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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 December, the TANF caseload had increased by 288 cases, from 41,140 in December 2010 to 41,428 in December 2011, a 0.7% increase.
- The counties with the highest family caseload percentage increase since December 2010 include Passaic (18.1%), Warren (11.6%), and Ocean (9.3%).
- The counties with caseloads that decreased since December 2010 were Union (-6.5%), Cumberland (-8.6%), and Monmouth (-9.7%).
- Of the WFNJ/TANF cases, 9,065 or 21.9% were child-only in December 2011.
- The counties with the most child-only cases were Essex (1,473), Hudson (1,150), and Camden (1,146).
- Essex (22,146), Passaic (12,500), and Camden (12,192) counties had the greatest number of persons receiving TANF in December 2011.

NJ SNAP (formerly FOOD STAMPS)

- In December 2011, there were 393,739 households receiving NJ SNAP benefits. The number of NJ SNAP households increased by 42,546, or 12.1%, since December 2010.
- There were 799,291 persons receiving NJ SNAP benefits as of December 2011, an increase of 83,582 or 11.7% since December 2010.
- The three counties having the highest caseload increase since December 2010 are Atlantic (23.6%), Passaic (18.6%), and Gloucester (17.5%).

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

- There were 7,462 families receiving Emergency Assistance (EA) in December 2011, an increase of 969 or 14.9% since December 2010.
- In December 2011, EA payments were made for 1,611 SSI recipients.

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

GA Emergency Assistance

- There were 7,354 Emergency Assistance payments made to GA cases in December 2011, a decrease of 967 or 11.6% since December 2010.
- The three counties that show an annual percent increase in emergency assistance payments are Passaic (30.3%), Union (19.5%), and Middlesex (14.5%).

GA Program

- The total numbers of cases receiving GA has decreased from 54,601 to 44,864 since December 2010, a decrease of 17.8%.
- There were 31,467 Employable GA and 13,397 Unemployable GA cases in December 2011.
- Gloucester County showed a 2.2 percent increase for GA cases since December 2010.

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.

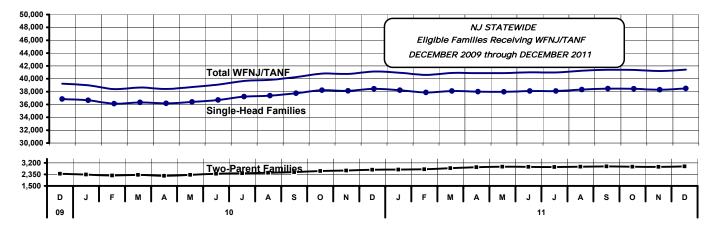
WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY (WFNJ)

- During the report month of December 2011, there were 4,565 families in which at least one member was employed and an additional 623 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 (1,088), Hudson (602), and Camden (512).
- There were 3,218 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 DECEMBER 2011; NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES & PERSONS RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF FOR DECEMBER 2011

				DECEMB	ER 2009 T	HROUGH	I DECEMBE	R 2011	•			
		Cases	Cases	Child-Only	Total	2- Parent		%CHNG		%CHNG		
		Added	Closed	Cases ‡	Singl-Head	Families	WFNJ/TANF	(1 Yr.)	Total	(1 Yr.)	Adults	Children
					Families		Families		Persons			
2009	DEC	3,457	3,018	10,038	36,838	2,395	39,233	3.9	99,453	3.4	31,590	67,863
2009 AVE	RAGE	3,457	3,018	10,038	36,838	2,395	39,233		99,453		31,590	67,863
2010	JAN	3,175	3,408	10,228	36,659	2,341	39,000	3.2	98,701	2.6	31,113	67,588
	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 AVE	RAGE	3,304	3,145	10,123	37,124	2,435	39,560		100,311		31,872	68,439
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 AVE	RAGE	3,360	3,336	9,415	38,199	2,876	41,075		105,650		34,537	71,114



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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

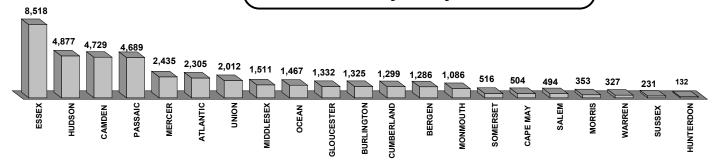
NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY COUNTY DURING DECEMBER 2011, AND NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF REPORTED FOR DECEMBER 2011

