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# CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS



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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 & Reporting.

#### WFNJ/TANF

- As of the end of September, the TANF caseload had decreased by 6,600 cases, from 33,396 in September 2014 to 26,796 in September 2015, a decrease of 19.8%.
- The counties with caseloads that decreased the most since September 2014 were Warren (-48.6%), Hunterdon (-39.7%), and Salem (-34.2%).
- Of the WFNJ/TANF cases, 6,787 or 25.3% were child-only in September 2015.
- The counties with the most child-only cases were Essex (1,010), Camden (953), and Hudson (746).
- Essex (13,691), Passaic (8,320), Hudson (7,749), Camden (7,383), and Atlantic (4,780) counties had the greatest number of persons receiving TANF in September 2015.

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

- In September 2015, there were 444,303 households receiving NJ SNAP benefits. The number of NJ SNAP households decreased by 5,561, or 1.2%, since September 2014.
- There were 882,823 persons receiving NJ SNAP benefits as of September 2015, a decrease of 14,083 or 1.6% since September 2014.
- The three counties having the highest caseload increase since September 2014 are Atlantic (4.2%), Bergen (3.8%), and Burlington (2.9%).

#### **EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE**

- There were 4,458 families receiving Emergency Assistance (EA) in September 2015, a decrease of 2,093 or 31.9% since September 2014.
- In September 2015, EA payments were made for 1,189 SSI recipients.

#### **GENERAL ASSISTANCE**

#### **GA Emergency Assistance**

- There were 3,867 Emergency Assistance payments made to GA cases in September 2015, a decrease of 1,317 or 25.4% since September 2014.
- The counties that show the highest percent decrease in emergency assistance payments are Middlesex (53.9%), Monmouth (45.0%) and Salem (42.9%).

#### **GA Program**

- The total numbers of cases receiving GA has decreased from 30,497 to 23,498 since September 2014, a decrease of 22.9%.
- There were 13,073 Employable GA and 10,425 Unemployable GA cases in September 2015.
- Bergen (6.3%) and Atlantic (3.8%) counties showed the highest percent increase for GA cases since September 2014.
- In September 2015, GA cases showed a 2.6 percent decrease since August 2015.

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

- The total collection for the Child Support Services Program was about \$321 million from July 2015 to September 2015, an increase of 1.5 percent over the same period for FFY 2014.
- Total distributions decreased 3.6% from September 2014.

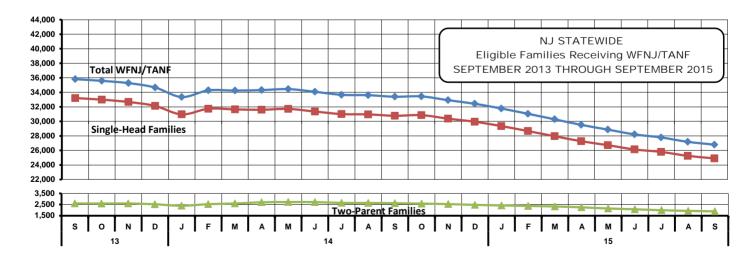
#### **WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY (WFNJ)**

- During the report month of September 2015, there were 3,493 families in which at least one member was employed and an additional 523 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 (968), Camden (414), and Hudson (371).
- There were 3,080 former TANF cases receiving post-TANF support in the form of child care assistance.

**TABLE 1: WFNJ/TANF PROGRAM** 

STATEWIDE NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS DURING SEPTEMBER 2015
NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES & PERSONS RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF FOR SEPTEMBER 2015

				SEPTEME	BER 2013 T	HROUGH	H SEPTEMI	3ER 201	15			
		Cases	Cases	Child-Only	Total	2- Parent	Total	%CHNG		%CHNG		
		Added	Closed	Cases ‡	Singl-Head	Families	WFNJ/TANF	(1 Yr.)	Total	(1 Yr.)	Adults	Children
					Families		Families		Persons			
2013	SEP	2,580	3,130	7,912	33,212	2,604	35,816	(10.1)	92,584	(10.1)	30,508	62,076
	OCT	2,954	3,321	7,923	32,992	2,589	35,581	(10.4)	91,979	(10.6)	30,247	61,732
	NOV	2,691	3,096	7,833	32,670	2,599	35,269	(11.2)	91,253	(11.2)	30,035	61,218
	DEC	2,419	3,026	7,813	32,134	2,528	34,662	(11.9)	89,496	(12.1)	29,377	60,119
	verage	2,742	3,158	8,120	34,220	2,755	36,974		95,521		31,609	63,912
2014	JAN	2,484	3,869	7,833	30,964	2,391	33,355	(14.8)	85,857	(15.2)	27,913	57,944
	FEB	3,248	2,114	7,817	31,740	2,536	34,276	(11.1)	88,563	(11.2)	28,995	59,568
	MAR	2,873	3,074	7,848	31,652	2,596	34,248	(11.4)	88,489	(11.2)	28,996	59,493
	APR	3,066	3,183	7,820	31,603	2,705	34,308	(9.8)	88,616	(9.9)	29,193	59,423
	MAY	2,874	2,883	7,874	31,719	2,727	34,446	(8.8)	88,847	(9.0)	29,299	59,548
	JUN	2,766	3,139	7,743	31,356	2,722	34,078	(8.8)	88,005	(8.6)	29,057	58,948
	JUL	2,745	3,362	7,680	31,008	2,650	33,658	(7.7)	86,866	(7.8)	28,628	58,238
	AUG	2,924	3,068	7,674	30,960	2,646	33,606	(7.6)	86,691	(7.6)	28,578	58,113
	SEP	2,806	2,995	7,573	30,773	2,623	33,396	(6.8)	86,422	(6.7)	28,446	57,976
	OCT	3,102	3,164	7,608	30,856	2,584	33,440	(6.0)	86,317	(6.2)	28,416	57,901
	NOV	2,484	3,120	7,510	30,376	2,543	32,919	(6.7)	84,992	(6.9)	27,952	57,040
	DEC	2,419	2,911	7,485	29,952	2,472	32,424	(6.5)	83,743	(6.4)	27,411	56,332
2014 A	verage	2,816	3,074	7,705	31,080	2,600	33,680		86,951		28,574	58,377
2015	JAN	2,361	3,068	7,486	29,354	2,420	31,774	(4.7)	81,906	(4.6)	26,708	55,198
	FEB	2,050	2,776	7,454	28,665	2,376	31,041	(9.4)	79,839	(9.9)	25,963	53,876
	MAR	2,003	2,746	7,352	27,960	2,328	30,288	(11.6)	77,972	(11.9)	25,264	52,708
	APR	2,139	3,032	7,275	27,267	2,251	29,518	(14.0)	75,817	(14.4)	24,494	51,323
	MAY	2,101	2,869	7,156	26,723	2,145	28,868	(16.2)	73,929	(16.8)	23,857	50,072
	JUN	2,215	2,863	6,999	26,136	2,074	28,210	(17.2)	72,184	(18.0)	23,285	48,899
	JUL	2,268	2,812	6,931	25,797	1,990	27,787	(17.4)	70,950	(18.3)	22,846	48,104
	AUG	2,108	2,813	6,877	25,254	1,931	27,185	(19.1)	69,167	(20.2)	22,239	46,928
	SEP	2,263	2,767	6,787	24,908	1,888	26,796	(19.8)	68,235	(21.0)	21,897	46,338
2015 A	VG to date	2,168	2,861	7,146	26,896	2,156	29,052		74,444		24,061	50,383



