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SUBJECT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS



Attached please find *Current Program Statistics* for July 2002. Included are TANF-oriented and Food Stamps data, General Assistance data, and the WFNJ Statistical Summary.

Some items of interest include:

- The TANF caseload continues to decline. Since July of 2001 there has been a decrease of 8.2%.
- Food Stamp households increased by 5,207 since July 2001.
- For GA, recipient figures reported are for June 2002, which are 10.2% above June 2001.

Should you have any questions regarding this report, please do not hesitate to call me at 6-2401, David Karwoski at 6-2273, or Janet Taylor at 6-2277.

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Highlights of **CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS**

WFNJ/TANF

(Tables 1 and 5, Graphs 1 and 4)

As of July 2002, 41,583 eligible families in New Jersey were receiving WFNJ/TANF cash assistance:

- 40,212 single head of household families
- 1,371 two-parent families.

The largest number of WFNJ/TANF families receiving cash assistance, by county:

Essex — 12,031, Hudson — 5,924, Camden — 4,426, Passaic — 3,312 Union — 2,607

The number of WFNJ/TANF cash assistance families in the other 16 counties ranged from:

- 31 families in Hunterdon County to 2,329 in Mercer County,
with eleven counties below 1000 families

There were 8,624 fewer eligible WFNJ/TANF families receiving cash assistance in July 2002 than in July 2000, a decline of 17.2 percent.

- **Single head families:** 8,366 below two years ago in July 2000, a drop of 17.2%.
- **Two parent families:** decreased by 258 or 15.8 percent from July 2000.

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

(Tables 2 and 6, Graphs 2, 5, and 6)

As of report month of July 2002, 138,322 households participated in the Food Stamp Program.

- **TANF:** 30,361 households with 94,561 persons.
- **Other low income:** 107,961 households with 200,566 persons.
- **Total persons:** 295,127, including 144,609 adults and 150,518 children
- **By County:** 55.1 percent of the households were in:

Essex	29,454
Hudson	19,668
Passaic	14,905
Camden	12,147

Two years ago in July 2000, 136,027 households participated in Food Stamps in New Jersey. Over the next two years the number increased by 2,295 or 1.7 percent, to 138,322 by July 2002.

- **TANF(FS)** households steadily declined by 5,704 from 36,065 in July 2000 to 30,361 two years later. There were 99,962 **Other Low Income** households in July 2000 and 7,999 more two years later.
- **Total FS Recipients:** were 301,537 in July 2000, and declined to 295,127 by July 2002, a drop of 6,410, or 2.1 percent.
- **Adult FS Recipients:** declined from 146,058 in July 2000 to 144,609 in July 2002, a drop of 1,449 (1.0 percent).
- **Recipient FS Children:** declined by 4,961 (3.2 percent), from 155,479 in July 2000 to 150,518 in July 2002.

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

(Tables 3, 7 and 9, Graphs 3, 7 and 9)

In July 2002 Emergency Assistance (EA) payments were made for 2,779 eligible TANF families and 648 SSI recipients in New Jersey. For TANF families this included payments for:

- **Temporary Rental Assistance (TRA)** for 351 families
- **Motel** placements for 459 families and **emergency shelter** placements for 519 families
- **All other TANF-EA** for 1,450 families (including back rent, back utilities, security deposits, furnishings, clothing and food allowance, or transitional housing)
- 705 families in **Essex** County, 369 in **Mercer** County, 244 in **Monmouth** County, 219 in **Passaic**.

In the past two years, the number of EA payments for TANF families increased from 1,626 in July 2000 to 2,779 in July 2002.

- TRA payments were 12.6 % of the total EA Families in July 2002.
- Motel payments were up from two years ago.; 211 to 459.

TANF PARTICIPATION RATES

(Table 8, Graph 8)

The TANF participation rate for July 2002 was 36.26% for the State as a whole. This is a decrease of 1.54 percentage points from June 2002.

Participation rates by county:

- Ten counties had a participation rate greater than 40 percent: Bergen, Cape May, Mercer, Monmouth, Morris, Salem, Somerset, Sussex, Union, and Warren.

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

(Table 9, Graph 9)

There were 25,624 GA recipients in June 2002, up from 23,242 in June 2001.

- There were 13,858 Employable GA and 11,766 Unemployable GA recipients in June 2002.

CHILD SUPPORT AND PATERNITY

(Table 10)

For FFY 2002, the total collections of the Child Support and Paternity Program was \$637,396,730, an increase of over 5 percent over the same period for FFY 2001.

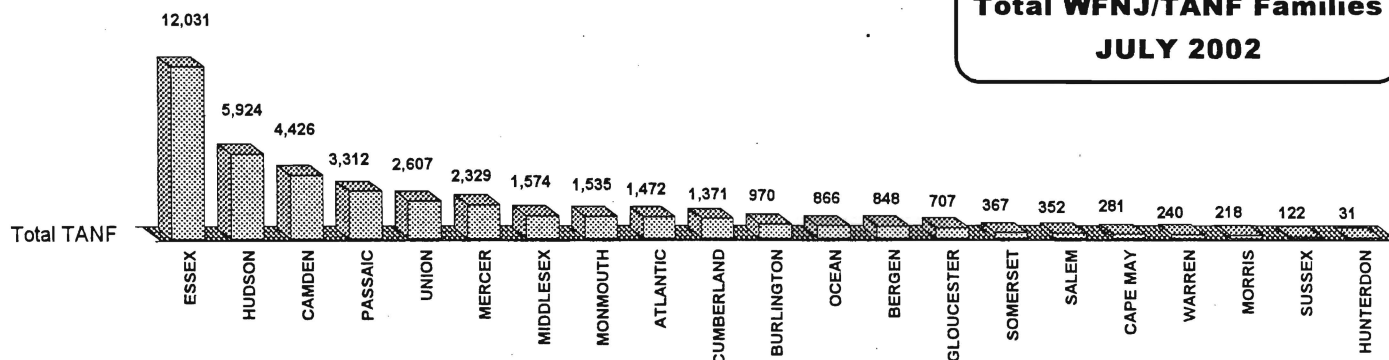
Table 1
WFNJ/TANF
PROGRAM

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS DURING REPORT MONTH, AND
NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF FOR THE REPORT MONTH