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	167	130	542	1,556	2,098	207	2,305	0.4	7.4
BERGEN	65	72	224	934	1,158	128	1,286	0.6	(2.0)
BURLINGTON	145	99	317	888	1,205	120	1,325	3.8	4.8
CAMDEN	358	274	1,146	3,325	4,471	258	4,729	1.2	6.6
CAPE MAY	92	47	110	333	443	61	504	15.1	7.5
CUMBERLAND	141	102	395	778	1,173	126	1,299	1.0	(8.6) *
ESSEX	809	997	1,473	6,546	8,019	499	8,518	(2.9)	(5.6)
GLOUCESTER	114	105	231	955	1,186	146	1,332	0.0	6.0
HUDSON	333	388	1,150	3,446	4,596	281	4,877	(0.7)	(3.0)
HUNTERDON	12	10	18	105	123	9	132	10.9	8.2
MERCER	231	203	556	1,752	2,308	127	2,435	(0.4)	(3.2)
MIDDLESEX	156	158	548	886	1,434	77	1,511	(3.0)	(3.1)
MONMOUTH	105	109	284	739	1,023	63	1,086	1.2	(9.7) *
MORRIS	35	29	91	214	305	48	353	(1.4)	(8.0)
OCEAN	106	70	348	925	1,273	194	1,467	0.0	9.3 Δ
PASSAIC	270	131	781	3,562	4,343	346	4,689	5.0	18.1 Δ
SALEM	51	84	109	342	451	43	494	(7.7)	(6.4)
SOMERSET	46	35	138	342	480	36	516	1.0	4.5
SUSSEX	27	20	47	157	204	27	231	(2.9)	(3.8)
UNION	183	165	503	1,398	1,901	111	2,012	(0.5)	(6.5) *
WARREN	36	25	54	235	289	38	327	4.5	11.6 Δ
NJ TOTAL	3,482	3,253	9,065	29,418	38,483	2,945	41,428	0.1	0.7

Total WFNJ/TANF Families

DECEMBER 2011

By County



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^{** &}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

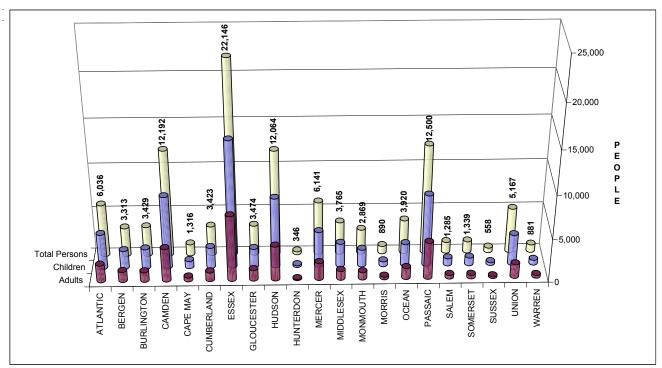
NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING PERSONS, ADULTS, AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR DECEMBER 2011

∆= ↑ Caseload %

*= ↓ Caseload %

PERSONS

County	Adults	Children	Child/Adult	Total	% Chng	Persons
			Ratio	Persons	(1 Yr)	Per Case
ATLANTIC	1,970	4,066	2.06	6,036	8.6	2.62
BERGEN	1,190	2,123	1.78	3,313	(0.5)	2.58
BURLINGTON	1,128	2,301	2.04	3,429	7.2	2.59
CAMDEN	3,841	8,351	2.17	12,192	7.6	2.58
CAPE MAY	455	861	1.89	1,316	7.6	2.61
CUMBERLAND	1,030	2,393	2.32	3,423	(8.1) *	2.64
ESSEX	7,544	14,602	1.94	22,146	(4.7)	2.60
GLOUCESTER	1,247	2,227	1.79	3,474	4.0	2.61
HUDSON	4,008	8,056	2.01	12,064	(2.9)	2.47
HUNTERDON	123	223	1.81	346	2.4	2.62
MERCER	2,006	4,135	2.06	6,141	(3.1)	2.52
MIDDLESEX	1,040	2,725	2.62	3,765	(0.7)	2.49
MONMOUTH	865	2,004	2.32	2,869	(7.0) *	2.64
MORRIS	310	580	1.87	890	1.1	2.52
OCEAN	1,313	2,607	1.99	3,920	12.0 A	2.67
PASSAIC	4,254	8,246	1.94	12,500	20.2 Δ	2.67
SALEM	428	857	2.00	1,285	(8.5) *	2.60
SOMERSET	414	925	2.23	1,339	3.4	2.59
SUSSEX	211	347	1.64	558	(6.1)	2.42
UNION	1,620	3,547	2.19	5,167	(4.2)	2.57
WARREN	311	570	1.83	881	9.7 Δ	2.69
NJ TOTAL	35,308	71,746	2.03	107,054	1.8	2.58