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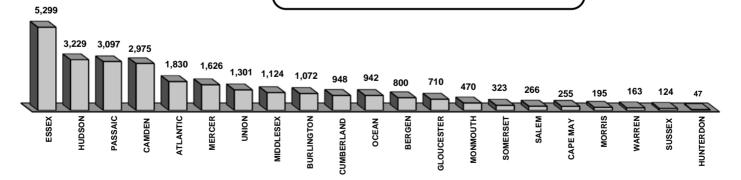
‡ Child-only cases are defined as families in which no eligible adult receives TANF program benefits, yet the family continues to be headed by at least one of the biological parents, or grandparents, or other appropriate adult.

Table 2 WFNJ/TANF

# NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY COUNTY DURING SEPTEMBER 2015 NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF REPORTED FOR SEPTEMBER 2015

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	106	191	465	1,186	1,651	179	1,830	(4.4)	(14.1)
BERGEN	59	78	138	600	738	62	800	(2.4)	(12.9)
BURLINGTON	116	135	254	730	984	88	1,072	(1.2)	(9.4)
CAMDEN	240	241	953	1,864	2,817	158	2,975	(1.3)	(14.3)
CAPE MAY	19	36	59	177	236	19	255	(9.3)	(25.9)
CUMBERLAND	110	132	298	573	871	77	948	(7.7)	(27.1)
ESSEX	526	566	1,010	3,929	4,939	360	5,299	(5.2)	(24.5)
GLOUCESTER	73	87	204	435	639	71	710	(6.8)	(30.9)
HUDSON	275	342	746	2,280	3,026	203	3,229	(1.5)	(18.7)
HUNTERDON	1	6	6	36	42	5	47	(17.5)	(39.7)
MERCER	122	176	524	1,031	1,555	71	1,626	(3.2)	(19.4)
MIDDLESEX	115	124	434	616	1,050	74	1,124	(1.7)	(22.5)
MONMOUTH	36	57	177	269	446	24	470	(7.1)	(30.0)
MORRIS	21	26	53	125	178	17	195	(8.9)	(28.3)
OCEAN	67	82	210	615	825	117	942	(3.7)	(20.0)
PASSAIC	160	202	681	2,224	2,905	192	3,097	(1.1)	(5.4)
SALEM	34	41	86	167	253	13	266	(8.9)	(34.2)
SOMERSET	31	34	87	218	305	18	323	(7.7)	(31.4)
SUSSEX	17	28	32	80	112	12	124	(6.1)	(19.5)
UNION	110	154	330	872	1,202	99	1,301	(3.5)	(25.5)
WARREN	25	29	40	94	134	29	163	(11.4)	(48.6)
NJ TOTAL	2,263	2,767	6,787	18,121	24,908	1,888	26,796	(3.6)	(19.8)

Total WFNJ/TANF Families
SEPTEMBER 2015
By County



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<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.

<sup>&</sup>quot;∆=higher caseload % change

<sup>&</sup>quot;\*=lower caseload % change

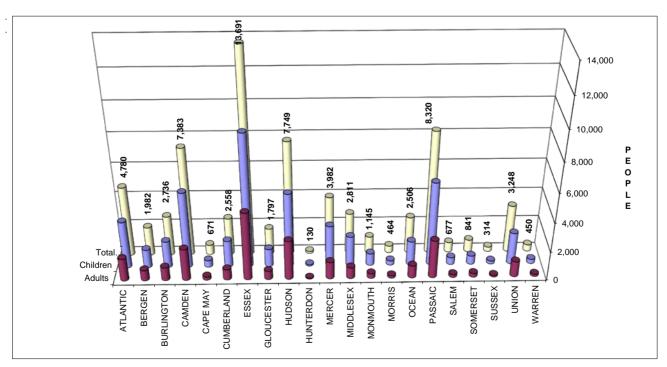
Table 2B WFNJ/TANF PROGRAM

#### NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING PERSONS, ADULTS, AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR SEPTEMBER 2015

**PERSONS** 

Δ= ↑ Caseload %
\*= ↓ Caseload %

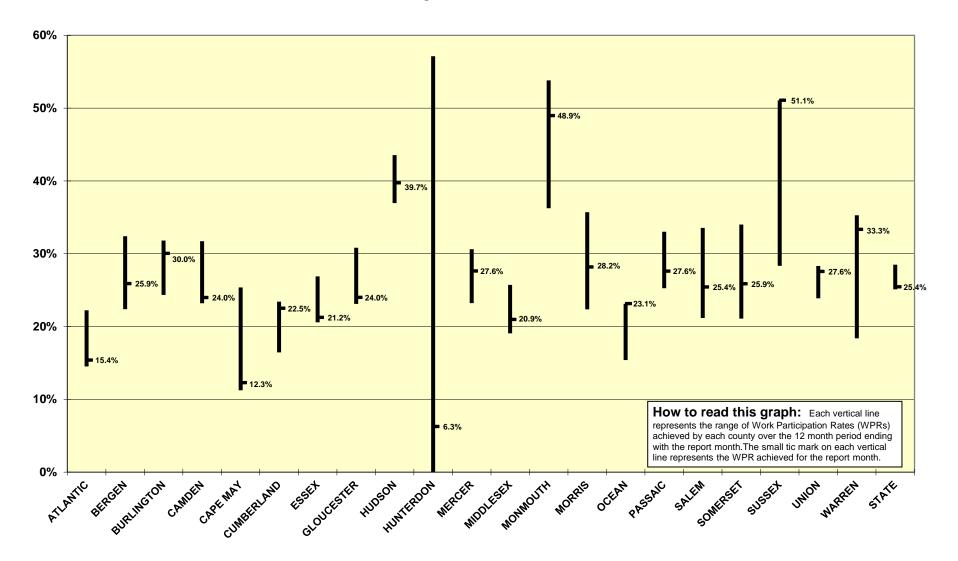
County	Adults	Children	Child/Adult	Total	% Chng	Persons
			Ratio	Persons	(1 Yr)	Per Case
ATLANTIC	1,544	3,236	2.10	4,780	(14.9) <sub>\( \Delta\)</sub>	2.61
BERGEN	724	1,258	1.74	1,982	(14.9) A	2.48
BURLINGTON	906	1,830	2.02	2,736	(12.4) A	2.55
CAMDEN	2,180	5,203	2.39	7,383	(16.4)	2.48
CAPE MAY	215	456	2.12	671	(23.1)	2.63
CUMBERLAND	727	1,831	2.52	2,558	(29.5)	2.70
ESSEX	4,649	9,042	1.94	13,691	(24.8)	2.58
GLOUCESTER	577	1,220	2.11	1,797	(32.3)	2.53
HUDSON	2,686	5,063	1.88	7,749	(20.8)	2.40
HUNTERDON	46	84	1.83	130	(38.4) *	2.77
MERCER	1,173	2,809	2.39	3,982	(22.0)	2.45
MIDDLESEX	764	2,047	2.68	2,811	(24.8)	2.50
MONMOUTH	317	828	2.61	1,145	(32.5)	2.44
MORRIS	159	305	1.92	464	(33.0)	2.38
OCEAN	849	1,657	1.95	2,506	(21.4)	2.66
PASSAIC	2,608	5,712	2.19	8,320	(5.7) ∆	2.69
SALEM	193	484	2.51	677	(37.1) *	2.55
SOMERSET	254	587	2.31	841	(32.1)	2.60
SUSSEX	104	210	2.02	314	(18.7)	2.53
UNION	1,070	2,178	2.04	3,248	(25.1)	2.50
WARREN	152	298	1.96	450	(49.2) *	2.76
NJ TOTAL	21,897	46,338	2.12	68,235	(21.0)	2.55



