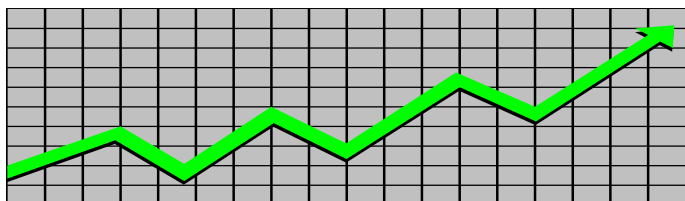


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Department of Human Services
Division of Family Development**

CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS



March 2023

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DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS MARCH 2023

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 increased by 774 cases, from 10,379 in March 2022 to 11,153 in March 2023; an increase of 7.5%.
- The counties with caseloads that increased the most since March 2022 were Bergen (57.5%), Sussex (47.8%), and Mercer (28.6%).
- The counties with caseloads that decreased the most since March 2022 were Hunterdon (-18.6%), Passaic (-12.6%), and Warren (-11.5%).
- Of the WFNJ/TANF cases, 2,565 or 23% were child-only in March 2023.
- The counties with the most child-only cases were Camden (444), Hudson (321), and Essex (253).
- Hudson (4,786), Essex (4,089), and Camden (4,006) counties had the greatest number of persons receiving TANF in March 2023.

NJ SNAP (Formerly FOOD STAMPS)

- In March 2023, there were 419,941 households receiving NJ SNAP benefits. The number of NJ SNAP households decreased by 46,413 or -10%, since March 2022.
- There were 833,744 persons receiving NJ SNAP benefits as of March 2023; a decrease of 63,523 or -7.1% since March 2022.
- The counties having the highest SNAP caseload increase since March 2022 were Warren (9.8%), Hunterdon (8.7%), and Ocean (8.4%).
- The counties having the highest SNAP caseload decrease since March 2022 were Hudson (-22.4%), Union (-18.9%), and Passaic (-18.5%).

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

- There were 1,462 TANF families receiving Emergency Assistance (EA) in March 2023; an increase of 66 or 4.7% since March 2022.
- In March 2023, EA payments were made for 680 SSI recipients.

DIVISION OF FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CURRENT PROGRAM STATISTICS MARCH 2023

- There were 1,837 GA cases with Emergency Assistance payments in March 2023; a decrease of 281 or -10.8% since March 2022.
- The counties that showed the highest percent increase in Emergency Assistance payments were Cumberland (375%), Morris (33.3%), and Union (30.2%).
- The counties that showed the highest percent decrease in Emergency Assistance payments were Cape May (-100%), Sussex (-83.3%), and Warren (-43.6%).

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

- The total numbers of cases receiving GA has decreased from 15,332 to 10,162 since March 2022; a decrease of -33.7%.
- There were 6,607 Employable GA and 3,555 Unemployable GA cases in March 2023.
- The counties that showed a percent increase for GA cases was Somerset (3.9%) since March 2022.
- The counties that showed the highest percent decrease for GA cases since March 2022 were Passaic (-56.1%), Hudson (-55.7%), and Essex (-46.9%).
- In March 2023, GA cases showed a 1.92% increase since February 2023.

CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES (QUARTERLY REPORT)

- The total collection for the Child Support Services Program was about \$273 million from January 2023 to March 2023; a decrease of -2.33% over the same period from FFY 2022.
- Total distributions decreased -3% from March 2022.

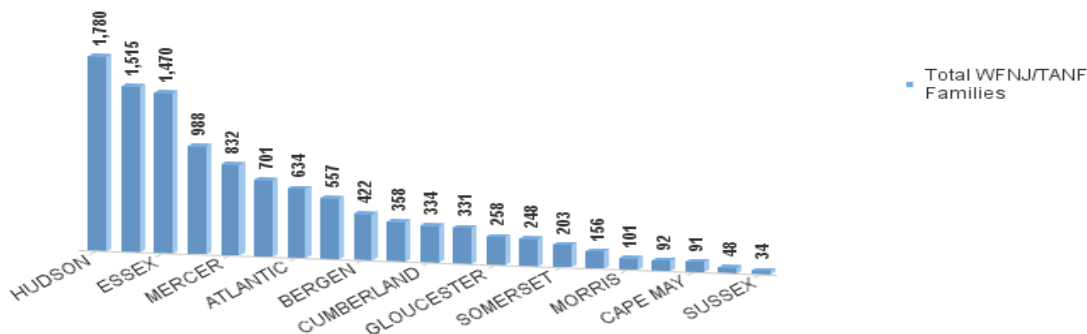
WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY (WFNJ)

- During the report month of March 2023, there were 535 families in which at least one member was employed and an additional 158 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: Hudson (100), Essex (90), and Camden (58).
- There were 218 former TANF cases receiving post-TANF support in the form of child care assistance.

