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FEBRUARY 2012**

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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 & Statistics.

WFNJ/TANF

- As of the end of February, the TANF caseload had increased by 20 cases, from 40,609 in February 2011 to 40,629 in February 2012.
- The counties with the highest family caseload percentage increase since February 2011 include Passaic (17.8%), Hunterdon (13.4%), and Warren (12.1%).
- The counties with caseloads that decreased since February 2011 were Middlesex (-7.6%), Monmouth (-9.1%), and Cumberland (-13.2%).
- Of the WFNJ/TANF cases, 8,980 or 21.9% were child-only in February 2012.
- The counties with the most child-only cases were Essex (1,444), Hudson (1,133), and Camden (1,144).
- Essex (21,317), Passaic (12,728), and Camden (11,893) counties had the greatest number of persons receiving TANF in February 2012.

NJ SNAP (formerly FOOD STAMPS)

- In February 2012, there were 395,214 households receiving NJ SNAP benefits. The number of NJ SNAP households increased by 39,451, or 11.1%, since February 2011.
- There were 796,093 persons receiving NJ SNAP benefits as of February 2012, an increase of 72,206 or 10.0% since February 2011.
- The three counties having the highest caseload increase since February 2011 are Camden (16.4%), Mercer (15.1%), and Middlesex (14.6%).

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

- There were 6,797 families receiving Emergency Assistance (EA) in February 2012, an increase of 577 or 9.3% since February 2011.
- In February 2012, EA payments were made for 1,435 SSI recipients.

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GENERAL ASSISTANCE

GA Emergency Assistance

- There were 6,787 Emergency Assistance payments made to GA cases in February 2012, a decrease of 1,219 or 15.2% since February 2011.
- The three counties that show an annual percent increase in emergency assistance payments are Mercer (17.3%), Passaic (10.4%), and Union (1.3%).

GA Program

- The total numbers of cases receiving GA has decreased from 55,023 to 44,147 since February 2011, a decrease of 19.8%.
- There were 31,128 Employable GA and 13,019 Unemployable GA cases in February 2012.
- In February 2012, GA cases showed a 0.2 percent decrease since January 2012.

CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES (Quarterly Report)

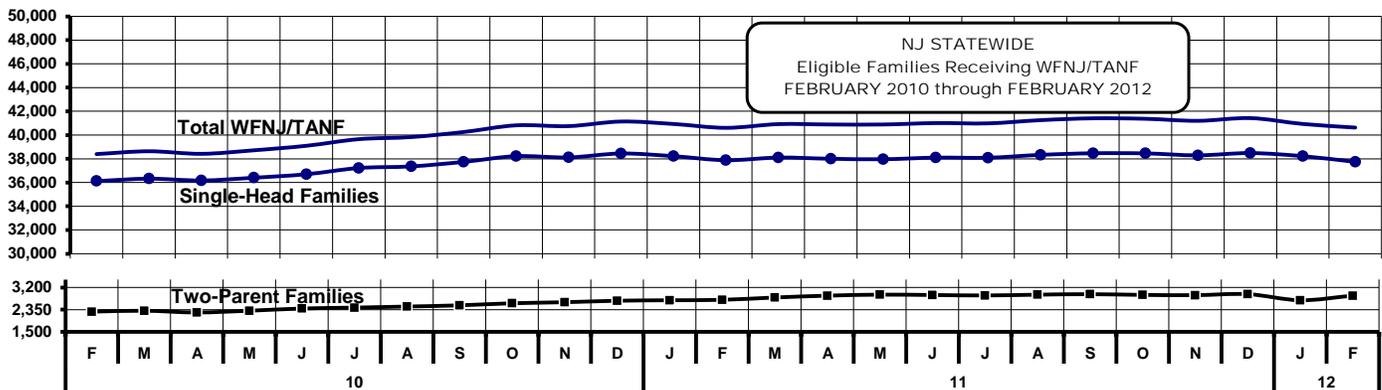
- The total collection for the Child Support Services Program was about \$308 million from October 2011 to December 2011, an increase of 2.4 percent over the same period for FFY 2011.
- Total distributions increased over 1.8% from December 2010.

WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY (WFNJ)

- During the report month of February 2012, there were 3,386 families in which at least one member was employed and an additional 610 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 (710), Hudson (413), and Camden (395).

TABLE 1: WFNJ/TANF PROGRAM
 STATEWIDE NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS DURING FEBRUARY 2012;
 NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES & PERSONS RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF FOR FEBRUARY 2012

		FEBRUARY 2010 THROUGH FEBRUARY 2012										
		Cases Added	Cases Closed	Child-Only Cases ‡	Total Singl-Head Families	2- Parent Families	Total WFNJ/TANF Families	%CHNG (1 Yr.)	Total Persons	%CHNG (1 Yr.)	Adults	Children
2010	FEB	2,784	3,386	10,335	36,123	2,275	38,398	2.9	96,930	2.3	30,338	66,592
	MAR	2,927	2,690	10,505	36,324	2,311	38,635	4.3	97,171	3.6	30,441	66,730
	APR	3,024	3,241	10,460	36,173	2,245	38,418	5.2	96,580	4.5	30,203	66,377
	MAY	3,391	3,093	10,376	36,405	2,311	38,716	5.8	97,692	5.4	30,651	67,041
	JUN	3,423	3,043	10,268	36,700	2,396	39,096	6.9	98,856	7.0	31,224	67,632
	JUL	3,619	3,061	10,130	37,224	2,430	39,654	7.7	100,433	7.8	31,954	68,479
	AUG	3,361	3,184	9,999	37,360	2,471	39,831	8.4	101,085	8.8	32,303	68,782
	SEP	3,695	3,269	9,822	37,740	2,517	40,257	8.5	102,632	9.6	32,952	69,680
	OCT	3,786	3,224	9,849	38,222	2,597	40,819	7.1	104,258	7.9	33,567	70,691
	NOV	3,077	3,144	9,738	38,116	2,636	40,752	5.0	104,191	5.8	33,650	70,541
	DEC	3,383	2,995	9,769	38,447	2,693	41,140	4.9	105,202	5.8	34,064	71,138
	2010 AVERAGE		3,315	3,121	10,114	37,167	2,444	39,611		100,457		31,941
2011	JAN	3,035	3,241	9,775	38,222	2,712	40,934	5.0	104,733	6.1	33,871	70,862
	FEB	3,146	3,471	9,807	37,881	2,728	40,609	5.8	103,844	7.1	33,530	70,314
	MAR	3,400	3,088	9,763	38,104	2,817	40,921	5.9	104,834	7.9	33,975	70,859
	APR	3,483	3,514	9,686	38,003	2,887	40,890	6.4	104,822	8.5	34,091	70,731
	MAY	3,206	3,206	9,624	37,964	2,926	40,890	5.6	105,004	7.5	34,192	70,812
	JUN	3,390	3,270	9,539	38,098	2,912	41,010	4.9	105,214	6.4	34,383	70,831
	JUL	3,553	3,577	9,359	38,091	2,895	40,986	3.4	105,362	4.9	34,522	70,840
	AUG	3,545	3,275	9,197	38,331	2,925	41,256	3.6	106,463	5.3	34,984	71,479
	SEP	3,560	3,405	9,111	38,467	2,944	41,411	2.9	106,972	4.2	35,244	71,728
	OCT	3,245	3,285	9,073	38,455	2,916	41,371	1.4	106,857	2.5	35,214	71,643
	NOV	3,272	3,444	8,977	38,293	2,906	41,199	1.1	106,645	2.4	35,128	71,517
	DEC	3,482	3,253	9,065	38,483	2,945	41,428	0.7	107,054	1.8	35,308	71,746
2011 AVERAGE		3,360	3,336	9,415	38,199	2,876	41,075		105,650		34,537	71,114
2012	JAN	3,214	3,706	8,980	38,030	2,906	40,936	0.0	105,725	0.9	34,862	70,863
	FEB	2,922	3,229	8,980	37,741	2,888	40,629	0.0	104,704	0.8	34,537	70,167
2012 AVG to date		3,068	3,468	8,980	37,886	2,897	40,783		105,215		34,700	70,515



