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SUBJECT: CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS

Attached please find the *Current Program Statistics* for June 2008. Included are TANF-oriented and Food Stamps data, General Assistance data, and the WFNJ Statistical Summary.

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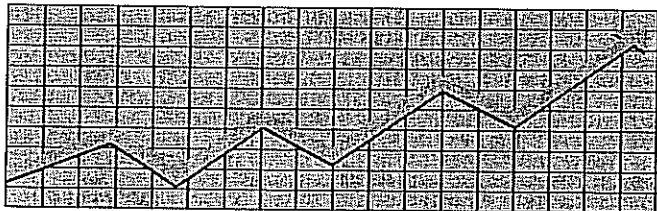
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**June 2008
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**DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS
JUNE 2008**

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**DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS
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Each month the Division of Family Development publishes its program statistics for: WFNJ/TANF, Food Stamps, Emergency Assistance, General Assistance (GA) and Child Support and Paternity. 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.

WFNJ/TANF

- At the end of June, the TANF caseload decreased by 1,225 cases, from 38,746 in June 2007 to 37,521 in June 2008, a 3.2% decline.
- The counties with the highest family caseload percentage increase since June 2007 include Salem (5.9%), Morris (5.8%), and Atlantic (4.6%).
- The counties that decreased the most since June 2007 were Hunterdon (-9.4 %), Camden (-9.5%) and Cape May (-11.8 %)
- Of the WFNJ/TANF families, 9,881 or 26.3% were child-only cases in June 2008
- The counties with the most child-only cases were Essex (1,771), Hudson (1,407), and Camden (1,195).
- Essex (22,085), Hudson (12,488), and Camden (9,923) counties have the greatest number of persons receiving TANF in June 2008.

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

- June 2008 there are 213,933 households receiving food stamps. Food Stamp households increased by 12,475, or 6.2%, since June 2007.
- There were 438,561 persons receiving food stamps as of June 2008, an increase of 23,639 or 5.7 % since June 2007.
- The three counties having the highest caseload increase since June 2007 are Morris (19.7%), Ocean (17.6%), and Hunterdon (11.7%)

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

- There were 4,789 families receiving emergency assistance (EA) in June 2008, an increase of 41 or 0.9% since June 2007.
- In June 2008, EA payments were made for 1,626 SSI recipients

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GENERAL ASSISTANCE

GA Emergency Assistance

- There were 7,516 emergency assistance payments made to GA recipients in June 2008, a increase of 560 or 8.1% since June 2007.
- The three counties that show an annual percent increase in emergency assistance payments are Morris (79.8%), Salem (65.8%), and Hunterdon (41.8%).

GA Program

- The total numbers of persons for GA has increased from 37,859 to 41,673 since June 2007, an increase of 10.1%.
- There were 24,148 Employable GA and 17,525 Unemployable GA recipients in June 2008.
- Morris (41.5%), Ocean (34.6%), and Essex (23.8%) counties showed the highest percent increase for GA persons since June 2007.

CHILD SUPPORT AND PATERNITY (Quarterly Report)

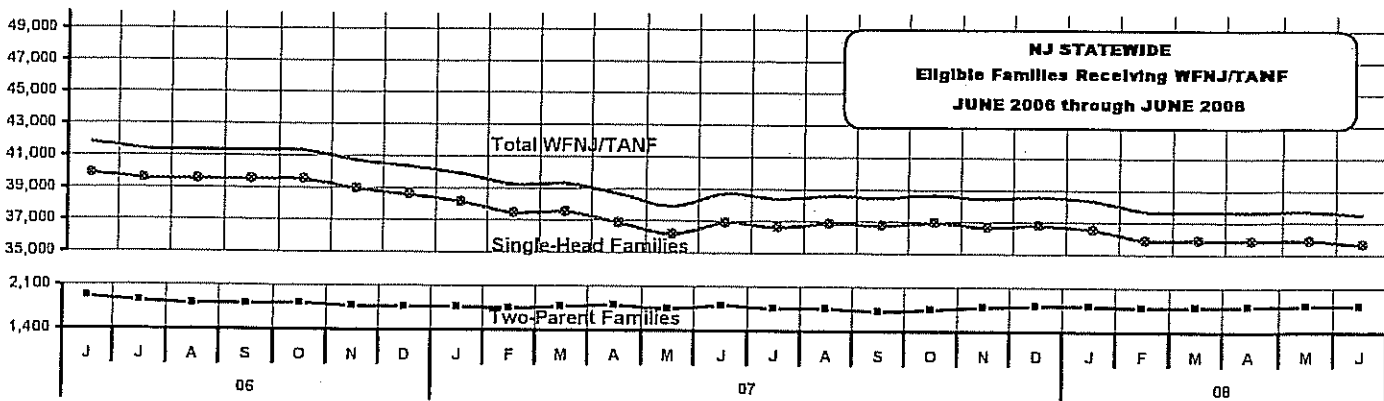
- The total collection for the Child Support and Paternity Program was about 304 million dollars from October 2007 to June 2008, an increase of 7.0 percent over the same period for FFY 2007.
- Total distributions increased over 5 percent from June 2007, and a slight decrease in the percent of collections distributed from 97.7% in June 2007 to 96.5% in June 2008.

WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY (WFNJ)

- During the report month of June 2008, there were 4,795 families where at least one member is employed and an additional 448 families where WFNJ assistance cases were closed due to employment – related earnings.
- The three counties with the greatest number of employed active recipients were: Essex (1,166), Hudson (624), and Camden (505).
- There were 4,682 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 JUNE 2008;
NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES & PERSONS RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF FOR JUNE 2008
JUNE 2006 THROUGH JUNE 2008

	Cases Added	Cases Closed	Child-Only Cases ‡	Total Families		2-Parent Families	Total WFNJ/TANF	%CHNG (1 Yr.)	* Persons		
				Singl-Head	Families				Total	%CHNG (1 Yr.)	Adults
2006											
JUN	3,402	3,804	11,319	39,918	1,926	41,844	(5.5)	99,488	(5.8)	32,451	67,037
JUL	3,524	3,945	11,113	39,569	1,854	41,423	(6.2)	98,429	(6.6)	32,164	66,265
AUG	3,710	3,777	10,993	39,544	1,812	41,356	(7.1)	98,258	(7.5)	32,175	66,083
SEP	3,855	3,849	10,864	39,554	1,808	41,362	(7.6)	98,442	(8.1)	32,306	66,136
OCT	3,662	3,672	10,792	39,525	1,827	41,352	(7.8)	98,443	(8.3)	32,387	66,056
NOV	3,465	4,058	10,746	38,981	1,778	40,759	(8.6)	96,955	(9.1)	31,791	65,164
DEC	3,470	3,848	10,746	38,615	1,766	40,381	(9.1)	95,800	(8.0)	31,401	64,399
2006 AVERAGE	3,445	3,783	11,262	40,027	1,912	41,939		99,775		32,590	67,186
2007											
JAN	3,165	3,604	10,790	38,176	1,766	39,942	(9.0)	100,795	(9.8)	30,918	69,877
FEB	3,080	3,765	10,771	37,506	1,751	39,257	(9.2)	98,772	(10.2)	30,237	68,535
MAR	3,501	3,417	11,014	37,561	1,780	39,341	(8.5)	98,416	(10.4)	30,107	68,309
APR	3,218	3,850	10,874	36,903	1,806	38,709	(8.7)	96,867	(4.0)	29,641	67,226
MAY	3,000	3,754	10,545	36,200	1,755	37,955	(10.2)	96,454	(4.0)	29,165	67,289
JUN	4,094	3,303	10,750	36,949	1,797	38,746	(7.4)	96,769	(2.7)	29,793	66,976
JUL	3,482	3,802	10,531	36,664	1,762	38,426	(7.2)	96,287	(2.2)	29,657	66,630
AUG	3,666	3,464	10,458	36,871	1,757	38,628	(6.6)	96,882	(1.4)	29,927	66,955
SEP	3,603	3,743	10,288	36,768	1,720	38,488	(6.9)	96,873	(1.6)	29,920	66,953
OCT	3,683	3,467	10,304	36,959	1,745	38,704	(6.4)	97,358	(1.1)	30,145	67,213
NOV	3,368	3,601	10,191	36,683	1,788	38,471	(5.6)	97,124	0.2	30,068	67,056
DEC	3,570	3,426	10,188	36,808	1,807	38,615	(4.4)	97,469	1.7	30,234	67,235
2007 AVERAGE	3,453	3,600	10,559	37,004	1,770	38,774		97,506		29,984	67,521
2008											
JAN	3,431	3,678	10,186	36,558	1,810	38,368	(3.9)	96,732	(4.0)	29,992	66,740
FEB	3,016	3,656	10,134	35,939	1,789	37,728	(3.9)	95,082	(3.7)	29,383	65,699
MAR	3,313	3,336	10,084	35,908	1,797	37,705	(4.2)	95,002	(3.5)	29,418	65,584
APR	3,369	3,375	10,111	35,885	1,814	37,699	(2.6)	94,773	(2.2)	29,402	65,371
MAY	3,484	3,443	10,033	35,916	1,824	37,740	(0.6)	94,999	(1.5)	29,531	65,468
JUN	3,357	3,576	9,881	35,699	1,822	37,521	(3.2)	94,421	(2.4)	29,462	64,959
2008 AVG to date	3,328	3,511	10,072	35,984	1,809	37,794		95,168		29,531	65,637



