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# CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS



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## DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS AUGUST 2012

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#### DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS AUGUST 2012

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 decreased by 1,399 cases, from 41,256 in August 2011 to 39,857 in August 2012.
- The counties with the highest family caseload percentage increase since August 2011 include Passaic (8.3%), Warren (5.2%), and Sussex (3.0%).
- The counties with caseloads that decreased since August 2011 were Monmouth (-11.3%), Morris (-14.8%), and Cape May (-17.6%).
- Of the WFNJ/TANF cases, 8,491 or 21.3% were child-only in August 2012.
- The counties with the most child-only cases were Essex (1,391), Camden (1,135), and Hudson (1,092).
- Essex (21,548), Passaic (12,585), and Camden (11,875) counties had the greatest number of persons receiving TANF in August 2012.

#### **NJ SNAP (formerly FOOD STAMPS)**

- In August 2012, there were 411,576 households receiving NJ SNAP benefits. The number of NJ SNAP households increased by 26,932, or 7.0%, since August 2011.
- There were 825,844 persons receiving NJ SNAP benefits as of August 2012, an increase of 48,645 or 6.3% since August 2011.
- The three counties having the highest caseload increase since August 2011 are Monmouth (15.7%), Middlesex (11.3%), and Camden (9.4%).

#### **EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE**

- There were 6,473 families receiving Emergency Assistance (EA) in August 2012, a decrease of 963 or 13.0% since August 2011.
- In August 2012, EA payments were made for 1,623 SSI recipients.

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#### **GENERAL ASSISTANCE**

#### **GA Emergency Assistance**

- There were 6,603 Emergency Assistance payments made to GA cases in August 2012, a decrease of 1,688 or 20.4% since August 2011.
- The two counties that show an annual percent increase in emergency assistance payments are Mercer (1.8%) and Middlesex (1.0%).

#### **GA Program**

- The total numbers of cases receiving GA has decreased from 53,171 to 43,018 since August 2011, a decrease of 19.1%.
- There were 29,566 Employable GA and 13,452 Unemployable GA cases in August 2012.
- In August 2012, GA cases showed a 0.5 percent decrease since July 2012.

#### **CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES (Quarterly Report)**

- The total collection for the Child Support Services Program was about \$325 million from April 2012 to June 2012, an increase of 1 percent over the same period for FFY 2011.
- Total distributions increased over 0.8% from June 2011.

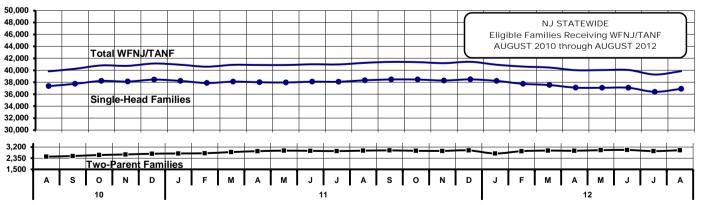
#### **WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY (WFNJ)**

- During the report month of August 2012, there were 4,270 families in which at least one member was employed and an additional 579 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: Essex (887), Camden (504), and Hudson (485).

**TABLE 1: WFNJ/TANF PROGRAM** 

STATEWIDE NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS DURING AUGUST 2012; NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES & PERSONS RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF FOR AUGUST 2012

			AUGI	JST 2010 T	HROUGH	H AUGUST	2012				
	Cases Added	Cases Closed	Child-Only Cases ‡	Total Singl-Head	2- Parent Families	Total WFNJ/TANF	%CHNG (1 Yr.)	Total	%CHNG (1 Yr.)	Adults	Childre
				<b>Families</b>		Families		Persons			
<b>2010</b> AUG	3,361	3,184	9,999	37,360	2,471	39,831	8.4	101,085	8.8	32,303	68,78
SEP	3,695	3,269	9,822	37,740	2,517	40,257	8.5	102,632	9.6	32,952	69,68
ОСТ	3,786	3,224	9,849	38,222	2,597	40,819	7.1	104,258	7.9	33,567	70,69
NOV	3,077	3,144	9,738	38,116	2,636	40,752	5.0	104,191	5.8	33,650	70,54
DEC	3,383	2,995	9,769	38,447	2,693	41,140	4.9	105,202	5.8	34,064	71,13
010 AVERAGE	3,460	3,163	9,835	37,977	2,583	40,560		103,474		33,307	70,16
<b>2011</b> JAN	3,035	3,241	9,775	38,222	2,712	40,934	5.0	104,733	6.1	33,871	70,86
FEB	3,146	3,471	9,807	37,881	2,728	40,609	5.8	103,844	7.1	33,530	70,31
MAR	3,400	3,088	9,763	38,104	2,817	40,921	5.9	104,834	7.9	33,975	70,85
APR	3,483	3,514	9,686	38,003	2,887	40,890	6.4	104,822	8.5	34,091	70,73
MAY	3,206	3,206	9,624	37,964	2,926	40,890	5.6	105,004	7.5	34,192	70,81
JUN	3,390	3,270	9,539	38,098	2,912	41,010	4.9	105,214	6.4	34,383	70,83
JUL	3,553	3,577	9,359	38,091	2,895	40,986	3.4	105,362	4.9	34,522	70,84
AUG	3,545	3,275	9,197	38,331	2,925	41,256	3.6	106,463	5.3	34,984	71,47
SEP	3,560	3,405	9,111	38,467	2,944	41,411	2.9	106,972	4.2	35,244	71,72
ОСТ	3,245	3,285	9,073	38,455	2,916	41,371	1.4	106,857	2.5	35,214	71,64
NOV	3,272	3,444	8,977	38,293	2,906	41,199	1.1	106,645	2.4	35,128	71,5
DEC	3,482	3,253	9,065	38,483	2,945	41,428	0.7	107,054	1.8	35,308	71,74
11 AVERAGE	3,360	3,336	9,415	38,199	2,876	41,075		105,650		34,537	71,11
<b>2012</b> JAN	3,214	3,706	8,980	38,030	2,906	40,936	0.0	105,725	0.9	34,862	70,86
FEB	2,922	3,229	8,980	37,741	2,888	40,629	0.0	104,704	0.8	34,537	70,16
MAR	3,071	3,234	9,025	37,535	2,931	40,466	(1.1)	104,220	(0.6)	34,372	69,84
APR	2,915	3,363	8,891	37,101	2,917	40,018	(2.1)	103,152	(1.6)	34,044	69,10
MAY	3,178	3,154	8,855	37,078	2,964	40,042	(2.1)	103,293	(1.6)	34,151	69,14
JUN	3,144	3,128	8,755	37,078	2,980	40,058	(2.3)	102,975	(2.1)	34,283	68,69
JUL	2,808	3,572	8,512	36,401	2,893	39,294	(4.1)	101,146	(4.0)	33,675	67,47
AUG	3,670	3,107	8,491	36,900	2,957	39,857	(3.4)	102,712	(3.5)	34,323	68,38
112 AVG to date	3,115	3,312	8,811	37,233	2,930	40,163		103,491	. ,	34,281	69,21



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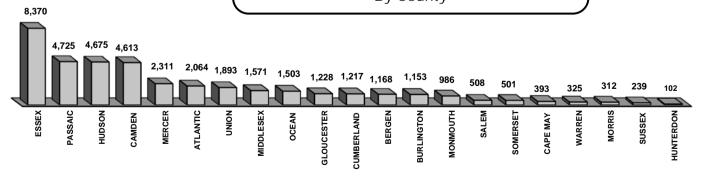
‡ Child-only cases are defined as families in which no eligible adult receives TANF program benefits, yet the family continues to be headed by at least one of the biological parents, or grandparents, or other appropriate adult.