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TABLE 3

Work Participation Rates Achieved Over 12 Month Period Ending With DECEMBER 2011

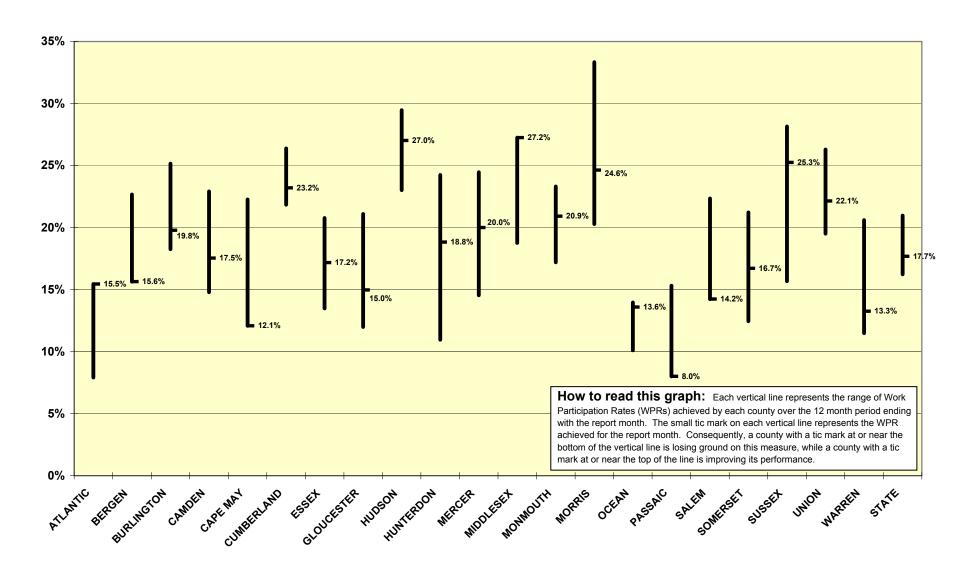
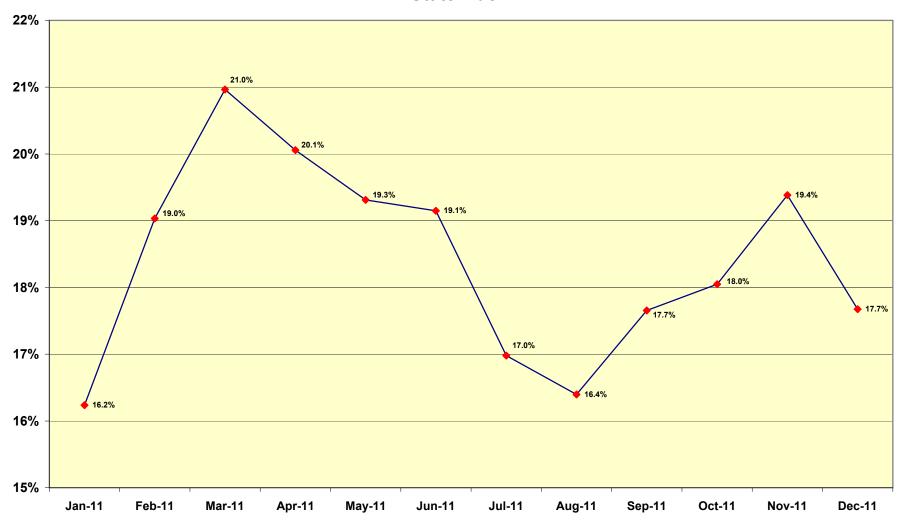


TABLE 4

WFNJ/TANF Work Participation Rates for 12-Month Period Ending with DECEMBER 2011 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.

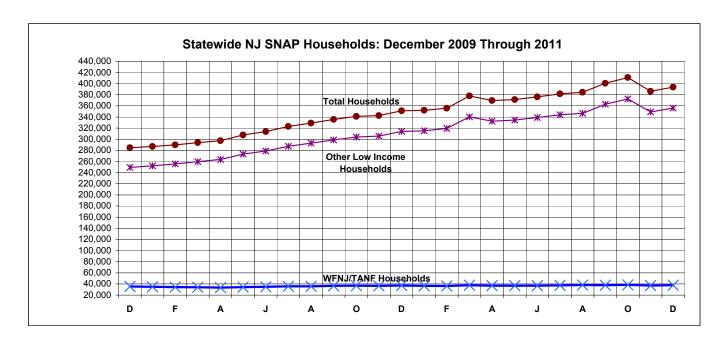
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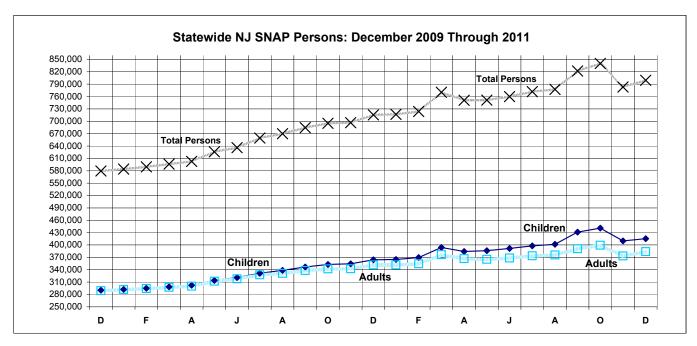
NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS AND CHILDREN FOR DECEMBER 2011 (STATEWIDE)

NJ SIVAP		AND CHIEDREN TOR DECEMBER 2011 (STATEWIDE)												
(FOOD STAMPS)		DECE	MBER 2	009 THR	OUGH DE	CEMBER	2011							
		HOUSEH	OLDS			PERS	SONS							
	WFNJ/	Other law	TOTAL	% CHNG	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% CHNG						
	TANF	Other low income	IUIAL	% CHNG (1 Yr.)	Aduits	Children	TOTAL	% CHNG (1 Yr.)						
2009 DEC	35,548	349,329	284,877	23.4%	290,251	289,056	579,307	22.0%						
2009 AVERAGE	35,548	349,329	284,877	20.470	290,251	289,056	579,307	22.070						
2010 JAN	34,895	252,224	287,119	23.5%	292,314	291,880	584,194	22.5%						
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	35,437	282,253	317,690	23.570	325,993	320,540	646,534	20.070						
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 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							

Data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse.

