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# CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS



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# DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS MARCH 2017

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# DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS MARCH 2017

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 March, the TANF caseload had decreased by 5,477 cases, from 23,059 in March 2016 to 17,582 in March 2017, a decrease of 23.8%.
- The county where the family caseload percentage increased since March 2016 was Warren (6.0%).
- The counties with caseloads that decreased the most since March 2016 were Ocean (-36.4%), Hunterdon (-39.5%) and Cape May (-40.8%).
- Of the WFNJ/TANF cases, 5,516 or 31.4% were child-only in March 2017.
- The counties with the most child-only cases were Essex (831), Camden (771) and Passaic (566).
- Essex (7,848), Passaic (5,737), Camden (5,571), Hudson (4,779) and Atlantic (3,337) counties had the greatest number of persons receiving TANF in March 2017.

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

- In March 2017, there were 402,937 households receiving NJ SNAP benefits. The number of NJ SNAP households decreased by 34,166 or 7.8%, since March 2016.
- There were 804,291 persons receiving NJ SNAP benefits as of March 2017, a decrease of 62,127 or 7.2% since March 2016.
- The counties having the highest caseload decrease since March 2016 are Burlington (-13.5%), Cape May (-11.3%) and Gloucester (-11.3%).

#### **EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE**

- There were 2,330 families receiving Emergency Assistance (EA) in March 2017, a decrease of 1,036 or 30.8% since March 2016.
- In March 2017, EA payments were made for 489 SSI recipients.

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#### **GENERAL ASSISTANCE**

#### **GA Emergency Assistance**

- There were 2,439 Emergency Assistance payments made to GA cases in March 2017, a decrease of 913 or 27.2% since March 2016.
- The counties that showed the highest percent increase in emergency assistance payments were Salem (22.2%) and Somerset (33.9%).
- The counties that showed the highest percent decrease in emergency assistance payments were Ocean (-58.2%), Cumberland (-61.7%) and Monmouth (-69.2%).

### **GA Program**

- The total numbers of cases receiving GA has decreased from 20,034 to 15,156 since March 2016, a decrease of 24.3%.
- There were 6,455 Employable GA and 8,701 Unemployable GA cases in March 2017.
- The counties that showed the highest percent decrease for GA cases since March 2016 were Morris (-29.8%), Atlantic (-30.3%) and Passaic (-38.6%).
- In March 2017, GA cases showed a 0.4 percent decrease since February 2017.

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

- The total collection for the Child Support Services Program was about \$332 million from January 2017 to March 2017, a decrease of 1.0 percent over the same period for FFY 2016.
- Total distributions decreased 0.1% from March 2016.

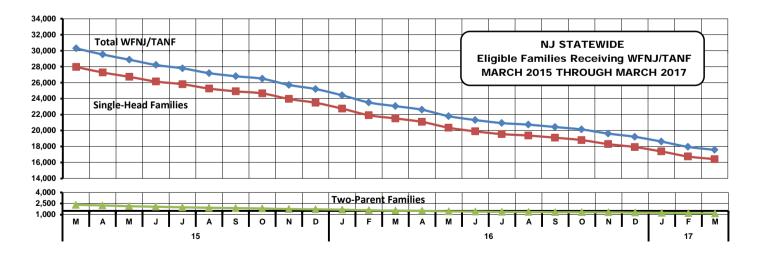
#### **WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY (WFNJ)**

- During the report month of March 2017, there were 1,763 families in which at least one member was employed and an additional 325 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 (446), Camden (267) and Passaic (186).
- There were 2,745 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 MARCH 2017 NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES & PERSONS RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF FOR MARCH 2017

				MAF	RCH 2015 T	HROUGI	H MARCH 2	2017				
		Cases Added	Cases Closed	Child-Only Cases ‡	Total Singl-Head	2- Parent Families	Total WFNJ/TANF	%CHNG (1 Yr.)	Total	%CHNG (1 Yr.)	Adults	Children
					<b>Families</b>		<b>Families</b>		Persons			
2015	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
	OCT	2,505	2,908	6,768	24,652	1,832	26,484	(20.8)	67,259	(22.1)	21,548	45,711
	NOV	1,888	2,665	6,696	23,955	1,754	25,709	(21.9)	65,212	(23.3)	20,767	44,445
	DEC	2,029	2,647	6,690	23,476	1,719	25,195	(22.3)	63,676	(24.0)	20,224	43,452
2015 A	verage	2,161	2,831	7,039	26,179	2,059	28,238		72,179		23,258	48,921
2016	JAN	1,774	2,617	6,569	22,745	1,669	24,414	(23.2)	61,590	(24.8)	19,514	42,076
	FEB	1,663	2,558	6,479	21,919	1,594	23,513	(24.3)	58,994	(26.1)	18,628	40,366
	MAR	1,922	2,516	6,469	21,516	1,543	23,059	(23.9)	57,608	(26.1)	18,133	39,475
	APR	1,788	2,363	6,357	21,085	1,520	22,605	(23.4)	56,458	(25.5)	17,768	38,690
	MAY	1,763	2,568	6,216	20,357	1,446	21,803	(24.5)	54,214	(26.7)	17,033	37,181
	JUN	1,839	2,417	6,094	19,898	1,421	21,319	(24.4)	52,864	(26.8)	16,646	36,218
	JUL	1,938	2,445	5,987	19,558	1,378	20,936	(24.7)	51,942	(26.8)	16,327	35,615
	AUG	1,924	2,146	5,931	19,374	1,363	20,737	(23.7)	51,450	(25.6)	16,169	35,281
	SEP	1,943	2,360	5,912	19,108	1,333	20,441	(23.7)	50,626	(25.8)	15,862	34,764
	OCT	1,701	2,090	5,858	18,807	1,331	20,138	(24.0)	49,962	(25.7)	15,611	34,351
	NOV	1,614	2,222	5,766	18,305	1,317	19,622	(23.7)	48,737	(25.3)	15,173	33,564
	DEC	1,592	2,088	5,762	17,937	1,280	19,217	(23.7)	47,656	(25.2)	14,735	32,921
2016 A	verage	1,788	2,366	6,117	20,051	1,433	21,484		53,508		16,800	36,709
2017	JAN	1,479	2,069	5,658	17,384	1,236	18,620	(23.7)	46,466	(24.6)	14,198	32,268
	FEB	1,436	2,167	5,591	16,753	1,203	17,956	(23.6)	44,778	(24.1)	13,568	31,210
	MAR	1,440	1,861	5,516	16,420	1,162	17,582	(23.8)	43,992	(23.6)	13,228	30,764
2017 A	VG to date	1,452	2,032	5,588	16,852	1,200	18,053		45,079		13,665	31,414