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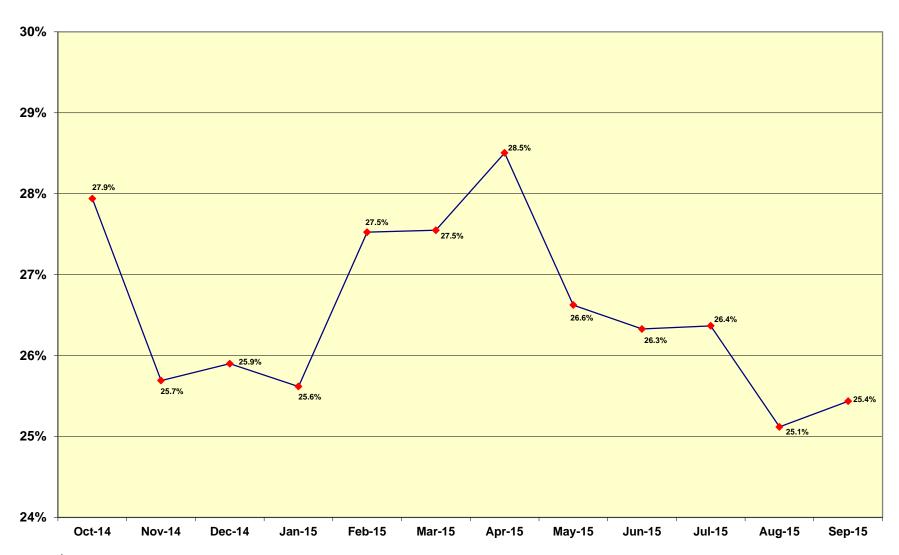
**TABLE 3** 

### Work Participation Rates Achieved Over 12 Month Period Ending With SEPTEMBER 2015



**TABLE 4** 

WFNJ/TANF Work Participation Rates for 12-Month Period Ending with SEPTEMBER 2015 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

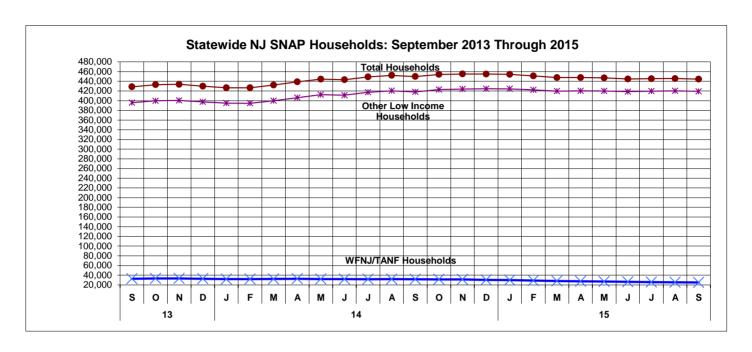
#### NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS **AND CHILDREN FOR SEPTEMBER 2015 (STATEWIDE)**

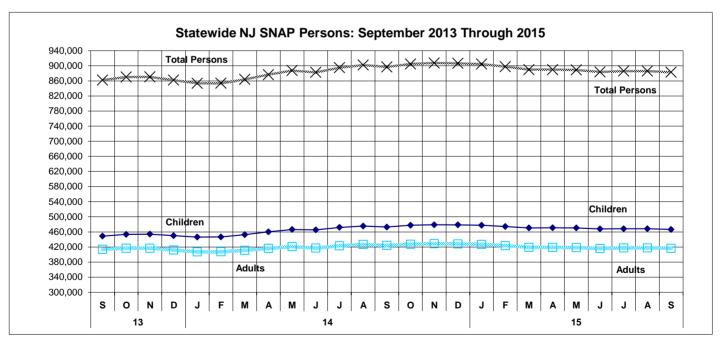
(FOOD STAMPS) SEPTEMBER 2013 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 2015									
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		WFNJ/	Other low	TOTAL	% CHNG	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% CHNG
		TANF	income		(1 Yr.)				(1 Yr.)
2013	SEP	32,729	395,941	428,670	3.3%	448,634	413,586	862,220	3.2%
	OCT	33,282	399,729	433,011	3.2%	453,354	416,794	870,148	3.2%
	NOV	33,180	400,574	433,754	3.5%	453,834	416,756	870,590	3.3%
	DEC	32,495	397,432	429,927	-0.3%	449,925	412,000	861,925	-1.3%
2013 Av	erage	34,033	394,870	428,903		448,581	414,994	863,575	
2014	JAN	31,829	394,794	426,623	1.2%	446,334	407,091	853,425	0.5%
	FEB	32,021	394,638	426,659	1.0%	446,546	407,230	853,776	0.2%
	MAR	32,144	399,987	432,131	0.9%	452,709	411,141	863,850	0.0%
	APR	32,546	406,270	438,816	2.9%	460,037	416,286	876,323	2.0%
	MAY	32,061	412,260	444,321	3.6%	466,314	420,998	887,312	2.7%
	JUN	31,816	411,322	443,138	2.6%	465,366	417,044	882,410	1.3%
	JUL	31,630	417,371	449,001	4.9%	471,778	423,075	894,853	3.6%
	AUG	31,814	420,403	452,217	4.2%	475,324	426,628	901,952	3.1%
	SEP	31,749	418,115	449,864	4.9%	472,843	424,063	896,906	4.0%
	OCT	31,382	422,820	454,202	4.9%	477,582	427,188	904,770	4.0%
	NOV	31,119	424,004	455,123	4.9%	478,683	428,652	907,335	4.2%
	DEC	30,366	424,550	454,916	5.8%	478,532	427,891	906,423	5.2%
2014 Av	erage	31,706	412,211	443,918		466,004	419,774	885,778	
2015	JAN	29,786	424,460	454,246	6.5%	477,604	426,814	904,418	6.0%
	FEB	28,890	422,197	451,087	5.7%	474,125	423,563	897,688	5.1%
	MAR	27,924	419,686	447,610	3.6%	470,613	419,099	889,712	3.0%
	APR	27,282	420,380	447,662	2.0%	470,743	419,096	889,839	1.5%
	MAY	26,963	420,067	447,030	0.6%	470,393	418,347	888,740	0.2%
	JUN	26,147	418,559	444,706	0.4%	467,732	415,927	883,659	0.1%
	JUL	25,731	419,621	445,352	-0.8%	468,342	417,557	885,899	-1.0%
	AUG	25,425	420,195	445,620	-1.5%	468,265	417,563	885,828	-1.8%
	SEP	25,122	419,181	444,303	-1.2%	466,474	416,349	882,823	-1.6%
2015 AV	G to date	27,030	420,483	447,513		470,477	419,368	889,845	