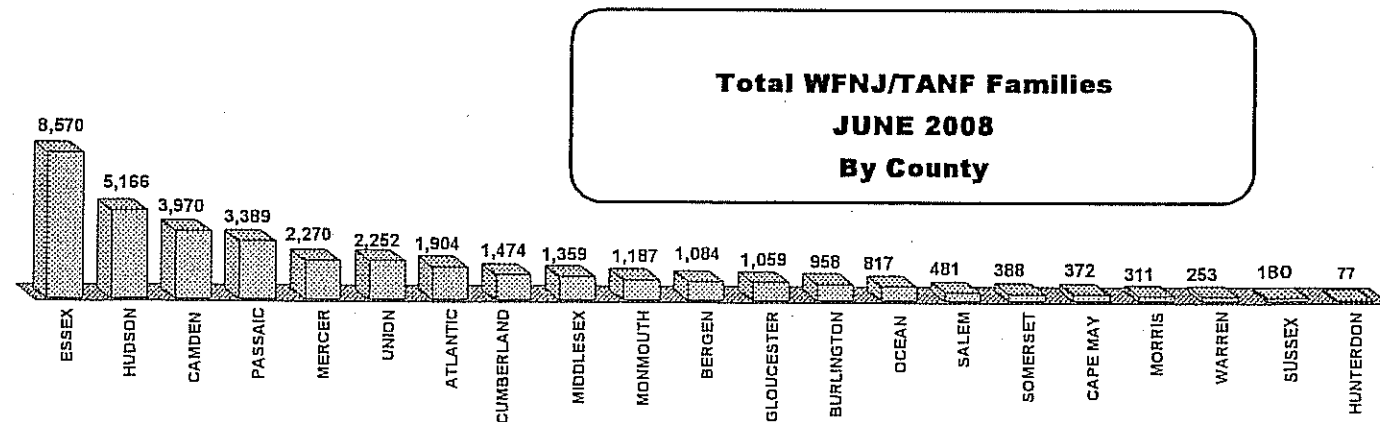
As of Nov 2004, data is derived and further refined from NJ Division of Family Development Issuance files. (To retain consistency, all data is restated from Nov 2002 to present, reflecting only minor changes to prior reported values).

‡ Child-only cases are defined as families where 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.

* January 2007 to May 2007 TANF Persons and TANF Children have been corrected.

Table 2
WFNJ/TANF
PROGRAM
 NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY COUNTY DURING JUNE 2008, AND
 NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF REPORTED FOR JUNE 2008

County	Cases Added	Cases Closed**	Child- Total				Total		% Chng (3 Mon)	% Chng (1 Yr)
			Only Cases ‡	1-Adult Cases	Singl-Head Families	2-Parent Families	WFNJ/TANF Families	Total Families		
ATLANTIC	122	155	578	1,253	1,831	73	1,904	(1.8)	4.6 Δ	
BERGEN	82	87	255	750	1,005	79	1,084	(2.4)	(1.3)	
BURLINGTON	104	117	328	567	895	63	958	(4.1)	(8.8)	
CAMDEN	306	351	1,195	2,625	3,820	150	3,970	(1.5)	(9.5) *	
CAPE MAY	34	50	103	238	341	31	372	(5.8)	(11.8) *	
CUMBERLAND	136	178	449	906	1,355	119	1,474	(5.9)	(1.7)	
ESSEX	1,058	997	1,771	6,440	8,211	359	8,570	2.5	(2.8)	
GLOUCESTER	95	90	268	722	990	69	1,059	0.8	2.3	
HUDSON	303	377	1,407	3,551	4,958	208	5,166	(1.5)	(6.1)	
HUNTERDON	17	10	15	59	74	3	77	2.7	(9.4) *	
MERCER	182	215	571	1,597	2,168	102	2,270	(1.0)	(4.6)	
MIDDLESEX	135	125	482	812	1,294	65	1,359	1.6	(3.5)	
MONMOUTH	98	128	337	798	1,135	52	1,187	(3.1)	(2.2)	
MORRIS	27	35	94	182	276	35	311	(1.0)	5.8 Δ	
OCEAN	93	97	281	482	763	54	817	(0.7)	0.4	
PASSAIC	229	261	806	2,425	3,231	158	3,389	(0.3)	2.4	
SALEM	53	42	121	328	449	32	481	0.8	5.9 Δ	
SOMERSET	34	45	134	233	367	21	388	(3.2)	(3.2)	
SUSSEX	25	16	44	120	164	16	180	8.4	4.0	
UNION	179	175	592	1,561	2,153	99	2,252	(0.5)	(2.7)	
WARREN	45	25	50	169	219	34	253	13.5	(7.3)	
NJ TOTAL	3,357	3,576	9,881	25,818	35,699	1,822	37,521	(0.5)	(3.2)	