JULY 2002

County	Applications Approved	Terminations	Single Head Families	Two Parent Families	Total WFNJ/TANF
ATLANTIC	158	151	1,423	49	1,472
BERGEN	86	64	797	51	848
BURLINGTON	148	108	937	33	970
CAMDEN	424	362	4,263	163	4,426
CAPE MAY	25	61	267	14	281
CUMBERLAND	137	161	1,284	87	1,371
ESSEX	1,077	752	11,754	277	12,031
GLOUCESTER	74	71	679	28	707
HUDSON	324	393	5,708	216	5,924
HUNTERDON	4	1	30	1	31
MERCER	234	185	2,262	67	2,329
MIDDLESEX	164	168	1,526	48	1,574
MONMOUTH	182	151	1,492	43	1,535
MORRIS	21	22	209	9	218
OCEAN	86	97	833	33	866
PASSAIC	197	274	3,194	118	3,312
SALEM	53	45	341	11	352
SOMERSET	53	42	357	10	367
SUSSEX	21	11	116	6	122
UNION	251	198	2,523	84	2,607
WARREN	35	28	217	23	240
NJ TOTAL	3,754	3,345	40,212	1,371	41,583

GRAPH 1
Total WFNJ/TANF Families
JULY 2002



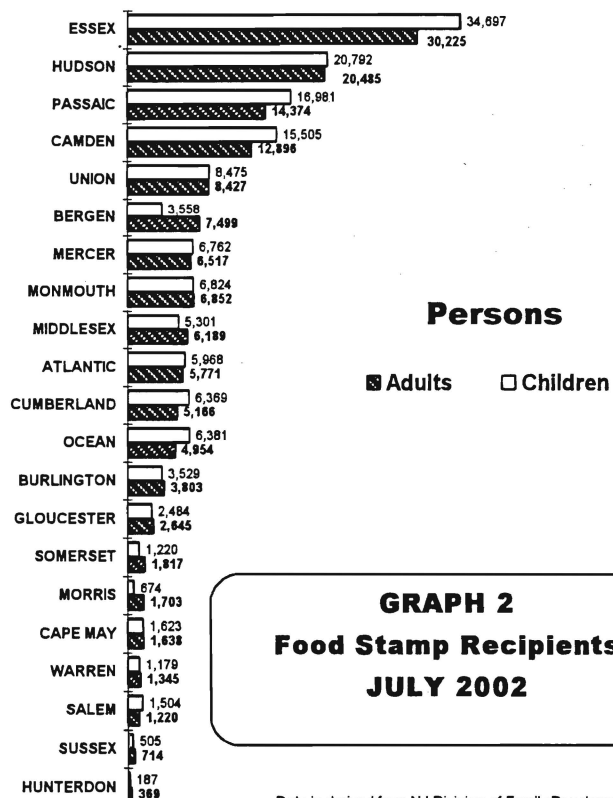
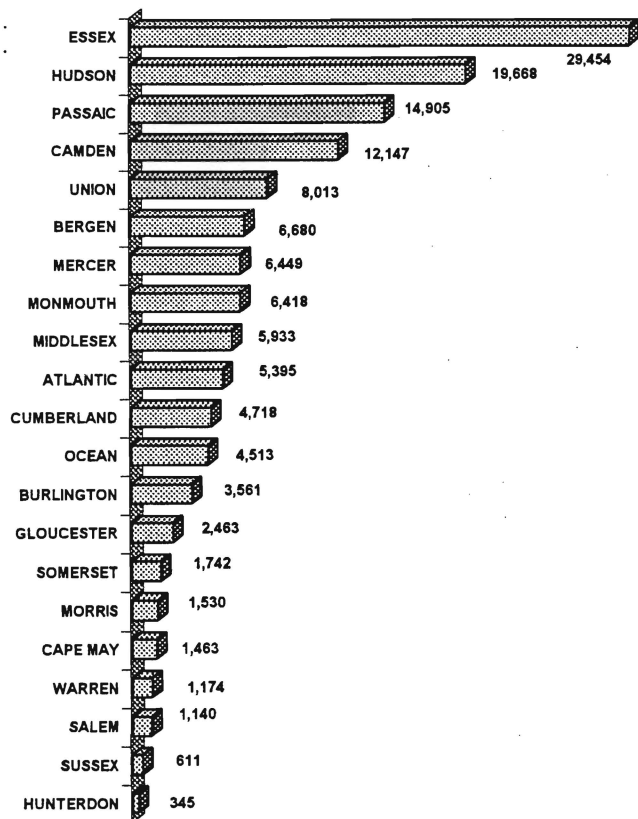
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Table 2 NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS AND CHILDREN FOR THE REPORT MONTH

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

JULY 2002

County	HOUSEHOLDS			TOTAL	PERSONS			Adults	Children
	WFNJ/TANF	Other low income	TOTAL		WFNJ/TANF	Other low income	TOTAL		
ATLANTIC	1,017	4,378	5,395	11,739	3,187	8,552	5,771	5,968	
BERGEN	579	6,101	6,680	11,057	1,627	9,430	7,499	3,558	
BURLINGTON	513	3,048	3,561	7,332	1,613	5,719	3,803	3,529	
CAMDEN	3,113	9,034	12,147	28,401	10,204	18,197	12,896	15,505	
CAPE MAY	182	1,281	1,463	3,261	577	2,684	1,638	1,623	
CUMBERLAND	935	3,783	4,718	11,535	3,128	8,407	5,166	6,369	
ESSEX	9,471	19,983	29,454	64,922	29,725	35,197	30,225	34,697	
GLOUCESTER	433	2,030	2,463	5,129	1,301	3,828	2,645	2,484	
HUDSON	4,611	15,057	19,668	41,277	13,940	27,337	20,485	20,792	
HUNTERDON	17	328	345	556	50	506	369	187	
MERCER	1,667	4,782	6,449	13,279	5,128	8,151	6,517	6,762	
MIDDLESEX	1,059	4,874	5,933	11,490	2,966	8,524	6,189	5,301	
MONMOUTH	1,178	5,240	6,418	13,676	3,741	9,935	6,852	6,824	
MORRIS	116	1,414	1,530	2,377	347	2,030	1,703	674	
OCEAN	520	3,993	4,513	11,335	1,565	9,770	4,954	6,381	
PASSAIC	2,494	12,411	14,905	31,355	7,765	23,590	14,374	16,981	
SALEM	250	890	1,140	2,724	773	1,951	1,220	1,504	
SOMERSET	214	1,528	1,742	3,037	647	2,390	1,817	1,220	
SUSSEX	75	536	611	1,219	223	996	714	505	
UNION	1,723	6,290	8,013	16,902	5,454	11,448	8,427	8,475	
WARREN	194	980	1,174	2,524	600	1,924	1,345	1,179	
NJ TOTAL	30,361	107,961	138,322	295,127	94,561	200,566	144,609	150,518	



GRAPH 2
Food Stamp Recipients
JULY 2002

Data is derived from NJ Division of Family Development's FAMIS report # FB-160.