TABLE 6: NJ SNAP (FOOD STAMPS) TRENDS FOR PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS & PERSONS DECEMBER 2009 THROUGH DECEMBER 2011 (STATEWIDE)





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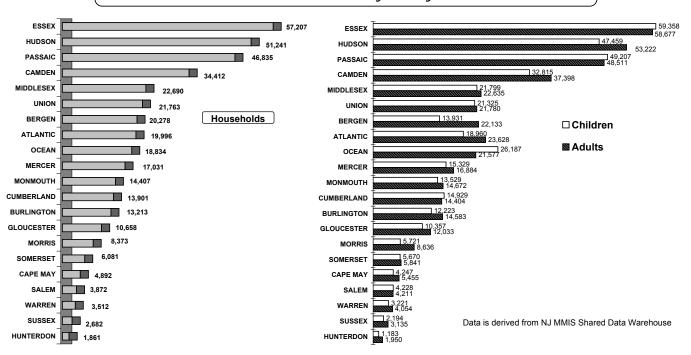
* While the number of adults and children for each month are within 3000 of each other, due to the scale of the table the two trend lines appear to be a single line.

Table 7 NJ SNAP

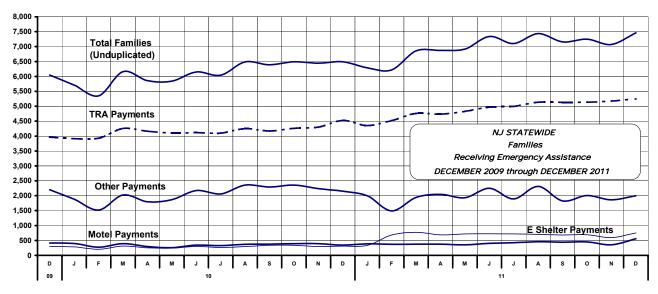
NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR DECEMBER 2011

∆= ↑ Caseload %		<u>HOUSEH</u> (<u>DLDS</u>				<u>PERSONS</u>		
*= ↓ Caseload %									
County	WFNJ/	Other	TOTAL	% Chng	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% Chng	
	TANF	low income		(1 Yr)				(1 Yr)	
ATLANTIC	2,042	17,954	19,996	23.6 Δ	23,628	18,960	42,588	30.1	Δ
BERGEN	1,166	19,112	20,278	10.2	22,133	13,931	36,064	8.5	
BURLINGTON	1,202	12,011	13,213	16.7	14,583	12,223	26,806	16.0	Δ
CAMDEN	4,286	30,126	34,412	17.3	37,398	32,815	70,213	14.5	
CAPE MAY	443	4,449	4,892	9.3	5,455	4,247	9,702	8.5	
CUMBERLAND	1,198	12,703	13,901	5.5 *	14,404	14,929	29,333	4.8	*
ESSEX	8,067	49,140	57,207	2.8 *	58,677	59,358	118,035	4.1	*
GLOUCESTER	1,113	9,545	10,658	17.5 A	12,033	10,357	22,390	15.4	
HUDSON	4,516	46,725	51,241	11.8	53,222	47,459	100,681	11.1	
HUNTERDON	111	1,750	1,861	14.3	1,950	1,183	3,133	11.3	
MERCER	2,277	14,754	17,031	15.1	16,884	15,329	32,213	12.2	
MIDDLESEX	1,347	21,343	22,690	16.0	22,635	21,799	44,434	13.4	
MONMOUTH	968	13,439	14,407	10.4	14,672	13,529	28,201	9.8	
MORRIS	324	8,049	8,373	12.4	8,636	5,721	14,357	10.8	
OCEAN	1,290	17,544	18,834	3.7 *	21,577	26,187	47,764	4.6	*
PASSAIC	4,326	42,509	46,835	18.6 Δ	48,511	49,207	97,718	19.1	Δ
SALEM	427	3,445	3,872	10.5	4,211	4,228	8,439	8.4	
SOMERSET	441	5,640	6,081	16.2	5,841	5,670	11,511	15.5	
SUSSEX	188	2,494	2,682	15.6	3,135	2,194	5,329	10.5	
UNION	1,723	20,040	21,763	12.4	21,780	21,325	43,105	11.3	
WARREN	296	3,216	3,512	10.4	4,054	3,221	7,275	10.4	
NJ TOTAL	37,751	355,988	393,739	12.1	415,419	383,872	799,291	11.7	