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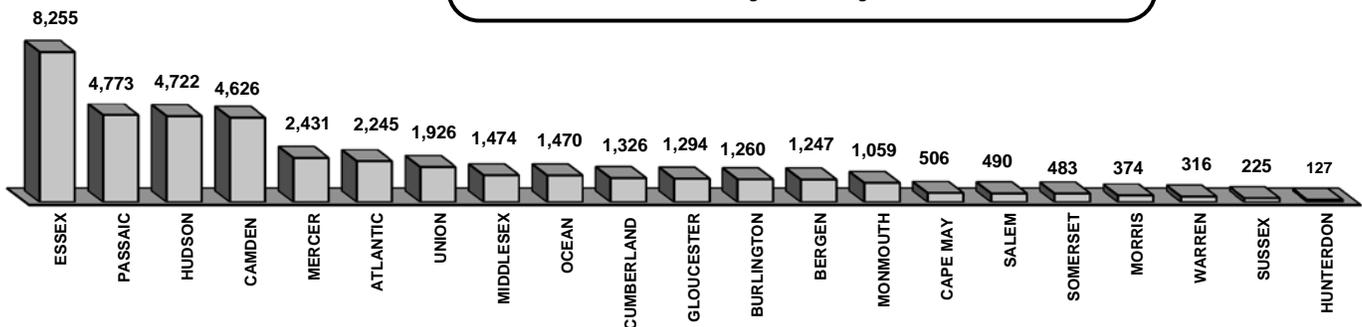
‡ Child-only cases are defined as families in which no eligible adult receives TANF program benefits, yet the family continues to be headed by at least one of the biological parents, or grandparents, or other appropriate adult.

Table 2
WFNJ/TANF
PROGRAM

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

County	Cases Added	Cases Closed**	Child-		Total		Total		
			Only Cases ‡	1-Adult Cases	Singl-Head Families	2-Parent Families	WFNJ/TANF Families	% Chng (3 Mon)	% Chng (1 Yr)
ATLANTIC	113	148	522	1,525	2,047	198	2,245	(2.6)	1.7
BERGEN	68	79	213	908	1,121	126	1,247	(3.0)	(6.1)
BURLINGTON	85	113	310	836	1,146	114	1,260	(4.9)	2.8
CAMDEN	262	340	1,144	3,233	4,377	249	4,626	(2.2)	4.7
CAPE MAY	46	43	122	326	448	58	506	0.4	0.4
CUMBERLAND	135	118	452	764	1,216	110	1,326	2.1	(13.2) *
ESSEX	790	864	1,444	6,347	7,791	464	8,255	(3.1)	(3.0)
GLOUCESTER	105	95	226	926	1,152	142	1,294	(2.9)	2.3
HUDSON	303	416	1,133	3,298	4,431	291	4,722	(3.2)	(2.9)
HUNTERDON	20	17	21	96	117	10	127	(3.8)	13.4 Δ
MERCER	156	178	543	1,755	2,298	133	2,431	(0.2)	(5.3)
MIDDLESEX	104	144	554	847	1,401	73	1,474	(2.4)	(7.6) *
MONMOUTH	76	94	282	717	999	60	1,059	(2.5)	(9.1) *
MORRIS	35	27	99	222	321	53	374	5.9	4.5
OCEAN	111	86	338	935	1,273	197	1,470	0.2	8.2
PASSAIC	207	126	777	3,616	4,393	380	4,773	1.8	17.8 Δ
SALEM	54	59	104	342	446	44	490	(0.8)	(4.5)
SOMERSET	28	48	130	323	453	30	483	(6.4)	2.8
SUSSEX	30	31	41	155	196	29	225	(2.6)	1.8
UNION	169	174	474	1,358	1,832	94	1,926	(4.3)	(6.9)
WARREN	25	29	51	232	283	33	316	(3.4)	12.1 Δ
NJ TOTAL	2,922	3,229	8,980	28,761	37,741	2,888	40,629	(1.9)	0.0

Total WFNJ/TANF Families
FEBRUARY 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

** "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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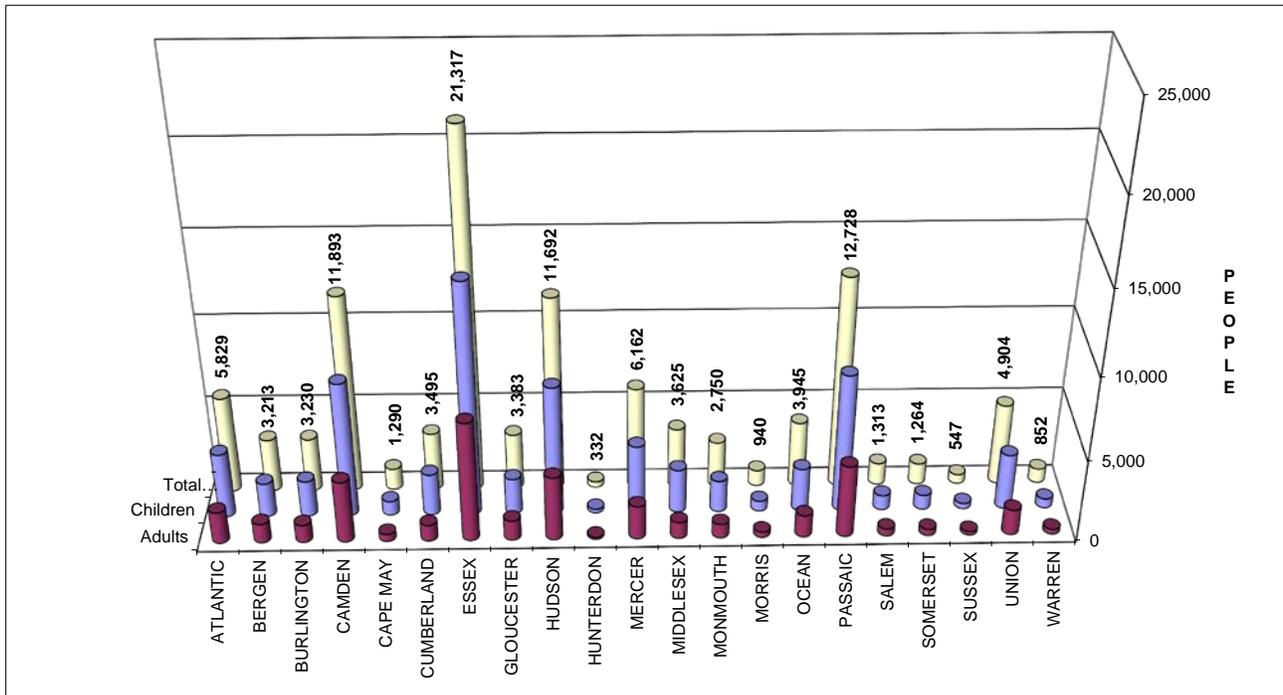
Table 2B
WFNJ/TANF
PROGRAM

**NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING PERSONS, ADULTS, AND CHILDREN
BY COUNTY FOR FEBRUARY 2012**

Δ= ↑ Caseload %
*= ↓ Caseload %

PERSONS

County	Adults	Children	Child/Adult Ratio	Total Persons	% Chng (1 Yr)	Persons Per Case
ATLANTIC	1,921	3,908	2.03	5,829	1.7	2.60
BERGEN	1,160	2,053	1.77	3,213	(4.7)	2.58
BURLINGTON	1,064	2,166	2.04	3,230	3.4	2.56
CAMDEN	3,731	8,162	2.19	11,893	4.7	2.57
CAPE MAY	442	848	1.92	1,290	(2.3)	2.55
CUMBERLAND	984	2,511	2.55	3,495	(12.0) *	2.64
ESSEX	7,275	14,042	1.93	21,317	(2.8)	2.58
GLOUCESTER	1,210	2,173	1.80	3,383	1.0	2.61
HUDSON	3,880	7,812	2.01	11,692	(1.5)	2.48
HUNTERDON	116	216	1.86	332	9.6	2.61
MERCER	2,021	4,141	2.05	6,162	(5.4)	2.53
MIDDLESEX	993	2,632	2.65	3,625	(7.2) *	2.46
MONMOUTH	837	1,913	2.29	2,750	(9.2) *	2.60
MORRIS	328	612	1.87	940	7.9	2.51
OCEAN	1,329	2,616	1.97	3,945	10.0 Δ	2.68
PASSAIC	4,376	8,352	1.91	12,728	20.1 Δ	2.67
SALEM	430	883	2.05	1,313	(3.5)	2.68
SOMERSET	383	881	2.30	1,264	3.2	2.62
SUSSEX	213	334	1.57	547	2.4	2.43
UNION	1,546	3,358	2.17	4,904	(4.4)	2.55
WARREN	298	554	1.86	852	11.4 Δ	2.70
NJ TOTAL	34,537	70,167	2.03	104,704	0.8	2.58