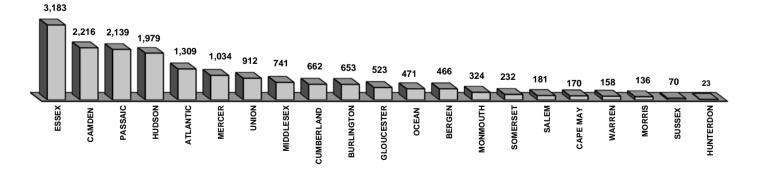
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Table 2 WFNJ/TANF

# NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY COUNTY DURING MARCH 2017 NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF REPORTED FOR MARCH 2017

PROGRAM			Child-		Total		Total		
	Cases	Cases	Only	1-Adult	Singl-Head	2-Parent	WFNJ/TANF	% Chng	% Chng
County	Added	Closed**	Cases ‡	Cases	Families	<b>Families</b>	<b>Families</b>	(3 Mon)	(1 Yr)
ATLANTIC	73	101	414	786	1,200	109	1,309	(2.0)	(19.2)
BERGEN	40	58	105	327	432	34	466	(6.8)	(30.4)
BURLINGTON	71	82	204	410	614	39	653	(8.9)	(26.3)
CAMDEN	167	225	771	1,311	2,082	134	2,216	(5.2)	(16.0) $\Delta$
CAPE MAY	11	17	59	98	157	13	170	(3.4)	(40.8) *
CUMBERLAND	52	71	288	324	612	50	662	(3.4)	(27.6)
ESSEX	346	370	831	2,183	3,014	169	3,183	(6.4)	(27.1)
GLOUCESTER	36	62	177	297	474	49	523	(4.4)	(20.2)
HUDSON	168	246	552	1,289	1,841	138	1,979	(10.1)	(28.7)
HUNTERDON	3	5	5	15	20	3	23	(14.8)	(39.5) *
MERCER	80	75	389	590	979	55	1,034	(0.2)	(21.9)
MIDDLESEX	59	81	337	380	717	24	741	(1.5)	(21.1)
MONMOUTH	36	22	136	176	312	12	324	5.9	(13.4) <sub>\Delta</sub>
MORRIS	6	23	39	79	118	18	136	(20.0)	(21.8)
OCEAN	32	59	150	290	440	31	471	(7.5)	(36.4) *
PASSAIC	108	196	566	1,430	1,996	143	2,139	(7.2)	(22.4)
SALEM	23	31	76	93	169	12	181	(5.2)	(22.0)
SOMERSET	29	23	82	139	221	11	232	4.0	(17.4)
SUSSEX	8	9	21	43	64	6	70	(1.4)	(20.5)
UNION	73	86	264	551	815	97	912	(5.1)	(20.6)
WARREN	19	19	50	93	143	15	158	(7.1)	6.0 Δ
NJ TOTAL	1,440	1,861	5,516	10,904	16,420	1,162	17,582	(5.6)	(23.8)

# Total WFNJ/TANF Families MARCH 2017 By County



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

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

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

<sup>\*=</sup>lower caseload % change

### Table 2B WFNJ/TANF PROGRAM

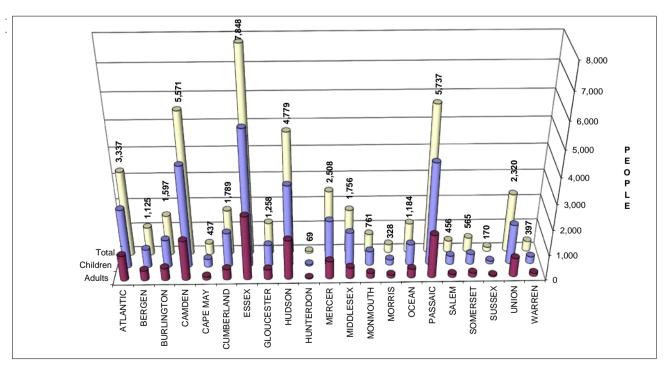
### NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING PERSONS, ADULTS, AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR MARCH 2017

 $\Delta$ = ↑ Caseload %

\*= ↓ Caseload %

#### **PERSONS**

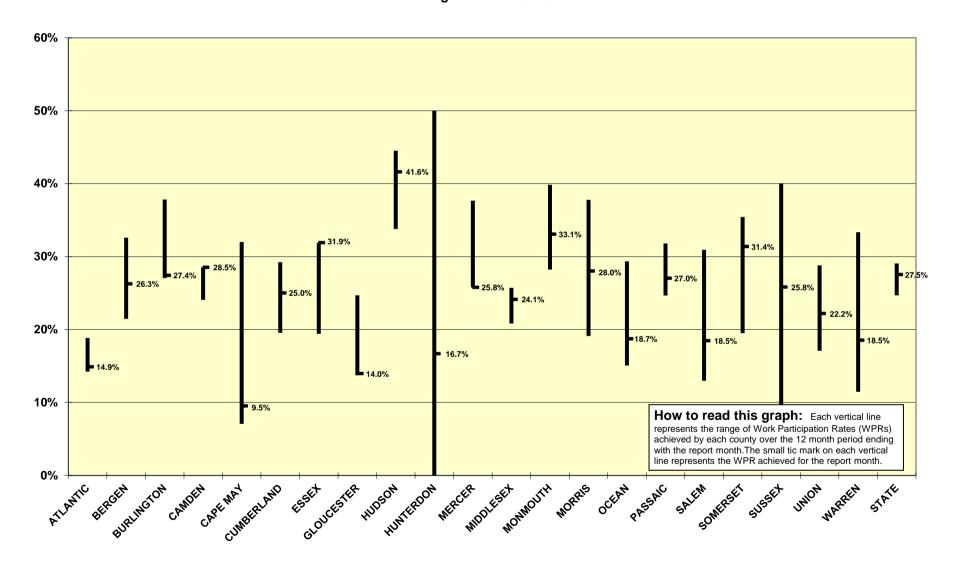
County	Adults	Children	Child/Adult	Total	% Chng	Persons
			Ratio	Persons	(1 Yr)	Per Case
ATLANTIC	1,004	2,333	2.32	3,337	(20.7)	2.55
BERGEN	395	730	1.85	1,125	(29.0)	2.41
BURLINGTON	488	1,109	2.27	1,597	(27.7)	2.45
CAMDEN	1,579	3,992	2.53	5,571	(14.6) ∆	2.51
CAPE MAY	124	313	2.52	437	(41.7) *	2.57
CUMBERLAND	424	1,365	3.22	1,789	(26.1)	2.70
ESSEX	2,521	5,327	2.11	7,848	(28.9)	2.47
GLOUCESTER	395	863	2.18	1,258	(21.7)	2.41
HUDSON	1,565	3,214	2.05	4,779	(25.6)	2.41
HUNTERDON	21	48	2.29	69	(31.7) *	3.00
MERCER	700	1,808	2.58	2,508	(20.6)	2.43
MIDDLESEX	428	1,328	3.10	1,756	(20.1)	2.37
MONMOUTH	200	561	2.81	761	(16.6) A	2.35
MORRIS	115	213	1.85	328	(20.0)	2.41
OCEAN	352	832	2.36	1,184	(40.5) *	2.51
PASSAIC	1,716	4,021	2.34	5,737	(22.2)	2.68
SALEM	117	339	2.90	456	(22.3)	2.52
SOMERSET	161	404	2.51	565	(20.1)	2.44
SUSSEX	55	115	2.09	170	(24.4)	2.43
UNION	745	1,575	2.11	2,320	(17.1)	2.54
WARREN	123	274	2.23	397	3.1 Δ	2.51
NJ TOTAL	13,228	30,764	2.33	43,992	(23.6)	2.50