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

Δ=higher caseload % change

*=lower caseload % change

Table 2B

**NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING PERSONS, ADULTS, AND CHILDREN
BY COUNTY FOR JUNE 2008**

**WFNJ/TANF
PROGRAM**

Δ = ↑ Caseload %

* = ↓ Caseload %

PERSONS

County	Adults	Children	Child/Adult Ratio	Total Persons	% Chng (1 Yr)	Persons Per Case
ATLANTIC	1,399	3,312	2.37	4,711	6.2 Δ	2.47
BERGEN	908	1,692	1.86	2,600	0.9	2.40
BURLINGTON	693	1,587	2.29	2,280	(9.4) *	2.38
CAMDEN	2,925	6,998	2.39	9,923	(10.1) *	2.50
CAPE MAY	300	673	2.24	973	(11.4) *	2.62
CUMBERLAND	1,144	2,739	2.39	3,883	(0.1)	2.63
ESSEX	7,158	14,927	2.09	22,085	(2.1)	2.58
GLOUCESTER	860	1,739	2.02	2,599	2.3	2.45
HUDSON	3,967	8,521	2.15	12,488	(5.6)	2.42
HUNTERDON	65	128	1.97	193	(8.5)	2.51
MERCER	1,801	3,923	2.18	5,724	(6.9)	2.52
MIDDLESEX	942	2,357	2.50	3,299	(1.8)	2.43
MONMOUTH	902	2,131	2.36	3,033	1.0	2.56
MORRIS	252	517	2.05	769	11.8 Δ	2.47
OCEAN	590	1,449	2.46	2,039	2.6	2.50
PASSAIC	2,741	6,078	2.22	8,819	4.0	2.60
SALEM	392	835	2.13	1,227	4.8	2.55
SOMERSET	275	697	2.53	972	5.5 Δ	2.51
SUSSEX	152	282	1.86	434	0.7	2.41
UNION	1,759	3,905	2.22	5,664	(0.7)	2.52
WARREN	237	469	1.98	706	(8.9)	2.79
NJ TOTAL	29,462	64,959	2.20	94,421	(2.4)	2.52

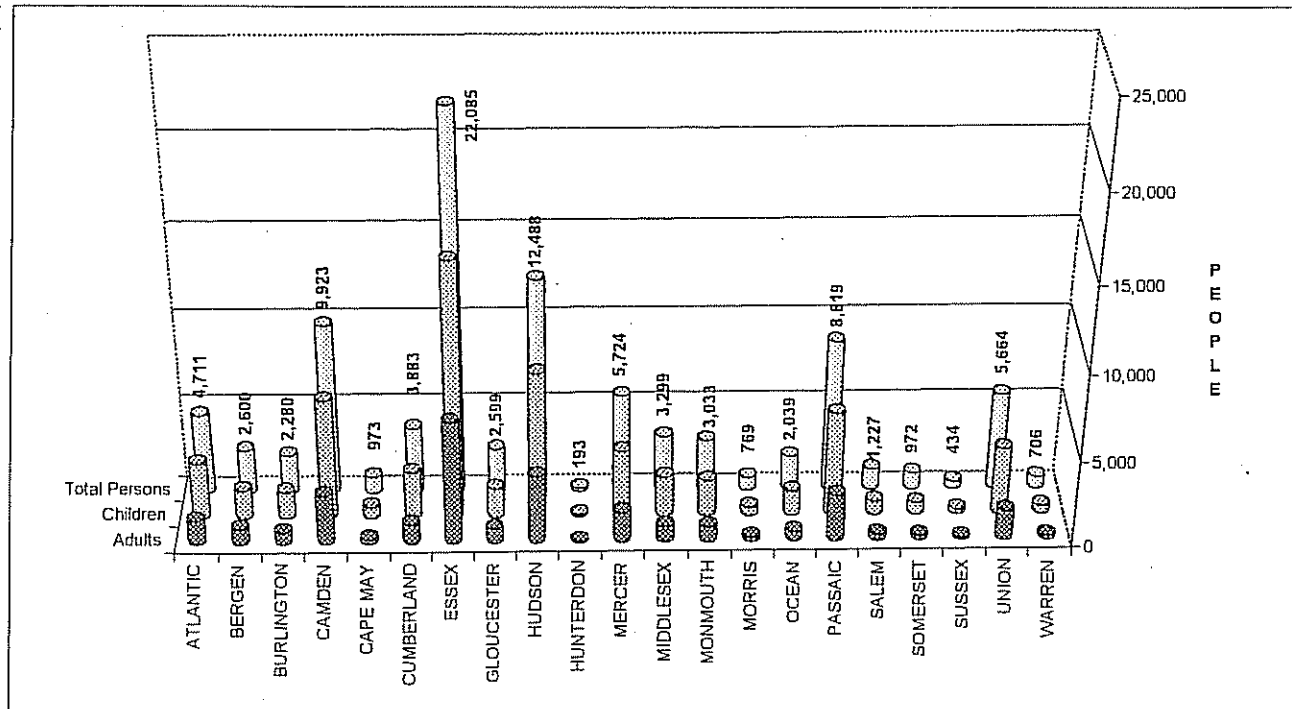


TABLE 3**TANF WORK PARTICIPATION RATES BY COUNTY**

Note: TANF Work Participation Rates (WPRs) for Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2008 (beginning October 2007) are not yet available for publication. Owing to early implementation issues with the eTimesheet application now used to track nearly all activity other than paid employment, the WPR figures currently available do not accurately reflect actual participation levels achieved in the initial months of FFY 2008. As can be expected with the introduction of a new system component such as the eTimesheet, numerous end-users have encountered some initial difficulties in adjusting to the new applications. Accordingly, publication of TABLES 3 and 4 is being temporarily deferred. Future editions of the Current Program Statistics will include the updated WPR figures for all completed months within FFY 2008.

Table 5 NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS AND CHILDREN FOR JUNE 2008 (STATEWIDE)
FOOD STAMP PROGRAM JUNE 2006 THROUGH JUNE 2008

		HOUSEHOLDS				PERSONS			
		WFNJ/ TANF	Other low income	TOTAL	% CHNG (1 Yr.)	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% CHNG (1 Yr.)
2006	JUN	37,091	156,837	193,928	2.7%	198,597	201,755	400,352	2.5%
	JUL	37,328	157,620	194,948	3.2%	199,724	203,613	403,337	3.1%
	AUG	37,410	158,806	196,216	3.9%	201,082	205,187	406,269	3.8%
	SEP	37,423	158,424	195,847	4.2%	200,870	204,502	405,373	4.1%
	OCT	37,156	158,986	196,142	2.0%	201,114	204,912	406,026	2.0%
	NOV	36,768	159,404	196,172	2.3%	201,246	205,684	406,930	2.7%
	DEC	36,394	160,779	197,173	1.3%	202,355	206,334	408,689	1.4%
	2006 AVERAGE		37,522	157,397	194,920		199,518	203,464	402,982
2007	JAN	36,025	160,089	196,114	1.6%	201,045	204,757	405,802	1.9%
	FEB	34,685	159,551	194,236	0.6%	201,803	199,028	400,831	0.6%
	MAR	35,336	162,758	198,094	2.4%	202,704	205,136	407,840	2.4%
	APR	34,813	163,325	198,138	2.1%	202,867	204,917	407,784	1.8%
	MAY	35,136	165,179	200,315	2.7%	204,956	207,162	412,118	2.3%
	JUN	35,111	166,347	201,458	3.9%	206,132	208,790	414,922	3.6%
	JUL	35,066	166,824	201,890	3.6%	206,626	210,271	416,897	3.4%
	AUG	35,143	167,026	202,169	3.0%	206,859	210,577	417,436	2.7%
	SEP	35,038	167,220	202,258	3.3%	206,850	210,814	417,664	3.0%
	OCT	35,452	168,146	203,598	3.8%	208,036	212,130	420,166	3.5%
	NOV	34,764	166,383	201,147	2.5%	205,891	209,288	415,179	2.0%
	DEC	35,114	169,685	204,799	3.9%	209,562	213,389	422,951	3.5%
2007 AVERAGE		35,140	165,211	200,351		205,278	208,022	413,299	
2008	JAN	35,276	170,851	206,127	5.1%	210,562	214,515	425,077	4.7%
	FEB	34,096	169,397	203,493	4.8%	207,967	210,497	418,464	4.4%
	MAR	34,490	172,794	207,284	4.6%	211,480	214,434	425,914	4.4%
	APR	34,584	174,733	209,317	5.6%	213,476	215,928	429,404	5.3%
	MAY	34,563	176,840	211,403	5.5%	215,426	218,058	433,484	5.2%
	JUN	34,579	179,354	213,933	6.2%	218,236	220,325	438,561	5.7%
2008 AVG to date		34,598	173,995	208,593		212,858	215,626	428,484	

As of July 2005, Food Stamp data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse. One year % Change only available from July 2004 because of data source change. To retain consistency, all Food Stamp data is restated from July 2003 to present, but readers should be aware that current series indicates counts higher than were reported by the previous series. This apparent increase is due to basing the counts on "during the month" frame of reference for the current series, as distinguished from the "point in time" (end of month) snapshot frame of reference that characterized the previous series.