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TABLE 3

Work Participation Rates Achieved Over 12 Month Period
Ending With FEBRUARY 2012

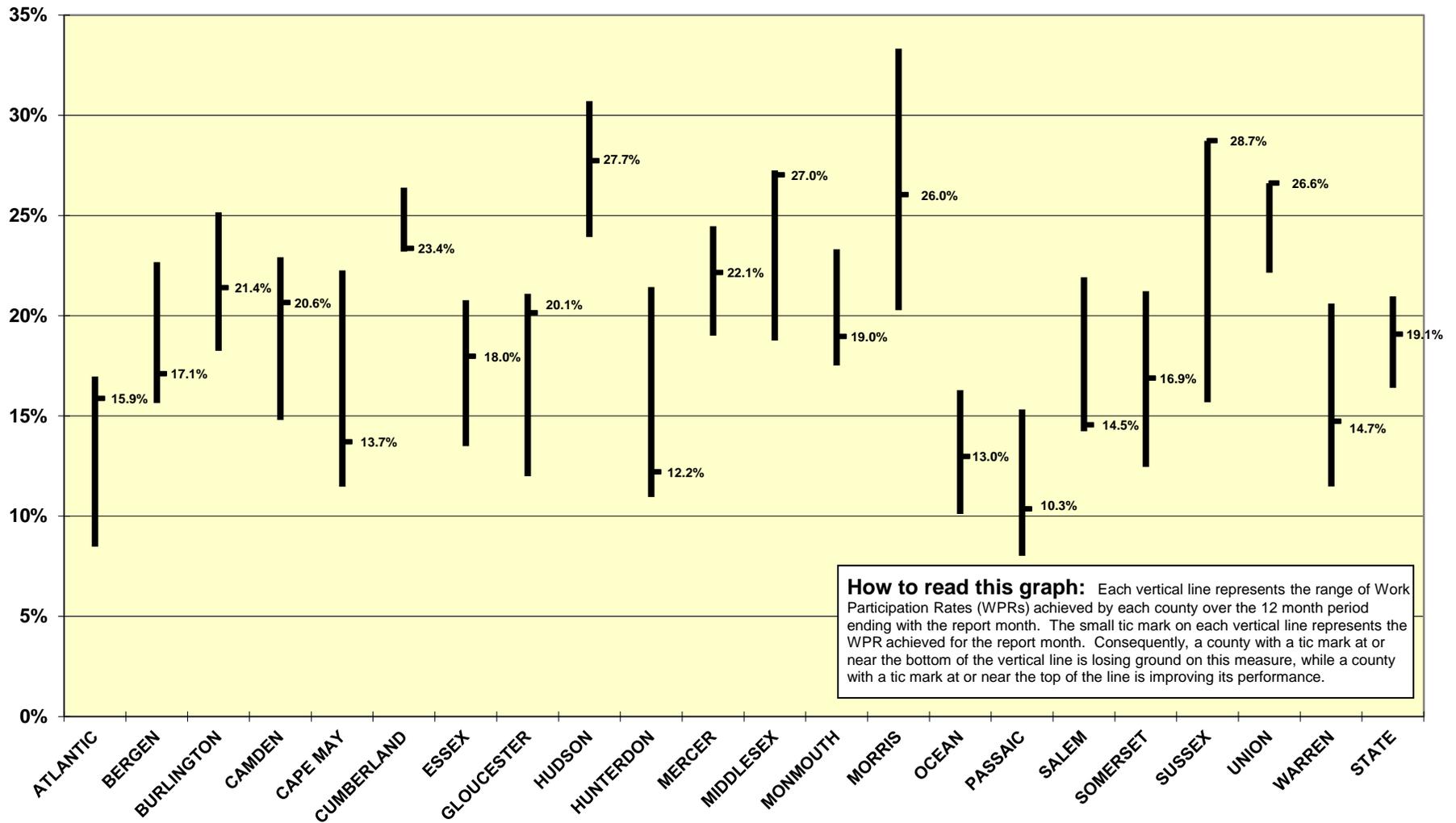
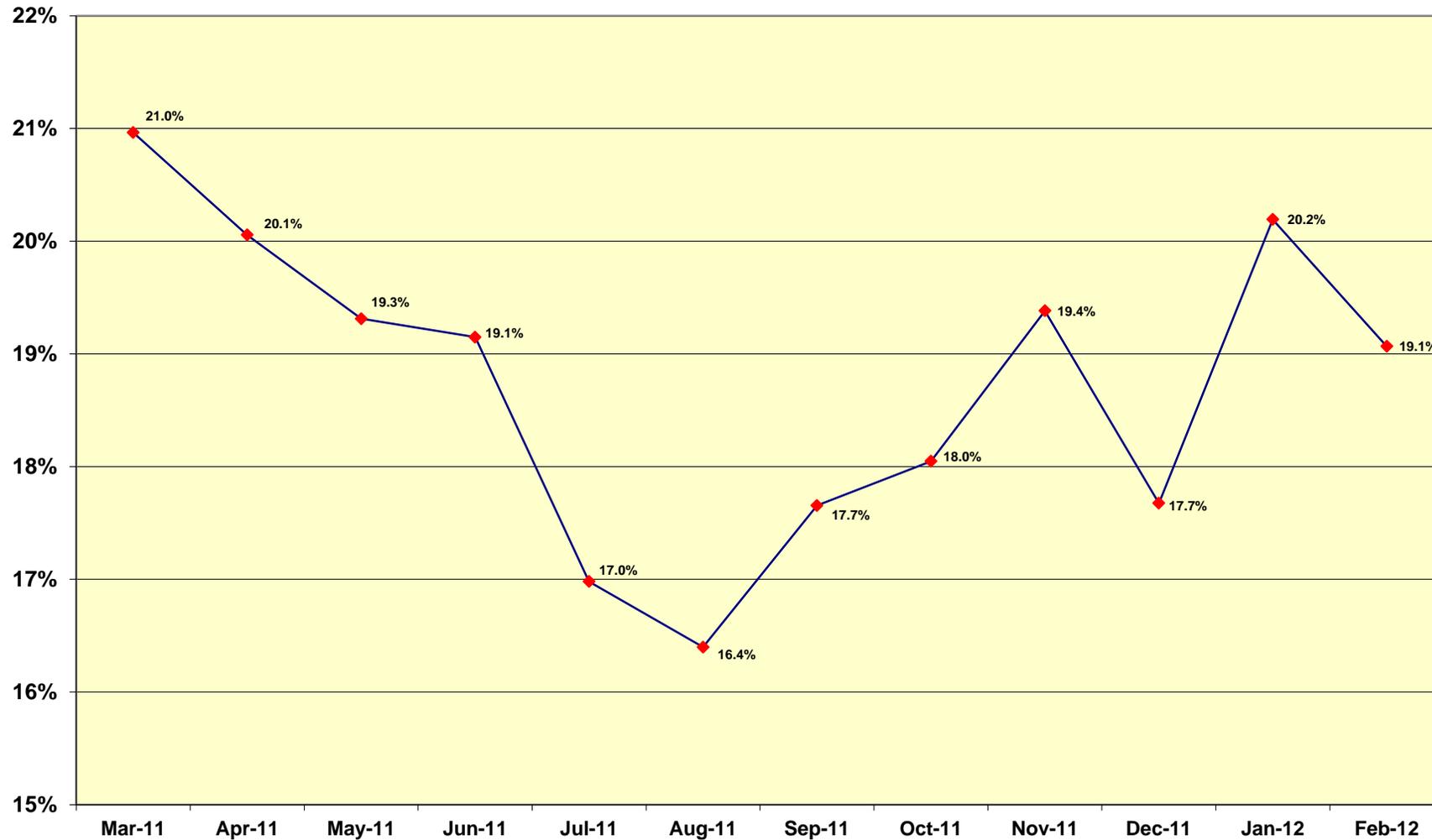