Table 3 NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS (UNDUPLICATED CASES)

TANF/SSI
EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

JULY 2002

County	WFNJ/TANF Families Receiving Emergency Assistance					SSI Receipts Receiving EA*
	TOTAL WFNJ/TANF-EA	Temporary Rental Assist.	Motel Housing	Emergency Shelter	Other WFNJ/TANF-EA	
ATLANTIC	80	1	26	1	52	18
BERGEN	127	14	26	21	66	64
BURLINGTON	66	1	9	20	36	10
CAMDEN	128	13	26	16	73	26
CAPE MAY	40	5	16	0	19	14
CUMBERLAND	42	1	5	7	29	18
ESSEX	705	107	43	290	265	80
GLOUCESTER	46	6	9	13	18	8
HUDSON	169	4	21	27	117	12
HUNTERDON	3	0	0	1	2	2
MERCER	369	122	28	0	219	78
MIDDLESEX	134	7	25	30	72	71
MONMOUTH	244	44	132	0	68	25
MORRIS	6	1	0	1	4	12
OCEAN	86	4	43	2	37	37
PASSAIC	219	5	2	26	186	85
SALEM	58	1	12	1	44	12
SOMERSET	59	0	10	19	30	33
SUSSEX	29	3	4	7	15	17
UNION	162	12	20	35	95	15
WARREN	7	0	2	2	3	11
NJ TOTAL	2,779	351	459	519	1,450	648

*SSI-EA now includes pay code 24

GRAPH 3
WFNJ/TANF Families Receiving
Emergency Assistance
JULY 2002

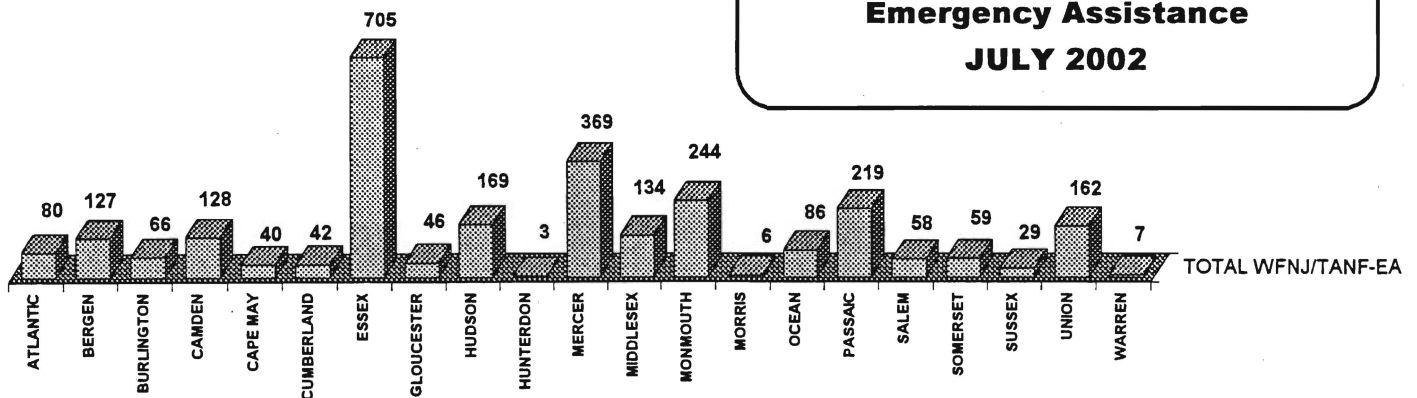


Table 4

WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY STATISTICAL SUMMARY

WFNJ

JULY 2002

COUNTY	CASES REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE	EMPLOYMENT DIRECTED ACTIVITIES			EMPLOYED OPEN (WFNJ RECIPIENT)	SUPPORT SERVICES ON ACTIVE CASE		EMPLOYED CLOSED	POST ASSISTANCE CHILD CARE
		CWEP	ALL OTHER TRAINING	JOB SEARCH		CHILD CARE	TRAINING REL. EXPENSES		
ATLANTIC	640	1	152	20	143	82	114	83	239
BERGEN	399	56	213	142	103	109	108	18	140
BURLINGTON	380	89	29	99	104	77	129	31	207
CAMDEN	2,303	565	449	259	490	533	659	100	844
CAPE MAY	119	6	20	14	48	19	29	31	83
CUMBERLAND	659	5	232	190	111	75	115	48	228
ESSEX	7,330	180	2,959	536	1,592	1,864	1,999	137	1,005
GLOUCESTER	306	33	41	20	63	56	1	19	116
HUDSON	3,168	29	1,930	471	754	869	1,154	124	820
HUNTERDON	9	0	0	8	2	2	0	0	18
MERCER	1,269	117	664	135	248	255	266	69	288
MIDDLESEX	657	0	132	90	192	74	155	50	224
MONMOUTH	861	33	486	45	245	243	372	66	328
MORRIS	82	34	16	5	18	30	22	5	63
OCEAN	317	12	45	98	111	97	49	24	209
PASSAIC	1,837	40	1,036	147	289	333	501	81	338
SALEM	178	64	7	33	37	27	58	12	76
SOMERSET	175	34	42	98	54	36	39	17	82
SUSSEX	61	27	3	37	18	17	6	5	40
UNION	1,249	8	664	164	210	246	329	44	314
WARREN	148	2	135	8	43	9	4	8	24
STATE	22,147	1,335	9,255	2,619	4,875	5,053	6,109	972	5,686