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

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# TABLE 6: NJ SNAP (FOOD STAMPS) TRENDS FOR PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS & PERSONS SEPTEMBER 2013 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 2015 (STATEWIDE)





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#### Table 7 NJ SNAP

# NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR SEPTEMBER 2015

∆= ↑ Caseload %	l	HOUSEH	<u>IOLDS</u>		I		PERSONS	
*= ↓ Caseload %		·	<u>.</u>					
County	WFNJ/	Other	TOTAL	% Chng	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% Chng
	TANF	low income	;	(1 Yr)				(1 Yr)
ATLANTIC	1,663	20,949	22,612	4.2 Δ	25,177	19,871	45,048	2.9 Δ
BERGEN	752	22,506	23,258	3.8 Δ	25,146	15,187	40,333	3.5 Δ
BURLINGTON	1,081	13,490	14,571	2.9 Δ	16,082	12,214	28,296	1.6 Δ
CAMDEN	2,715	31,690	34,405	(1.4)	37,234	31,889	69,123	(2.6)
CAPE MAY	237	4,296	4,533	(4.9)	5,100	3,734	8,834	(4.1)
CUMBERLAND	917	13,592	14,509	(5.9) *	14,982	15,276	30,258	(5.4)
ESSEX	5,252	60,410	65,662	(1.0)	68,156	63,635	131,791	(1.9)
GLOUCESTER	629	10,099	10,728	(7.2) *	11,908	9,639	21,547	(7.7) *
HUDSON	2,805	55,818	58,623	(3.2)	61,448	50,951	112,399	(3.2)
HUNTERDON	45	1,837	1,882	(7.7) *	1,860	1,185	3,045	(8.0) *
MERCER	1,544	16,185	17,729	(3.2)	17,014	15,951	32,965	(2.1)
MIDDLESEX	1,025	28,874	29,899	1.6	30,319	27,644	57,963	1.4
MONMOUTH	439	18,767	19,206	(2.7)	18,799	16,845	35,644	(3.8)
MORRIS	192	9,007	9,199	(2.2)	9,332	5,980	15,312	(3.4)
OCEAN	921	22,127	23,048	(2.7)	27,308	34,763	62,071	(0.7)
PASSAIC	2,976	48,357	51,333	(8.0)	52,886	51,462	104,348	(8.0)
SALEM	228	4,355	4,583	(1.5)	4,926	4,290	9,216	(3.0)
SOMERSET	291	6,462	6,753	(1.0)	6,453	6,301	12,754	(2.3)
SUSSEX	112	2,406	2,518	(5.2)	2,847	1,720	4,567	(6.5) *
UNION	1,135	24,313	25,448	(0.7)	25,213	24,592	49,805	(0.9)
WARREN	163	3,641	3,804	(3.4)	4,284	3,220	7,504	(3.7)
NJ TOTAL	25,122	419,181	444,303	(1.2)	466,474	416,349	882,823	(1.6)



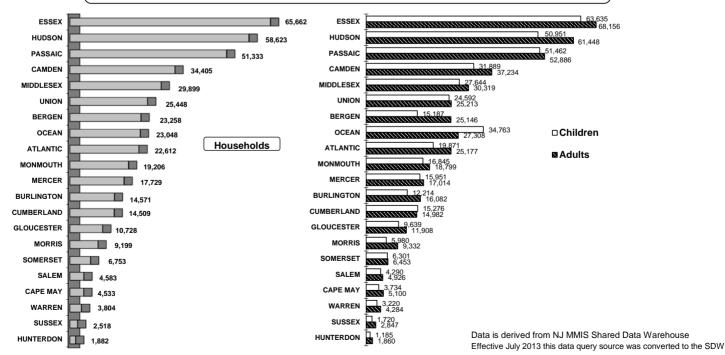
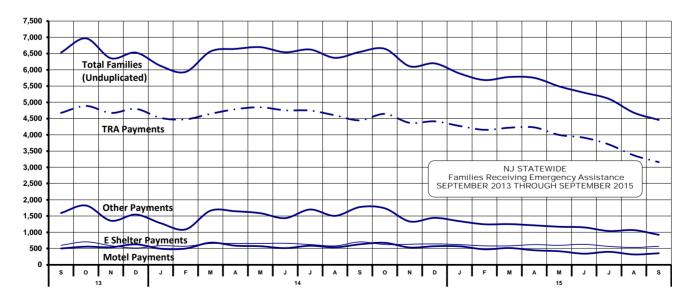