Table 2 WFNJ/TANF

## NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY COUNTY DURING AUGUST 2012, AND NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF REPORTED FOR AUGUST 2012

PROGRAM			Child-		Total		Total		
County	Cases Added	Cases Closed**	Only Cases ‡	1-Adult Cases	Singl-Head Families	2-Parent Families	WFNJ/TANF Families	% Chng (3 Mon)	% Chng (1 Yr)
ATLANTIC	172	175	506	1,357	1,863	201	2,064	(4.0)	(10.9)
BERGEN	73	95	217	843	1,060	108	1,168	(4.9)	(6.6)
BURLINGTON	130	146	289	764	1,053	100	1,153	(4.8)	(7.2)
CAMDEN	363	294	1,135	3,213	4,348	265	4,613	1.4	0.9
CAPE MAY	29	71	105	251	356	37	393	(16.2)	(17.6)
CUMBERLAND	111	136	334	781	1,115	102	1,217	(4.5)	(6.5)
ESSEX	902	644	1,391	6,488	7,879	491	8,370	1.4	(4.0)
GLOUCESTER	132	135	223	875	1,098	130	1,228	(0.8)	(2.5)
HUDSON	440	388	1,092	3,267	4,359	316	4,675	(0.4)	(4.6)
HUNTERDON	15	11	17	71	88	14	102	(13.6)	(10.5)
MERCER	217	206	522	1,640	2,162	149	2,311	(2.8)	(3.8)
MIDDLESEX	152	132	516	956	1,472	99	1,571	(1.1)	(3.9)
MONMOUTH	106	87	256	670	926	60	986	(1.6)	(11.3)
MORRIS	43	28	76	200	276	36	312	(4.3)	(14.8)
OCEAN	120	79	321	969	1,290	213	1,503	(1.8)	(3.8)
PASSAIC	296	197	743	3,601	4,344	381	4,725	1.8	8.3
SALEM	67	57	106	361	467	41	508	0.8	(5.2)
SOMERSET	55	36	122	338	460	41	501	2.7	(1.0)
SUSSEX	39	22	38	176	214	25	239	3.5	3.0
UNION	188	149	419	1,369	1,788	105	1,893	1.5	(9.1)
WARREN	20	19	63	219	282	43	325	2.5	5.2
NJ TOTAL	3,670	3,107	8,491	28,409	36,900	2,957	39,857	(0.5)	(3.4)

Total WFNJ/TANF Families
AUGUST 2012
By County



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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

<sup>\*\* &</sup>quot;Cases closed" include cases that received a benefit in the prior month, but did not receive any TANF benefit for the report month.

∆=higher caseload % change \*=lower caseload % change

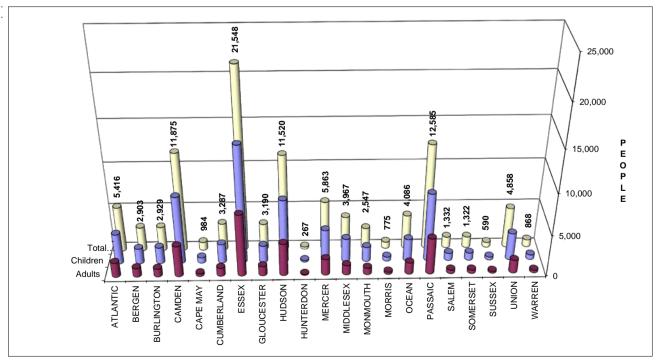
Table 2B WFNJ/TANF PROGRAM

#### NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING PERSONS, ADULTS, AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR AUGUST 2012

Δ= ↑ Caseload %
\*= ↓ Caseload %

#### **PERSONS**

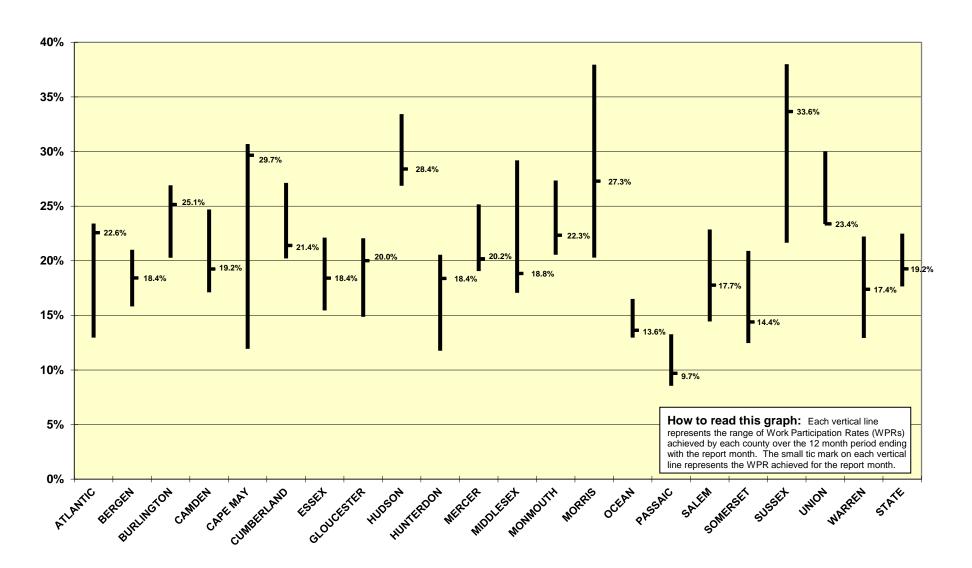
County	Adults	Children	Child/Adult	Total	% Chng	Persons
			Ratio	Persons	(1 Yr)	Per Case
ATLANTIC	1,759	3,657	2.08	5,416	(10.2)	2.62
BERGEN	1,059	1,844	1.74	2,903	(10.2)	2.49
BURLINGTON	964	1,965	2.04	2,929	(9.1)	2.54
CAMDEN	3,743	8,132	2.17	11,875	0.5	2.57
CAPE MAY	325	659	2.03	984	(18.9) *	2.50
CUMBERLAND	985	2,302	2.34	3,287	(3.8)	2.70
ESSEX	7,470	14,078	1.88	21,548	(4.4)	2.57
GLOUCESTER	1,135	2,055	1.81	3,190	(4.9)	2.60
HUDSON	3,899	7,621	1.95	11,520	(5.0)	2.46
HUNTERDON	99	168	1.70	267	(17.3) *	2.62
MERCER	1,938	3,925	2.03	5,863	(5.0)	2.54
MIDDLESEX	1,154	2,813	2.44	3,967	(1.6)	2.53
MONMOUTH	790	1,757	2.22	2,547	(13.2)	2.58
MORRIS	272	503	1.85	775	(13.6) *	2.48
OCEAN	1,395	2,691	1.93	4,086	(2.6)	2.72
PASSAIC	4,363	8,222	1.88	12,585	8.5 A	2.66
SALEM	443	889	2.01	1,332	(5.7)	2.62
SOMERSET	420	902	2.15	1,322	3.4	2.64
SUSSEX	226	364	1.61	590	5.7 Δ	2.47
UNION	1,579	3,279	2.08	4,858	(8.3)	2.57
WARREN	305	563	1.85	868	4.3 Δ	2.67
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NJ TOTAL	34,323	68,389	1.99	102,712	(3.5)	2.58