Total NJ SNAP Recipients DECEMBER 2011 By County



TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS Table 8 **DECEMBER 2009 THROUGH DECEMBER 2011 - STATEWIDE EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE** TOTAL Temp Motel Shelter/Transitional Other (STATEWIDE) WFNJ/EA Rent Asst. Housing Housing EΑ Families % CHNG % CHNG % CHNG % CHNG % CHNG **Payments Payments Payments Payments** (1 YR) (Undupl) (Undupl) (Undupl) (1 YR) (Undupl) (1 YR) (Undupl) (1 YR) (1 YR) -12.2% 3.2% 2009 DEC 6,048 16.2% 30.3% 3,967 411 11.4% 296 2,198 2009 AVERAGE 6.048 3,967 411 296 2,198 2010 JAN 5.708 18.7% 3.914 31.8% 395 15.5% 282 -17.1% 1.881 10.3% 275 **FEB** 5,351 11.2% 3,930 28.6% -19.6% 203 -20.1% 1,516 -11.3% 19.2% 4,254 31.9% 14.3% 13.1% MAR 6,162 391 310 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% 16.7% JUN 6,151 15.9% 4,114 24.1% 344 8.5% 301 2,172 8.4% JUL 11.2% 12.3% -8.0% 2,063 -6.7% 6,042 4,101 23.5% 329 265 **AUG** 6,489 22.3% 24.3% 18.2% 294 5.0% 2,355 25.2% 4,247 370 17.0% SFP 6,390 4,171 23.0% 378 18.1% 339 7.3% 2,291 11.3% 6.491 OCT 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 6,119 4,172 347 285 2,059 **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% 18.4% 3.4% MAY 6,917 4,827 17.8% 353 36.3% 718 199.2% 1,931 19.3% JUN 7,339 20.8% 404 17.4% 725 140.9% 2,248 3.5% 4,969 17.6% 170.6% -8.3% JUL 7,106 21.8% 425 29.2% 4,997 717 1,892 2,314 AUG 7,436 14.6% 5,136 20.9% 455 23.0% 701 138.4% -1.7% 7,158 SEP 12.0% 23.0% 442 16.9% 681 100.9% 1.823 -20.4% 5,131 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



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."

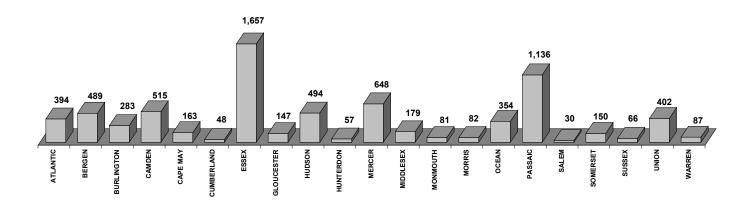
Table 9 EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

NUMBER OF TOTAL ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS BY COUNTY (UNDUPLICATED CASES) DECEMBER 2011

ASSISTANCE							
(BY COUNTY)	TOTAL	%	Temp	Motel	Shelter/Transitional	Other	SSI
	WFNJ/EA	CHNG	Rent Asst.	Housing	Housing	WFNJ/EA	Receipients
County	Families	From	Payments	Payments	Payments	Payments	Receiving EA**
	(Undupl)	Dec 10	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	
ATLANTIC	394	20.1%	323	35	1	90	65
BERGEN	489	41.7% Δ	404	12	32	99	73
BURLINGTON	283	10.5%	115	53	105	70	137
CAMDEN	515	38.4% Δ	236	101	70	234	88
CAPE MAY	163	-1.8%	93	65	8	21	107
CUMBERLAND	48	14.3%	19	4	5	30	18
ESSEX	1,657	-9.1%	1,280	0	202	363	114
GLOUCESTER	147	18.5%	107	21	15	33	27
HUDSON	494	29.7%	409	10	12	96	18
HUNTERDON	57	-5.0%	51	1	2	18	39
MERCER	648	10.2%	399	28	103	225	249
MIDDLESEX	179	-22.5% *	36	67	41	63	109
MONMOUTH	81	-13.8%	3	31	40	14	16
MORRIS	82	-12.8%	59	7	6	18	15
OCEAN	354	34.1%	278	59	1	101	97
PASSAIC	1,136	81.8% Δ	879	34	43	352	251
SALEM	30	-18.9% *	18	4	0	11	3
SOMERSET	150	0.0%	99	13	13	51	82
SUSSEX	66	-29.0% *	53	1	3	14	34
UNION	402	16.9%	316	8	46	82	64
WARREN	87	14.5%	73	5	1	15	5
NJ TOTAL	7,462	14.9%	5,250	559	749	2,000	1,611

Δ= ↑ Caseload %

Number WFNJ Families Receiving EA by County DECEMBER 2011



^{* = ↓} Caseload %

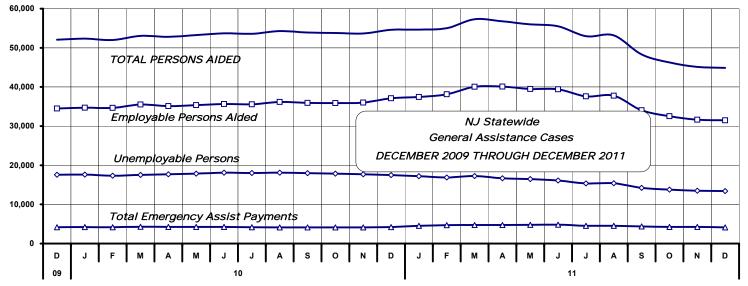
^{**}SSI-EA includes pay codes 22 and 24, data is derived from NJ Division of Family Development FAMIS Report #FM430-03A WFNJ/EA data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse.