**TABLE 6: FOOD STAMP PROGRAM
TRENDS FOR PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS & PERSONS
JUNE 2006 THROUGH JUNE 2008 (STATEWIDE)**

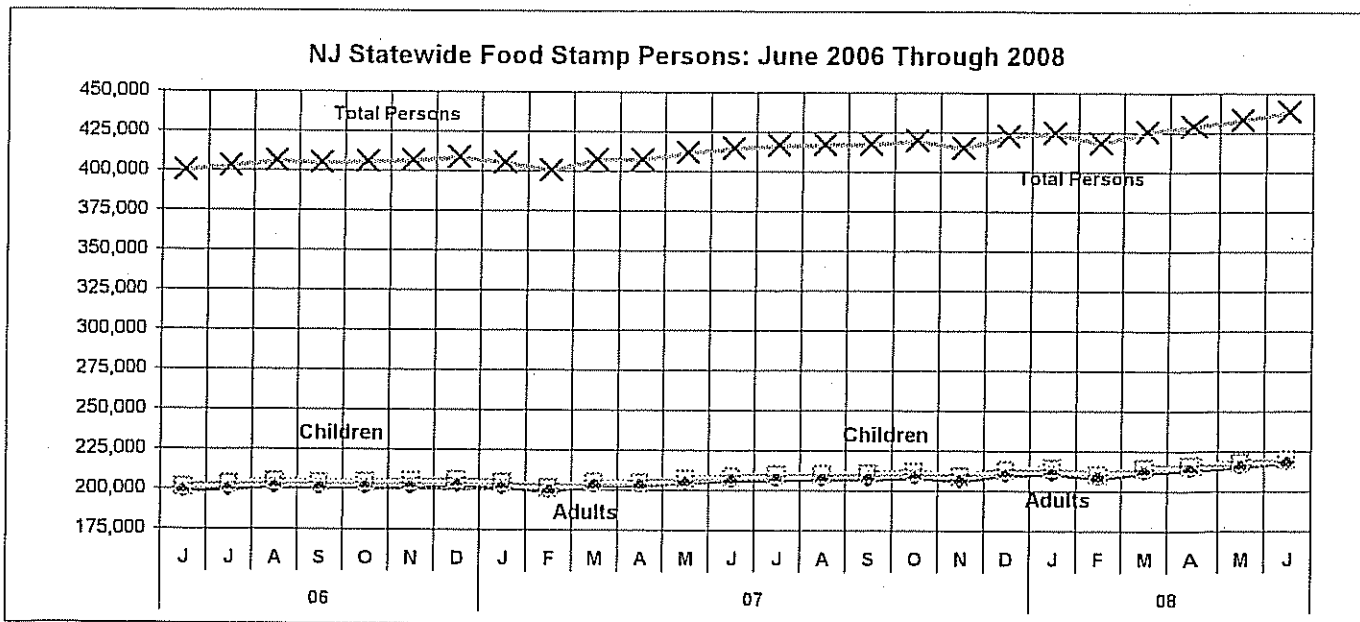
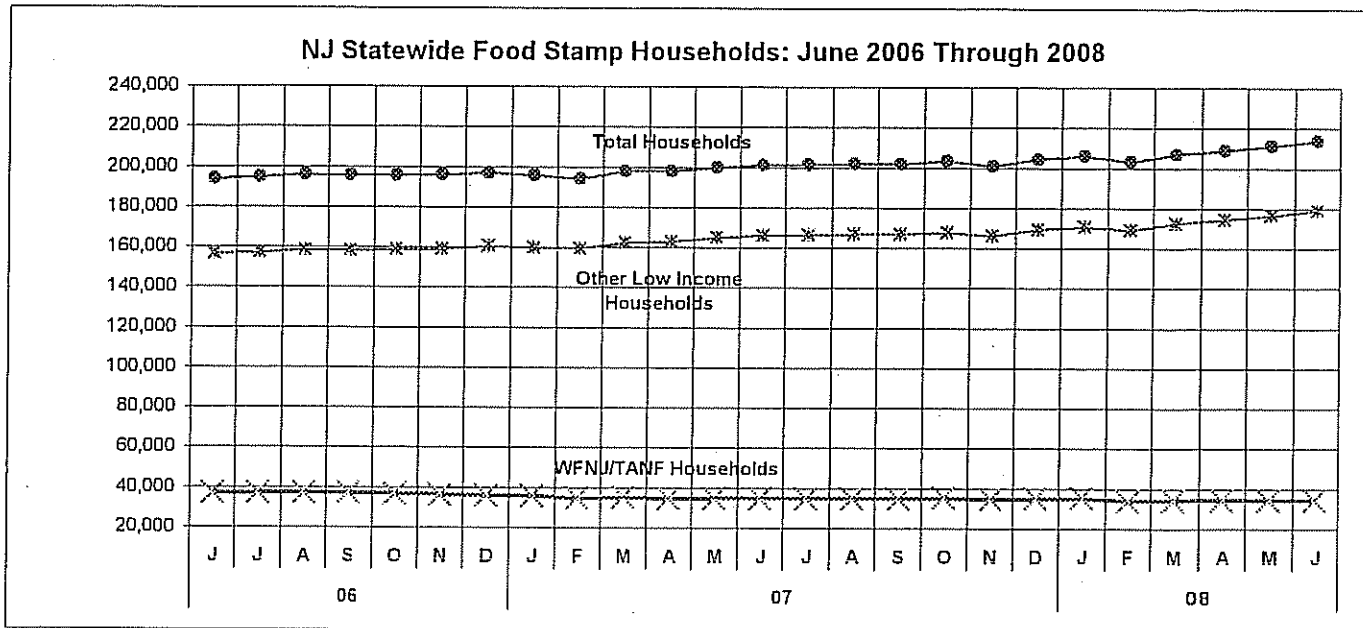