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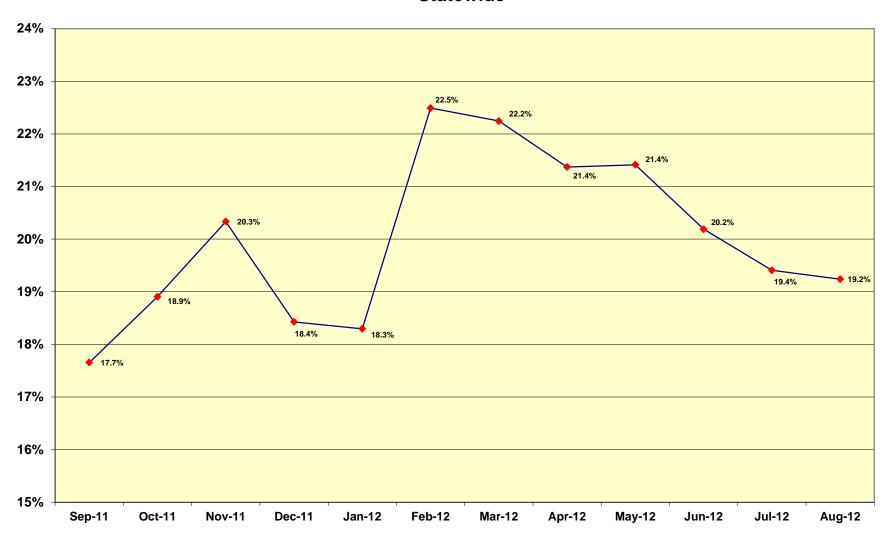
**TABLE 3** 

#### Work Participation Rates Achieved Over 12 Month Period Ending With AUGUST 2012



**TABLE 4** 

## WFNJ/TANF Work Participation Rates for 12-Month Period Ending with AUGUST 2012 Statewide



<sup>\*</sup> The Work Participation rate measures the number of countable Temporary Assistance for Needy 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

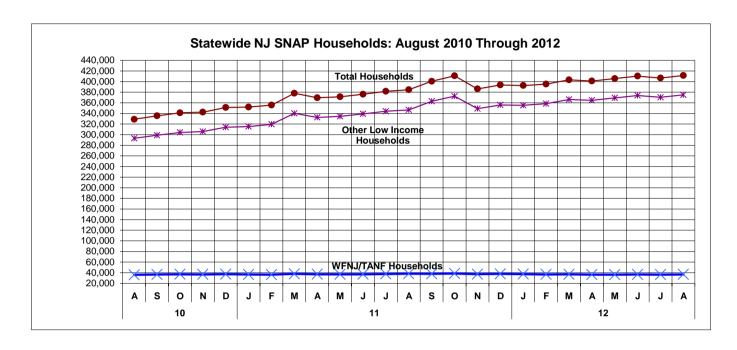
## NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS AND CHILDREN FOR AUGUST 2012 (STATEWIDE)

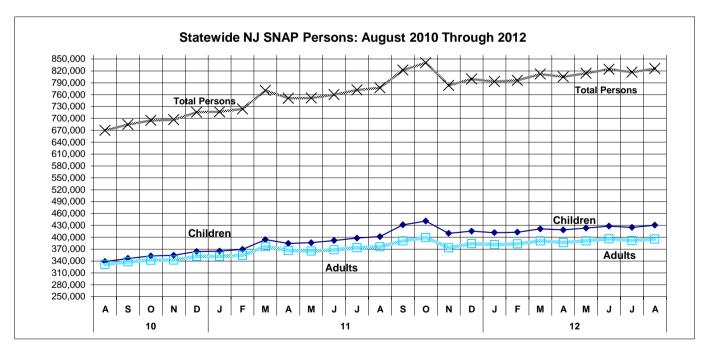
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		HOUSEH	OLDS			PERS	SONS	
	WFNJ/	Other low	TOTAL	% CHNG	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% CHNG
	TANF	income		(1 Yr.)				(1 Yr.)
<b>2010</b> AUG	35,868	293,111	328,979	26.8%	338,632	331,237	669,869	26.5%
SEP	36,638	298,938	335,576	27.9%	346,539	337,989	684,528	28.2%
ОСТ	37,019	304,097	341,116	24.3%	352,802	342,123	694,925	24.1%
NOV	36,766	305,738	342,504	22.6%	354,412	342,309	696,721	22.4%
DEC	37,119	314,074	351,193	23.3%	363,953	351,756	715,709	23.5%
2010 AVERAGE	36,682	303,192	339,874		351,268	341,083	692,350	
<b>2011</b> JAN	36,684	315,339	352,023	22.6%	365,024	351,687	716,711	22.7%
FEB	36,261	319,502	355,763	22.7%	369,413	354,474	723,887	22.8%
MAR	37,757	340,149	377,906	28.6%	393,903	376,538	770,441	29.3%
APR	37,058	332,488	369,546	24.3%	384,296	366,629	750,925	24.6%
MAY	36,840	334,441	371,281	20.6%	386,266	365,180	751,446	20.0%
JUN	36,987	339,171	376,158	19.8%	391,823	368,173	759,996	18.9%
JUL	37,575	344,063	381,638	18.2%	397,985	373,739	771,724	17.1%
AUG	38,042	346,602	384,644	16.9%	401,556	375,643	777,199	16.0%
SEP	37,682	362,932	400,614	19.4%	431,188	390,727	821,915	20.1%
ОСТ	38,424	372,430	410,854	20.4%	441,021	399,368	840,389	20.9%
NOV	37,125	349,052	386,177	12.8%	409,857	373,367	783,224	12.4%
DEC	37,751	355,988	393,739	12.1%	415,419	383,872	799,291	11.7%
2011 AVERAGE	37,349	342,680	380,029		398,979	373,283	772,262	
<b>2012</b> JAN	37,281	355,260	392,541	11.5%	411,607	381,495	793,102	10.7%
FEB	36,740	358,474	395,214	11.1%	412,854	383,239	796,093	10.0%
MAR	36,979	366,275	403,254	6.7%	421,044	390,836	811,880	5.4%
APR	36,212	364,761	400,973	8.5%	418,537	386,552	805,089	7.2%
MAY	36,319	369,304	405,623	9.2%	423,131	390,758	813,889	8.3%
JUN	36,501	373,756	410,257	9.1%	428,237	395,999	824,236	8.5%
JUL	36,302	370,396	406,698	6.6%	424,955	391,626	816,581	5.8%
AUG	36,734	374,842	411,576	7.0%	430,529	395,315	825,844	6.3%
2012 AVG to date	36,634	366,634	403,267		421,362	389,478	810,839	

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

Data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse.