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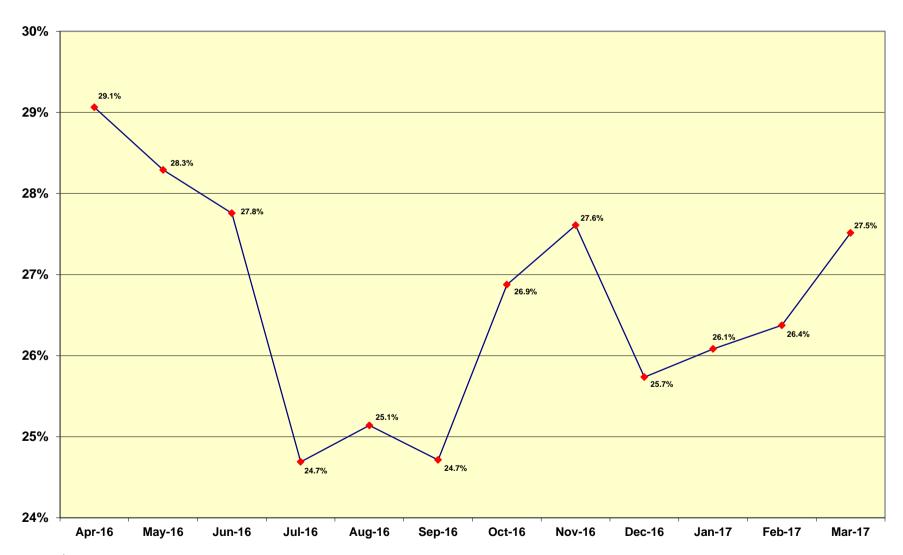
**TABLE 3** 

### Work Participation Rates Achieved Over 12 Month Period Ending With MARCH 2017



**TABLE 4** 

## WFNJ/TANF Work Participation Rates for 12-Month Period Ending with MARCH 2017 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 MARCH 2017 (STATEWIDE)

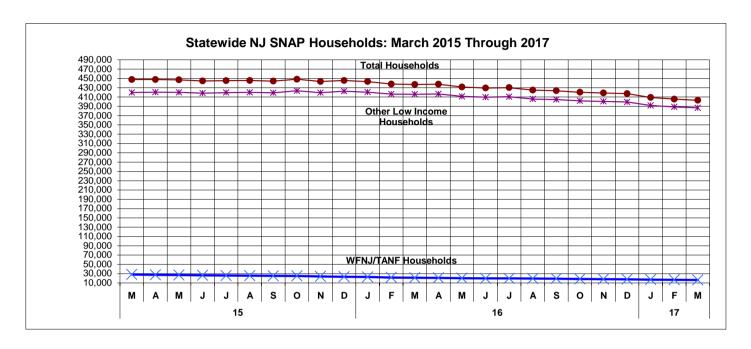
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			HOUSEHO	DLDS			PERS	SONS	
	-								
		WFNJ/	Other low	TOTAL	% CHNG	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% CHNG
		TANF	income		(1 Yr.)				(1 Yr.)
2015	MAR	27,924	419,686	447,610	3.6%	470,613	419,099	889,712	3.0%
	APR	27,282	420,380	447,662	2.0%	470,743	419,096	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%
	OCT	24,881	423,504	448,385	-1.3%	470,446	421,700	892,146	-1.4%
	NOV	23,856	419,586	443,442	-2.6%	464,987	415,952	880,939	-2.9%
DEC		23,235	422,453	445,688	-2.0%	467,065	417,872	884,937	-2.4%
2015 Average		26,270	420,824	447,094		469,732	419,153	888,886	
2016	JAN	22,704	420,599	443,303	-2.4%	464,619	416,207	880,826	-2.6%
	FEB	21,540	416,382	437,922	-2.9%	458,883	408,965	867,848	-3.3%
	MAR	20,936	416,167	437,103	-2.3%	457,814	408,604	866,418	-2.6%
	APR	20,886	416,683	437,569	-2.3%	458,373	411,189	869,562	-2.3%
	MAY	20,066	411,401	431,467	-3.5%	451,706	406,955	858,661	-3.4%
	JUN	19,521	409,831	429,352	-3.5%	449,541	406,259	855,800	-3.2%
	JUL	19,521	410,696	430,217	-3.4%	450,900	407,672	858,572	-3.1%
	AUG	19,335	405,719	425,054	-4.6%	445,381	402,834	848,215	-4.2%
	SEP	19,095	404,660	423,755	-4.6%	445,123	400,055	845,178	-4.3%
	OCT	18,374	401,887	420,261	-6.3%	440,110	397,229	837,339	-6.1%
	NOV	18,083	400,647	418,730	-5.6%	438,718	396,519	835,237	-5.2%
	DEC	17,706	399,542	417,248	-6.4%	436,173	396,733	832,906	-5.9%
2016 Ave	rage	19,814	409,518	429,332		449,778	404,935	854,714	
2017	JAN	17,044	391,958	409,002	-7.7%	427,349	388,777	816,126	-7.3%
	FEB	16,687	388,842	405,529	-7.4%	423,886	385,701	809,587	-6.7%
	MAR	16,158	386,779	402,937	-7.8%	421,536	382,755	804,291	-7.2%
2017 AVG		16,630	389,193	405,823		424,257	385,744	810,001	

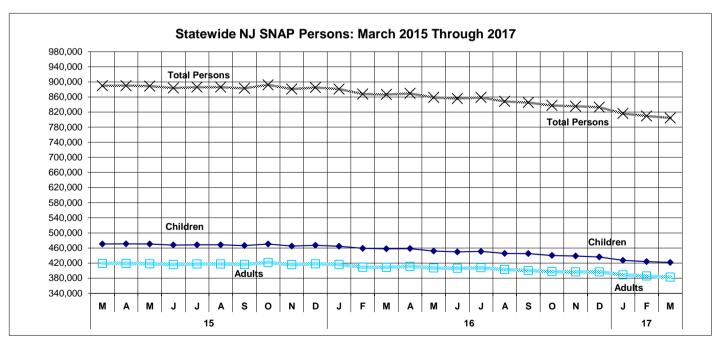
This Table is based on those Households & Persons that received SNAP issuances (benefits) during the month.