Table 7 NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR JUNE 2008

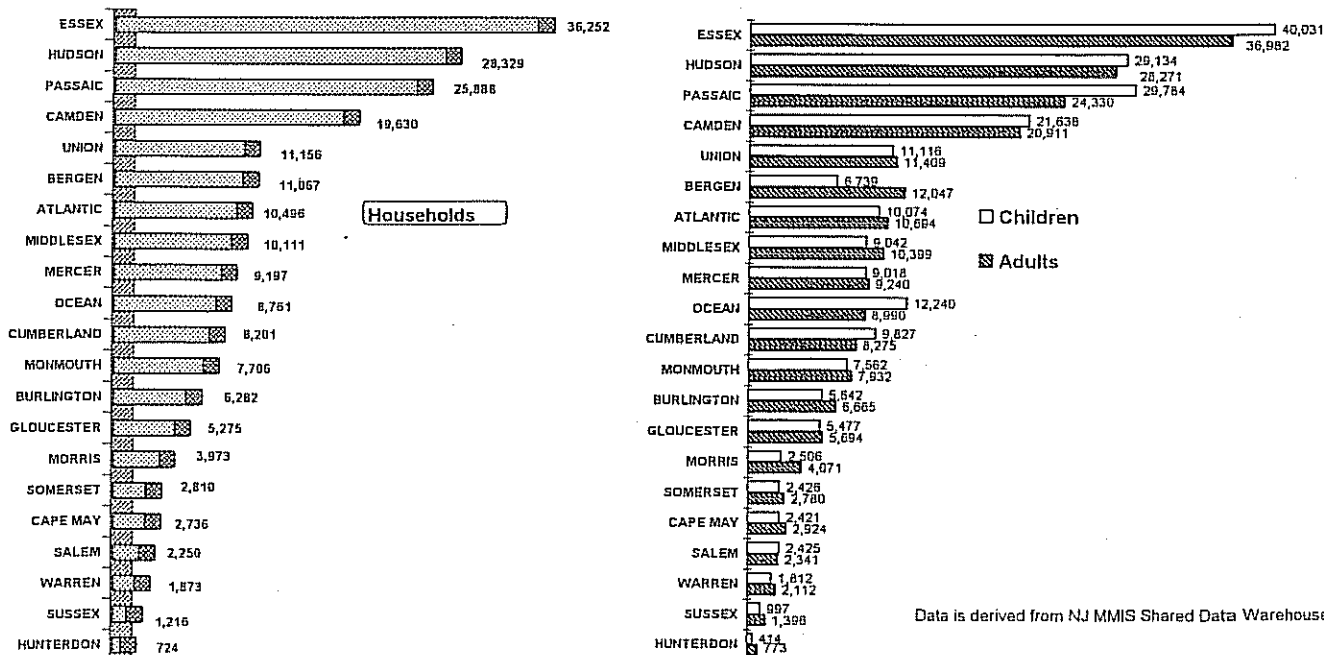
FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

Δ = ↑ Caseload %

* = ↓ Caseload %

County	HOUSEHOLDS				PERSONS			
	WFNJ/ TANF	Other low income	TOTAL	% Chng (1 Yr)	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% Chng (1 Yr)
ATLANTIC	1,714	8,782	10,496	6.5	10,694	10,074	20,768	5.8
BERGEN	948	10,119	11,067	8.9	12,047	6,739	18,786	9.3
BURLINGTON	852	5,430	6,282	7.0	6,665	5,642	12,307	5.2
CAMDEN	3,736	15,894	19,630	3.8	20,911	21,638	42,549	3.1
CAPE MAY	344	2,392	2,736	4.0	2,924	2,421	5,345	6.2
CUMBERLAND	1,343	6,858	8,201	6.6	8,275	9,827	18,102	5.5
ESSEX	8,422	27,830	36,252	5.3	36,982	40,031	77,013	4.2
GLOUCESTER	938	4,337	5,275	9.0	5,694	5,477	11,171	10.1
HUDSON	4,761	23,568	28,329	3.1 *	28,271	29,134	57,405	2.6 *
HUNTERDON	70	654	724	11.7 Δ	773	414	1,187	9.6
MERCER	2,165	7,032	9,197	5.5	9,240	9,018	18,258	4.2
MIDDLESEX	1,165	8,946	10,111	11.6	10,399	9,042	19,441	12.5 Δ
MONMOUTH	1,102	6,604	7,706	1.3 *	7,932	7,562	15,494	1.6 *
MORRIS	276	3,697	3,973	19.7 Δ	4,071	2,506	6,577	19.4 Δ
OCEAN	685	8,076	8,761	17.6 Δ	8,990	12,240	21,230	18.4 Δ
PASSAIC	3,035	22,853	25,888	6.5	24,330	29,784	54,114	5.9
SALEM	424	1,826	2,250	9.0	2,341	2,425	4,766	6.9
SOMERSET	304	2,506	2,810	6.9	2,780	2,426	5,206	7.4
SUSSEX	146	1,070	1,216	6.8	1,396	997	2,393	2.7 *
UNION	1,923	9,233	11,156	2.5 *	11,409	11,116	22,525	3.0
WARREN	226	1,647	1,873	5.4	2,112	1,812	3,924	3.9
NJ TOTAL	34,579	179,354	213,933	6.2	218,236	220,325	438,561	5.7

**Total Food Stamp Recipients
JUNE 2008 By County**



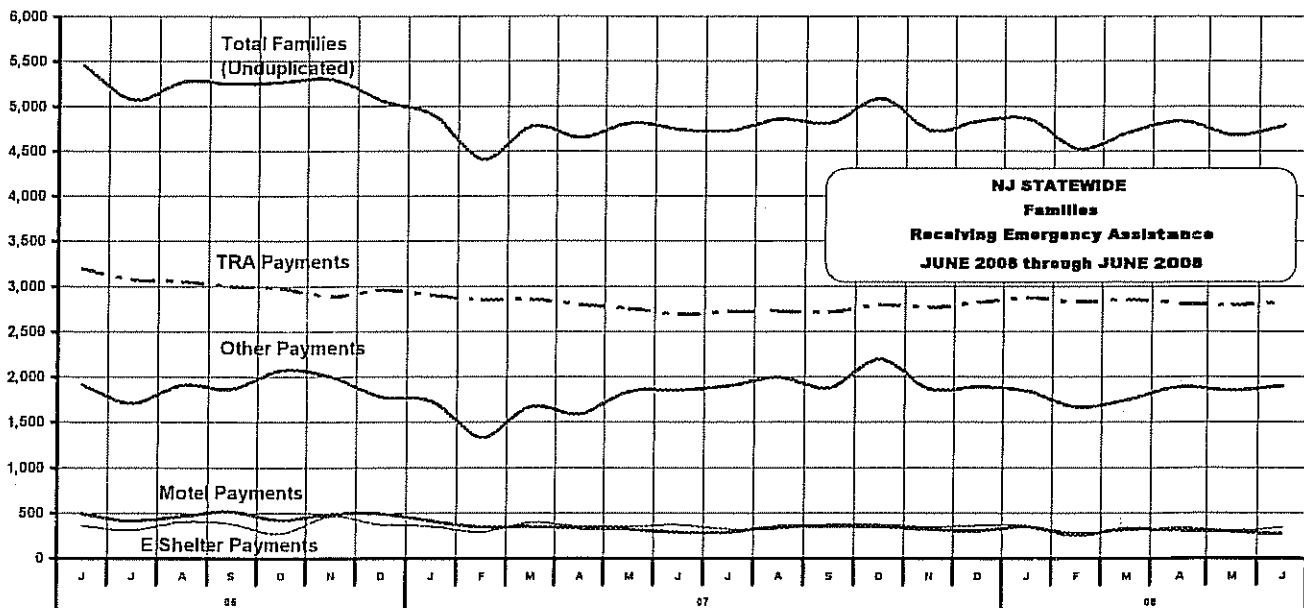
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Table 6 TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