## TABLE 6: NJ SNAP (FOOD STAMPS) TRENDS FOR PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS & PERSONS AUGUST 2010 THROUGH AUGUST 2012 (STATEWIDE)





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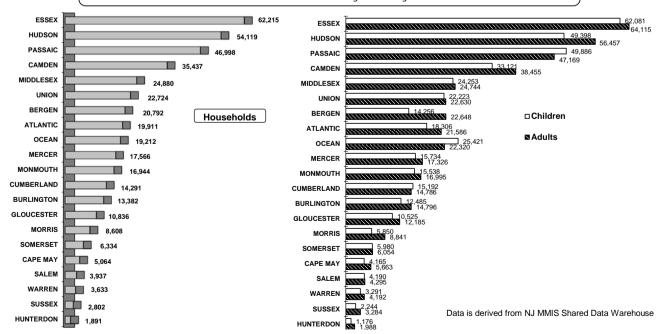
\* While the number of adults and children for each month are within 3000 of each other, due to the scale of the table the two trend lines appear to be a single line.

#### Table 7 NJ SNAP

## NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR AUGUST 2012

∆= ↑ Caseload %	l	HOUSEH	<u>OLDS</u>		I		PERSONS	
*= ↓ Caseload %								
County	WFNJ/	Other	TOTAL	% Chng	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% Chng
	TANF	low income		(1 Yr)				(1 Yr)
ATLANTIC	1,894	18,017	19,911	7.4	21,586	18,306	39,892	7.7
BERGEN	1,077	19,715	20,792	5.3	22,648	14,256	36,904	5.4
BURLINGTON	1,160	12,222	13,382	3.8	14,796	12,485	27,281	5.8
CAMDEN	4,175	31,262	35,437	9.4 Δ	38,455	33,121	71,576	7.6
CAPE MAY	344	4,720	5,064	(0.5) *	5,663	4,165	9,828	0.1 *
CUMBERLAND	1,110	13,181	14,291	2.5	14,786	15,192	29,978	2.8
ESSEX	8,011	54,204	62,215	7.8	64,115	62,081	126,196	6.1
GLOUCESTER	1,074	9,762	10,836	8.7	12,185	10,525	22,710	8.5
HUDSON	4,446	49,673	54,119	6.7	56,457	49,398	105,855	6.1
HUNTERDON	90	1,801	1,891	4.9	1,988	1,176	3,164	4.5
MERCER	2,146	15,420	17,566	7.7	17,326	15,734	33,060	6.6
MIDDLESEX	1,387	23,493	24,880	11.3 A	24,744	24,253	48,997	11.0 Δ
MONMOUTH	914	16,030	16,944	15.7 A	16,995	15,538	32,533	13.7 Δ
MORRIS	286	8,322	8,608	1.5 *	8,841	5,850	14,691	1.1
OCEAN	1,276	17,936	19,212	(1.9) *	22,320	25,421	47,741	(3.9) *
PASSAIC	4,356	42,642	46,998	7.6	47,169	49,886	97,055	7.9
SALEM	436	3,501	3,937	2.6	4,295	4,190	8,485	1.0 *
SOMERSET	426	5,908	6,334	9.4	6,054	5,980	12,034	10.0 Δ
SUSSEX	208	2,594	2,802	5.0	3,284	2,244	5,528	4.6
UNION	1,626	21,098	22,724	8.2	22,630	22,223	44,853	7.9
WARREN	292	3,341	3,633	4.3	4,192	3,291	7,483	5.2
NJ TOTAL	36,734	374,842	411,576	7.0	430,529	395,315	825,844	6.3

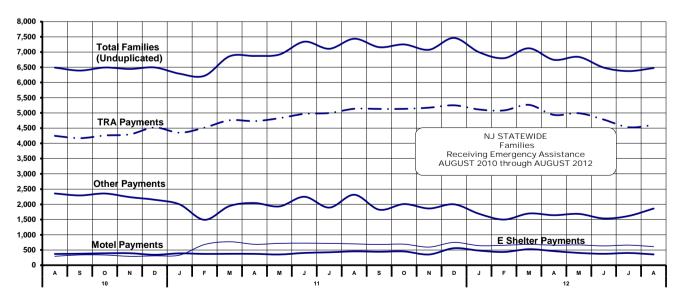




2012 AVG to date

6,729

TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS **AUGUST 2010 THROUGH AUGUST 2012 - STATEWIDE EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE** TOTAL Motel Shelter/Transitional Temp (STATEWIDE) WFNJ/EA Rent Asst. Housing Housing EΑ **Families** % CHNG **Payments** % CHNG Payments % CHNG **Payments** % CHNG % CHNG **Payments** (Undupl) (1 YR) **2010** AUG 22.3% 24.3% 18.2% 294 5.0% 25.2% 6,489 4,247 370 2,355 SEP 6,390 17.0% 4,171 23.0% 18.1% 339 7.3% 11.3% 378 2.291 OCT 2,354 6,491 12.6% 4,259 19.5% 392 22.9% 336 10.5% 3.0% NOV 16.6% 18.0% 394 20.9% 293 18.1% 6.443 4.296 -3.9% 2.236 DEC 6.493 7.4% 4.521 14.0% 344 -16.3% 309 4.4% -2.2% 2.149 2010 AVERAGE 6,461 4,299 376 314 2,277 **2011** JAN 6,287 10.1% 4,351 11.2% 389 -1.5% 332 17.7% 1,997 6.2% FEB 6,220 16.2% 4,516 14.9% 371 34.9% 680\* 235.0% 1491\* -1.6% MAR 6,859 11.3% 4,759 11.9% 375 -4.1% 771 148.7% 1.943 -4.0% **APR** 6,871 17.3% 4,731 13.6% 373 27.3% 688 174.1% 2,042 13.8% 718 MAY 6,917 18.4% 4,827 17.8% 353 36.3% 199.2% 1,931 3.4% JUN 7,339 17.4% 725 2.248 19.3% 4.969 20.8% 404 140.9% 3.5% 17.6% 29.2% 170.6% JUL 7,106 4,997 21.8% 425 717 -8.3% 1,892 14.6% **AUG** 7,436 5,136 20.9% 455 23.0% 701 138.4% 2,314 -1.7% SEP 7,158 12.0% 5,131 23.0% 442 16.9% 681 100.9% 1,823 -20.4% OCT 7,248 11.7% 5,133 20.5% 452 15.3% 691 105.7% 2,008 -14.7% NOV 7.074 9.8% 5.173 20.4% 353 -10.4% 596 103.4% 1.863 -16.7% DEC 7.462 14.9% 5.250 16.1% 559 62.5% 749 142.4% 2.000 -6.9% 2011 AVERAGE 6,998 4,914 413 670 2,006 **2012** JAN 6,994 11.2% 5,113 17.5% 480 23.4% 643 93.7% 1,689 -15.4% **FEB** 6,797 9.3% 5,083 12.6% 435 17.3% 656 -3.5% 1,499 0.5% MAR 7,122 3.8% 5,265 10.6% 526 40.3% 682 -11.5% 1,698 -12.6% APR 6,744 -1.8% 4,935 4.3% 463 24.1% 659 -4.2% 1,642 -19.6% MAY 6,838 -1.1% 4,991 3.4% 404 14.4% 666 -7.2% 1,685 -12.7% -31.7% JUN -11.6% -3.8% 375 -7.2% -12.6% 1,536 6.489 4.781 634 JUL -10.3% -9.3% 401 -5.6% 660 -7.9% -14.5% 6.373 4.530 1.618 AUG 6,473 -13.0% 4,601 -10.4% 355 -22.0% 611 -12.8% 1,861 -19.6%