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# TABLE 6: NJ SNAP (FOOD STAMPS) TRENDS FOR PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS & PERSONS MARCH 2015 THROUGH MARCH 2017 (STATEWIDE)



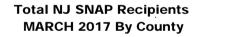


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# Table 7 NJ SNAP

# NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR MARCH 2017

∆= ↑ Caseload %	I	HOUSEHO	OLDS		I		PERSONS	
*= ↓ Caseload %								
County	WFNJ/	Other	TOTAL	% Chng	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% Chng
	TANF	low income		(1 Yr)				(1 Yr)
ATLANTIC	1,138	18,852	19,990	(10.3)	22,140	18,092	40,232	(9.4)
BERGEN	438	21,887	22,325	(4.4) A	23,920	14,029	37,949	(5.7)
BURLINGTON	591	11,544	12,135	(13.5) *	13,451	10,328	23,779	(12.1) *
CAMDEN	1,964	30,514	32,478	(5.6)	35,163	30,900	66,063	(4.3) Δ
CAPE MAY	157	4,097	4,254	(11.3) *	4,717	3,575	8,292	(10.9)
CUMBERLAND	597	12,462	13,059	(9.3)	13,114	14,120	27,234	(8.6)
ESSEX	3,029	55,193	58,222	(9.3)	60,115	57,492	117,607	(8.2)
GLOUCESTER	460	8,954	9,414	(11.3) *	10,550	8,325	18,875	(11.0) *
HUDSON	1,787	49,274	51,061	(10.2)	53,811	44,803	98,614	(9.5)
HUNTERDON	24	1,680	1,704	(8.5)	1,625	1,095	2,720	(11.4) *
MERCER	955	15,090	16,045	(5.2)	15,217	14,491	29,708	(4.7)
MIDDLESEX	715	28,043	28,758	(4.2) A	29,180	26,373	55,553	(4.5)
MONMOUTH	304	17,162	17,466	(8.1)	16,920	15,602	32,522	(7.8)
MORRIS	128	8,063	8,191	(8.6)	8,474	5,250	13,724	(8.6)
OCEAN	445	19,656	20,101	(10.7)	23,037	32,579	55,616	(7.8)
PASSAIC	2,049	47,105	49,154	(4.0) A	51,490	49,783	101,273	(3.4) Δ
SALEM	152	3,755	3,907	(9.5)	4,062	3,813	7,875	(7.8)
SOMERSET	211	5,703	5,914	(8.0)	5,511	5,584	11,095	(7.9)
SUSSEX	72	2,241	2,313	(4.5)	2,654	1,576	4,230	(2.6) A
UNION	790	22,206	22,996	(7.6)	22,688	21,976	44,664	(7.6)
WARREN	152	3,298	3,450	(4.6)	3,697	2,969	6,666	(6.0)
NUTOTAL	40.450	000 770	400.007	(7.0)	104 500	000 755	004.004	(7.0)
NJ TOTAL	16,158	386,779	402,937	(7.8)	421,536	382,755	804,291	(7.2)



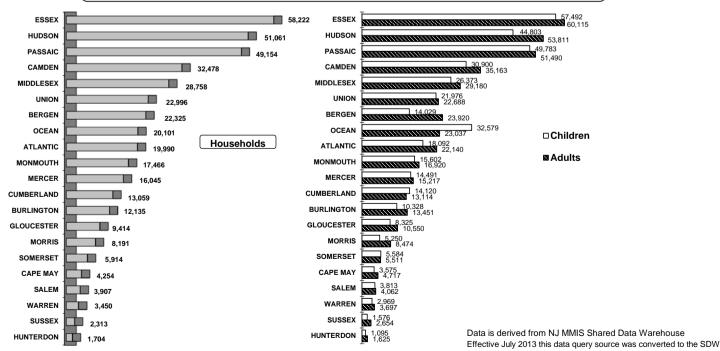
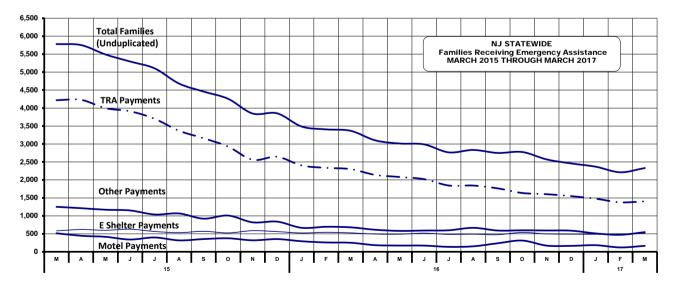


Table 8 TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS											Page 9
Table 8	3	TOTAL N	UMBER O	F ELIGIBLE	FAMILIES	RECEIVING	<b>EMERGE</b>	NCY ASSIS	STANCE PAY	MENTS	ı
EMERG	ENCY		MAF	RCH 2015	THROUG	H MARC	H 2017 -	STATEW	/IDE		
ASSIST	ANCE	TOTAL		Temp		Motel	Sh	elter/Transitio	nal	Other	
(STATE	WIDE)	WFNJ/EA		Rent Asst.		Housing		Housing		EA	
		Families	% CHNG	Payments	% CHNG	Payments	% CHNG	Payments	% CHNG	Payments	% CHNG
		(Undupl)	(1 YR)	(Undupl)	(1 YR)	(Undupl)	(1 YR)	(Undupl)	(1 YR)	(Undupl)	(1 YR)
2015	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%
	OCT	4,257	-36.0%	2,927	-37.0%	375	-44.4%	525	-15.6%	1,008	-42.0%
	NOV	3,847	-37.0%	2,560	-41.4%	319	-39.9%	588	-7.0%	819	-38.5%
	DEC	3,853	-37.8%	2,643	-40.1%	353	-38.2%	561	-12.8%	839	-41.9%
2015 Average		5,007		3,594		407		581		1,088	
2016	JAN	3,485	-40.8%	2,402	-43.8%	293	-48.4%	523	-15.8%	667	-50.2%
	FEB	3,406	-40.1%	2,335	-43.8%	259	-45.6%	543	-6.7%	696	-44.1%
	MAR	3,366	-41.8%	2,300	-45.5%	251	-51.3%	526	-9.6%	680	-45.6%
	APR	3,101	-46.1%	2,139	-49.4%	184	-58.7%	494	-20.3%	613	-49.5%
	MAY	3,012	-45.1%	2,081	-47.9%	173	-58.4%	490	-18.2%	581	-50.3%
	JUN	2,988	-43.6%	2,020	-48.3%	172	-49.6%	519	-17.5%	591	-48.6%
	JUL	2,766	-45.8%	1,844	-50.2%	137	-65.6%	483	-14.5%	598	-42.4%
	AUG	2,833	-39.5%	1,843	-45.3%	152	-52.1%	490	-7.9%	667	-37.4%
	SEP	2,750	-38.3%	1,764	-44.2%	237	-33.1%	476	-16.5%	591	-35.8%
	OCT	2,776	-34.8%	1,636	-44.1%	312	-16.8%	539	2.7%	597	-40.8%
	NOV	2,569	-33.2%	1,602	-37.4%	171	-46.4%	497	-15.5%	592	-27.7%
	DEC	2,458	-36.2%	1,548	-41.4%	165	-53.3%	491	-12.5%	587	-30.0%
2016 Av	erage	2,959		1,960		209		506		622	
2017	JAN	2,367	-32.1%	1,477	-38.5%	183	-37.5%	488	-6.7%	510	-23.5%
	FEB	2,212	-35.1%	1,376	-41.1%	121	-53.3%	497	-8.5%	473	-32.0%
	MAR	2,330	-30.8%	1,404	-39.0%	165	-34.3%	517	-1.7%	546	-19.7%
2017 AV	G to date	2,303		1,419		156		501		510	