Table 10 NUMBER OF EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS GENERAL AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR DECEMBER 2011 - STATEWIDE

ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

DECEMBER 2009 THROUGH DECEMBER 2011

PROGRAM			Total C	Cases			Emergenc	y Assistance	<u> Cases</u>	
							Temporary	Other		
	Employable	% Chng	Unemployable	e % Chng	Total	% Chng	Rental Assistance	GA-EA	Total	% Chng
		(1 Yr)		(1 Yr)		(1 Yr)				(1 Yr)
2009 DEC	34,506	26.3%	17,571	-0.4%	52,077	15.8%	4,160	4,672	8,832	17.2%
2009 AVERAGE	34,506		17,571		52,077		4,160	4,672	8,832	
2010 JAN	34,714	24.6%	17,631	0.9%	52,345	15.5%	4,197	4,218	8,415	11.8%
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	35,638		17,778		53,416		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	



Source: NJ Division of Family Development, GA Fiscal Unit

TABLE 11 GENERAL ASSISTANCE

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

PROGRAM DECEMBER 2011 Total Cases Emergency Assistance Cases County **Employable** % Chng **Unemployable** % Chng Total % Chng Temporary Other **Total** % Chng (From Dec 10) (From Dec 10) (From Dec 10) Rental Assist GA-EA (From Dec 10) ATLANTIC 2,074 -6.1% 427 -50.6% 2,501 -18.6% 221 37 258 -22.5% BERGEN 943 -9.1% 653 -9.8% 1,596 -9.4% 439 50 489 -9.4% **BURLINGTON** 1,487 -0.3% 379 -43.7% 1,866 -13.8% 88 295 383 -10.1% **CAMDEN** 4,088 -1.5% 1,921 -19.7% 6,009 -8.1% 265 316 581 -4.8% **CAPE MAY** 493 766 -18.0% 115 -35.8% 881 -20.8% 199 294 -8.7% **CUMBERLAND** 1,696 -18.5% 576 -10.8% 2,272 -16.7% 13 53 66 -7.0% **ESSEX** -37.6% -52.2% 4,444 -36.6% 1,216 -41.2% 5,660 351 383 734 **GLOUCESTER** 2.2% Δ 1,400 14.8% 409 -25.8% 1,809 79 138 217 -2.7% **HUDSON** 2,860 -31.1% 1,570 -19.9% 4,430 -27.5% * 161 64 225 -8.9% **HUNTERDON** 173 -18.0% 209 -9.5% 382 -13.6% 161 109 270 -16.4% **MERCER** 2,025 3.4% 762 -22.4% 2,787 -5.2% Δ 300 198 498 -7.8% **MIDDLESEX** 743 -14.2% 600 -15.7% 1,343 -14.9% 150 253 403 14.5% Δ **MONMOUTH** 667 -19.4% 338 -34.1% 1,005 -25.1% 44 151 195 -13.3% **MORRIS** 523 -12.0% 418 -14.0% 941 -12.9% 186 75 261 -10.0% **OCEAN** 832 -18.8% -7.8% 449 -4.7% 1,821 -1.7% 2,653 281 168 **PASSAIC** 3,217 -9.9% 1,384 0.9% 4,601 -6.9% <u>\(\Delta \) \(\Delta \)</u> 684 214 898 30.3% Δ SALEM -40.5% 181 -48.1% 105 -36.4% 286 -44.4% * 21 26 47 SOMERSET 286 -9.5% 189 -29.7% 475 -18.8% 87 61 148 5.7% **SUSSEX** 160 -11.6% 104 -38.5% 264 -24.6% 39 44 83 -30.3% UNION 1,655 -8.9% 1,065 -20.5% 2.720 -13.8% 319 246 565 19.5% Δ WARREN -5.2% 258 -11.6% 125 -29.4% 383 -18.3% 44 47 91 **NJ TOTAL** 31,467 -15.2% 13,397 -23.4% 44,864 -17.8% 4,132 3,222 7,354 -11.6%

Δ= ↑ Caseload %

* = ↓ Caseload %

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.

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.

^{**} 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 December (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

	D	ecember 20	10	De	ecember 20	11	
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	Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2011 to FFY 2012
Atlantic	11,305	10,177	90.0%	10,655	9,744	91.5%	1.4%
Bergen	5,880	5,491	93.4%	5,580	5,235	93.8%	0.4%
Burlington	10,351	9,331	90.1%	9,838	8,915	90.6%	0.5%
Camden	31,953	28,024	87.7%	30,224	26,866	88.9%	1.2%
Cape May	2,453	2,352	95.9%	2,355	2,271	96.4%	0.6%
Cumberland	11,809	11,603	98.3%	10,830	10,556	97.5%	-0.8%
Essex	51,896	42,995	82.8%	49,819	41,957	84.2%	1.4%
Gloucester	7,435	7,086	95.3%	7,275	6,920	95.1%	-0.2%
Hudson	23,770	19,075	80.2%	22,606	18,603	82.3%	2.0%
Hunterdon	608	568	93.4%	573	535	93.4%	-0.1%
Mercer	13,870	12,088	87.2%	13,485	11,821	87.7%	0.5%
Middlesex	11,944	10,851	90.8%	11,594	10,650	91.9%	1.0%
Monmouth	10,172	9,083	89.3%	9,698	8,822	91.0%	1.7%
Morris	2,580	2,453	95.1%	2,511	2,411	96.0%	0.9%
Ocean	8,358	7,797	93.3%	7,854	7,425	94.5%	1.2%
Passaic	20,652	18,191	88.1%	20,448	17,995	88.0%	-0.1%
Salem	3,029	2,709	89.4%	2,840	2,577	90.7%	1.3%
Somerset	3,465	3,052	88.1%	3,445	3,014	87.5%	-0.6%
Sussex	1,224	1,172	95.8%	1,191	1,147	96.3%	0.6%
Union	15,908	14,100	88.6%	15,019	13,473	89.7%	1.1%
Warren	1,796	1,758	97.9%	1,711	1,662	97.1%	-0.7%
Central Office **	12	8	66.7%	12	9	75.0%	8.3%
NJ TOTALS	250,470	219,964	87.8%	239,563	212,608	88.7%	0.9%