430

651

1,654

4,912

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

<sup>\*</sup> Effective Feb '11 Transitional Housing Payments were removed from "Other EA Payments" and added to "Shelter Payments."

Table 9
EMERGENCY
ASSISTANCE

NUMBER OF TOTAL ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS
BY COUNTY (UNDUPLICATED CASES) AUGUST 2012

ASSISTANCE							
(BY COUNTY)	TOTAL	%	Temp	Motel	Shelter/Transitional	Other	SSI
	WFNJ/EA	CHNG	Rent Asst.	Housing	Housing	WFNJ/EA	Receipients
County	Families	From	<b>Payments</b>	<b>Payments</b>	Payments	Payments	Receiving EA**
	(Undupl)	Aug 11	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	
ATLANTIC	329	-18.0%	266	11	11	91	78
BERGEN	435	-5.4%	368	0	27	82	58
BURLINGTON	200	-28.6%	104	9	60	85	69
CAMDEN	315	-5.7%	194	34	20	122	50
CAPE MAY	123	-27.2%	71	49	5	8	92
CUMBERLAND	34	-30.6% *	16	0	5	18	16
ESSEX	1,482	-16.6%	1,138	1	162	345	120
GLOUCESTER	152	5.6% Δ	86	39	20	46	32
HUDSON	455	-14.6%	309	23	16	149	15
HUNTERDON	36	-29.4% *	35	0	1	12	19
MERCER	610	-13.0%	363	28	65	281	361
MIDDLESEX	182	-31.1% *	104	19	44	60	64
MONMOUTH	74	-1.3%	9	24	39	4	20
MORRIS	83	-1.2%	67	7	4	23	16
OCEAN	398	4.7%	317	50	0	137	229
PASSAIC	843	-15.1%	644	21	46	221	166
SALEM	33	-26.7%	24	3	1	10	4
SOMERSET	180	11.1% Δ	108	16	25	57	109
SUSSEX	64	-16.9%	51	2	4	15	49
UNION	370	-4.9%	266	17	52	86	51
WARREN	75	11.9% Δ	61	2	4	9	5
NJ TOTAL	6,473	-13.0%	4,601	355	611	1,861	1,623

∆= ↑ Caseload %

\* = ↓ Caseload %

<sup>\*\*</sup>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.

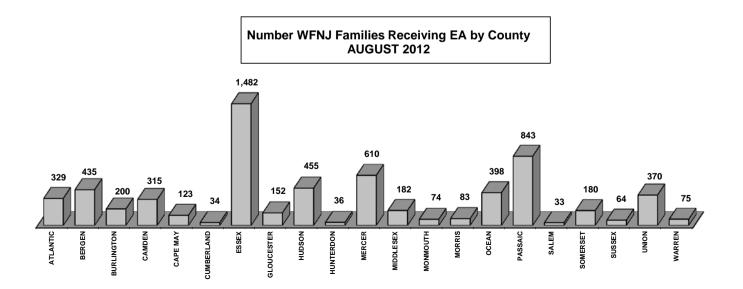


Table 10 GENERAL

## NUMBER OF EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR AUGUST 2012 - STATEWIDE

ASSISTANCE

AUGUST 2010 THROUGH AUGUST 2012

PROGRAM			Total C	<u>ases</u>			Emergenc	y Assistance	e Cases	
							Temporary	Other		
	Employable	% Chng	Unemployable		Total	% Chng	Rental Assistance	GA-EA	Total	% Chng
		(1 Yr)		(1 Yr)		(1 Yr)				(1 Yr)
<b>2010</b> AUG	36,156	17.6%	18,123	5.5%	54,279	13.3%	4,145	4,336	8,481	8.6%
SEP	35,929	14.1%	17,970	4.7%	53,899	10.8%	4,128	4,265	8,393	2.0%
OCT	35,896	9.6%	17,872	1.9%	53,768	6.9%	4,136	4,214	8,350	-0.9%
NOV	35,998	8.6%	17,687	0.8%	53,685	5.9%	4,146	3,868	8,014	4.5%
DEC	37,105	7.5%	17,496	-0.4%	54,601	4.8%	4,225	4,096	8,321	-5.8%
2010 AVERAGE	36,217		17,830		54,046		4,156	4,156	8,312	
<b>2011</b> JAN	37,455	7.9%	17,204	-2.4%	54,659	4.4%	4,542	3,444	7,986	-5.1%
FEB	38,125	10.0%	16,898	-2.4%	55,023	5.9%	4,710	3,296	8,006	1.2%
MAR	40,038	12.7%	17,253	-1.6%	57,291	8.0%	4,733	4,474	9,207	0.9%
APR	40,108	14.2%	16,673	-5.8%	56,781	7.5%	4,751	3,628	8,379	1.6%
MAY	39,497	11.7%	16,482	-7.8%	55,979	5.1%	4,791	3,917	8,708	0.2%
JUN	39,420	10.7%	16,103	-11.0%	55,523	3.4%	4,811	3,821	8,635	-0.5%
JUL	37,584	5.7%	15,371	-14.8%	52,955	-1.2%	4,544	3,265	7,809	-6.6%
AUG	37,770	4.5%	15,401	-15.0%	53,171	-2.0%	4,527	3,764	8,291	-2.2%
SEP	34,050	-5.2%	14,241	-20.8%	48,291	-10.4%	4,365	3,058	7,423	-11.6%
OCT	32,518	-9.4%	13,769	-23.0%	46,287	-13.9%	4,262	3,097	7,359	-11.9%
NOV	31,652	-12.1%	13,469	-23.8%	45,121	-16.0%	4,231	2,927	7,158	-10.7%
DEC	31,467	-15.2%	13,397	-23.4%	44,864	-17.8%	4,132	3,222	7,354	-11.6%
2011 AVERAGE	36,640		15,522		52,162		4,533	3,493	8,026	
<b>2012</b> JAN	31,039	-17.1%	13,209	-23.2%	44,248	-19.0%	4,081	2,926	7,007	-12.3%
FEB	31,128	-18.4%	13,019	-23.0%	44,147	-19.8%	3,968	2,819	6,787	-15.2%
MAR	31,606	-21.1%	13,216	-23.4%	44,822	-21.8%	4,030	3,263	7,293	-20.8%
APR	31,404	-21.7%	13,125	-21.3%	44,529	-21.6%	3,962	3,127	7,089	-15.4%
MAY	31,278	-20.8%	13,221	-19.8%	44,499	-20.5%	3,896	3,121	7,017	-19.4%
JUN	30,652	-22.2%	13,480	-16.3%	44,132	-20.5%	3,871	2,896	6,767	-21.6%
JUL	29,830	-20.6%	13,420	-12.7%	43,250	-18.3%	3,629	3,016	6,645	-14.9%
AUG	29,566	-21.7%	13,452	-12.7%	43,018	-19.1%	3,624	2,979	6,603	-20.4%
2012 AVG to date	30,813		13,268		44,081		3,883	3,018	6,901	