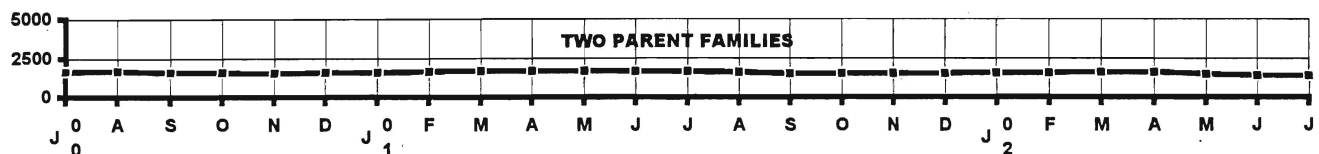
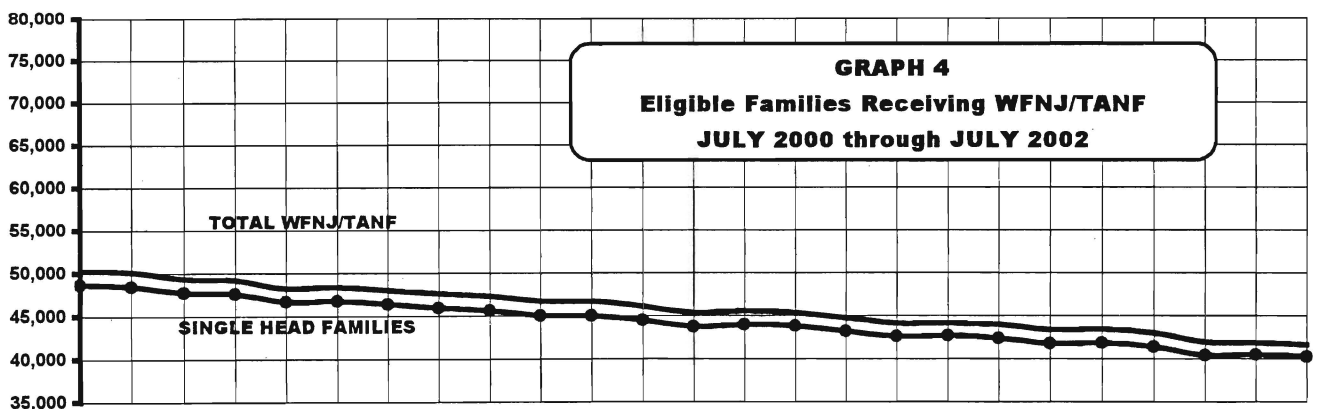
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WFNJ/TANF
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JULY 2000 THROUGH JULY 2002

		Applications Approved	Terminations	Single Head Families	Two Parent Families	Total WFNJ/TANF
2000	JUL	3,675	4,434	48,578	1,629	50,207
	AUG	4,848	5,247	48,355	1,660	50,015
	SEP	3,755	4,246	47,731	1,592	49,323
	OCT	4,126	4,722	47,560	1,581	49,141
	NOV	3,605	3,784	46,641	1,524	48,165
	DEC	3,505	3,554	46,719	1,577	48,296
	2000 AVERAGE		3,919	4,331	47,597	1,594
2001	JAN	3,767	4,135	46,340	1,578	47,918
	FEB	3,581	3,597	45,912	1,614	47,526
	MAR	3,961	4,422	45,581	1,665	47,246
	APR	3,545	4,099	44,958	1,657	46,615
	MAY	3,588	4,017	44,960	1,659	46,619
	JUN	4,239	4,887	44,426	1,644	46,070
	JUL	3,568	3,862	43,676	1,642	45,318
	AUG	4,674	4,618	43,898	1,604	45,502
	SEP	3,575	4,096	43,207	1,459	44,666
	OCT	4,118	4,515	43,147	1,496	44,643
	NOV	3,692	3,694	42,572	1,482	44,054
	DEC	3,792	3,982	42,615	1,483	44,098
2001 AVERAGE		3,842	4,160	44,274	1,582	45,856
2002	JAN	4,210	4,872	42,369	1,547	43,916
	FEB	3,979	4,061	41,749	1,545	43,294
	MAR	4,737	4,976	41,822	1,587	43,409
	APR	3,746	4,251	41,339	1,566	42,905
	MAY	3,809	3,005	40,400	1,478	41,878
	JUN	4,210	2,824	40,469	1,373	41,842
	JUL	3,754	4,022	40,212	1,371	41,583
	2002 AVERAGE		4,064	4,002	41,194	1,495