^{*} 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 December (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

	Do	ecember 20			ecember 20		Increase or
	TOTAL	CASES	% OF CASES	TOTAL	CASES	% OF CASES	Decrease (-)
County Office	TOTAL	WITH	WITH	TOTAL	WITH	WITH	from FFY 2011
	CASES	ORDERS	ORDERS	CASES	ORDERS	ORDERS	to FFY 2012
Atlantic	16,285	12,827	78.8%	17,052	12,360	72.5%	-6.3%
Bergen	14,886	13,160	88.4%	15,031	13,489	89.7%	1.3%
Burlington	18,843	15,818	83.9%	19,088	15,210	79.7%	-4.3%
Camden	43,497	32,683	75.1%	43,556	31,984	73.4%	-1.7%
Cape May	4,130	3,579	86.7%	4,183	3,551	84.9%	-1.8%
Cumberland	15,711	14,593	92.9%	16,028	13,977	87.2%	-5.7%
Essex	62,458	46,003	73.7%	63,608	43,996	69.2%	-4.5%
Gloucester	12,107	10,724	88.6%	12,655	10,872	85.9%	-2.7%
Hudson	36,212	25,224	69.7%	37,260	23,773	63.8%	-5.9%
Hunterdon	1,996	1,788	89.6%	2,050	1,772	86.4%	-3.1%
Mercer	20,661	16,758	81.1%	21,047	15,751	74.8%	-6.3%
Middlesex	21,717	18,557	85.4%	22,587	18,324	81.1%	-4.3%
Monmouth	19,177	16,590	86.5%	19,565	16,501	84.3%	-2.2%
Morris	7,016	6,409	91.3%	7,216	6,614	91.7%	0.3%
Ocean	18,423	16,634	90.3%	18,523	16,462	88.9%	-1.4%
Passaic	28,826	22,566	78.3%	29,788	21,883	73.5%	-4.8%
Salem	5,287	4,642	87.8%	5,175	4,435	85.7%	-2.1%
Somerset	7,493	6,008	80.2%	7,926	6,086	76.8%	-3.4%
Sussex	3,367	3,017	89.6%	3,528	3,122	88.5%	-1.1%
Union	25,983	21,816	84.0%	25,897	20,834	80.4%	-3.5%
Warren	3,695	3,393	91.8%	3,763	3,368	89.5%	-2.3%
Central Office*	113	0	0.0%	124	1	0.8%	0.8%
NJ TOTALS	387,883	312,789	80.6%	395,650	304,365	76.9%	-3.7%

^{*} 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 December (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

	Dec	ember 2010		Dec	ember 2011		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	\$4,524,024	\$2,953,266	65.3%	\$4,470,616	\$2,961,197	66.2%	1.0%
Bergen	\$9,361,072	\$6,722,271	71.8%	\$9,623,311	\$7,001,487	72.8%	0.9%
Burlington	\$7,475,576	\$4,950,157	66.2%	\$7,350,485	\$4,973,908	67.7%	1.5%
Camden	\$10,032,613	\$5,753,515	57.3%	\$9,873,695	\$5,738,453	58.1%	0.8%
Cape May	\$1,425,855	\$969,820	68.0%	\$1,434,626	\$978,380	68.2%	0.2%
Cumberland	\$4,227,674	\$2,218,451	52.5%	\$4,100,955	\$2,186,169	53.3%	0.8%
Essex	\$14,829,236	\$8,218,303	55.4%	\$14,513,281	\$8,211,699	56.6%	1.2%
Gloucester	\$4,857,270	\$2,988,881	61.5%	\$4,873,845	\$3,030,636	62.2%	0.6%
Hudson	\$8,758,674	\$5,574,781	63.6%	\$8,664,096	\$5,605,229	64.7%	1.0%
Hunterdon	\$1,559,014	\$1,214,450	77.9%	\$1,577,889	\$1,241,482	78.7%	0.8%
Mercer	\$5,677,560	\$3,473,949	61.2%	\$5,535,734	\$3,417,117	61.7%	0.5%
Middlesex	\$8,740,141	\$5,512,301	63.1%	\$8,673,252	\$5,660,253	65.3%	2.2%
Monmouth	\$8,439,276	\$5,421,019	64.2%	\$8,697,070	\$5,875,297	67.6%	3.3%
Morris	\$5,208,044	\$3,652,942	70.1%	\$5,126,970	\$3,680,762	71.8%	1.7%
Ocean	\$8,033,388	\$5,430,016	67.6%	\$8,080,906	\$5,768,930	71.4%	3.8%
Passaic	\$8,152,018	\$4,750,942	58.3%	\$7,905,308	\$4,591,044	58.1%	-0.2%
Salem	\$1,448,770	\$890,998	61.5%	\$1,459,802	\$872,201	59.7%	-1.8%
Somerset	\$3,991,722	\$2,758,234	69.1%	\$3,968,185	\$2,830,542	71.3%	2.2%
Sussex	\$2,098,663	\$1,543,867	73.6%	\$2,130,882	\$1,544,886	72.5%	-1.1%
Union	\$8,390,053	\$5,048,000	60.2%	\$8,257,338	\$5,077,682	61.5%	1.3%
Warren	\$1,719,658	\$1,158,319	67.4%	\$1,688,775	\$1,187,195	70.3%	2.9%
Central Office	\$0	\$0	0.0%	\$0	\$0	0.0%	0.0%
NJ TOTALS	\$128,950,301	\$81,204,484	63.0%	\$128,007,022	\$82,434,548	64.4%	1.4%