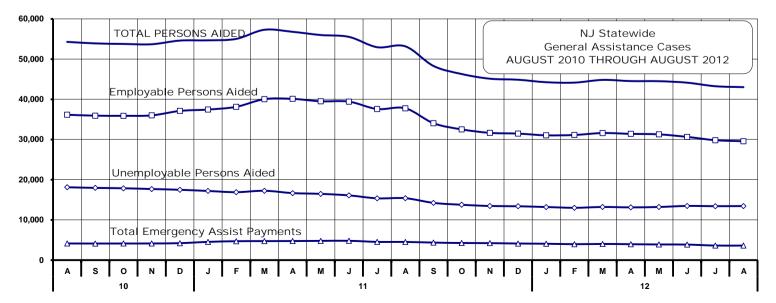


TABLE 11

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

### EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE CASES AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE CASES RECEIVING PAYMENTS BY COUNTY

PROGRAM AUGUST 2012

			Total (	<u>Cases</u>			<u>Emergency</u>	Assistance	e Cases	
County	<b>Employable</b>	% Chng	<u>Unemployable</u>	% Chng	<u>Total</u>	% Chng	Temporary	Other	<u>Total</u>	% Chng
		(From Aug 11)	(	From Aug 11)	(	(From Aug 11)	Rental Assist.	GA-EA		(From Aug 11)
ATLANTIC	1,913	-21.7%	473	-20.2%	2,386	-21.4%	203	55	258	-16.0%
BERGEN	956	-11.3%	637	-13.2%	1,593	-12.1%	411	78	489	-12.4%
BURLINGTON	1,226	-27.9%	428	-20.6%	1,654	-26.1%	80	196	276	-38.5% *
CAMDEN	3,104	-33.4%	1,724	-22.7%	4,828	-29.9% *	223	122	345	-31.1%
CAPE MAY	613	-38.4%	194	31.1%	807	-29.4% *	145	210	355	-33.0%
CUMBERLAND	1,632	-16.5%	607	-18.3%	2,239	-17.0%	8	50	58	-4.9% <u>\( \Delta\) \( \Delta\)</u>
ESSEX	5,069	-14.6%	1,310	-2.5%	6,379	-12.3%	322	432	754	-29.0%
GLOUCESTER	1,281	-7.8%	413	-11.6%	1,694	-8.8% $\Delta$	84	122	206	-13.4%
HUDSON	2,665	-31.5%	1,615	-3.5%	4,280	-23.0%	128	74	202	-15.1%
HUNTERDON	152	-20.8%	151	-34.9%	303	-28.5% *	93	54	147	-47.9% *
MERCER	1,902	-19.5%	795	-9.9%	2,697	-16.9%	272	423	695	1.8% Δ
MIDDLESEX	662	-35.1%	584	-16.7%	1,246	-27.6%	178	139	317	1.0% Δ
MONMOUTH	635	-26.3%	295	-28.7%	930	-27.1%	28	120	148	-31.8%
MORRIS	520	-18.1%	366	-28.9%	886	-23.0%	156	103	259	-10.1%
OCEAN	1,892	-6.3%	789	-19.3%	2,681	-10.6% $\Delta$	316	228	544	-8.3%
PASSAIC	2,804	-21.5%	1,516	14.4%	4,320	-11.8% $\Delta$	532	178	710	-25.6%
SALEM	250	-15.0%	127	-8.0%	377	-12.7%	17	21	38	-25.5%
SOMERSET	273	-16.0%	187	-27.2%	460	-21.0%	80	25	105	-38.6% *
SUSSEX	183	-9.0%	90	-37.9%	273	-21.1%	41	43	84	-19.2%
UNION	1,593	-18.3%	1,018	-12.5%	2,611	-16.2%	269	258	527	-10.8%
WARREN	241	-18.6%	133	-25.7%	374	-21.3%	38	48	86	-13.1%
NJ TOTAL	29,566	-21.7%	13,452	-12.7%	43,018	-19.1%	3,624	2,979	6,603	-20.4%

∆= ↑ Caseload %

Source: NJ Division of Family Development, GA Fiscal Unit

<sup>\* = ↓</sup> Caseload %

TABLE 12
OFFICE OF CHILD
SUPPORT
SERVICES

#### OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

State Summary
TITLE IV-D SOURCE COLLECTION REPORT

Comparison of Quarter-3 (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

COLLECTION SOURCE	TOTAL 4/1/2011- 6/30/2011	% OF TOTAL COLLECTIONS	TOTAL 4/1/2012- 6/30/2012	% OF TOTAL COLLECTIONS	DOLLAR CHANGE	% CHANGE
FEDERAL TAX	\$ 19,320,120	5.99%	\$ 16,186,631	4.97%	\$ (3,133,489)	-16.22%
STATE TAX	\$ 2,130,861	0.66%	\$ 1,765,119	0.54%	\$ (365,742)	-17.16%
UIB	\$ 24,483,103	7.59%	\$ 21,223,204	6.52%	\$ (3,259,899)	-13.31%
INC WITHHOLD	\$ 202,201,496	62.72%	\$ 211,016,399	64.83%	\$ 8,814,903	4.36%
FROM OTHER STATES	\$ 12,560,874	3.90%	\$ 12,045,982	3.70%	\$ (514,892)	-4.10%
OTHER	\$ 61,714,946	19.14%	\$ 63,254,283	19.43%	\$ 1,539,337	2.49%
TOTAL COLLECTIONS*	\$ 322,411,400	100%	\$ 325,491,618	100%	\$ 3,080,218	0.96%
DISTRIBUTED COLLECTIONS**	\$ 297,135,130		\$ 299,410,033		\$ 2,274,903	0.77%

<sup>\*</sup> Includes collections on both current support and arrears.