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 9NUMBER OF TOTAL ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTSEMERGENCYBY COUNTY (UNDUPLICATED CASES) MARCH 2017

ASSISTANCE							
(BY COUNTY)	TOTAL	%	Temp	Motel	Shelter/Transitional	Other	SSI
County	WFNJ/EA Families	CHNG From	Rent Asst.	Housing	Housing	WFNJ/EA	Receipients Receiving EA**
County			Payments	Payments	Payments	Payments	Receiving EA
ATI ANITIO	(Undupl)	Mar 16	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	(Undupl)	
ATLANTIC	118	-22.4%	83	4		52	68
BERGEN	75	-41.9%	37	0		20	11
BURLINGTON	113	-48.2%	33	14	64	16	18
CAMDEN	98	-21.6%	49	7	33	24	11
CAPE MAY	27	-52.6% *	11	16	0	0	11
CUMBERLAND	3	-75.0% *	0	1	2	0	1
ESSEX	490	-26.4%	287	0	161	76	112
GLOUCESTER	49	25.6% Δ	19	3	11	25	12
HUDSON	205	-12.4%	139	6	43	38	9
HUNTERDON	6	-45.5%	5	0	1	2	1
MERCER	129	-45.1%	80	2	35	43	64
MIDDLESEX	103	-1.9%	41	41	14	39	9
MONMOUTH	27	-40.0%	1	5	19	4	3
MORRIS	40	0.0%	18	13	2	12	23
OCEAN	85	-64.9% *	63	19	0	23	8
PASSAIC	504	-34.6%	396	5	47	114	64
SALEM	4	100.0% Δ	0	0	0	4	1
SOMERSET	65	-24.4%	33	10	16	13	29
SUSSEX	16	14.3% Δ	7	0	5	7	6
UNION	158	-6.5%	94	16	34	31	24
WARREN	15	7.1%	8	3	3	3	4
NJ TOTAL	2,330	-30.8%	1,404	165	517	546	489

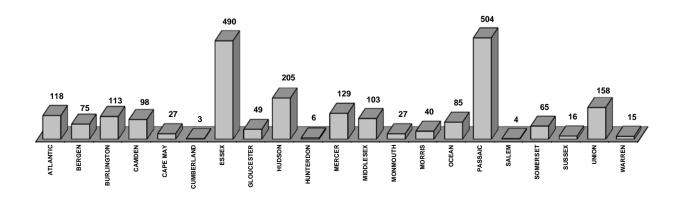
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Effective July 2013 this data query source was converted to the SDW

Number WFNJ Families Receiving EA by County MARCH 2017



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

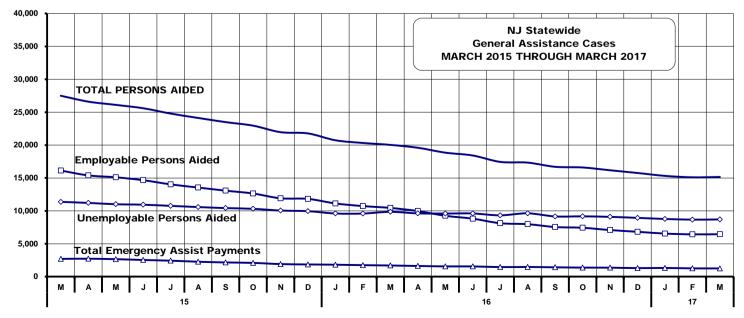
Table 10
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ASSISTANCE

# NUMBER OF EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR MARCH 2017 - STATEWIDE

**MARCH 2015 THROUGH MARCH 2017** 

PROGRAM	Total Cases	Emergency Assistance Cases

PROG	RAW			Total C	<u>ases</u>			Emergeno	<u>cy Assistance</u>	e Cases	
		Employable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Unemployable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)	Temporary Rental Assistance	Other GA-EA	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)
2015	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%
	OCT	12,644	-29.9%	10,315	-15.1%	22,959	-23.9%	2,093	1,828	3,921	-28.8%
	NOV	11,914	-31.4%	10,054	-16.2%	21,968	-25.2%	1,914	1,509	3,423	-26.1%
	DEC	11,825	-31.2%	9,954	-15.5%	21,779	-24.8%	1,856	1,876	3,732	-28.2%
2015 A	verage	13,833		10,663		24,496		2,335	2,031	4,366	
2016	JAN	11,130	-33.8%	9,604	-17.8%	20,734	-27.2%	1,819	1,504	3,323	-35.8%
	FEB	10,731	-34.0%	9,597	-15.9%	20,328	-26.6%	1,748	1,578	3,326	-32.1%
	MAR	10,449	-35.2%	9,585	-15.7%	20,034	-27.2%	1,698	1,654	3,352	-36.8%
	APR	9,977	-35.2%	9,620	-14.2%	19,597	-26.3%	1,627	1,612	3,239	-36.9%
	MAY	9,257	-38.7%	9,596	-12.8%	18,853	-27.8%	1,559	1,163	2,722	-43.8%
	JUN	8,816	-39.9%	9,607	-12.2%	18,423	-28.0%	1,556	1,365	2,921	-38.3%
	JUL	8,126	-42.1%	9,324	-13.4%	17,450	-29.6%	1,459	1,236	2,695	-41.5%
	AUG	7,978	-41.1%	9,360	-11.5%	17,338	-28.1%	1,473	1,389	2,862	-30.1%
	SEP	7,545	-42.3%	9,156	-12.2%	16,701	-28.9%	1,423	1,209	2,632	-31.9%
	OCT	7,432	-41.2%	9,169	-11.1%	16,601	-27.7%	1,375	1,427	2,802	-28.5%
	NOV	7,084	-40.5%	9,093	-9.6%	16,177	-26.4%	1,369	1,328	2,697	-21.2%
	DEC	6,823	-42.3%	8,938	-10.2%	15,761	-27.6%	1,300	1,251	2,551	-31.6%
2016 A	verage	8,779		9,387		18,166		1,534	1,393	2,927	
2017	JAN	6,551	-41.1%	8,773	-8.7%	15,324	-26.1%	1,323	1,190	2,513	-24.4%
	FEB	6,433	-40.1%	8,669	-9.7%	15,102	-25.7%	1,262	1,111	2,373	-28.7%
	MAR	6,455	-38.2%	8,701	-9.2%	15,156	-24.3%	1,254	1,185	2,439	-27.2%
2017 A	VG to date	6,480		8,714		15,194		1,280	1,162	2,442	