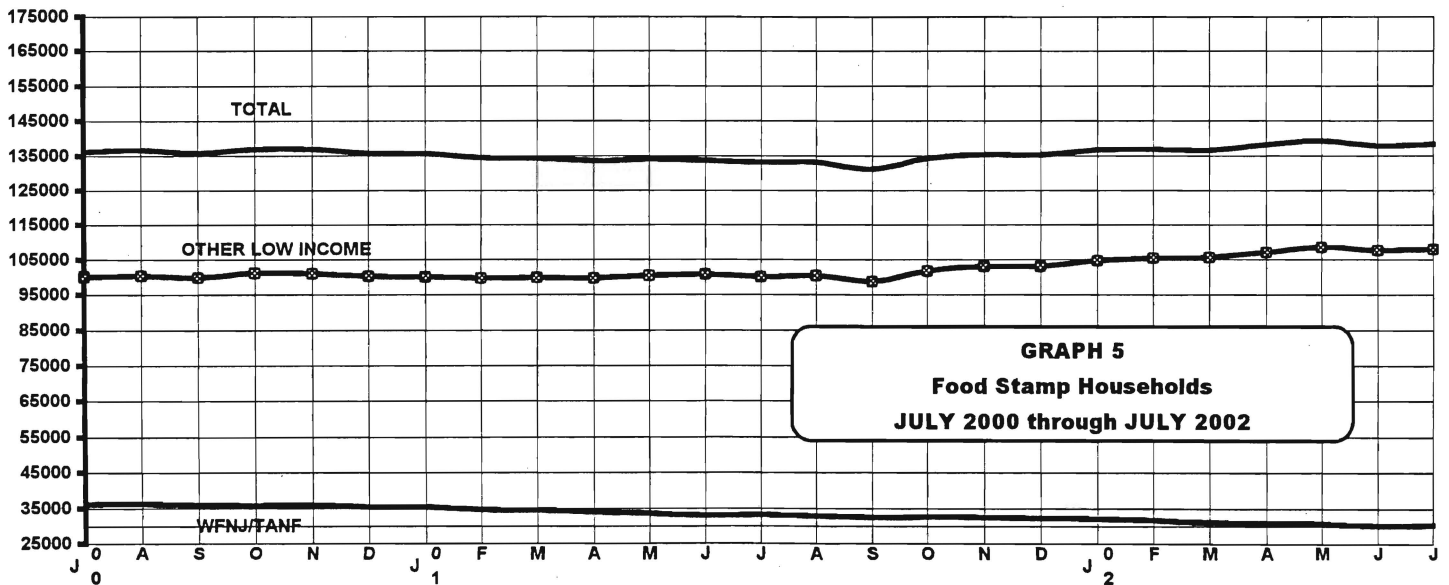


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Table 6
FOOD STAMP
PROGRAM

NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS
AND CHILDREN FOR THE REPORT MONTH
JULY 2000 THROUGH JULY 2002

	HOUSEHOLDS			PERSONS				
	WFNJ/TANF	Other low income	TOTAL	TOTAL	WFNJ/TANF	Other low income	Adults	Children
2000 JUL	36,065	99,962	136,027	301,537	116,745	184,792	146,058	155,479
AUG	36,216	100,401	136,617	302,235	117,167	185,068	146,578	155,657
SEP	35,831	99,745	135,576	299,145	115,846	183,299	145,239	153,906
OCT	35,655	101,172	136,827	301,067	114,971	186,096	146,531	154,536
NOV	35,831	100,953	136,784	299,959	115,179	184,780	146,432	153,527
DEC	35,365	100,218	135,583	296,742	113,712	183,030	145,037	151,705
2000 AVERAGE	35,827	100,409	136,236	300,114	115,603	184,511	145,979	154,135
2001 JAN	35,356	100,076	135,432	295,371	113,478	181,893	144,826	150,545
FEB	34,645	99,641	134,286	291,739	110,908	180,831	143,600	148,139
MAR	34,300	99,817	134,117	290,519	109,606	180,913	143,294	147,225
APR	33,764	99,643	133,407	288,516	107,963	180,553	142,389	146,127
MAY	33,526	100,398	133,924	289,820	107,006	182,814	142,858	146,962
JUN	32,870	100,720	133,590	288,667	104,982	183,685	142,368	146,299
JUL	33,035	100,080	133,115	288,205	105,542	182,663	141,811	146,394
AUG	32,635	100,437	133,072	287,409	104,260	183,149	141,585	145,824
SEP	32,318	98,729	131,047	283,732	103,226	180,506	139,427	144,305
OCT	32,548	101,588	134,136	290,663	103,684	186,979	142,571	148,092
NOV	32,429	102,902	135,331	293,219	103,209	190,010	143,806	149,413
DEC	32,202	102,938	135,140	293,365	102,203	191,162	143,566	149,799
2001 AVERAGE	33,302	100,581	133,883	290,102	106,339	183,763	142,675	147,427
2002 JAN	31,916	104,672	136,588	294,255	100,609	193,646	144,352	149,903
FEB	31,545	105,266	136,811	293,013	99,154	193,859	144,150	148,863
MAR	30,992	105,455	136,447	290,969	97,107	193,862	143,514	147,455
APR	30,963	106,998	137,961	293,635	96,674	196,961	144,741	148,894
MAY	30,714	108,426	139,140	296,627	95,727	200,900	145,815	150,812
JUN	30,154	107,564	137,718	293,857	93,996	199,861	144,132	149,725
JUL	30,361	107,961	138,322	295,127	94,561	200,566	144,609	150,518
2002 AVERAGE	30,949	106,620	137,570	293,926	96,833	197,094	144,473	149,453



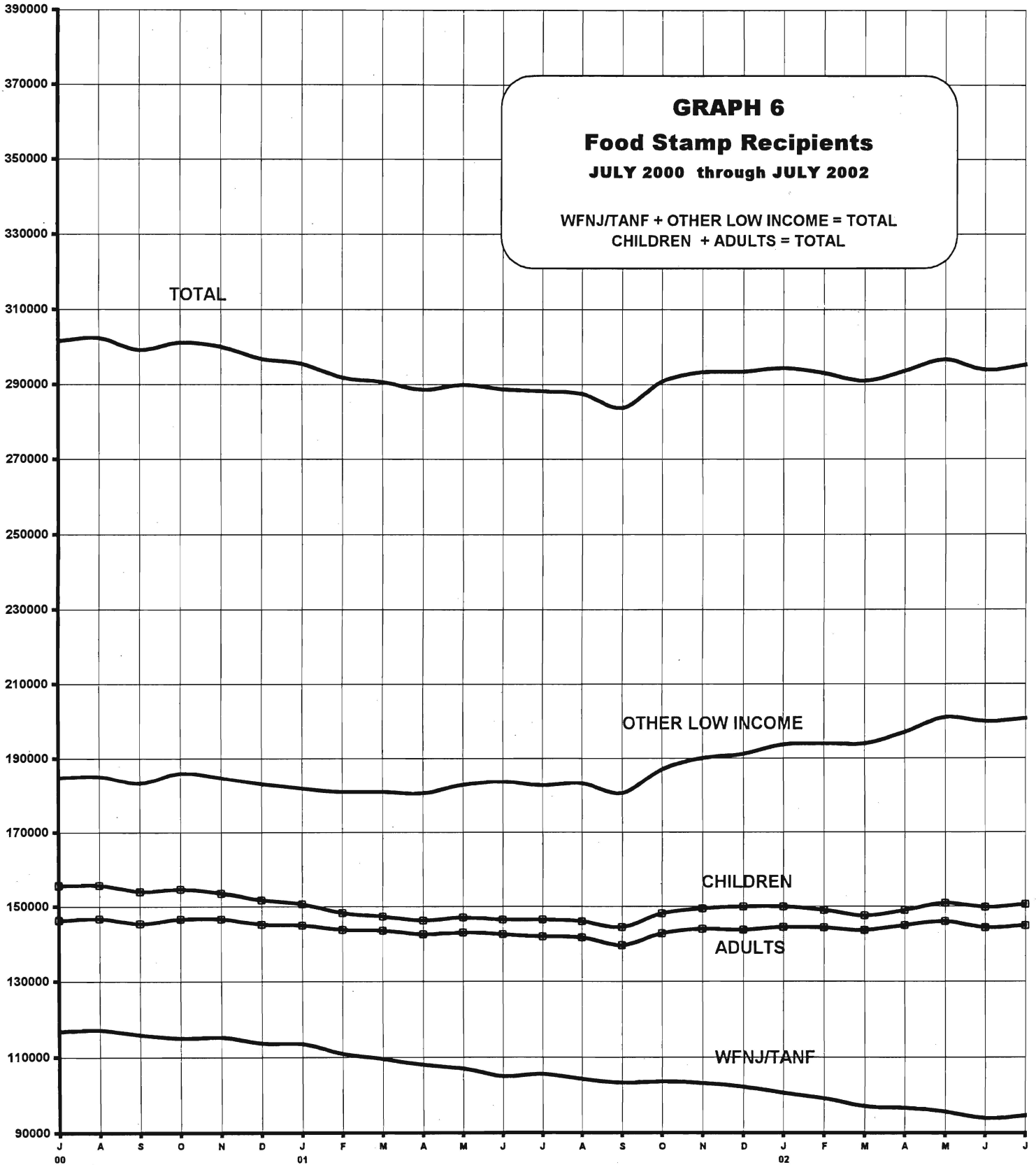


Table 7 NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS
TANF (UNDUPLICATED CASES)