TABLE 4

**WFNJ/TANF Work Participation Rates
for 12-Month Period Ending with FEBRUARY 2012
Statewide**



* The Work Participation rate measures the number of countable Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) participants based on a 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)

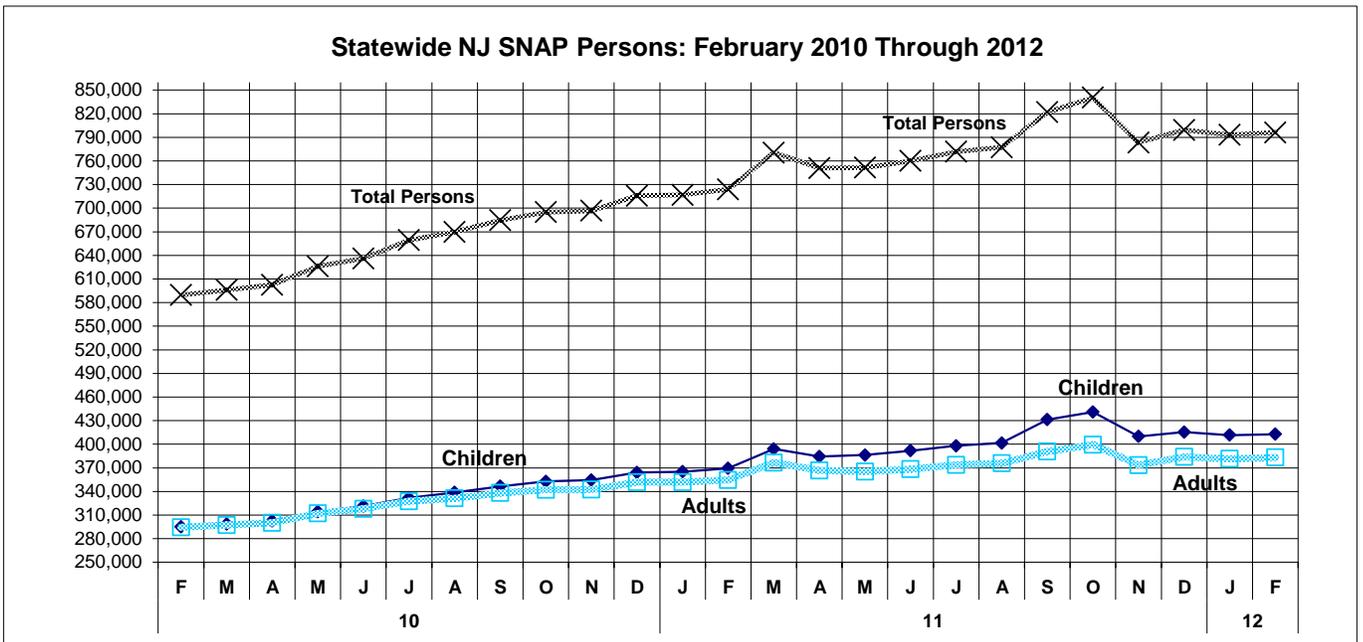
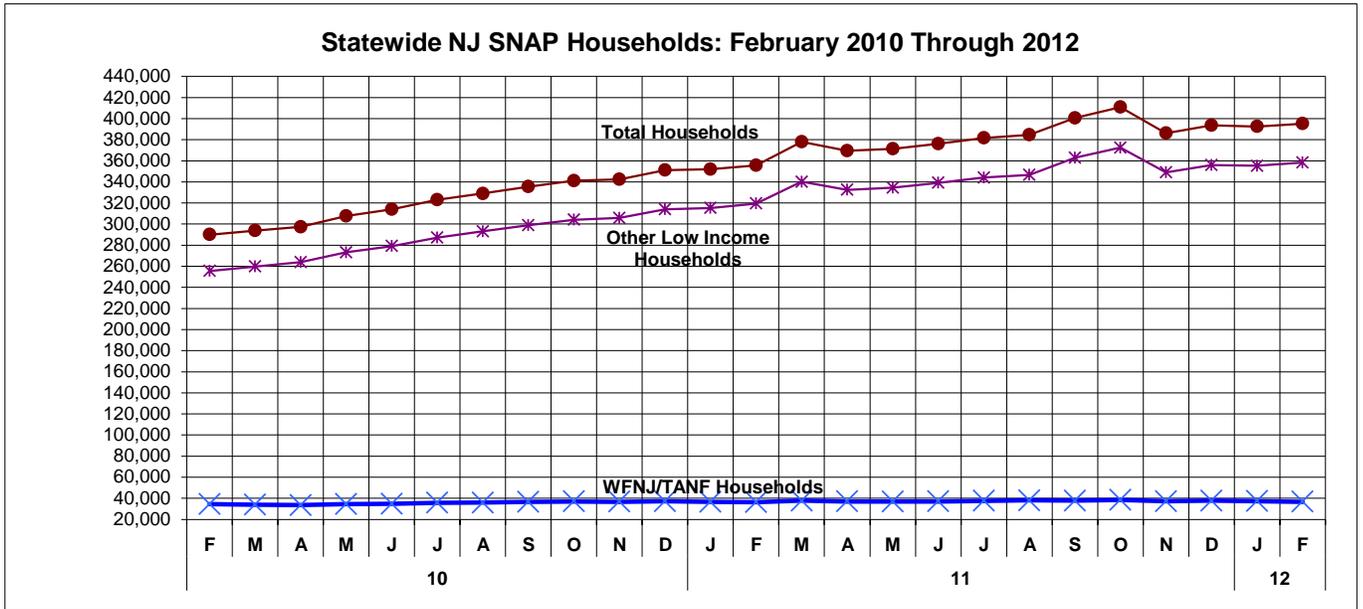
**NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS
AND CHILDREN FOR FEBRUARY 2012 (STATEWIDE)**

FEBRUARY 2010 THROUGH FEBRUARY 2012

		HOUSEHOLDS				PERSONS			
		WFNJ/ TANF	Other low income	TOTAL	% CHNG (1 Yr.)	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% CHNG (1 Yr.)
2010	FEB	34,377	255,624	290,001	23.6%	295,116	294,430	589,546	22.6%
	MAR	34,054	259,820	293,874	22.7%	298,683	297,304	595,987	21.7%
	APR	33,483	263,828	297,311	23.7%	302,558	300,046	602,604	23.0%
	MAY	34,487	273,251	307,738	25.2%	314,097	312,001	626,098	24.6%
	JUN	34,818	279,110	313,928	26.2%	321,192	317,819	639,011	26.0%
	JUL	35,718	287,226	322,944	28.4%	331,620	327,591	659,211	28.7%
	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%
	OCT	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		35,486	284,983	320,469		329,055	323,146	652,201
2011	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%
	OCT	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	
2012	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%
2012 AVG to date		37,011	356,867	393,878		412,231	382,367	794,598	

Data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse.

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



Data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse.

* 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.