Table 8

TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS

EMERG	SENCY	SE	PTEMB	ER 2013 T	HROUGI	H SEPTE	MBER 20	)15 - ST <i>A</i>	TEWIDE	<b>=</b>	_
ASSIST	ANCE	TOTAL		Temp		Motel	She	elter/Transitio	nal	Other	
(STATE	EWIDE)	WFNJ/EA		Rent Asst.		Housing		Housing		EA	
		Families	% CHNG	<b>Payments</b>	% CHNG	Payments	% CHNG	Payments	% CHNG	Payments	% CHNG
***************************************	000000	(Undupl)	(1 YR)	(Undupl)	(1 YR)	(Undupl)	(1 YR)	(Undupl)	(1 YR)	(Undupl)	(1 YR)
2013	SEP	6,533	3.0%	4,675	3.5%	501	26.8%	600	5.6%	1,593	-9.4%
	OCT	6,968	7.2%	4,888	9.9%	557	12.3%	706	6.6%	1,823	-0.7%
	NOV	6,356	1.4%	4,672	0.5%	538	31.2%	586	-10.3%	1,356	0.2%
	DEC	6,529	1.7%	4,798	2.2%	629	44.6%	515	-16.5%	1,544	-2.4%
2013 Av	erage	6,596		4,842		477		616		1,544	
2014	JAN	6,120	-5.4%	4,520	-6.3%	494	12.3%	586	-3.0%	1,279	-21.0%
	FEB	5,935	-4.4%	4,475	-5.5%	499	33.1%	571	-10.2%	1,088	-15.2%
	MAR	6,565	0.0%	4,645	-5.1%	680	65.9%	655	0.8%	1,664	11.9%
	APR	6,644	-0.7%	4,787	-2.9%	588	28.7%	654	9.9%	1,646	7.1%
	MAY	6,697	-2.4%	4,847	-5.3%	571	25.8%	656	2.0%	1,587	0.9%
	JUN	6,540	-2.4%	4,753	-4.5%	512	27.0%	662	14.7%	1,435	-8.3%
	JUL	6,625	1.7%	4,746	0.2%	586	31.1%	623	-8.2%	1,701	14.8%
	AUG	6,368	-5.7%	4,599	-5.2%	537	4.7%	581	-3.3%	1,505	-9.6%
	SEP	6,551	0.3%	4,445	-4.9%	630	25.7%	704	17.3%	1,776	11.5%
	OCT	6,647	-4.6%	4,643	-5.0%	675	21.2%	622	-11.9%	1,737	-4.7%
	NOV	6,108	-3.9%	4,368	-6.5%	531	-1.3%	632	7.8%	1,332	-1.8%
	DEC	6,198	-5.1%	4,414	-8.0%	571	-9.2%	643	24.9%	1,444	-6.5%
2014 Av	erage	6,417		4,604		573		632		1,516	
2015	JAN	5,888	-3.8%	4,271	-5.5%	568	15.0%	621	6.0%	1,340	4.8%
	FEB	5,685	-4.2%	4,153	-7.2%	476	-4.6%	582	1.9%	1,246	14.5%
	MAR	5,779	-12.0%	4,218	-9.2%	515	-24.3%	582	-11.1%	1,251	-24.8%
	APR	5,752	-13.4%	4,228	-11.7%	446	-24.1%	620	-5.2%	1,213	-26.3%
	MAY	5,490	-18.0%	3,996	-17.6%	416	-27.1%	599	-8.7%	1,170	-26.3%
	JUN	5,295	-19.0%	3,910	-17.7%	341	-33.4%	629	-5.0%	1,150	-19.9%
	JUL	5,104	-23.0%	3,701	-22.0%	398	-32.1%	565	-9.3%	1,038	-39.0%
	AUG	4,680	-26.5%	3,367	-26.8%	317	-41.0%	532	-8.4%	1,066	-29.2%
	SEP	4,458	-31.9%	3,159	-28.9%	354	-43.8%	570	-19.0%	921	-48.1%
2015 AV	G to date	5,348		3,889		426		589		1,155	



WFNJ/EA data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse. Effective July 2013 this data query source was converted to the SDW.

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

Table 9 **EMERGENCY** ASSISTANCE

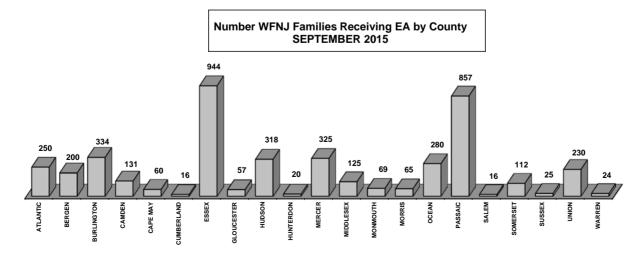
#### NUMBER OF TOTAL ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS BY COUNTY (UNDUPLICATED CASES) SEPTEMBER 2015

ASSISTANCE (BY COUNTY)	TOTAL	%	Temp	Motel	Shelter/Transitional	Other	SSI
County	WFNJ/EA Families	CHNG From	Rent Asst. Payments	Housing Payments	Housing Payments	WFNJ/EA Payments	Receipients Receiving EA**
	(Undupl)	Sep 14	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	
ATLANTIC	250	-48.1%	209	6	7	74	79
BERGEN	200	-41.5%	186	0	1	26	60
BURLINGTON	334	-21.6%	123	82	123	81	152
CAMDEN	131	-34.5%	79	7	35	26	13
CAPE MAY	60	11.1% Δ	43	18	0	4	46
CUMBERLAND	16	-78.7% *	6	3	3	9	16
ESSEX	944	-39.4%	725	0	155	137	152
GLOUCESTER	57	-59.3% *	43	1	9	4	7
HUDSON	318	-31.0%	194	80	16	62	17
HUNTERDON	20	-47.4%	17	0	2	4	47
MERCER	325	-43.9%	200	17	47	114	77
MIDDLESEX	125	-43.2%	70	7	22	64	23
MONMOUTH	69	-24.2%	11	23	33	7	22
MORRIS	65	-20.7%	52	7	2	10	32
OCEAN	280	-21.8%	221	53	1	44	153
PASSAIC	857	1.1% Δ	717	13	44	166	139
SALEM	16	-15.8% ∆	8	3	0	8	5
SOMERSET	112	-18.2%	68	18	15	26	91
SUSSEX	25	-32.4%	21	1	2	7	17
UNION	230	-31.1%	145	15	53	45	36
WARREN	24	-65.2% *	21	0	0	3	5
NJ TOTAL	4,458	-31.9%	3,159	354	570	921	1,189

∆= ↑ Caseload %

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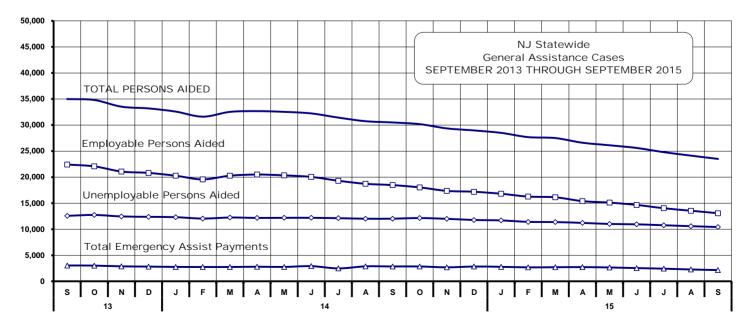
<sup>\*\*</sup>SSI-EA includes pay codes 22 and 24, data is derived from NJ Division of Family Development FAMIS Report #FM430-03A

# Table 10 NUMBER OF EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS GENERAL AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR SEPTEMBER 2015 - STATEWIDE