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TABLE 11

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

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

PROGRAM MARCH 2017

			<u>Total (</u>	<u>Cases</u>		Emergency Assistance Cases				
<u>County</u>	<u>Employable</u>	% Chng	<u>Unemployable</u>	% Chng	<u>Total</u>	% Chng	Temporary	Other	<u>Total</u>	% Chng
		(From Mar 16)	(	From Mar 16)	(	From Mar 16)	Rental Assist.	GA-EA		(From Mar 16)
ATLANTIC	786	-42.8%	444	13.8%	1,230	-30.3% *	143	38	181	-13.8%
BERGEN	417	-39.7%	638	-15.4%	1,055	-27.0%	153	42	195	-27.2%
BURLINGTON	351	-54.5%	597	6.6%	948	-28.8%	45	162	207	-41.0%
CAMDEN	661	-19.2%	1,021	-5.8%	1,682	-11.6% A	58	96	154	-12.5%
CAPE MAY	62	-44.6%	103	2.0%	165	-22.5%	29	38	67	-39.6%
CUMBERLAND	292	-28.4%	351	4.8%	643	-13.5%	6	12	18	-61.7% *
ESSEX	917	-37.4%	628	-7.9%	1,545	-28.1%	80	168	248	-25.1%
GLOUCESTER	243	-36.7%	334	8.4%	577	-16.6%	17	46	63	-14.9%
HUDSON	620	-36.1%	1,160	-18.3%	1,780	-25.5%	98	54	152	-12.1%
HUNTERDON	48	11.6%	62	-33.3%	110	-19.1%	19	16	35	-34.0%
MERCER	253	-33.2%	532	-14.1%	785	-21.3%	67	68	135	-18.2%
MIDDLESEX	318	-25.9%	375	-6.0%	693	-16.3%	77	79	156	-4.3%
MONMOUTH	56	-37.1%	182	-5.2%	238	-15.3%	2	14	16	-69.2% *
MORRIS	151	-44.5%	282	-18.3%	433	-29.8% *	86	43	129	-42.9%
OCEAN	223	-38.9%	326	-17.9%	549	-28.0%	68	62	130	-58.2% *
PASSAIC	374	-61.2%	789	-15.2%	1,163	-38.6% *	139	40	179	-26.9%
SALEM	29	-49.1%	140	-2.8%	169	-15.9%	7	4	11	22.2% Δ
SOMERSET	78	2.6%	91	-8.1%	169	-3.4% $\Delta$	36	39	75	33.9% Δ
SUSSEX	89	-15.2%	38	-20.8%	127	-17.0%	3	25	28	-3.4% Δ
UNION	384	-30.1%	490	-12.8%	874	-21.3%	110	124	234	-14.9%
WARREN	103	-18.3%	118	-4.8%	221	-11.6% <b>Δ</b>	11	15	26	-3.7%
NJ TOTAL	6,455	-38.2%	8,701	-9.2%	15,156	-24.3%	1,254	1,185	2,439	-27.2%

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Source: NJ Division of Family Development, GA Fiscal Unit

TABLE 12
OFFICE OF CHILD
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### OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

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

#### LE IV-D SOURCE COLLECTION REPOR

Comparison of Quarter-2 (FFY 16 vs. FFY 17)

COLLECTION SOURCE		TOTAL 1/1/2016 - 3/31/2016	% OF TOTAL COLLECTIONS	TOTAL 1/1/2017 - 3/31/2017	% OF TOTAL COLLECTIONS	DOLLAR CHANGE	% CHANGE
FEDERAL TAX	\$	22,746,351	6.78%	\$ 22,100,794	6.65%	\$ (645,557)	-2.84%
STATE TAX	\$	275,486	0.08%	\$ 256,524	0.08%	\$ (18,962)	-6.88%
UIB	\$	10,689,002	3.19%	\$ 9,163,308	2.76%	\$ (1,525,694)	-14.27%
INC WITHHOLD	\$	219,999,987	65.56%	\$ 220,252,048	66.27%	\$ 252,061	0.11%
FROM OTHER STATES	\$	12,537,589	3.74%	\$ 12,464,744	3.75%	\$ (72,845)	-0.58%
ADMIN ENFORCEMENT	\$	2,076,011	0.62%	\$ 2,843,836	0.01	\$ 767,826	36.99%
OTHER	\$	67,249,316	20.04%	\$ 65,292,583	19.64%	\$ (1,956,733)	-2.91%
TOTAL COLLECTIONS*	\$3	335,573,742	100%	\$ 332,373,837	100%	\$ (3,199,904)	-0.95%
DISTRIBUTED COLLECTIONS**	\$ 2	297,086,686		\$ 296,938,727		\$ (147,959)	-0.05%

<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.