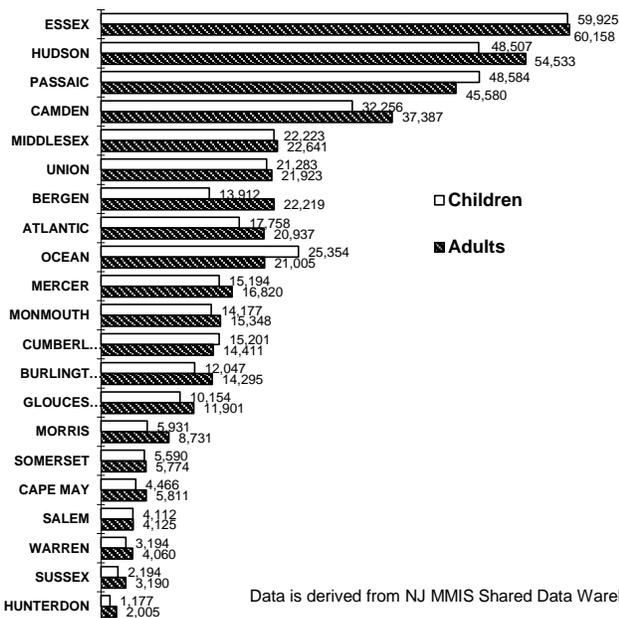
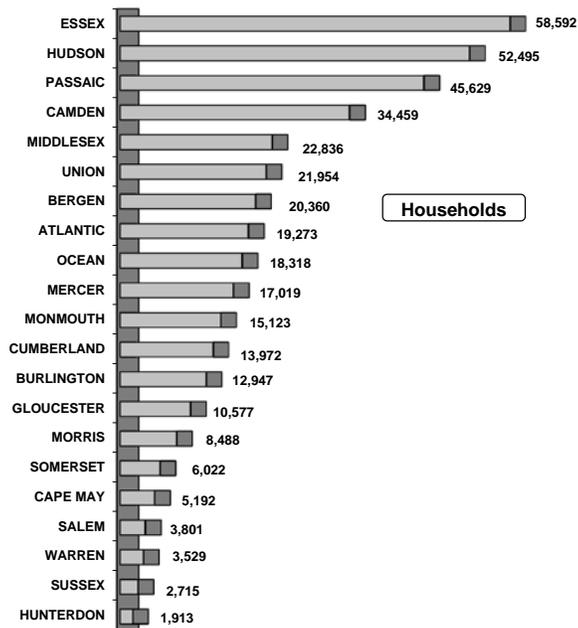
Table 7
NJ SNAP

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

County	HOUSEHOLDS				PERSONS			
	WFNJ/ TANF	Other low income	TOTAL	% Chng (1 Yr)	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% Chng (1 Yr)
ATLANTIC	2,010	17,263	19,273	13.7	20,937	17,758	38,695	13.3 Δ
BERGEN	1,119	19,241	20,360	9.5	22,219	13,912	36,131	8.1
BURLINGTON	1,180	11,767	12,947	14.3	14,295	12,047	26,342	14.1 Δ
CAMDEN	4,078	30,381	34,459	16.4 Δ	37,387	32,256	69,643	13.1 Δ
CAPE MAY	449	4,743	5,192	9.3	5,811	4,466	10,277	9.0
CUMBERLAND	1,250	12,722	13,972	4.9 *	14,411	15,201	29,612	4.9 *
ESSEX	7,764	50,828	58,592	5.7 *	60,158	59,925	120,083	6.3
GLOUCESTER	1,108	9,469	10,577	12.2	11,901	10,154	22,055	10.3
HUDSON	4,417	48,078	52,495	11.9	54,533	48,507	103,040	11.3
HUNTERDON	107	1,806	1,913	14.4	2,005	1,177	3,182	10.7
MERCER	2,191	14,828	17,019	15.1 Δ	16,820	15,194	32,014	12.2
MIDDLESEX	1,332	21,504	22,836	14.6 Δ	22,641	22,223	44,864	12.0
MONMOUTH	948	14,175	15,123	13.7	15,348	14,177	29,525	12.4
MORRIS	328	8,160	8,488	11.3	8,731	5,931	14,662	10.9
OCEAN	1,227	17,091	18,318	0.5 *	21,005	25,354	46,359	0.5 *
PASSAIC	4,342	41,287	45,629	14.0	45,580	48,584	94,164	13.1
SALEM	404	3,397	3,801	6.8	4,125	4,112	8,237	4.3 *
SOMERSET	413	5,609	6,022	13.7	5,774	5,590	11,364	12.5
SUSSEX	183	2,532	2,715	13.1	3,190	2,194	5,384	10.2
UNION	1,619	20,335	21,954	13.3	21,923	21,283	43,206	11.9
WARREN	271	3,258	3,529	10.1	4,060	3,194	7,254	9.1
NJ TOTAL	36,740	358,474	395,214	11.1	412,854	383,239	796,093	10.0

Δ= ↑ Caseload %
*= ↓ Caseload %

Total NJ SNAP Recipients
FEBRUARY 2012 By County



Data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse

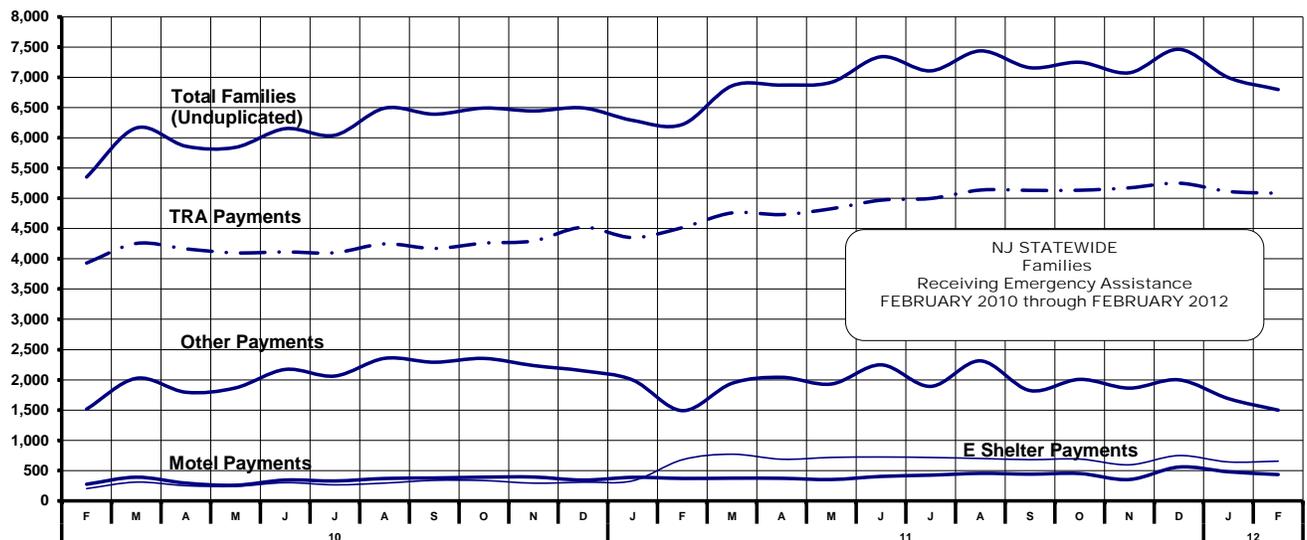
Table 8

TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (STATEWIDE)

FEBRUARY 2010 THROUGH FEBRUARY 2012 - STATEWIDE

	TOTAL WFNJ/EA		Temp Rent Asst.		Motel Housing		Shelter/Transitional Housing		Other EA	
	Families (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)
2010: FEB	5,351	11.2%	3,930	28.6%	275	-19.6%	203	-20.1%	1,516	-11.3%
MAR	6,162	19.2%	4,254	31.9%	391	14.3%	310	13.1%	2,025	1.1%
APR	5,860	17.0%	4,164	33.3%	293	-6.1%	251	-2.7%	1,795	-5.9%
MAY	5,842	17.1%	4,098	29.5%	259	-17.3%	240	-4.4%	1,867	1.5%
JUN	6,151	15.9%	4,114	24.1%	344	8.5%	301	16.7%	2,172	8.4%
JUL	6,042	11.2%	4,101	23.5%	329	12.3%	265	-8.0%	2,063	-6.7%
AUG	6,489	22.3%	4,247	24.3%	370	18.2%	294	5.0%	2,355	25.2%
SEP	6,390	17.0%	4,171	23.0%	378	18.1%	339	7.3%	2,291	11.3%
OCT	6,491	12.6%	4,259	19.5%	392	22.9%	336	10.5%	2,354	3.0%
NOV	6,443	16.6%	4,296	18.0%	394	20.9%	293	-3.9%	2,236	18.1%
DEC	6,493	7.4%	4,521	14.0%	344	-16.3%	309	4.4%	2,149	-2.2%
2010 AVERAGE	6,156		4,196		343		286		2,075	
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%	1,491*	-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%
MAY	6,917	18.4%	4,827	17.8%	353	36.3%	718	199.2%	1,931	3.4%
JUN	7,339	19.3%	4,969	20.8%	404	17.4%	725	140.9%	2,248	3.5%
JUL	7,106	17.6%	4,997	21.8%	425	29.2%	717	170.6%	1,892	-8.3%
AUG	7,436	14.6%	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%
2012 AVG to date	6,896		5,098		458		650		1,594	