		JULY 2000 THROUGH JULY 2002				
EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE		Total Families Receiving EA	Temporary Rental Assistance	Motel Housing	Emergency Shelter	Other TANF-EA
2000	JUL	1,626	208	211	310	897
	AUG	1,957	225	213	332	1,187
	SEP	1,867	220	223	324	1,100
	OCT	2,019	205	280	395	1,139
	NOV	1,779	204	249	383	943
	DEC	1,841	216	272	349	1,004
	2000 AVERAGE	1,848	213	241	349	1,045
2001	JAN	1,954	229	314	387	1,024
	FEB	1,804	226	289	354	935
	MAR	2,052	241	337	356	1,118
	APR	1,843	228	325	270	1,020
	MAY	2,133	236	328	412	1,157
	JUN	2,102	232	368	371	1,131
	JUL	2,188	269	305	394	1,220
	AUG	2,347	245	396	418	1,288
	SEP	2,174	244	357	454	1,119
	OCT	2,636	246	422	474	1,494
	NOV	2,327	268	356	479	1,224
	DEC	2,543	298	452	432	1,361
2001 AVERAGE	2,175	247	354	400	1,174	
2002	JAN	2,651	282	542	410	1,417
	FEB	2,265	311	366	338	1,250
	MAR	2,595	296	544	402	1,353
	APR	2,812	330	548	426	1,508
	MAY	2,769	342	419	417	1,591
	JUN	2,615	347	516	406	1,346
	JUL	2,779	351	459	519	1,450
2002 AVERAGE	2,641	323	485	417	1,416	

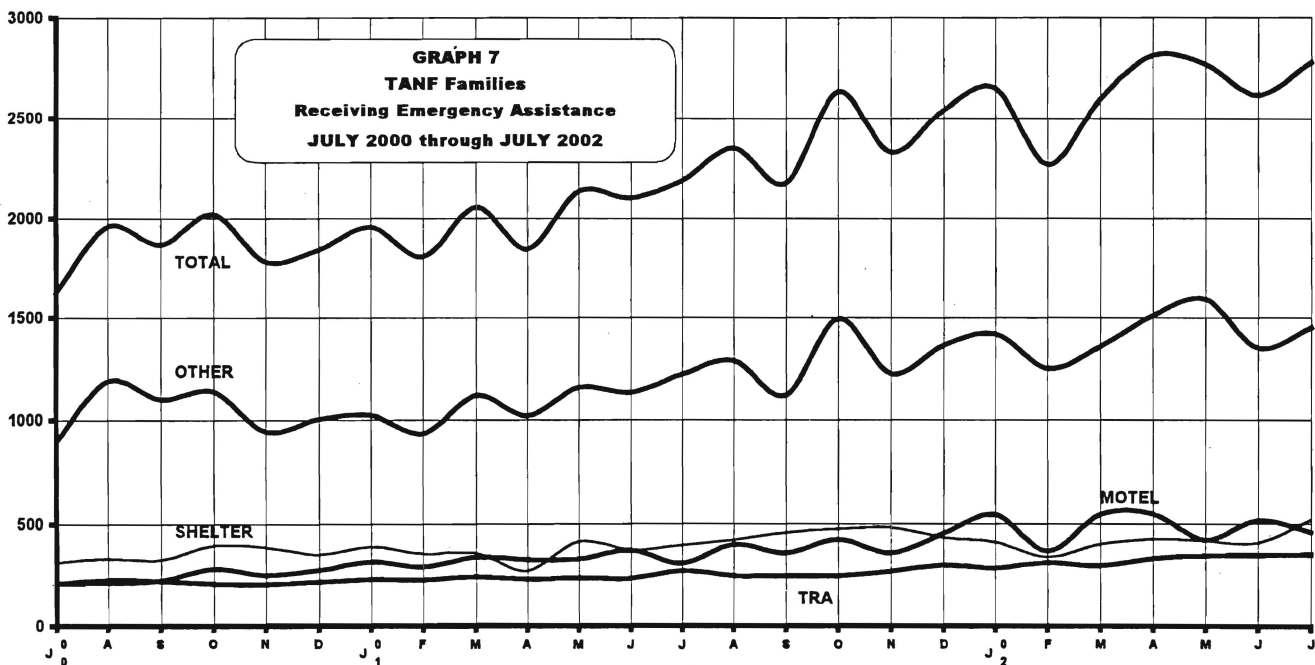


Table 8

TANF PARTICIPATION RATES

MAY - JULY 2002

County	May	June	July
ATLANTIC	28.79%	30.83%	23.75%
BERGEN	46.31%	44.30%	40.35%
BURLINGTON	43.24%	40.67%	37.89%
CAMDEN	39.53%	40.10%	36.47%
CAPE MAY	41.42%	42.55%	41.17%
CUMBERLAND	25.90%	24.19%	24.43%
ESSEX	37.12%	35.28%	34.92%
GLOUCESTER	32.61%	30.89%	29.08%
HUDSON	39.50%	38.56%	37.37%
HUNTERDON	41.17%	25.00%	11.11%
MERCER	40.74%	45.20%	40.03%
MIDDLESEX	33.06%	31.53%	26.17%
MONMOUTH	50.39%	47.33%	51.33%
MORRIS	55.95%	43.37%	50.00%
OCEAN	33.72%	33.64%	30.91%
PASSAIC	33.57%	36.13%	34.94%
SALEM	47.75%	43.95%	43.25%
SOMERSET	58.33%	51.44%	50.28%
SUSSEX	47.16%	50.98%	47.54%
UNION	41.34%	42.15%	41.31%
WARREN	57.03%	62.04%	52.70%
NJ TOTAL	38.35%	37.80%	36.26%