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OFFICE OF CHILD
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### OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

### **State Summary**

#### TITLE IV-D PATERNITY ESTABLISHMENT REPORT

Comparison of March (FFY 16 vs. FFY 17)

		MARCH 201	-	Tarison or war			
County Office	Total Children Born Out of Wedlock*	Number of Paternities Established	Percent of Paternities	Total Children Born Out of Wedlock*	Number of Paternities Established	Percent of Paternities	Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2016 to FFY 2017
Atlantic	8,234	8,012	97.3%	7,793	7,630	97.9%	0.6%
Bergen	4,268	4,173	97.8%	4,011	3,923	97.8%	0.0%
Burlington	7,125	6,788	95.3%	6,563	6,319	96.3%	1.0%
Camden	22,503	20,956	93.1%	20,847	19,706	94.5%	1.4%
Cape May	1,737	1,703	98.0%	1,633	1,599	97.9%	-0.1%
Cumberland	8,516	8,425	98.9%	7,966	7,912	99.3%	0.4%
Essex	36,574	33,366	91.2%	34,254	31,512	92.0%	0.8%
Gloucester	5,889	5,768	97.9%	5,518	5,409	98.0%	0.1%
Hudson	15,244	14,185	93.1%	13,993	13,068	93.4%	0.3%
Hunterdon	440	433	98.4%	409	400	97.8%	-0.6%
Mercer	9,783	9,274	94.8%	9,149	8,786	96.0%	1.2%
Middlesex	9,076	8,713	96.0%	8,392	8,102	96.5%	0.5%
Monmouth	7,355	6,988	95.0%	6,889	6,582	95.5%	0.5%
Morris	1,936	1,887	97.5%	1,756	1,717	97.8%	0.3%
Ocean	6,355	6,101	96.0%	5,988	5,812	97.1%	1.1%
Passaic	15,736	14,439	91.8%	14,525	13,494	92.9%	1.1%
Salem	2,941	2,829	96.2%	2,891	2,794	96.6%	0.5%
Somerset	2,223	2,133	96.0%	1,995	1,916	96.0%	0.1%
Sussex	827	811	98.1%	751	743	98.9%	0.9%
Union	13,193	12,120	91.9%	12,581	11,737	93.3%	1.4%
Warren	1,259	1,242	98.6%	1,210	1,197	98.9%	0.3%
NJ TOTALS	181,214	170,346	94.0%	169,114	160,358	94.8%	0.8%

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
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### OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

### **State Summary**

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

Comparison of March (FFY 16 vs. FFY 17)

				arison of Mar	Ι.		
	March 2016				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 2016 to FFY 2017
Atlantic	14,413	12,462	86.5%	13,723	12,033	87.7%	1.2%
Bergen	13,748	12,999	94.6%	13,312	12,723	95.6%	1.0%
Burlington	16,300	13,912	85.3%	15,558	13,621	87.5%	2.2%
Camden	36,587	29,164	79.7%	34,540	28,427	82.3%	2.6%
Cape May	3,796	3,338	87.9%	3,633	3,215	88.5%	0.6%
Cumberland	13,675	12,855	94.0%	13,148	12,401	94.3%	0.3%
Essex	53,874	41,536	77.1%	52,254	40,387	77.3%	0.2%
Gloucester	12,123	11,247	92.8%	11,667	11,075	94.9%	2.2%
Hudson	28,201	21,542	76.4%	26,285	20,920	79.6%	3.2%
Hunterdon	1,820	1,711	94.0%	1,692	1,636	96.7%	2.7%
Mercer	17,079	14,425	84.5%	16,269	14,195	87.3%	2.8%
Middlesex	21,137	19,066	90.2%	19,990	18,484	92.5%	2.3%
Monmouth	16,796	15,712	93.5%	16,141	15,222	94.3%	0.8%
Morris	6,987	6,687	95.7%	6,688	6,407	95.8%	0.1%
Ocean	17,273	16,026	92.8%	16,552	15,690	94.8%	2.0%
Passaic	27,205	19,653	72.2%	25,982	18,992	73.1%	0.9%
Salem	4,780	4,530	94.8%	4,726	4,513	95.5%	0.7%
Somerset	6,001	5,387	89.8%	5,722	5,207	91.0%	1.2%
Sussex	3,101	2,990	96.4%	3,010	2,892	96.1%	-0.3%
Union	22,121	19,444	87.9%	21,270	19,283	90.7%	2.8%
Warren	3,438	3,118	90.7%	3,357	3,048	90.8%	0.1%
NJ TOTALS	340,455	287,804	84.5%	325,519	280,371	86.1%	1.6%

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 March (FFY 16 vs. FFY 17)

	1 n	March 2016	Jonip	arison of march (	Ingresse or		
	IVIAICII 2010			IV.	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 2016 to FFY 2017
Atlantic	\$4,425,411	\$2,918,648	66.0%	\$4,305,717	\$2,851,769	66.2%	0.3%
Bergen	\$9,885,041	\$7,546,209	76.3%	\$9,756,009	\$7,316,923	75.0%	-1.3%
Burlington	\$7,029,210	\$4,933,015	70.2%	\$6,821,707	\$4,742,898	69.5%	-0.7%
Camden	\$9,185,084	\$5,498,864	59.9%	\$8,976,548	\$5,410,640	60.3%	0.4%
Cape May	\$1,291,437	\$881,515	68.3%	\$1,261,357	\$878,937	69.7%	1.4%
Cumberland	\$3,474,980	\$2,056,421	59.2%	\$3,431,688	\$2,034,730	59.3%	0.1%
Essex	\$14,271,308	\$8,154,632	57.1%	\$13,865,764	\$7,893,973	56.9%	-0.2%
Gloucester	\$4,907,617	\$3,125,968	63.7%	\$4,940,818	\$3,182,571	64.4%	0.7%
Hudson	\$8,777,129	\$5,890,695	67.1%	\$8,540,658	\$5,725,300	67.0%	-0.1%
Hunterdon	\$1,594,491	\$1,281,739	80.4%	\$1,548,520	\$1,241,751	80.2%	-0.2%
Mercer	\$5,310,035	\$3,294,575	62.0%	\$5,158,283	\$3,119,411	60.5%	-1.6%
Middlesex	\$9,704,954	\$6,504,780	67.0%	\$9,356,758	\$6,303,742	67.4%	0.3%
Monmouth	\$8,999,995	\$6,449,135	71.7%	\$8,736,354	\$6,211,916	71.1%	-0.6%
Morris	\$5,326,790	\$3,945,519	74.1%	\$5,182,067	\$3,775,722	72.9%	-1.2%
Ocean	\$8,134,886	\$5,909,251	72.6%	\$7,944,771	\$5,798,160	73.0%	0.3%
Passaic	\$7,971,720	\$4,922,721	61.8%	\$7,806,103	\$4,841,336	62.0%	0.3%
Salem	\$1,347,299	\$824,671	61.2%	\$1,388,415	\$809,073	58.3%	-2.9%
Somerset	\$3,778,526	\$2,966,293	78.5%	\$3,654,464	\$2,865,425	78.4%	-0.1%
Sussex	\$2,151,159	\$1,648,760	76.6%	\$2,074,179	\$1,560,271	75.2%	-1.4%
Union	\$8,176,619	\$5,326,136	65.1%	\$8,189,697	\$5,395,687	65.9%	0.7%
Warren	\$1,617,652	\$1,189,653	73.5%	\$1,546,734	\$1,122,537	72.6%	-1.0%
NJ TOTALS	\$127,361,343	\$85,269,199	67.0%	\$124,486,610	\$83,082,772	66.7%	-0.2%