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

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

Table 9
EMERGENCY
ASSISTANCE
(BY COUNTY)

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

County	TOTAL WFNJ/EA Families (Undupl)	% CHNG From Feb 11	Temp Rent Asst. Payments (Undupl)	Motel Housing Payments (Undupl)	Shelter/Transitional Housing Payments (Undupl)	Other WFNJ/EA Payments (Undupl)	SSI Recipients Receiving EA**
ATLANTIC	333	-0.9%	274	39	5	41	69
BERGEN	466	20.7%	406	3	38	57	74
BURLINGTON	264	0.4%	135	26	93	93	101
CAMDEN	341	-7.8%	210	48	37	121	67
CAPE MAY	145	-9.4% *	89	49	6	20	89
CUMBERLAND	35	2.9%	14	4	6	12	12
ESSEX	1,530	-8.0%	1,229	1	179	288	122
GLOUCESTER	121	-9.0%	89	20	11	24	26
HUDSON	451	19.0%	370	15	16	74	9
HUNTERDON	66	46.7% Δ	59	2	2	18	42
MERCER	628	7.5%	422	26	70	205	249
MIDDLESEX	174	-8.4%	54	56	38	42	82
MONMOUTH	88	63.0% Δ	11	32	41	8	21
MORRIS	82	18.8%	67	4	5	16	12
OCEAN	353	27.4%	274	57	0	121	109
PASSAIC	1,002	61.6% Δ	833	17	42	203	141
SALEM	13	-65.8% *	6	1	3	5	5
SOMERSET	159	14.4%	99	16	22	55	123
SUSSEX	72	-20.0% *	57	1	7	18	28
UNION	395	23.4%	318	13	34	67	50
WARREN	79	12.9%	67	5	1	11	4
NJ TOTAL	6,797	9.3%	5,083	435	656	1,499	1,435

Δ = ↑ Caseload %

* = ↓ Caseload %

**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.

**Number WFNJ Families Receiving EA by County
FEBRUARY 2012**

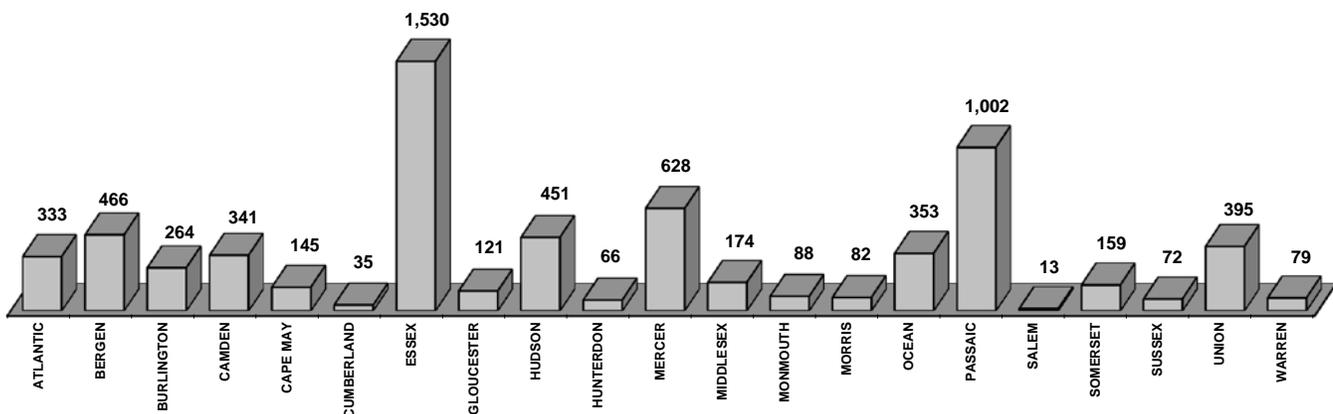
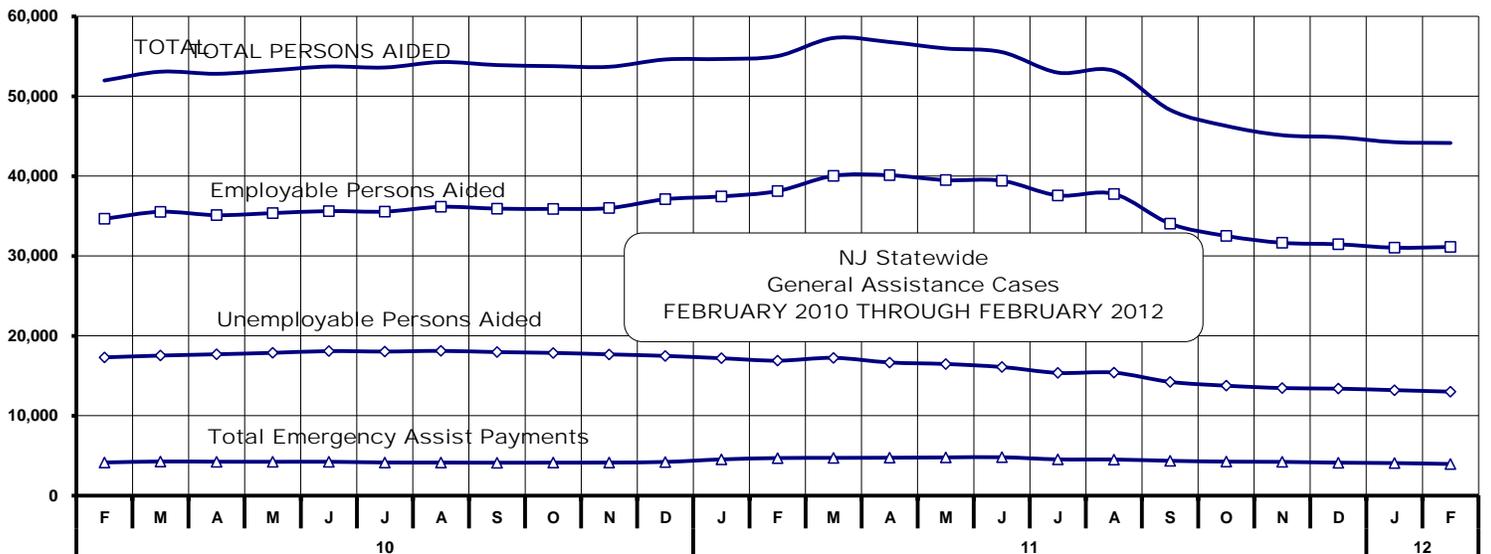


Table 10 **NUMBER OF EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS**
GENERAL AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR FEBRUARY 2012 - STATEWIDE
PROGRAM FEBRUARY 2010 THROUGH FEBRUARY 2012

	<u>Total Cases</u>						<u>Emergency Assistance Cases</u>			
	Employable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Unemployable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)	Temporary Rental Assistance	Other GA-EA	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)
2010										
FEB	34,659	23.2%	17,312	-0.2%	51,971	14.3%	4,155	3,755	7,910	10.8%
MAR	35,534	22.8%	17,537	0.6%	53,071	14.4%	4,280	4,845	9,125	14.0%
APR	35,109	18.8%	17,698	1.4%	52,807	12.3%	4,253	3,996	8,249	4.0%
MAY	35,368	18.4%	17,878	2.4%	53,246	12.5%	4,242	4,447	8,689	5.9%
JUN	35,625	19.5%	18,095	5.1%	53,720	14.2%	4,245	4,435	8,680	9.4%
JUL	35,559	16.6%	18,038	4.9%	53,597	12.4%	4,155	4,208	8,363	1.0%
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	35,722		17,791		53,513		4,192	4,224	8,416	
2011										
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	
2012										
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%
2012 AVG to date	31,084		13,114		44,198		4,025	2,873	6,897	