ASSISTANCE

SEPTEMBER 2013 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 2015

PROG	SRAM			Total C	<u>ases</u>			Emergenc	y Assistance	e Cases	
		Employable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Unemployable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)	Temporary Rental Assistance	Other GA-EA	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)
2013	SEP	22,424	-22.3%	12,566	-4.8%	34,990	-16.8%	3,034	2,480	5,514	-9.5%
	OCT	22,067	-22.3%	12,739	-3.2%	34,806	-16.2%	3,019	2,833	5,852	-11.9%
	NOV	21,070	-23.3%	12,453	-2.5%	33,523	-16.7%	2,872	2,153	5,025	-13.6%
	DEC	20,809	-23.4%	12,383	-3.7%	33,192	-17.1%	2,826	2,225	5,051	-18.4%
2013 Av	/erage	24,374		12,832		37,206		3,207	2,708	5,914	
2014	JAN	20,271	-24.2%	12,311	-4.5%	32,582	-17.8%	2,766	2,270	5,036	-19.6%
	FEB	19,560	-25.8%	12,047	-6.2%	31,607	-19.3%	2,752	2,016	4,768	-19.9%
	MAR	20,278	-24.4%	12,246	-6.4%	32,524	-18.5%	2,748	2,764	5,512	-15.7%
	APR	20,497	-22.9%	12,174	-7.3%	32,671	-17.7%	2,802	2,818	5,620	-12.5%
	MAY	20,341	-22.2%	12,190	-7.2%	32,531	-17.2%	2,763	2,745	5,508	-14.8%
	JUN	20,038	-21.3%	12,193	-6.0%	32,231	-16.2%	2,911	2,701	5,612	-6.7%
	JUL	19,306	-20.9%	12,120	-6.2%	31,426	-15.8%	2,477	2,568	5,045	-12.5%
	AUG	18,721	-20.6%	12,017	-6.6%	30,738	-15.7%	2,872	2,446	5,318	-13.1%
	SEP	18,471	-17.6%	12,026	-4.3%	30,497	-12.8%	2,849	2,335	5,184	-6.0%
	OCT	18,030	-18.3%	12,143	-4.7%	30,173	-13.3%	2,848	2,661	5,509	-5.9%
	NOV	17,357	-17.6%	11,997	-3.7%	29,354	-12.4%	2,686	1,943	4,629	-7.9%
	DEC	17,192	-17.4%	11,775	-4.9%	28,967	-12.7%	2,838	2,362	5,200	2.9%
2014 Av	/erage	19,172		12,103		31,275		2,776	2,469	5,245	
2015	JAN	16,810	-17.1%	11,689	-5.1%	28,499	-12.5%	2,782	2,395	5,177	2.8%
	FEB	16,267	-16.8%	11,413	-5.3%	27,680	-12.4%	2,679	2,218	4,897	2.7%
	MAR	16,131	-20.5%	11,370	-7.2%	27,501	-15.4%	2,705	2,601	5,306	-3.7%
	APR	15,393	-24.9%	11,214	-7.9%	26,607	-18.6%	2,728	2,404	5,132	-8.7%
	MAY	15,107	-25.7%	11,010	-9.7%	26,117	-19.7%	2,658	2,186	4,844	-12.1%
	JUN	14,664	-26.8%	10,939	-10.3%	25,603	-20.6%	2,537	2,201	4,738	-15.6%
	JUL	14,031	-27.3%	10,763	-11.2%	24,794	-21.1%	2,428	2,175	4,603	-8.8%
	AUG	13,548	-27.6%	10,582	-11.9%	24,130	-21.5%	2,271	1,822	4,093	-23.0%
	SEP	13,073	-29.2%	10,425	-13.3%	23,498	-22.9%	2,161	1,706	3,867	-25.4%
2015 AV	/G to date	15,003		11,045		26,048		2,550	2,190	4,740	



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TABLE 11

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

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

**PROGRAM** 

SEPTEMBER 2015

				Emergency	Assistance	Cases				
<u>County</u>	<b>Employable</b>	% Chng	<u>Unemployable</u>	% Chng	<u>Total</u>	% Chng	Temporary	Other	Total	% Chng
		(From Sep 14)	(F	From Sep 14)	(F	rom Sep 14)	Rental Assist.	GA-EA		(From Sep 14)
ATLANTIC	1,584	1.0%	392	16.7%	1,976	3.8% ∆	249	47	296	-32.0%
BERGEN	815	10.7%	749	1.8%	1,564	6.3% A	317	57	374	-11.8%
BURLINGTON	989	-7.8%	584	13.8%	1,573	-0.8% A	84	232	316	-29.0%
CAMDEN	941	-41.0%	1,206	-9.5%	2,147	-26.7%	86	73	159	-27.4%
CAPE MAY	157	-14.2%	111	-5.9%	268	-11.0%	51	53	104	-14.0%
CUMBERLAND	382	-67.3%	341	-48.3%	723	-60.4% *	27	40	67	-32.3%
ESSEX	2,038	-33.4%	813	-24.5%	2,851	-31.1%	199	274	473	-15.8%
GLOUCESTER	451	-43.5%	302	-6.8%	753	-32.9%	43	39	82	-40.1%
HUDSON	1,209	-34.7%	1,615	-15.6%	2,824	-25.0%	106	80	186	-25.3%
HUNTERDON	53	-31.2%	112	-25.8%	165	-27.6%	42	28	70	-19.5%
MERCER	480	-16.2%	648	1.3%	1,128	-7.0%	102	101	203	-37.9%
MIDDLESEX	520	-37.0%	460	-15.6%	980	-28.5%	108	71	179	-53.9% *
MONMOUTH	92	-76.9%	236	-33.7%	328	-56.5% *	8	58	66	-45.0% *
MORRIS	358	-15.6%	342	-8.3%	700	-12.2%	132	105	237	-5.6% <u>\( \Delta\) \( \Delta\)</u>
OCEAN	371	-32.3%	391	-18.4%	762	-25.8%	122	86	208	-28.8%
PASSAIC	1,398	-26.3%	1,090	-13.8%	2,488	-21.3%	262	91	353	-9.9% <u>\( \Delta\) \( \Delta\)</u>
SALEM	78	-41.4%	116	-17.1%	194	-28.9%	6	14	20	-42.9% *
SOMERSET	103	-40.8%	107	-36.3%	210	-38.6% *	30	19	49	-23.4%
SUSSEX	120	-29.4%	52	-24.6%	172	-28.0%	12	30	42	-8.7% $\Delta$
UNION	683	-26.2%	628	-8.3%	1,311	-18.6%	153	183	336	-19.6%
WARREN	251	-15.2%	130	-11.6%	381	-14.0%	22	25	47	-35.6%
NJ TOTAL	13,073	-29.2%	10,425	-13.3%	23,498	-22.9%	2,161	1,706	3,867	-25.4%

∆= ↑ 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

Quarterly Performance Report
State Summary
TITLE IV-D SOURCE COLLECTION REPORT

Comparison of Quarter-4 (FFY 14 vs. FFY 15)