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

<sup>\*\*</sup> Includes collections on both current support and arrears; also includes money sent to other states.

TABLE 13
OFFICE OF CHILD
SUPPORT SERVICES

#### OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

**State Summary** 

#### TITLE IV-D PATERNITY ESTABLISHMENT REPORT

Comparison of August (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

		August 201	•	li ison or Augu	August 2012		Increase or
County Office	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	Decrease (-) from FFY 2011 to FFY 2012
Atlantic	10,890	9,844	90.4%	9,972	9,245	92.7%	2.3%
Bergen	5,622	5,270	93.7%	5,381	5,122	95.2%	1.4%
Burlington	9,988	9,028	90.4%	9,284	8,530	91.9%	1.5%
Camden	30,840	27,247	88.3%	28,615	26,079	91.1%	2.8%
Cape May	2,379	2,282	95.9%	2,269	2,158	95.1%	-0.8%
Cumberland	10,962	10,742	98.0%	10,421	10,169	97.6%	-0.4%
Essex	50,679	42,333	83.5%	47,949	40,824	85.1%	1.6%
Gloucester	7,314	6,938	94.9%	7,048	6,758	95.9%	1.0%
Hudson	23,112	18,755	81.1%	21,097	17,812	84.4%	3.3%
Hunterdon	583	550	94.3%	556	525	94.4%	0.1%
Mercer	13,591	11,883	87.4%	13,079	11,623	88.9%	1.4%
Middlesex	11,706	10,663	91.1%	11,143	10,307	92.5%	1.4%
Monmouth	9,911	8,928	90.1%	9,312	8,509	91.4%	1.3%
Morris	2,527	2,429	96.1%	2,438	2,373	97.3%	1.2%
Ocean	8,064	7,577	94.0%	7,633	7,278	95.3%	1.4%
Passaic	20,504	18,034	88.0%	19,545	17,284	88.4%	0.5%
Salem	2,938	2,667	90.8%	2,793	2,544	91.1%	0.3%
Somerset	3,450	3,004	87.1%	3,298	2,915	88.4%	1.3%
Sussex	1,188	1,144	96.3%	1,159	1,109	95.7%	-0.6%
Union	15,163	13,579	89.6%	14,507	13,057	90.0%	0.5%
Warren	1,737	1,693	97.5%	1,663	1,610	96.8%	-0.7%
Central Office **	13	9	69.2%	11	9	81.8%	12.6%
NJ TOTALS	243,161	214,599	88.3%	229,173	205,840	89.8%	1.6%

<sup>\*</sup> Information on Out of Wedlock Births obtained from NJ Bureau of Vital Statistics

<sup>\*\*</sup> Central Office represents interstate cases which are temporarily assigned to NJ Central Registry awaiting transfer to the appropriate county office for processing.

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 11 vs. FFY 12)

		August 201			August 201		Increase or
County Office	TOTAL CASES	CASES WITH ORDERS	% OF CASES WITH ORDERS	TOTAL CASES	CASES WITH ORDERS	% OF CASES WITH ORDERS	Decrease (-) from FFY 2011 to FFY 2012
Atlantic	16,866	13,322	79.0%	16,717	12,406	74.2%	-4.8%
Bergen	14,807	13,401	90.5%	15,208	13,607	89.5%	-1.0%
Burlington	18,890	15,761	83.4%	18,744	14,900	79.5%	-3.9%
Camden	43,595	32,658	74.9%	42,778	31,710	74.1%	-0.8%
Cape May	4,138	3,612	87.3%	4,213	3,549	84.2%	-3.0%
Cumberland	15,968	14,655	91.8%	15,816	13,957	88.2%	-3.5%
Essex	63,324	47,029	74.3%	63,464	43,656	68.8%	-5.5%
Gloucester	12,525	11,162	89.1%	12,675	10,911	86.1%	-3.0%
Hudson	36,897	25,774	69.9%	36,510	23,303	63.8%	-6.0%
Hunterdon	2,051	1,800	87.8%	2,043	1,777	87.0%	-0.8%
Mercer	20,917	16,779	80.2%	21,053	15,700	74.6%	-5.6%
Middlesex	22,287	19,089	85.7%	22,870	18,323	80.1%	-5.5%
Monmouth	19,515	16,759	85.9%	19,441	16,334	84.0%	-1.9%
Morris	7,159	6,612	92.4%	7,309	6,631	90.7%	-1.6%
Ocean	18,431	16,743	90.8%	18,771	16,568	88.3%	-2.6%
Passaic	29,499	22,518	76.3%	29,412	21,168	72.0%	-4.4%
Salem	5,289	4,639	87.7%	5,108	4,423	86.6%	-1.1%
Somerset	7,833	6,157	78.6%	7,965	6,137	77.0%	-1.6%
Sussex	3,462	3,104	89.7%	3,635	3,190	87.8%	-1.9%
Union	25,759	21,853	84.8%	25,728	20,574	80.0%	-4.9%
Warren	3,722	3,369	90.5%	3,756	3,327	88.6%	-1.9%
Central Office*	150	1	0.7%	126	1	0.8%	0.1%
NJ TOTALS	393,084	316,797	80.6%	393,342	302,152	76.8%	-3.8%

<sup>\*</sup> Central Office represents interstate cases which are temporarily assigned to NJ Central Registry awaiting transfer to the appropriate county office for processing.

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 11 vs. FFY 12)