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**

FEBRUARY 2012

County	Total Cases						Emergency Assistance Cases			
	Employable	% Chng (From Feb 11)	Unemployable	% Chng (From Feb 11)	Total	% Chng (From Feb 11)	Temporary Rental Assist.	Other GA-EA	Total	% Chng (From Feb 11)
ATLANTIC	2,026	-15.4%	409	-48.7%	2,435	-23.7%	218	50	268	-24.1%
BERGEN	951	-9.0%	654	-12.7%	1,605	-10.5%	429	85	514	-3.6%
BURLINGTON	1,410	-11.4%	395	-37.2%	1,805	-18.7%	93	232	325	-44.6% *
CAMDEN	4,030	-4.8%	1,867	-18.5%	5,897	-9.6% Δ	247	144	391	-11.1%
CAPE MAY	763	-24.3%	138	-14.8%	901	-23.0%	205	268	473	0.4%
CUMBERLAND	1,675	-20.2%	554	-18.6%	2,229	-19.8%	12	65	77	0.0%
ESSEX	4,542	-33.8%	1,194	-35.8%	5,736	-34.2% *	308	481	789	-41.7%
GLOUCESTER	1,395	2.0%	404	-26.5%	1,799	-6.2% Δ	67	80	147	-42.4% *
HUDSON	2,786	-34.2%	1,540	-19.6%	4,326	-29.7%	153	59	212	-8.6%
HUNTERDON	186	-3.6%	185	-19.6%	371	-12.3%	143	83	226	-8.1%
MERCER	1,985	-2.4%	742	-22.9%	2,727	-9.0% Δ	301	256	557	17.3% Δ
MIDDLESEX	645	-18.8%	541	-23.7%	1,186	-21.1%	145	157	302	-9.6%
MONMOUTH	677	-24.3%	328	-30.1%	1,005	-26.3%	40	125	165	-15.8%
MORRIS	508	-18.8%	384	-20.5%	892	-19.6%	169	54	223	-22.8%
OCEAN	1,857	-4.7%	795	-20.5%	2,652	-10.1%	285	151	436	-6.4%
PASSAIC	3,134	-16.2%	1,325	-5.0%	4,459	-13.2%	672	123	795	10.4% Δ
SALEM	210	-40.8%	102	-35.4%	312	-39.2% *	19	23	42	-48.8% *
SOMERSET	263	-16.8%	175	-34.9%	438	-25.1%	81	41	122	-9.6%
SUSSEX	164	-21.2%	96	-41.1%	260	-29.9% *	34	56	90	-15.9%
UNION	1,668	-11.2%	1,066	-14.0%	2,734	-12.3%	311	245	556	1.3% Δ
WARREN	253	-15.7%	125	-32.4%	378	-22.1%	36	41	77	-26.7%
NJ TOTAL	31,128	-18.4%	13,019	-23.0%	44,147	-19.8%	3,968	2,819	6,787	-15.2%

Δ = ↑ Caseload %

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Source: NJ Division of Family Development, GA Fiscal Unit

TABLE 12

OFFICE OF CHILD
SUPPORT SERVICES

OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

State Summary

TITLE IV-D SOURCE COLLECTION REPORT

Comparison of Quarter-1 (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

COLLECTION SOURCE	TOTAL 10/1/2010- 12/31/2010	% OF TOTAL COLLECTION	TOTAL 10/1/2011- 12/31/2011	% OF TOTAL COLLECTION	DOLLAR CHANGE	% CHANGE
FEDERAL TAX	\$ 1,820,414	0.61%	\$ 3,790,081	1.23%	\$ 1,969,667	108.20%
STATE TAX	\$ 208,507	0.07%	\$ 263,929	0.09%	\$ 55,422	26.58%
UIB	\$ 27,172,463	9.04%	\$ 21,365,087	6.94%	\$ (5,807,376)	-21.37%
INC WITHHOLD	\$ 200,828,472	66.79%	\$ 207,710,849	67.47%	\$ 6,882,377	3.43%
FROM OTHER STATES	\$ 11,821,479	3.93%	\$ 11,734,331	3.81%	\$ (87,148)	-0.74%
OTHER	\$ 58,839,197	19.57%	\$ 62,980,404	20.46%	\$ 4,141,207	7.04%
TOTAL COLLECTIONS*	\$ 300,690,532	100%	\$ 307,844,681	100%	\$ 7,154,149	2.38%
DISTRIBUTED COLLECTIONS**	\$ 280,098,459		\$285,218,145		\$ 5,119,686	1.83%

* 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 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.

TABLE 13

OFFICE OF CHILD
SUPPORT SERVICES**OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES**

State Summary

TITLE IV-D PATERNITY ESTABLISHMENT REPORT

Comparison of February (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

County Office	February 2011			February 2012			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2011 to FFY 2012
	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	11,250	10,152	90.2%	10,435	9,583	91.8%	1.6%
Bergen	5,783	5,399	93.4%	5,534	5,216	94.3%	0.9%
Burlington	10,300	9,261	89.9%	9,723	8,836	90.9%	1.0%
Camden	31,676	27,934	88.2%	30,166	26,796	88.8%	0.6%
Cape May	2,440	2,344	96.1%	2,340	2,253	96.3%	0.2%
Cumberland	11,720	11,549	98.5%	10,693	10,487	98.1%	-0.5%
Essex	51,845	42,930	82.8%	49,522	41,792	84.4%	1.6%
Gloucester	7,428	7,049	94.9%	7,233	6,879	95.1%	0.2%
Hudson	23,736	18,972	79.9%	22,421	18,450	82.3%	2.4%
Hunterdon	604	562	93.0%	562	525	93.4%	0.4%
Mercer	13,833	12,085	87.4%	13,436	11,792	87.8%	0.4%
Middlesex	11,847	10,760	90.8%	11,528	10,587	91.8%	1.0%
Monmouth	10,154	9,066	89.3%	9,625	8,729	90.7%	1.4%
Morris	2,557	2,437	95.3%	2,505	2,409	96.2%	0.9%
Ocean	8,295	7,732	93.2%	7,821	7,384	94.4%	1.2%
Passaic	20,631	18,211	88.3%	20,406	17,966	88.0%	-0.2%
Salem	3,026	2,703	89.3%	2,793	2,539	90.9%	1.6%
Somerset	3,473	3,037	87.4%	3,388	2,998	88.5%	1.0%
Sussex	1,213	1,170	96.5%	1,179	1,137	96.4%	0.0%
Union	15,772	13,943	88.4%	14,900	13,386	89.8%	1.4%
Warren	1,776	1,733	97.6%	1,699	1,651	97.2%	-0.4%
Central Office **	12	8	66.7%	12	8	66.7%	0.0%
NJ TOTALS	249,371	219,037	87.8%	237,921	211,403	88.9%	1.0%