COLLECTION SOURCE	TOTAL 7/1/2014 - 9/30/2014	% OF TOTAL COLLECTIONS	TOTAL 7/1/2015 - 9/30/2015	% OF TOTAL COLLECTIONS	DOLLAR CHANGE	% CHANGE
FEDERAL TAX	\$ 1,383,401	0.44%	\$ 737,970	0.23%	\$ (645,431)	-46.66%
STATE TAX	\$ 1,755,707	0.55%	\$ 2,064,917	0.64%	\$ 309,210	17.61%
UIB	\$ 8,556,724	2.70%	\$ 7,278,412	2.27%	\$ (1,278,312)	-14.94%
INC WITHHOLD	\$ 223,645,574	70.69%	\$ 227,463,782	70.82%	\$ 3,818,208	1.71%
FROM OTHER STATES	\$ 12,456,433	3.94%	\$ 12,566,713	3.91%	\$ 110,280	0.89%
ADMIN ENFORCEMENT	\$ 2,117,362	0.72%	\$ 2,690,099	0.84%	\$ 572,737	27.05%
OTHER	\$ 66,444,763.45	21.00%	\$ 68,397,858	21.29%	\$ 1,953,095	2.94%
TOTAL COLLECTIONS*	\$ 316,359,964	100%	\$ 321,199,751	100%	\$ 4,839,787	1.53%
DISTRIBUTED COLLECTIONS**	\$ 295,421,450		\$ 284,947,319		\$ (10,474,131)	-3.55%

<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 September (FFY 14 vs. FFY 15)

	SE	PTEMBER 20		SI	EPTEMBER 20		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 2014 to FFY 2015
Atlantic	9,005	8,612	95.6%	8,378	8,123	97.0%	1.3%
Bergen	4,816	4,602	95.6%	4,400	4,296	97.6%	2.1%
Burlington	7,987	7,510	94.0%	7,420	7,033	94.8%	0.8%
Camden	25,203	23,326	92.6%	23,246	21,837	93.9%	1.4%
Cape May	1,946	1,885	96.9%	1,787	1,767	98.9%	2.0%
Cumberland	9,364	9,288	99.2%	8,769	8,691	99.1%	-0.1%
Essex	41,251	36,758	89.1%	37,750	34,422	91.2%	2.1%
Gloucester	6,381	6,182	96.9%	6,023	5,903	98.0%	1.1%
Hudson	16,802	15,225	90.6%	15,919	14,588	91.6%	1.0%
Hunterdon	465	455	97.8%	458	449	98.0%	0.2%
Mercer	11,114	10,276	92.5%	10,142	9,581	94.5%	2.0%
Middlesex	9,883	9,338	94.5%	9,380	8,958	95.5%	1.0%
Monmouth	8,155	7,637	93.6%	7,625	7,242	95.0%	1.3%
Morris	2,159	2,119	98.1%	1,998	1,951	97.6%	-0.5%
Ocean	6,836	6,528	95.5%	6,542	6,257	95.6%	0.1%
Passaic	17,194	15,577	90.6%	16,192	14,908	92.1%	1.5%
Salem	2,947	2,777	94.2%	2,925	2,811	96.1%	1.9%
Somerset	2,687	2,563	95.4%	2,310	2,197	95.1%	-0.3%
Sussex	976	954	97.7%	870	853	98.0%	0.3%
Union	13,608	12,265	90.1%	13,442	12,276	91.3%	1.2%
Warren	1,408	1,375	97.7%	1,308	1,281	97.9%	0.3%
NJ TOTALS	200,187	185,252	92.5%	186,884	175,424	93.9%	1.3%

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

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

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TABLE 14
OFFICE OF CHILD
SUPPORT SERVICES

#### OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

State Summary

#### TITLE IV-D REPORT OF CASES WITH ORDERS

Comparison of September (FFY 14 vs. FFY 15)

	Se	ptember 20		Se	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 2014 to FFY 2015
Atlantic	15,565	12,722	81.7%	14,804	12,551	84.8%	3.0%
Bergen	14,598	13,304	91.1%	13,871	12,992	93.7%	2.5%
Burlington	17,312	14,204	82.0%	16,723	13,854	82.8%	0.8%
Camden	39,729	30,635	77.1%	37,483	29,395	78.4%	1.3%
Cape May	4,018	3,452	85.9%	3,846	3,381	87.9%	2.0%
Cumberland	14,583	13,580	93.1%	13,917	13,046	93.7%	0.6%
Essex	58,847	42,420	72.1%	54,847	41,944	76.5%	4.4%
Gloucester	12,457	11,204	89.9%	12,184	11,250	92.3%	2.4%
Hudson	30,063	22,323	74.3%	29,240	21,871	74.8%	0.5%
Hunterdon	1,834	1,734	94.5%	1,834	1,746	95.2%	0.7%
Mercer	18,896	14,696	77.8%	17,432	14,403	82.6%	4.9%
Middlesex	22,134	18,753	84.7%	21,520	19,042	88.5%	3.8%
Monmouth	17,731	15,868	89.5%	17,176	15,845	92.3%	2.8%
Morris	7,175	6,805	94.8%	7,035	6,717	95.5%	0.6%
Ocean	17,926	16,212	90.4%	17,545	16,100	91.8%	1.3%
Passaic	28,115	19,981	71.1%	27,451	19,865	72.4%	1.3%
Salem	5,028	4,483	89.2%	4,791	4,488	93.7%	4.5%
Somerset	6,902	5,792	83.9%	6,159	5,427	88.1%	4.2%
Sussex	3,382	3,103	91.8%	3,212	3,043	94.7%	3.0%
Union	23,905	19,742	82.6%	22,729	19,510	85.8%	3.3%
Warren	3,540	3,149	89.0%	3,496	3,133	89.6%	0.7%
NJ TOTALS	363,740	294,162	80.9%	347,295	289,603	83.4%	2.5%

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 September (FFY 14 vs. FFY 15)