Graph 8

TANF PARTICIPATION RATES

JULY 2002

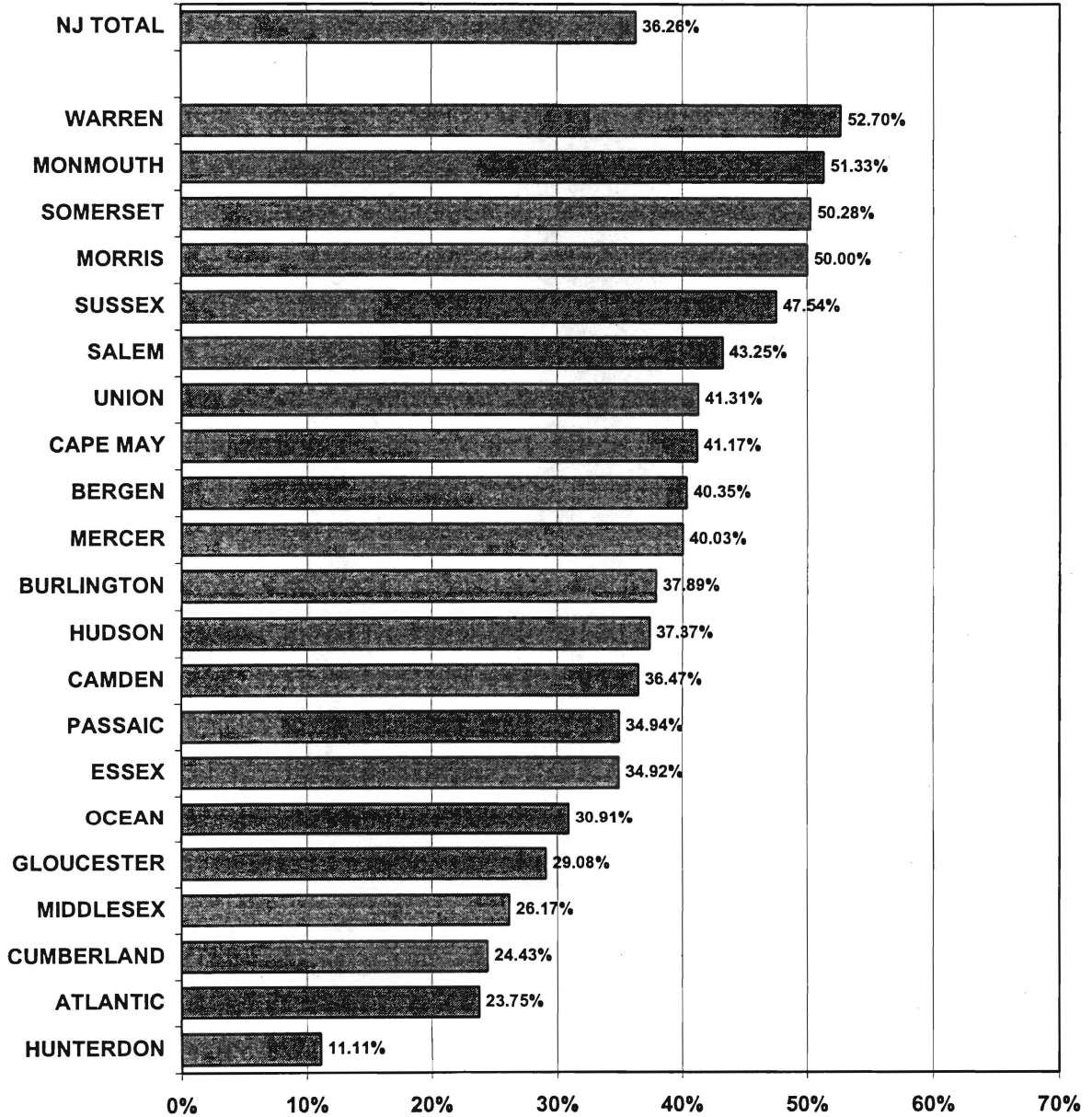


TABLE 9 NUMBER OF EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS DURING REPORT MONTH
GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM JUNE 2000 THROUGH JUNE 2002

PROGRAM		All Persons Aided			Emergency Assistance Payments			
		Employable	Unemployable	Total	Temporary Rental Assistance	Other GA-EA	Total	
2000	JUN	12,356	10,345	22,701	1,558	1,987	3,545	
	JUL	11,530	10,252	21,782	1,506	1,765	3,271	
	AUG	12,218	11,041	23,259	1,501	1,995	3,496	
	SEP	11,170	10,366	21,536	1,404	1,617	3,021	
	OCT	11,383	11,687	23,070	1,509	1,425	2,934	
	NOV	11,219	10,618	21,837	1,414	1,589	3,003	
	DEC	11,284	10,568	21,852	1,515	1,701	3,216	
	2000 AVERAGE	11,594	10,697	22,291	1,487	1,726	3,212	
	2001	JAN	11,572	10,851	22,423	1,426	1,881	3,307
		FEB	11,664	10,573	22,237	1,472	1,688	3,160
		MAR	12,395	10,891	23,286	1,589	2,076	3,665
		APR	12,216	11,107	23,323	1,506	2,098	3,604
MAY		12,404	11,165	23,569	1,472	1,996	3,468	
JUN		11,948	11,294	23,242	1,535	2,027	3,562	
JUL		11,436	11,428	22,864	1,421	1,949	3,370	
AUG		11,320	11,427	22,747	1,397	1,989	3,386	
SEP		11,444	11,354	22,798	1,365	2,084	3,449	
OCT		12,218	10,979	23,197	1,360	2,118	3,478	
NOV		11,823	11,236	23,059	1,363	1,763	3,126	
DEC		12,561	11,300	23,861	1,217	2,136	3,353	
2001 AVERAGE	11,917	11,134	23,051	1,427	1,984	3,411		
2002	JAN	13,197	11,261	24,458	1,428	1,610	3,038	
	FEB	13,514	11,734	25,248	1,464	1,805	3,269	
	MAR	14,322	11,430	25,752	1,479	2,433	3,912	
	APR	14,425	11,982	26,407	1,607	2,348	3,955	
	MAY	14,115	11,909	26,024	1,548	1,987	3,535	
	JUN	13,858	11,766	25,624	1,495	1,995	3,490	
	2002 AVERAGE	13,905	11,680	25,586	1,504	2,030	3,533	