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 March (FFY 16 vs. FFY 17)

		March 2016			Increase or			
	Total		Average	Total		Average	Decrease (-)	
County Office	Cases	Total Amount	Arrears	Cases	Total Amount	Arrears	from FFY 2016	
County Office	with	Collected	Collection	with	Collected	Collection	to FFY 2017	
	Arrears		per Case	Arrears	Arrears per Ca			
Atlantic	8,617	\$1,030,609	\$119.60	8,249	\$1,248,544	\$151.36	\$31.76	
Bergen	8,644	\$1,381,512	\$159.82	8,519	\$1,592,589	\$186.95	\$27.12	
Burlington	9,445	\$1,229,428	\$130.17	9,254	\$1,580,735	\$170.82	\$40.65	
Camden	18,758	\$1,961,579	\$104.57	18,383	\$2,883,830	\$156.87	\$52.30	
Cape May	2,368	\$271,049	\$114.46	2,243	\$296,352	\$132.12	\$17.66	
Cumberland	8,717	\$923,315	\$105.92	8,465	\$1,190,454	\$140.63	\$34.71	
Essex	29,563	\$3,150,983	\$106.59	28,043	\$4,066,332	\$145.00	\$38.42	
Gloucester	7,870	\$914,180	\$116.16	7,695	\$1,213,971	\$157.76	\$41.60	
Hudson	15,574	\$1,922,817	\$123.46	15,012	\$2,474,325	\$164.82	\$41.36	
Hunterdon	1,070	\$181,488	\$169.61	1,022	\$213,361	\$208.77	\$39.15	
Mercer	9,843	\$1,189,066	\$120.80	9,715	\$1,554,207	\$159.98	\$39.18	
Middlesex	13,280	\$1,658,243	\$124.87	12,828	\$2,299,479	\$179.25	\$54.39	
Monmouth	10,516	\$1,505,064	\$143.12	10,291	\$1,760,311	\$171.05	\$27.93	
Morris	4,580	\$728,302	\$159.02	4,414	\$785,878	\$178.04	\$19.02	
Ocean	10,815	\$1,313,561	\$121.46	10,630	\$1,764,776	\$166.02	\$44.56	
Passaic	13,822	\$1,623,876	\$117.48	13,605	\$2,180,438	\$160.27	\$42.78	
Salem	3,014	\$280,218	\$92.97	2,991	\$343,765	\$114.93	\$21.96	
Somerset	3,641	\$633,145	\$173.89	3,520	\$692,542	\$196.74	\$22.85	
Sussex	2,100	\$342,991	\$163.33	2,019	\$411,163	\$203.65	\$40.32	
Union	13,806	\$2,033,862	\$147.32	13,510	\$2,217,033	\$164.10	\$16.79	
Warren	2,152	\$283,623	\$131.80	2,087	\$390,700	\$187.21	\$55.41	
NJ TOTALS	198,195	\$24,558,911	\$123.91	192,495	\$31,160,785	\$161.88	\$37.97	

SOURCE:OCSE-157 Child Support Enforcement Annual Data Report

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WFNJ	MARCH 2017							
	EMPLOYMENT DIRECTED ACTIVITIES EMPLOYED SUPPORT SERVI					Γ SERVICES	CLOSED	POST
	CWEP ALL JOB			OPEN	ON ACTIVE CASE		FOR	ASSISTANCE
COUNTY		OTHER	SEARCH	(WFNJ	CHILD	TRAINING REL.	EMPLOYMENT	CHILD
		TRAINING		RECIPIENT)	CARE	EXPENSES	THIS MONTH	CARE
ATLANTIC	123	138	23	109	54	237	15	91
BERGEN	64	1	52	28	34	47	7	85
BURLINGTON	56	16	26	81	64	82	23	182
CAMDEN	219	184	11	267	241	385	46	292
CAPE MAY	15	14	6	13	4	13	2	21
CUMBERLAND	68	52	40	31	26	88	10	55
ESSEX	428	592	74	446	445	710	63	631
GLOUCESTER	17	8	13	24	8	17	8	79
HUDSON	144	325	16	181	230	446	37	370
HUNTERDON	2	0	5	6	2	0	0	6
MERCER	184	54	103	109	123	107	12	150
MIDDLESEX	51	33	75	53	51	61	19	128
MONMOUTH	44	10	30	51	67	51	5	76
MORRIS	16	1	14	23	16	15	6	26
OCEAN	6	119	0	25	30	39	5	96
PASSAIC	390	286	35	186	253	276	41	189
SALEM	2	18	5	7	14	12	3	12
SOMERSET	36	17	18	32	19	32	1	59
SUSSEX	26	3	7	10	12	3	1	19
UNION	248	95	7	67	85	134	17	148
WARREN	19	11	2	14	15	4	4	30
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STATE	2,158	1,977	562	1,763	1,793	2,759	325	2,745

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

## DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS MARCH 2017

### **ACRONYMS**

**EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (EA)** - Payments to those eligible for WFNJ/TANF or WFNJ/GA, authorized during the 30 consecutive days immediately following the emergency (defined as a substantial loss of shelter, food, clothing, or household furnishings by fire, flood or other similar disaster) or if eligible individual or family is an imminent or actual state of homelessness.

**NJ SNAP** - Formerly the Food Stamp Program, now known as **NJ SNAP** (NJ Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) authorized by Congress as a nutritional supplement program to provide low income households with more food of greater variety and better nutrition. Program eligibility is based on household income, resources, and expenses for medical, shelter, and dependent care. CWA staff refers certain recipients to the New Jersey Department of Labor for participation in the Food Stamp Employment and Training Program.

**FAMIS**: Family Assistance Management Information System

**GAAS**: General Assistance Automated System

**NJKiDS**: New Jersey Kids Deserve Support (Child Support Information Management System)

**NJ MMIS SHARED DATA WAREHOUSE**: The Shared Data Warehouse (SDW) is the repository for New Jersey's DFD and Medicaid data. Since 2003, OptumInsight has administered the SDW and provided access to the data through a reporting tool known as Business Objects.

**OMEGA**: Online Management of Economic Goal Achievement

**SSI-EA**: Supplemental Security Income-Emergency Assistance

**WFNJ**: Work First New Jersey - Fully implemented July 1, 1997, this is New Jersey's welfare reform program which responds to the requirements of the Federal Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act (**PRWORA**) of 1996. PRWORA established Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (**TANF**) as the replacement for AFDC cash assistance. WFNJ includes two segments, **WFNJ/TANF** for families with children, and **WFNJ/GA** (General Assistance) for single adults and couples without dependent children. WFNJ emphasizes achieving self-sufficiency and limits lifetime receipt of financial assistance to a total of five years.

# DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS MARCH 2017

### **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).