JUNE 2006 THROUGH JUNE 2008 - STATEWIDE

		TOTAL WFNJ/EA		Temp		Motel		Emergency		Other	
		Families (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Rent Asst. Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Housing Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	Shelter Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)	EA Payments (Undupl)	% CHNG (1 YR)
2006	JUN	5,450	-3.0%	3,201	-7%	499	13.9%	366	4.3%	1,915	-5.6%
	JUL	5,076	-12.1%	3,079	-12%	417	-5.2%	315	-18.4%	1,717	-17.2%
	AUG	5,281	-7.0%	3,059	-11%	470	7.6%	405	16.7%	1,914	-5.5%
	SEP	5,252	-1.9%	3,006	-9%	520	26.8%	384	12.9%	1,873	1.6%
	OCT	5,276	-5.8%	2,980	-10%	427	-16.3%	368	-2.4%	2,080	5.4%
	NOV	5,300	-3.2%	2,892	-11%	494	-4.6%	463	30.4%	2,006	8.7%
	DEC	5,063	-10.8%	2,970	-13%	495	-15.1%	377	-8.5%	1,789	-3.5%
2006 AVERAGE		5,269		3,120		490		375		1,829	
2007	JAN	4,906	-10.1%	2,909	-11.6%	422	-18.5%	356	-3.5%	1,740	-7.7%
	FEB	4,412	-14.1%	2,856	-11.8%	351	-34.6%	293	-22.5%	1,336	-12.2%
	MAR	4,786	-11.4%	2,862	-12.4%	359	-32.8%	401	6.6%	1,678	-7.8%
	APR	4,653	-8.6%	2,806	-13.4%	340	-24.9%	358	10.2%	1,591	2.1%
	MAY	4,821	-11.3%	2,765	-13.9%	329	-36.1%	357	-4.5%	1,846	-0.9%
	JUN	4,748	-12.9%	2,698	-15.7%	292	-41.5%	368	0.5%	1,860	-2.9%
	JUL	4,732	-6.8%	2,724	-11.5%	293	-29.7%	330	4.8%	1,910	11.2%
	AUG	4,859	-8.0%	2,735	-10.6%	358	-23.8%	330	-18.5%	2,000	4.5%
	SEP	4,815	-8.3%	2,719	-9.5%	357	-31.3%	374	-2.6%	1,886	0.7%
	OCT	5,089	-3.5%	2,796	-6.2%	353	-17.3%	374	1.6%	2,202	5.9%
	NOV	4,731	-10.7%	2,767	-4.3%	328	-33.6%	351	-24.2%	1,875	-6.5%
	DEC	4,837	-4.5%	2,823	-4.9%	303	-38.8%	360	-4.5%	1,892	5.8%
2007 AVERAGE		4,782		2,788		340		354		1,818	
2008	JAN	4,859	-1.0%	2,881	-1.0%	355	-15.9%	361	1.4%	1,847	6.1%
	FEB	4,524	2.5%	2,830	-0.9%	253	-27.9%	285	-2.7%	1,675	25.4%
	MAR	4,711	-1.6%	2,860	-0.1%	335	-6.7%	308	-23.2%	1,749	4.2%
	APR	4,842	4.1%	2,822	0.6%	315	-7.4%	342	-4.5%	1,896	19.2%
	MAY	4,686	-2.8%	2,796	1.1%	297	-9.7%	303	-15.1%	1,859	0.7%
	JUN	4,789	0.9%	2,834	5.0%	270	-7.5%	341	-7.3%	1,905	2.4%
2008 AVG to date		4,735		2,837		304		323		1,822	



As of Nov 2004, WFNJ/EA data is derived from NJ Division of Family Development Issuance files.
 (To retain consistency, all WFNJ/EA data is restated from Nov 2002 to present.)

**Table 9
SSI**

**NUMBER OF TOTAL ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS
BY COUNTY (UNDUPLICATED CASES) JUNE 2008**

**EMERGENCY
ASSISTANCE**

County	TOTAL WFNJ/EA Families (Undupl)	% CHNG From Jun 07	Temp Rent Asst. Payments (Undupl)	Motel Housing Payments (Undupl)	Emergency Shelter Payments (Undupl)	Other WFNJ/EA Payments (Undupl)	SSI Recipients Receiving EA**
ATLANTIC	276	14.0%	172	32	6	106	80
BERGEN	245	-12.2%	193	2	2	75	234
BURLINGTON	138	0.7%	42	26	2	83	85
CAMDEN	269	16.5%	130	26	28	117	44
CAPE MAY	112	5.7%	57	40	0	22	76
CUMBERLAND	40	29.0% Δ	19	1	7	21	15
ESSEX	1,254	2.5%	880	2	89	411	215
GLOUCESTER	126	0.8%	62	22	34	38	37
HUDSON	457	-26.5% *	378	11	7	92	19
HUNTERDON	22	-18.5%	13	0	4	7	13
MERCER	585	19.1%	317	14	37	315	226
MIDDLESEX	201	21.8%	90	7	27	99	114
MONMOUTH	99	-22.7% *	10	27	0	64	18
MORRIS	48	41.2% Δ	24	5	7	21	14
OCEAN	126	-6.7%	93	26	0	32	68
PASSAIC	333	27.6%	72	6	35	241	226
SALEM	57	29.5% Δ	19	12	0	34	19
SOMERSET	80	-10.1%	42	0	20	33	42
SUSSEX	48	6.7%	28	3	4	21	30
UNION	213	-23.1% *	147	5	29	57	43
WARREN	60	9.1%	46	3	3	16	8
NJ TOTAL	4,789	0.9%	2,834	270	341	1,905	1,626

Δ = ↑ Caseload %

* = ↓ Caseload %

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

As of Nov 2004, WFNJ/EA data is derived from NJ Division of Family Development Issuance files.

**Number WFNJ Families Receiving EA by County
JUNE 2008**

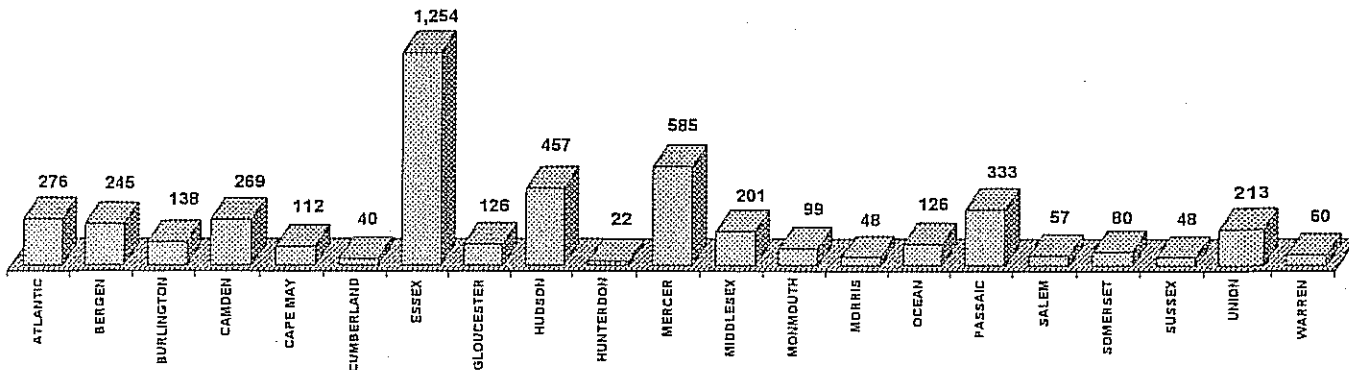


Table 10
GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
NUMBER OF EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR JUNE 2008 - STATEWIDE
JUNE 2006 THROUGH JUNE 2008

