY	1	8	1	2	2	1	0	5
CUMBERLAND	0	33	3	23	22	33	3	2
ESSEX	93	169	10	109	119	192	42	69
GLOUCESTER	1	0	2	18	8	8	5	16
HUDSON	9	211	64	111	195	72	37	27
HUNTERDON	1	0	24	2	0	0	0	1
MERCER	79	182	16	52	99	88	26	51
MIDDLESEX	0	45	69	39	58	0	9	1
MONMOUTH	10	19	25	21	24	3	3	20
MORRIS	0	7	5	2	1	0	1	0
OCEAN	0	153	0	3	15	10	0	16
PASSAIC	117	99	0	26	65	57	15	3
SALEM	0	16	4	4	5	0	3	4
SOMERSET	65	35	19	17	46	53	2	0
SUSSEX	1	0	1	2	0	0	1	1
UNION	145	37	0	40	52	41	11	0
WARREN	0	12	1	2	3	0	1	0
STATE TOTAL	726	1,284	375	595	930	642	194	254

Data is derived from NJ Division of Family Development's FAMIS Reports RM064-01 & RM703-51, AdHoc Reports 5549 & 5598 and SDW Report WR00022WZ_CC

**DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS
AUGUST 2024**

ACRONYMS

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (EA) - Payments to those eligible for WFNJ/TANF or WFNJ/GA, authorized during the 30 consecutive days immediately following the emergency (defined as a substantial loss of shelter, food, clothing, or household furnishings by fire, flood or other similar disaster) or if eligible individual or family is in an imminent or actual state of homelessness.

NJ SNAP - Formerly the Food Stamp Program, now known as NJ SNAP (NJ Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) authorized by Congress as a nutritional supplement program to provide low income households with more food of greater variety and better nutrition. Program eligibility is based on household income, resources, and expenses for medical, shelter, and dependent care. CWA staff refers certain recipients to the New Jersey Department of Labor for participation in the Food Stamp Employment and Training Program.

FAMIS: Family Assistance Management Information System

GAAS: General Assistance Automated System

NJKiDS: New Jersey Kids Deserve Support (Child Support Information Management System)

NJ MMIS SHARED DATA WAREHOUSE: The Shared Data Warehouse (SDW) is the repository for New Jersey's DFD and Medicaid data. Since 2003, OptumInsight has administered the SDW and provided access to the data through a reporting tool known as Business Objects.

OMEGA: Online Management of Economic Goal Achievement

SSI-EA: Supplemental Security Income-Emergency Assistance

WFNJ: Work First New Jersey - Fully implemented July 1, 1997, this is New Jersey's welfare reform program which responds to the requirements of the Federal Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act (**PRWORA**) of 1996. PRWORA established Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (**TANF**) as the replacement for AFDC cash assistance. WFNJ includes two segments, **WFNJ/TANF** for families with children, and **WFNJ/GA** (General Assistance) for single adults and couples without dependent children. WFNJ emphasizes achieving self-sufficiency and limits lifetime receipt of financial assistance to a total of five years.

**DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS
AUGUST 2024**

EXPLANATORY NOTES

The Department of Human Services Division of Family Development provides basic income and an opportunity to achieve self-sufficiency for individuals and families served by the Division's programs. The Division provides leadership, direction and supervision to those public agencies responsible for administering those programs and plans for and develops policies to promote self-sufficiency.

WFNJ STATISTICAL SUMMARY (TABLE 17)

Employment Directed Activities (EDA) - From Activities Summary Report (OMEGA report # RM064). Unduplicated count of persons participating in Community Work Experience Program (CWEP), All Other Training, or Job Search.

Number of Persons Employed This Month, Still Receiving TANF - Individuals with open "empl" activity on OMEGA. Ad hoc report.

Participants Receiving Child Care Services - From Issuance Disbursement Summary (OMEGA report # RM703). Total number of active participants who show receipt of Child Care.

Number of Persons Closed on FAMIS Due to Employment - From FAMIS report #5549-RM-2

Post TANF and Receiving Child Care - Persons no longer in receipt of TANF but still receiving child care. From Share Data Warehouse Child Care case count based on Child Care payments (SDW report WR00022WZ_CC).