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

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

** 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 February (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

County Office	February 2011			February 2012			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2011 to FFY
	TOTAL CASES	CASES WITH ORDERS	% OF CASES WITH ORDERS	TOTAL CASES	CASES WITH ORDERS	% OF CASES WITH ORDERS	
Atlantic	16,416	12,917	78.7%	16,958	12,355	72.9%	-5.8%
Bergen	14,603	13,165	90.2%	15,031	13,489	89.7%	-0.4%
Burlington	18,905	15,785	83.5%	19,039	15,196	79.8%	-3.7%
Camden	43,555	32,594	74.8%	43,556	31,984	73.4%	-1.4%
Cape May	4,074	3,544	87.0%	4,211	3,570	84.8%	-2.2%
Cumberland	15,733	14,579	92.7%	16,040	13,957	87.0%	-5.7%
Essex	62,966	46,301	73.5%	63,839	44,079	69.0%	-4.5%
Gloucester	12,198	10,795	88.5%	12,655	10,872	85.9%	-2.6%
Hudson	36,706	25,417	69.2%	37,260	23,773	63.8%	-5.4%
Hunterdon	2,020	1,791	88.7%	2,050	1,772	86.4%	-2.2%
Mercer	20,745	16,714	80.6%	21,047	15,751	74.8%	-5.7%
Middlesex	21,762	18,579	85.4%	22,757	18,411	80.9%	-4.5%
Monmouth	19,321	16,610	86.0%	19,565	16,501	84.3%	-1.6%
Morris	7,062	6,464	91.5%	7,216	6,614	91.7%	0.1%
Ocean	18,330	16,594	90.5%	18,557	16,470	88.8%	-1.8%
Passaic	29,050	22,634	77.9%	29,954	21,915	73.2%	-4.8%
Salem	5,328	4,664	87.5%	5,175	4,435	85.7%	-1.8%
Somerset	7,586	6,037	79.6%	7,926	6,086	76.8%	-2.8%
Sussex	3,413	3,054	89.5%	3,539	3,128	88.4%	-1.1%
Union	26,010	21,771	83.7%	25,930	20,819	80.3%	-3.4%
Warren	3,690	3,387	91.8%	3,762	3,360	89.3%	-2.5%
Central Office*	108	0	0.0%	137	1	0.7%	0.7%
NJ TOTALS	389,581	313,396	80.4%	396,204	304,538	76.9%	-3.6%

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

* 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 February (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

County Office	February 2011			February 2012			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2011 to FFY 2012
	Total Current Support Due	Total Current Support Distributed	Total Collection Rate	Total Current Support Due	Total Current Support Distributed	Total Collection Rate	
Atlantic	\$3,956,643	\$2,645,423	66.9%	\$4,212,604	\$2,858,830	67.9%	1.0%
Bergen	\$8,483,046	\$6,217,599	73.3%	\$9,241,328	\$6,691,842	72.4%	-0.9%
Burlington	\$6,607,577	\$4,512,290	68.3%	\$6,933,574	\$4,737,671	68.3%	0.0%
Camden	\$8,770,993	\$5,220,989	59.5%	\$9,145,801	\$5,421,053	59.3%	-0.3%
Cape May	\$1,234,380	\$865,123	70.1%	\$1,293,171	\$920,049	71.1%	1.1%
Cumberland	\$3,575,855	\$1,979,123	55.3%	\$3,656,873	\$2,024,601	55.4%	0.0%
Essex	\$12,964,561	\$7,527,192	58.1%	\$13,691,160	\$7,833,396	57.2%	-0.8%
Gloucester	\$4,257,569	\$2,720,797	63.9%	\$4,499,921	\$2,838,770	63.1%	-0.8%
Hudson	\$7,712,169	\$5,089,335	66.0%	\$8,166,983	\$5,334,684	65.3%	-0.7%
Hunterdon	\$1,425,946	\$1,124,937	78.9%	\$1,525,716	\$1,198,443	78.5%	-0.3%
Mercer	\$5,028,340	\$3,204,359	63.7%	\$5,250,453	\$3,301,377	62.9%	-0.8%
Middlesex	\$7,727,604	\$5,067,198	65.6%	\$8,278,723	\$5,468,356	66.1%	0.5%
Monmouth	\$7,531,106	\$5,012,570	66.6%	\$8,249,137	\$5,657,736	68.6%	2.0%
Morris	\$4,688,935	\$3,340,616	71.2%	\$4,869,803	\$3,562,195	73.1%	1.9%
Ocean	\$7,095,412	\$5,080,304	71.6%	\$7,641,410	\$5,503,300	72.0%	0.4%
Passaic	\$7,151,252	\$4,277,945	59.8%	\$7,551,625	\$4,404,085	58.3%	-1.5%
Salem	\$1,257,999	\$798,351	63.5%	\$1,305,567	\$822,759	63.0%	-0.4%
Somerset	\$3,571,055	\$2,529,099	70.8%	\$3,789,582	\$2,691,167	71.0%	0.2%
Sussex	\$1,870,607	\$1,416,143	75.7%	\$2,079,208	\$1,533,127	73.7%	-2.0%
Union	\$7,398,956	\$4,628,659	62.6%	\$7,806,915	\$4,902,313	62.8%	0.2%
Warren	\$1,547,544	\$1,083,296	70.0%	\$1,613,181	\$1,122,883	69.6%	-0.4%
Central Office	\$0	\$0	0.0%	\$0	\$0	0.0%	0.0%
NJ TOTALS	\$113,857,548	\$74,341,346	65.3%	\$120,802,735	\$78,828,637	65.3%	0.0%

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

* 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 February (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

County Office	February 2011			February 2012			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2011 to FFY 2012
	Total Cases with Arrears	Total Cases with Arrears Payments	Percent of Cases with Payments on Arrears	Total Cases with Arrears	Total Cases with Arrears Payments	Percent of Cases with Payments on Arrears	
Atlantic	9,646	427	4.4%	8,603	2,984	34.7%	30.3%
Bergen	10,042	421	4.2%	9,304	3,177	34.1%	30.0%
Burlington	11,776	453	3.8%	10,196	3,517	34.5%	30.6%
Camden	26,498	889	3.4%	20,144	6,865	34.1%	30.7%
Cape May	2,880	133	4.6%	2,537	979	38.6%	34.0%
Cumberland	12,584	504	4.0%	10,082	3,271	32.4%	28.4%
Essex	36,871	1,270	3.4%	31,324	9,611	30.7%	27.2%
Gloucester	8,899	379	4.3%	7,665	2,372	30.9%	26.7%
Hudson	19,439	806	4.1%	16,996	5,797	34.1%	30.0%
Hunterdon	1,302	82	6.3%	1,162	413	35.5%	29.2%
Mercer	12,726	432	3.4%	10,337	3,623	35.0%	31.7%
Middlesex	14,464	580	4.0%	12,921	4,171	32.3%	28.3%
Monmouth	13,798	506	3.7%	11,171	3,803	34.0%	30.4%
Morris	5,027	213	4.2%	4,628	1,597	34.5%	30.3%
Ocean	13,149	596	4.5%	11,108	4,185	37.7%	33.1%
Passaic	18,364	717	3.9%	15,318	4,396	28.7%	24.8%
Salem	3,836	129	3.4%	3,034	1,048	34.5%	31.2%
Somerset	4,580	192	4.2%	3,976	1,396	35.1%	30.9%
Sussex	2,365	103	4.4%	2,191	757	34.6%	30.2%
Union	17,251	677	3.9%	14,641	4,854	33.2%	29.2%
Warren	2,732	139	5.1%	2,385	803	33.7%	28.6%
Central Office*	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
NJ TOTALS	248,229	9,648	3.9%	209,723	69,619	33.2%	29.3%

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

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

Table 17
WFNJ

WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY STATISTICAL SUMMARY

FEBRUARY 2012

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	172	153	91	182	*	290	27	*
BERGEN	284	42	120	115	*	224	20	*
BURLINGTON	483	74	25	175	*	352	12	*
CAMDEN	798	495	128	395	*	933	59	*
CAPE MAY	126	18	12	34	*	44	6	*
CUMBERLAND	270	76	61	48	*	229	14	*
ESSEX	597	1,433	205	770	*	1,717	159	*
GLOUCESTER	118	26	62	132	*	164	17	*
HUDSON	601	684	63	413	*	1,142	83	*
HUNTERDON	16	3	14	11	*	1	7	*
MERCER	490	212	209	201	*	306	36	*
MIDDLESEX	260	61	135	164	*	246	32	*
MONMOUTH	123	79	158	148	*	225	18	*
MORRIS	68	27	21	46	*	62	7	*
OCEAN	100	173	206	63	*	164	11	*
PASSAIC	658	414	44	219	*	473	35	*
SALEM	110	22	19	46	*	86	8	*
SOMERSET	45	29	45	64	*	82	14	*
SUSSEX	83	4	39	5	*	20	3	*
UNION	482	111	66	134	*	324	35	*
WARREN	22	19	25	21	*	16	7	*
STATE	5,906	4,155	1,748	3,386	NA	7,100	610	NA

Data is derived from NJ Division of Family Development's OMEGA reports

* The RM703 OMEGA 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 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
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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).