	All Persons Aided						Emergency Assistance Payments			
	Employable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Unemployable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)	Temporary Rental Assistance	Other GA-EA	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)
2006 JUN	21,752	-6.1%	15,568	1.3%	37,320	-3.1%	2,984	4,170	7,154	-6.4%
JUL	21,309	-7.8%	15,312	0.8%	36,621	-4.4%	2,989	3,732	6,721	-18.4%
AUG	21,553	-4.6%	15,637	1.9%	37,190	-2.0%	2,977	4,306	7,283	-5.3%
SEP	20,855	-3.0%	15,232	1.5%	36,087	-1.2%	2,899	3,592	6,491	-1.8%
OCT	21,499	0.2%	15,841	3.5%	37,340	1.5%	2,919	3,912	6,831	-8.9%
NOV	20,333	-2.1%	15,361	0.7%	35,694	-0.9%	2,949	3,559	6,508	-10.3%
DEC	21,120	-0.2%	15,415	0.8%	36,535	0.2%	2,950	3,517	6,467	-11.1%
2006 AVERAGE	21,454		15,463		36,917		3,165	3,790	6,955	
2007 JAN	21,513	0.5%	15,415	0.3%	36,928	0.4%	2,947	3,834	6,781	-3.9%
FEB	21,501	0.5%	15,129	-0.6%	36,630	0.1%	2,953	3,548	6,501	-2.6%
MAR	22,215	-0.6%	15,367	-1.7%	37,582	-1.0%	2,972	4,323	7,295	-5.8%
APR	22,142	0.8%	15,257	-0.8%	37,399	0.1%	2,979	3,842	6,821	-3.8%
MAY	22,323	1.8%	15,586	0.1%	37,909	1.1%	3,016	4,084	7,100	-4.5%
JUN	21,866	0.5%	15,993	2.7%	37,859	1.4%	3,020	3,936	6,956	-2.8%
JUL	21,705	1.9%	16,135	5.4%	37,840	3.3%	3,004	3,807	6,811	1.3%
AUG	22,151	2.8%	16,273	4.1%	38,424	3.3%	2,994	3,942	6,936	-4.8%
SEP	21,835	4.7%	16,326	7.2%	38,161	5.7%	2,887	3,674	6,561	1.1%
OCT	22,040	2.5%	16,462	3.9%	38,502	3.1%	2,886	4,000	6,886	0.8%
NOV	21,927	7.8%	16,366	6.5%	38,293	7.3%	2,859	3,460	6,319	-2.9%
DEC	22,371	5.9%	16,509	7.1%	38,880	6.4%	2,961	4,001	6,962	7.7%
2007 AVERAGE	21,822		15,735		37,557		2,981	3,858	6,839	
2008 JAN	22,692	5.5%	16,740	8.6%	39,432	6.8%	2,910	4,094	7,004	3.3%
FEB	22,958	6.8%	16,562	9.5%	39,520	7.9%	2,944	3,835	6,779	4.3%
MAR	23,155	4.2%	16,802	9.3%	39,957	6.3%	3,041	4,063	7,104	-2.6%
APR	23,717	7.1%	17,111	12.2%	40,828	9.2%	3,136	4,326	7,462	9.4%
MAY	23,929	7.2%	17,405	11.7%	41,334	9.0%	3,180	4,445	7,625	7.4%
JUN	24,148	10.4%	17,525	9.6%	41,673	10.1%	3,155	4,361	7,516	8.1%
2008 AVG to date	23,433		17,024		40,457		3,061	4,187	7,248	

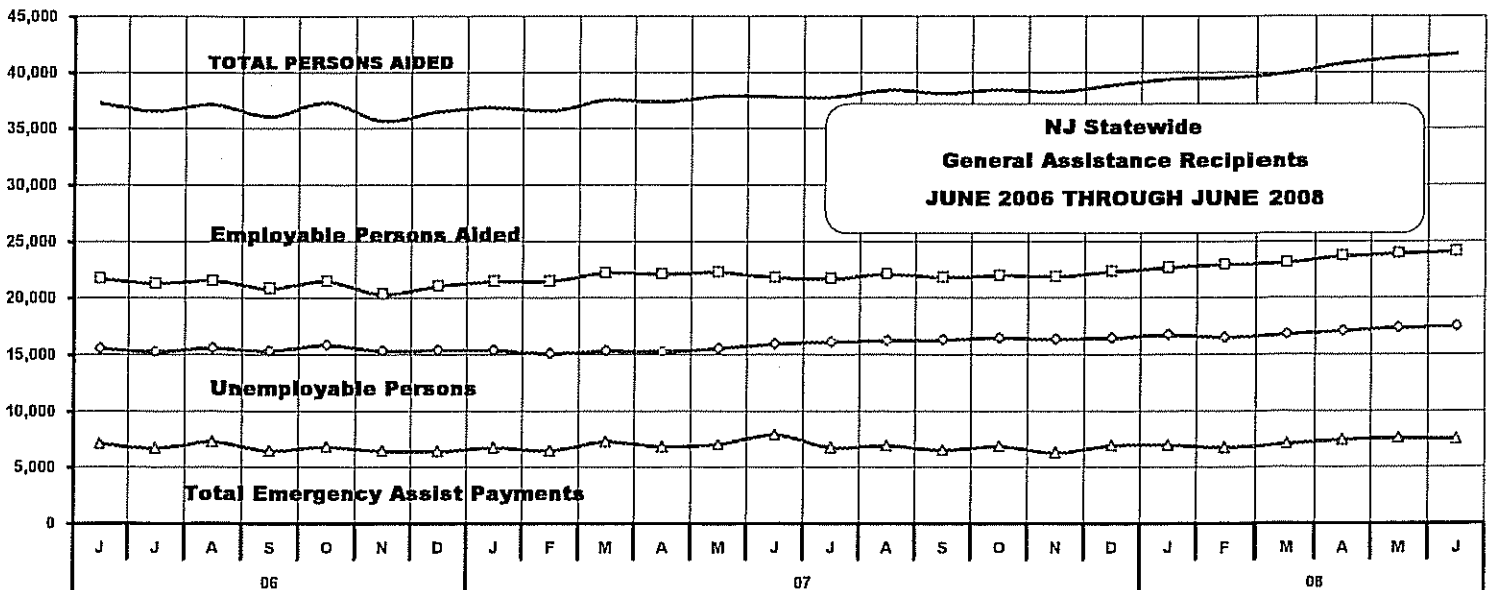


TABLE 11
GENERAL
ASSISTANCE
PROGRAM

EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS
AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS BY COUNTY
JUNE 2008

County	Total Persons Aided						Emergency Assistance Payments			
	Employable	% Chng (From Jun 07)	Unemployable	% Chng (From Jun 07)	Total	% Chng (From Jun 07)	Temporary Rental Assist.	Other GA-EA	Total	% Chng (From Jun 07)
ATLANTIC	1,991	6.9%	1,381	9.3%	3,372	7.9%	259	95	354	21.6%
BERGEN	661	33.3%	679	-0.6%	1,340	13.7%	134	240	374	23.4%
BURLINGTON	836	7.5%	744	6.7%	1,580	7.1%	72	292	364	15.6%
CAMDEN	3,062	2.2%	2,209	16.3%	5,271	7.7%	494	229	723	-13.4%
CAPE MAY	558	-0.7%	176	-4.3%	734	-1.6% *	111	196	307	-7.8%
CUMBERLAND	1,293	10.6%	718	11.0%	2,011	10.7%	16	56	72	-14.3%
ESSEX	4,277	26.5%	2,055	18.7%	6,332	23.8% Δ	638	930	1,568	31.4%
GLOUCESTER	581	10.7%	467	0.6%	1,048	6.0%	54	103	157	-10.8%
HUDSON	1,721	-2.4%	1,911	1.5%	3,632	-0.4% *	214	90	304	-22.3% *
HUNTERDON	95	-12.0%	149	29.6%	244	9.4%	46	83	129	41.8% Δ
MERCER	1,445	4.8%	1,063	-5.3%	2,508	0.2%	323	308	631	2.4%
MIDDLESEX	508	7.9%	760	12.9%	1,268	10.8%	193	177	370	4.5%
MONMOUTH	579	-8.1%	558	-12.5%	1,137	-10.3% *	49	232	281	-31.5% *
MORRIS	327	63.5%	426	28.3%	753	41.5% Δ	96	82	178	79.8% Δ
OCEAN	729	55.8%	816	20.0%	1,545	34.6% Δ	149	212	361	37.3%
PASSAIC	2,655	11.3%	1,602	15.9%	4,257	13.0%	13	416	429	14.1%
SALEM	330	7.5%	252	8.2%	582	7.8%	27	104	131	65.8% Δ
SOMERSET	181	16.8%	226	7.6%	407	11.5%	74	50	124	-2.4%
SUSSEX	152	43.4%	141	3.7%	293	21.1%	39	68	107	27.4%
UNION	1,938	1.7%	997	18.3%	2,935	6.8%	76	359	435	15.7%
WARREN	229	4.6%	195	10.2%	424	7.1%	78	39	117	-26.9% *
NJ TOTAL	24,148	10.4%	17,525	9.6%	41,673	10.1%	3,155	4,361	7,516	8.1%