	Sep	tember 2014		Sep	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 2014 to FFY 2015
Atlantic	\$4,398,907	\$2,853,863	64.9%	\$4,280,226	\$2,836,463	66.3%	1.4%
Bergen	\$9,796,865	\$7,441,584	76.0%	\$9,646,557	\$7,243,491	75.1%	-0.9%
Burlington	\$7,030,189	\$4,816,503	68.5%	\$6,793,920	\$4,771,287	70.2%	1.7%
Camden	\$9,345,030	\$5,490,167	58.7%	\$8,949,591	\$5,364,097	59.9%	1.2%
Cape May	\$1,324,572	\$894,421	67.5%	\$1,285,854	\$867,728	67.5%	0.0%
Cumberland	\$3,571,554	\$2,027,484	56.8%	\$3,416,142	\$2,021,818	59.2%	2.4%
Essex	\$14,120,946	\$7,919,302	56.1%	\$13,982,194	\$7,860,546	56.2%	0.1%
Gloucester	\$4,755,927	\$2,985,988	62.8%	\$4,797,453	\$3,142,429	65.5%	2.7%
Hudson	\$8,490,967	\$5,562,269	65.5%	\$8,465,690	\$5,650,141	66.7%	1.2%
Hunterdon	\$1,545,552	\$1,247,222	80.7%	\$1,555,481	\$1,247,820	80.2%	-0.5%
Mercer	\$5,191,110	\$3,226,868	62.2%	\$5,106,083	\$3,208,391	62.8%	0.7%
Middlesex	\$9,216,143	\$6,098,841	66.2%	\$9,365,842	\$6,270,328	66.9%	0.8%
Monmouth	\$8,779,170	\$6,136,798	69.9%	\$8,796,241	\$6,233,600	70.9%	1.0%
Morris	\$5,239,285	\$3,767,128	71.9%	\$5,209,489	\$3,812,872	73.2%	1.3%
Ocean	\$8,003,921	\$5,780,545	72.2%	\$7,937,294	\$5,762,507	72.6%	0.4%
Passaic	\$7,606,511	\$4,567,173	60.0%	\$7,650,370	\$4,692,738	61.3%	1.3%
Salem	\$1,364,534	\$822,548	60.3%	\$1,326,726	\$790,507	59.6%	-0.7%
Somerset	\$3,832,490	\$2,913,583	76.0%	\$3,714,653	\$2,913,608	78.4%	2.4%
Sussex	\$2,133,018	\$1,615,467	75.7%	\$2,107,276	\$1,568,624	74.4%	-1.3%
Union	\$7,991,715	\$5,132,765	64.2%	\$7,906,505	\$5,132,600	64.9%	0.7%
Warren	\$1,582,432	\$1,162,029	73.4%	\$1,568,282	\$1,144,873	73.0%	-0.4%
NJ TOTALS	\$125,320,839	\$82,462,545	65.8%	\$123,861,869	\$82,536,467	66.6%	0.8%

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 September (FFY 14 vs. FFY 15)

	September 2014				Increase or		
County Office	Total Cases with Arrears	Total Amount Collected	Average Arrears Collection per Case	Total Cases with Arrears	Total Amount Collected	Average Arrears Collection per Case	Decrease (-) from FFY 2014 to FFY 2015
Atlantic	8,949	\$717,479	\$80.17	8,614	\$520,645	\$60.44	-\$19.73
Bergen	9,145	\$1,202,928	\$131.54	8,690	\$1,182,649	\$136.09	\$4.55
Burlington	9,703	\$849,722	\$87.57	9,350	\$974,934	\$104.27	\$16.70
Camden	19,719	\$1,355,053	\$68.72	18,988	\$1,248,676	\$65.76	-\$2.96
Cape May	2,493	\$240,489	\$96.47	2,391	\$169,765	\$71.00	-\$25.46
Cumberland	9,537	\$623,674	\$65.40	8,857	\$546,884	\$61.75	-\$3.65
Essex	30,548	\$2,052,229	\$67.18	29,873	\$1,629,629	\$54.55	-\$12.63
Gloucester	8,059	\$605,640	\$75.15	7,923	\$580,035	\$73.21	-\$1.94
Hudson	16,246	\$1,216,946	\$74.91	15,737	\$1,206,358	\$76.66	\$1.75
Hunterdon	1,113	\$194,322	\$174.59	1,077	\$135,917	\$126.20	-\$48.39
Mercer	9,866	\$736,997	\$74.70	9,639	\$633,752	\$65.75	-\$8.95
Middlesex	13,164	\$1,050,915	\$79.83	13,157	\$1,117,214	\$84.91	\$5.08
Monmouth	10,847	\$1,121,196	\$103.36	10,552	\$1,011,807	\$95.89	-\$7.48
Morris	4,746	\$739,752	\$155.87	4,619	\$583,972	\$126.43	-\$29.44
Ocean	11,089	\$1,166,527	\$105.20	10,721	\$878,916	\$81.98	-\$23.22
Passaic	14,332	\$1,080,546	\$75.39	13,940	\$1,037,976	\$74.46	-\$0.93
Salem	3,035	\$196,894	\$64.87	3,010	\$166,958	\$55.47	-\$9.41
Somerset	3,850	\$480,639	\$124.84	3,631	\$418,110	\$115.15	-\$9.69
Sussex	2,165	\$271,684	\$125.49	2,093	\$304,360	\$145.42	\$19.93
Union	14,005	\$1,157,778	\$82.67	13,774	\$1,054,007	\$76.52	-\$6.15
Warren	2,201	\$206,891	\$94.00	2,169	\$176,746	\$81.49	-\$12.51
NJ TOTALS	204,812	\$17,268,301	\$84.31	198,805	\$15,579,310	\$78.36	-\$5.95

SOURCE:OCSE-157 Child Support Enforcement Annual Data Report

Table 17	able 17 WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY STATISTICAL SUMMARY								
WFNJ	SEPTEMBER 2015								
	EMPLOYMENT DIRECTED ACTIVITIES			EMPLOYED	SUPPOR	T SERVICES	CLOSED	POST	
	CWEP ALL JOB			OPEN	ON ACT	TIVE CASE	FOR	ASSISTANCE	
COUNTY		OTHER	SEARCH	(WFNJ	CHILD	TRAINING REL.	EMPLOYMENT	CHILD	
		TRAINING		RECIPIENT)	CARE	EXPENSES	THIS MONTH	CARE	
ATLANTIC	107	163	76	185	94	342	48	106	
BERGEN	149	4	102	72	80	92	13	72	
BURLINGTON	233	93	62	159	145	223	24	149	
CAMDEN	416	355	28	414	440	696	44	353	
CAPE MAY	0	10	0	26	7	3	7	24	
CUMBERLAND	137	44	48	61	50	109	22	70	
ESSEX	407	681	168	968	748	1,038	98	627	
GLOUCESTER	30	16	32	77	42	83	13	129	
HUDSON	275	429	23	371	367	741	59	439	
HUNTERDON	6	0	0	4	3	0	0	12	
MERCER	243	120	169	221	187	183	40	180	
MIDDLESEX	43	48	119	186	109	103	29	184	
MONMOUTH	78	53	24	113	134	109	12	128	
MORRIS	25	1	20	30	22	17	6	42	
OCEAN	20	334	0	95	85	119	11	95	
PASSAIC	881	474	75	260	471	565	36	162	
SALEM	0	21	3	33	25	16	10	30	
SOMERSET	49	19	25	53	33	33	13	64	
SUSSEX	29	7	18	15	19	22	3	13	
UNION	341	99	12	117	140	177	26	149	
WARREN	14	16	15	33	12	4	9	52	
STATE	3,483	2,987	1,019	3,493	3,213	4,675	523	3,080	

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

#### **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.

#### **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).