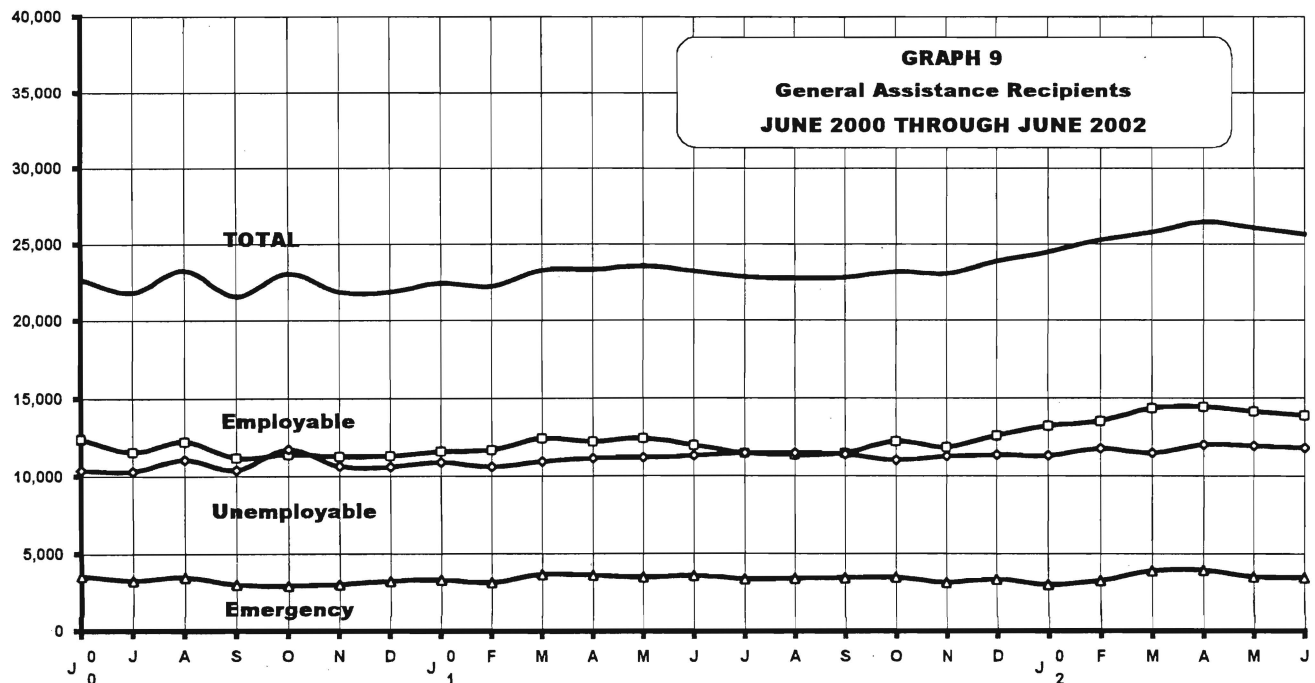


TABLE 10**CHILD SUPPORT
AND PATERNITY****CHILD SUPPORT AND PATERNITY COLLECTIONS****State Summary****Comparison of FFY 2001 and FFY 2002**

COLLECTION SOURCE	10/00-6/01	10/01-6/02	% change
Federal Tax	\$30,187,523	\$27,032,153	-10.45%
State Tax	2,328,329	5,027,239	115.92%
Unempl. Ins. Ben.	17,812,252	26,851,223	50.75%
Income Withholding	390,863,579	411,225,433	5.21%
From Other States	30,595,758	30,841,300	0.80%
Other/Own Behalf	133,455,699	136,419,382	2.22%
Admin Enforce			
TOTAL COLLECTION	\$605,243,140	\$637,396,730	5.31%
TOTAL DISTRIBUTION*	\$573,598,929	\$612,096,682	6.71%

* 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

MEDICAID ONLY FAMILIES no longer receive TANF financial assistance but remain eligible for Medicaid under applicable provisions which extend coverage beyond the period of assistance. These are shown separately in these tables because cash assistance and Medicaid have been de-linked.

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 refer certain recipients to the New Jersey Department of Labor for participation in the Food Stamp Employment and Training Program.

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.

TABLE 11

GENERAL **EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS**
ASSISTANCE **AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS**
PROGRAM **JUNE 2002**

County	Employable	Total Persons Aided		Emergency Assistance Payments		
		Unemployable	Total	Temporary Rental Assist.	Other GA-EA	Total
ATLANTIC	724	552	1,276	70	37	107
BERGEN	344	552	896	105	62	167
BURLINGTON	294	385	679	16	46	62
CAMDEN	1,340	1,267	2,607	119	153	272
CAPE MAY	133	129	262	46	17	63
CUMBERLAND	587	537	1,124	0	25	25
ESSEX	3,558	1,687	5,245	294	790	1,084
GLOUCESTER	199	298	497	2	41	43
HUDSON	1,521	1,306	2,827	147	94	241
HUNTERDON	61	72	133	8	27	35
MERCER	1,307	963	2,270	94	146	240
MIDDLESEX	345	504	849	62	116	178
MONMOUTH	381	564	945	123	107	230
MORRIS	95	156	251	7	16	23
OCEAN	257	377	634	15	38	53
PASSAIC	1,498	1,136	2,634	228	85	313
SALEM	104	184	288	0	51	51
SOMERSET	96	104	200	20	51	71
SUSSEX	43	71	114	18	28	46
UNION	894	819	1,713	98	61	159
WARREN	77	103	180	23	4	27
TOTAL NJ	13,858	11,766	25,624	1,495	1,995	3,490

Source: NJ Division of Family Development, GA Fiscal Unit

TABLE 12

**CHILD SUPPORT
AND PATERNITY**

**NUMBER OF CASES REMAINING OPEN
QUARTER ENDING JUNE 2002**

	CASES WITH ORDERS			OTHER CASES (1)		TOTAL TANF AND FOSTER CARE	TOTAL NON- TANF	TOTAL ALL CASES
	TANF AND FOSTER CARE	TANF AND FOSTER CARE ARREARS (2)	NON- TANF	TANF AND FOSTER CARE	NON- TANF			
Atlantic	1,056	3,382	8,323	1,318	1,497	5,756	9,820	15,576
Bergen	490	1,654	9,313	572	1,116	2,716	10,429	13,145
Burlington	817	3,199	10,660	782	1,485	4,798	12,145	16,943
Camden	4,110	13,176	20,401	3,295	4,445	20,581	24,846	45,427
Cape May	246	1,027	2,914	166	170	1,439	3,084	4,523
Cumberland	1,562	5,722	8,912	348	364	7,632	9,276	16,908
Essex	6,483	15,965	30,536	13,051	5,885	35,499	36,421	71,920
Gloucester	603	2,480	6,704	356	875	3,439	7,579	11,018
Hudson	3,170	8,298	19,335	4,165	4,445	15,633	23,780	39,413
Hunterdon	56	219	1,355	39	65	314	1,420	1,734
Mercer	2,354	5,985	11,080	2,055	1,594	10,394	12,674	23,068
Middlesex	1,173	4,636	13,807	1,469	2,209	7,278	16,016	23,294
Monmouth	1,715	4,895	11,268	1,115	1,777	7,725	13,045	20,770
Morris	237	635	4,579	150	339	1,022	4,918	5,940
Ocean	965	3,654	10,491	901	1,194	5,520	11,685	17,205
Passaic	2,679	5,919	14,945	3,029	3,062	11,627	18,007	29,634
Salem	493	1,683	2,909	179	160	2,355	3,069	5,424
Somerset	336	845	4,249	241	395	1,422	4,644	6,066
Sussex	176	366	1,860	70	161	612	2,021	2,633
Union	1,690	6,427	15,927	2,883	4,731	11,000	20,658	31,658
Warren	249	904	2,295	107	121	1,260	2,416	3,676
NJ TOTAL	30,660	91,071	211,863	36,291	36,090	158,022	247,953	405,975

Data Sources: Automated Child Support Enforcement System #CS199-3

(1) - Needing location, paternity, or other services to establish an obligation

(2) - Cases with arrears *only*