Δ = ↑ Caseload %

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Source: NJ Division of Family Development, GA Fiscal Unit

TABLE 12
CHILD SUPPORT
AND PATERNITY

CHILD SUPPORT AND PATERNITY COLLECTIONS
State Summary

Comparison of FFY 2007 and FFY 2008

COLLECTION SOURCE	10/06-06/07	10/07-06/08	Dollar Change	% Change
Federal Tax	\$17,942,377	\$27,464,145	\$9,521,768	53.1%
State Tax	2,045,076	2,733,149	688,073	33.6%
Unempl. Ins. Ben.	9,179,227	10,049,304	870,077	9.5%
Income Withholding	180,704,359	188,685,803	7,981,444	4.4%
From Other States	13,361,914	13,769,145	407,231	3.0%
Other/Own Behalf	61,241,241	61,777,163	535,922	0.9%
Admin Enforce				
TOTAL COLLECTION	\$284,474,194	\$304,478,709	\$20,004,515	7.0%
TOTAL DISTRIBUTION*	\$278,030,199	\$293,671,283	\$15,641,084	5.6%
Percent of Collections Distributed	97.7%	96.5%		

* Includes money sent to other states

Distributed amount represents collections reported and recognized by the Federal Office of
Child Support Enforcement for calculating incentives and annual report to Congress
Source: DFD Office of Child Support and Paternity Programs

DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS
JUNE 2008

WFNJ Statistical Summary (Table 14)

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).

DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS
JUNE 2008

ACRONYMS

ACSES: Automated Child Support Enforcement System

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 the eligible individual or family is in an imminent or actual state of homelessness.

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM (FS) - 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

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 establishes Temporary Assistance to 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. The emphasis is on 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.

TABLE 13
CHILD SUPPORT
AND PATERNITY

PERCENTAGE OF CASES WITH ORDERS
JUNE 2008

	CURRENT ASSISTANCE			FORMER ASSISTANCE			NEVER ASSISTED			TOTAL ASSISTANCE		
	TOTAL CASES	CASES WITH ORDERS	% of CASES WITH ORDERS	TOTAL CASES	CASES WITH ORDERS	% of CASES WITH ORDERS	TOTAL CASES	CASES WITH ORDERS	% of CASES WITH ORDERS	TOTAL CASES	CASES WITH ORDERS	% of CASES WITH ORDERS
ATLANTIC	2,580	1,408	55%	5,515	4,888	89%	6,566	5,718	87%	14,661	12,014	82%
BERGEN	1,353	716	53%	3,446	3,266	95%	8,477	8,151	96%	13,276	12,133	91%
BURLINGTON	1,889	1,165	62%	6,254	5,891	94%	8,546	7,779	91%	16,689	14,835	89%
CAMDEN	7,191	4,000	56%	20,482	18,494	90%	10,924	9,406	86%	38,597	31,900	83%
CAPE MAY	486	288	59%	1,504	1,467	98%	1,793	1,697	95%	3,783	3,452	91%
CUMBERLAND	2,101	1,718	82%	8,547	8,392	98%	3,982	3,629	91%	14,630	13,739	94%
ESSEX	13,601	6,082	45%	28,654	24,422	85%	15,115	13,401	89%	57,370	43,905	77%
GLOUCESTER	1,546	1,128	73%	4,752	4,580	96%	4,598	4,372	95%	10,896	10,080	93%
HUDSON	5,588	2,340	42%	13,117	11,598	88%	10,928	9,220	84%	29,633	23,158	78%
HUNTERDON	163	104	64%	387	367	95%	1,355	1,295	96%	1,905	1,766	93%
MERCER	4,007	1,970	49%	8,766	7,983	91%	6,477	5,598	86%	19,250	15,551	81%
MIDDLESEX	2,253	1,236	55%	8,132	7,344	90%	9,921	9,025	91%	20,306	17,605	87%
MONMOUTH	3,055	1,942	64%	6,954	6,596	95%	7,621	7,212	95%	17,630	15,750	89%
MORRIS	402	257	64%	1,521	1,461	96%	4,431	4,299	97%	6,354	6,017	95%
OCEAN	1,845	1,307	71%	6,078	5,847	96%	8,026	7,664	95%	15,949	14,818	93%
PASSAIC	4,858	2,611	54%	11,119	10,106	91%	9,717	8,741	90%	25,694	21,458	84%
SALEM	844	637	75%	2,328	2,201	95%	1,418	1,331	94%	4,590	4,169	91%
SOMERSET	722	415	57%	1,880	1,733	92%	3,641	3,353	92%	6,243	5,501	88%
SUSSEX	300	210	70%	706	696	99%	1,866	1,806	97%	2,872	2,712	94%
UNION	3,535	1,821	52%	10,350	9,434	91%	9,969	9,245	93%	23,854	20,500	86%
WARREN	475	389	82%	1,329	1,306	98%	1,707	1,641	96%	3,511	3,336	95%
NJ TOTAL	58,794	31,744	54%	151,821	138,072	91%	137,078	124,583	91%	347,693	294,399	85%

Data Sources: Automated Child Support Enforcement System

Table 14 **WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY STATISTICAL SUMMARY**
WFNJ **JUNE 2008**

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	116	95	69	294	195	195	36	223
BERGEN	139	53	114	116	129	166	10	111
BURLINGTON	308	65	28	113	122	213	12	199
CAMDEN	620	481	77	505	497	821	64	460
CAPE MAY	30	5	48	84	26	38	3	33
CUMBERLAND	199	84	164	119	69	165	11	151
ESSEX	1,734	1,501	262	1,166	1,353	2,028	54	1,067
GLOUCESTER	84	18	25	158	110	22	11	196
HUDSON	552	972	135	624	689	1,081	37	566
HUNTERDON	5	0	25	13	6	2	0	17
MERCER	504	237	262	343	335	474	47	278
MIDDLESEX	137	34	124	209	143	189	28	222
MONMOUTH	282	154	186	187	257	267	24	244
MORRIS	36	20	18	42	42	35	11	72
OCEAN	111	41	64	82	128	108	18	180
PASSAIC	577	191	135	308	305	471	45	224
SALEM	57	26	16	62	48	54	10	68
SOMERSET	48	28	25	51	66	51	11	81
SUSSEX	47	5	7	20	34	15	5	38
UNION	429	292	120	255	268	367	9	191
WARREN	17	8	13	44	19	12	2	61
STATE	6,032	4,310	1,917	4,795	4,841	6,774	448	4,682

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