	Α	ugust 2011	•	A	Increase or		
County Office	Total Current Support Due	Total Current Support Distributed	Total Collection Rate	Total Current Support Due	Total Current Support Distributed	Total Collection Rate	Decrease (-) from FFY 2011 to FFY 2012
Atlantic	\$4,525,825	\$2,967,119	65.6%	\$4,638,868	\$3,026,401	65.2%	-0.3%
Bergen	\$9,580,940	\$7,084,782	73.9%	\$10,015,829	\$7,245,771	72.3%	-1.6%
Burlington	\$7,423,158	\$5,042,058	67.9%	\$7,518,676	\$5,016,834	66.7%	-1.2%
Camden	\$9,754,595	\$5,737,874	58.8%	\$10,172,137	\$5,762,546	56.7%	-2.2%
Cape May	\$1,373,774	\$964,991	70.2%	\$1,476,083	\$998,374	67.6%	-2.6%
Cumberland	\$3,848,835	\$2,134,394	55.5%	\$4,124,918	\$2,195,629	53.2%	-2.2%
Essex	\$14,548,805	\$8,182,903	56.2%	\$15,056,935	\$8,301,314	55.1%	-1.1%
Gloucester	\$4,816,432	\$3,042,382	63.2%	\$5,077,277	\$3,069,594	60.5%	-2.7%
Hudson	\$8,757,226	\$5,689,833	65.0%	\$9,036,405	\$5,815,783	64.4%	-0.6%
Hunterdon	\$1,553,353	\$1,207,520	77.7%	\$1,614,650	\$1,316,700	81.5%	3.8%
Mercer	\$5,652,224	\$3,496,010	61.9%	\$5,663,219	\$3,442,462	60.8%	-1.1%
Middlesex	\$8,837,859	\$5,736,787	64.9%	\$9,019,835	\$5,842,207	64.8%	-0.1%
Monmouth	\$8,558,234	\$5,785,608	67.6%	\$8,947,520	\$6,083,993	68.0%	0.4%
Morris	\$5,196,796	\$3,746,604	72.1%	\$5,259,228	\$3,739,002	71.1%	-1.0%
Ocean	\$7,977,786	\$5,657,779	70.9%	\$8,521,725	\$6,040,348	70.9%	0.0%
Passaic	\$8,124,549	\$4,696,700	57.8%	\$8,092,010	\$4,681,484	57.9%	0.0%
Salem	\$1,373,695	\$872,760	63.5%	\$1,490,598	\$889,667	59.7%	-3.8%
Somerset	\$3,951,034	\$2,794,810	70.7%	\$4,170,201	\$2,939,956	70.5%	-0.2%
Sussex	\$2,142,596	\$1,576,808	73.6%	\$2,258,439	\$1,634,285	72.4%	-1.2%
Union	\$8,346,299	\$5,153,888	61.8%	\$8,571,368	\$5,327,485	62.2%	0.4%
Warren	\$1,701,290	\$1,189,556	69.9%	\$1,728,231	\$1,217,334	70.4%	0.5%
Central Office	\$0	\$0	0.0%	\$0	\$0	0.0%	0.0%
NJ TOTALS	\$128,045,305	\$82,761,167	64.6%	\$132,454,153	\$84,587,169	63.9%	-0.8%

<sup>\*</sup> Central Office represents Interstate cases which are temporarily assigned to NJ Central Registry awaiting transfer to the appropriate county office for processing.

TABLE 16
OFFICE OF CHILD
SUPPORT SERVICES

#### OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

State Summary

#### TITLE IV-D CASES WITH AN ARREARS PAYMENT

Comparison of August (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

		August 201	1		Increase or			
County Office	Total Cases with Arrears	Total	Percent of	Total	Total	Percent of	Decrease (-)	
		Cases with		Cases with  Arrears	Cases with	Cases with	from FFY	
		Arrears	Payments		Arrears	Payments	2011 to FFY	
		Payments	on Arrears		Payments	on Arrears	2012	
Atlantic	8,526	227	2.7%	8,691	2,788	32.1%	29.4%	
Bergen	9,125	239	2.6%	9,281	2,964	31.9%	29.3%	
Burlington	10,023	238	2.4%	9,996	3,130	31.3%	28.9%	
Camden	19,912	560	2.8%	19,947	5,826	29.2%	26.4%	
Cape May	2,557	76	3.0%	2,499	798	31.9%	29.0%	
Cumberland	10,078	243	2.4%	9,897	2,697	27.3%	24.8%	
Essex	31,118	593	1.9%	31,020	8,282	26.7%	24.8%	
Gloucester	7,689	187	2.4%	7,741	2,024	26.1%	23.7%	
Hudson	16,884	369	2.2%	16,721	5,089	30.4%	28.2%	
Hunterdon	1,148	41	3.6%	1,166	419	35.9%	32.4%	
Mercer	10,242	220	2.1%	10,162	3,073	30.2%	28.1%	
Middlesex	12,790	306	2.4%	12,811	3,827	29.9%	27.5%	
Monmouth	11,023	242	2.2%	11,014	3,516	31.9%	29.7%	
Morris	4,569	107	2.3%	4,591	1,370	29.8%	27.5%	
Ocean	10,995	247	2.2%	11,040	3,783	34.3%	32.0%	
Passaic	15,264	300	2.0%	14,942	3,824	25.6%	23.6%	
Salem	3,024	92	3.0%	2,953	866	29.3%	26.3%	
Somerset	4,019	115	2.9%	3,948	1,234	31.3%	28.4%	
Sussex	2,171	50	2.3%	2,209	675	30.6%	28.3%	
Union	14,593	319	2.2%	14,514	4,488	30.9%	28.7%	
Warren	2,329	52	2.2%	2,299	715	31.1%	28.9%	
Central Office*	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	
NJ TOTALS	208,079	4,823	2.3%	207,442	61,388	29.6%	27.3%	

<sup>\*</sup> Central Office represents interstate cases which are temporarily assigned to NJ Central Registry awaiting transfer to the appropriate county office for processing.

Table 17	WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY STATISTICAL SUMMARY							
WFNJ	AUGUST 2012							
	<u>EMPLOYM</u>	EMPLOYMENT DIRECTED ACTIVITIES		EMPLOYED	SUPPORT SERVICES		CLOSED	POST
COUNTY	CWEP			OPEN	ON ACTIVE CASE		FOR	ASSISTANCE
COUNTY		OTHER TRAINING	SEARCH	(WFNJ RECIPIENT)	CHILD CARE	TRAINING REL. EXPENSES	EMPLOYMENT THIS MONTH	CHILD CARE
ATLANTIC	178	151	44	297	*	308	34	*
BERGEN	234	40	109	118	*	210	20	*
BURLINGTON	373	98	47	216	*	206	18	*
CAMDEN	844	421	106	504	*	848	65	*
CAPE MAY	24	12	7	58	*	21	19	*
CUMBERLAND	195	62	64	69	*	206	18	*
ESSEX	1,228	1,169	115	887	*	1,503	121	*
GLOUCESTER	124	29	44	158	*	47	24	*
HUDSON	589	637	51	485	*	1,043	81	*
HUNTERDON	15	0	10	13	*	1	2	*
MERCER	446	189	267	278	*	287	32	*
MIDDLESEX	104	57	212	226	*	229	31	*
MONMOUTH	116	92	98	181	*	176	14	*
MORRIS	74	15	9	47	*	46	6	*
OCEAN	138	114	129	115	*	153	20	*
PASSAIC	442	391	12	242	*	302	35	*
SALEM	126	43	38	51	*	110	9	*
SOMERSET	82	25	27	72	*	74	9	*
SUSSEX	44	0	23	22	*	55	0	*
UNION	468	115	80	183	*	297	18	*
WARREN	15	10	16	48	*	7	3	*
STATE	5,859	3,670	1,508	4,270	NA	6,129	579	NA

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

<sup>\*</sup> The RM703 FAMIS Report no longer produces data for Child Care. The new report with Child Care data will be available at a later date.

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#### **ACRONYMS**

**CASS**: Consolidated Assistance and Support System

**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 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 2012

#### **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 # FM463.

**Post TANF and Receiving Child Care -** Persons no longer in receipt of TANF but still receiving child care. From Issuance Disbursement Summary (OMEGA report # RM703).