^{*} 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 December (FFY 11 vs. FFY 12)

	D	ecember 20	10	D	Increase or		
County Office	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	Decrease (-) from FFY 2011 to FFY 2012
Atlantic	8,372	600	7.2%	8,580	2,794	32.6%	25.4%
Bergen	8,743	792	9.1%	9,253	2,996	32.4%	23.3%
Burlington	9,799	806	8.2%	10,002	3,171	31.7%	23.5%
Camden	19,695	1,159	5.9%	19,808	5,893	29.8%	23.9%
Cape May	2,353	186	7.9%	2,507	806	32.1%	24.2%
Cumberland	9,899	457	4.6%	9,846	2,585	26.3%	21.6%
Essex	30,917	1,476	4.8%	31,005	8,311	26.8%	22.0%
Gloucester	7,386	503	6.8%	7,613	2,119	27.8%	21.0%
Hudson	16,761	1,146	6.8%	16,821	5,119	30.4%	23.6%
Hunterdon	1,135	128	11.3%	1,162	390	33.6%	22.3%
Mercer	10,033	556	5.5%	10,150	3,065	30.2%	24.7%
Middlesex	12,668	876	6.9%	12,770	3,638	28.5%	21.6%
Monmouth	10,910	715	6.6%	11,222	3,594	32.0%	25.5%
Morris	4,438	342	7.7%	4,625	1,424	30.8%	23.1%
Ocean	10,913	811	7.4%	10,968	3,698	33.7%	26.3%
Passaic	15,141	880	5.8%	15,215	3,923	25.8%	20.0%
Salem	2,973	194	6.5%	2,967	795	26.8%	20.3%
Somerset	3,964	370	9.3%	3,954	1,312	33.2%	23.8%
Sussex	2,048	180	8.8%	2,180	741	34.0%	25.2%
Union	14,653	834	5.7%	14,642	4,284	29.3%	23.6%
Warren	2,304	201	8.7%	2,354	749	31.8%	23.1%
Central Office*	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
NJ TOTALS	205,105	13,212	6.4%	207,644	61,407	29.6%	23.1%

^{*} 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	DECEMBER 2011										
	EMPLOYMENT DIRECTED ACTIVITIES			EMPLOYED	SUPPORT SERVICES		CLOSED	POST			
COUNTY	CWEP	ALL	JOB	OPEN		IVE CASE	FOR	ASSISTANCE			
COUNTY		OTHER TRAINING	SEARCH	(WFNJ RECIPIENT)	CHILD CARE	TRAINING REL. EXPENSES	EMPLOYMENT THIS MONTH	CHILD CARE			
ATLANTIC	146	158	137	201	176	250	27	111			
BERGEN	267	46	129	152	140	245	16	61			
BURLINGTON	535	65	14	219	218	387	16	191			
CAMDEN	861	460	100	512	722	948	58	303			
CAPE MAY	119	13	25	52	21	38	8	28			
CUMBERLAND	282	81	32	55	103	249	19	102			
ESSEX	622	1,253	234	1,088	1,555	1,975	149	719			
GLOUCESTER	120	28	47	165	122	59	17	121			
HUDSON	676	640	62	602	816	1,148	88	436			
HUNTERDON	11	2	15	17	0	1	0	0			
MERCER	459	216	241	301	384	370	30	214			
MIDDLESEX	276	61	121	249	142	251	44	181			
MONMOUTH	124	117	46	197	245	233	29	202			
MORRIS	67	26	7	54	53	56	6	51			
OCEAN	108	233	145	73	124	183	11	95			
PASSAIC	738	381	11	226	463	427	39	125			
SALEM	99	27	14	52	64	64	9	57			
SOMERSET	45	30	33	96	71	72	16	60			
SUSSEX	56	3	24	14	0	34	3	0			
UNION	512	113	76	213	246	355	31	161			
WARREN	23	18	27	27	0	13	7	0			
STATE	6,146	3,971	1,540	4,565	5,665	7,358	623	3,218			

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

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 # 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).