TABLE 2:
WFNJ/TANF PROGRAM **NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND TERMINATIONS BY COUNTY DURING MARCH 2023**
NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING WFNJ/TANF FOR MARCH 2023

County	Cases Added	Cases Closed **	Child-Only Cases ‡	1-Adult Cases	Total Single-Head Families	Total 2-Parent Families	Total WFNJ/TANF Families	%CHNG (3 Mon)	%CHNG (1 Yr.)
ATLANTIC	40	42	194	390	584	50	634	1.3%	-9.4%
BERGEN	28	29	68	268	336	86	422	1.7%	57.5% Δ
BURLINGTON	33	34	93	215	308	23	331	-3.8%	1.2%
CAMDEN	90	114	444	946	1,390	125	1,515	-0.9%	3.3%
CAPE MAY	9	5	30	53	83	8	91	12.3%	5.8%
CUMBERLAND	33	32	105	188	293	41	334	3.7%	8.4%
ESSEX	100	102	253	891	1,144	326	1,470	2.8%	21.2%
GLOUCESTER	23	30	69	167	236	22	258	-1.1%	-6.2%
HUDSON	202	151	321	1,209	1,530	250	1,780	6.5%	8.3%
HUNTERDON	1	4	5	35	40	8	48	0.0%	-18.6% *
MERCER	51	33	212	537	749	83	832	2.5%	28.6% Δ
MIDDLESEX	31	33	167	336	503	54	557	-0.9%	-7.8%
MONMOUTH	22	16	59	172	231	17	248	3.3%	15.3%
MORRIS	13	17	17	67	84	17	101	-5.6%	24.7%
OCEAN	18	23	64	252	316	42	358	1.7%	9.1%
PASSAIC	33	82	251	676	927	61	988	-5.2%	-12.6% *
SALEM	18	15	34	108	142	14	156	-0.6%	3.3%
SOMERSET	17	15	38	145	183	20	203	-3.3%	1.5%
SUSSEX	3	4	7	19	26	8	34	3.0%	47.8% Δ
UNION	45	68	114	381	495	206	701	2.3%	27.5%
WARREN	12	15	20	63	83	9	92	-1.1%	-11.5% *
NJ Total	822	864	2,565	7,118	9,683	1,470	11,153	1.2%	7.5%

Total WFNJ/TANF Families
MARCH 2023
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

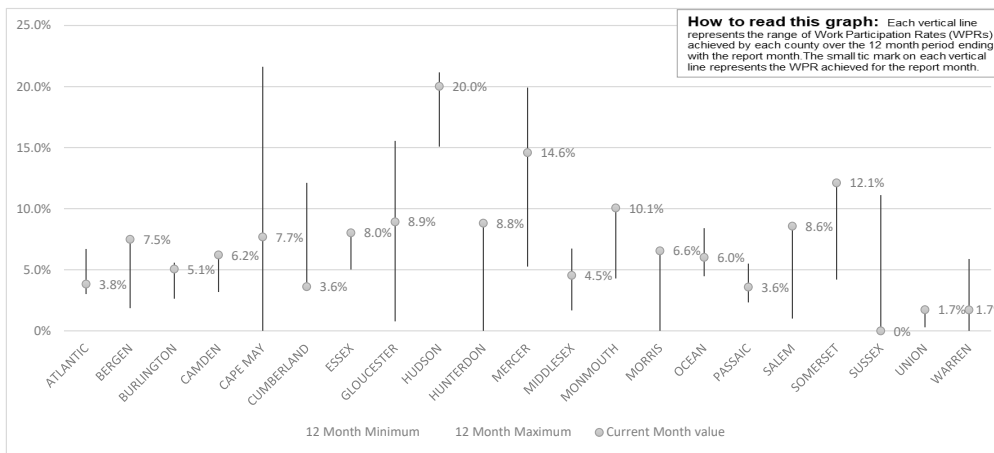
** 'Cases closed' include cases that received a benefit in the prior month, but did not receive any TANF benefit for the report month.

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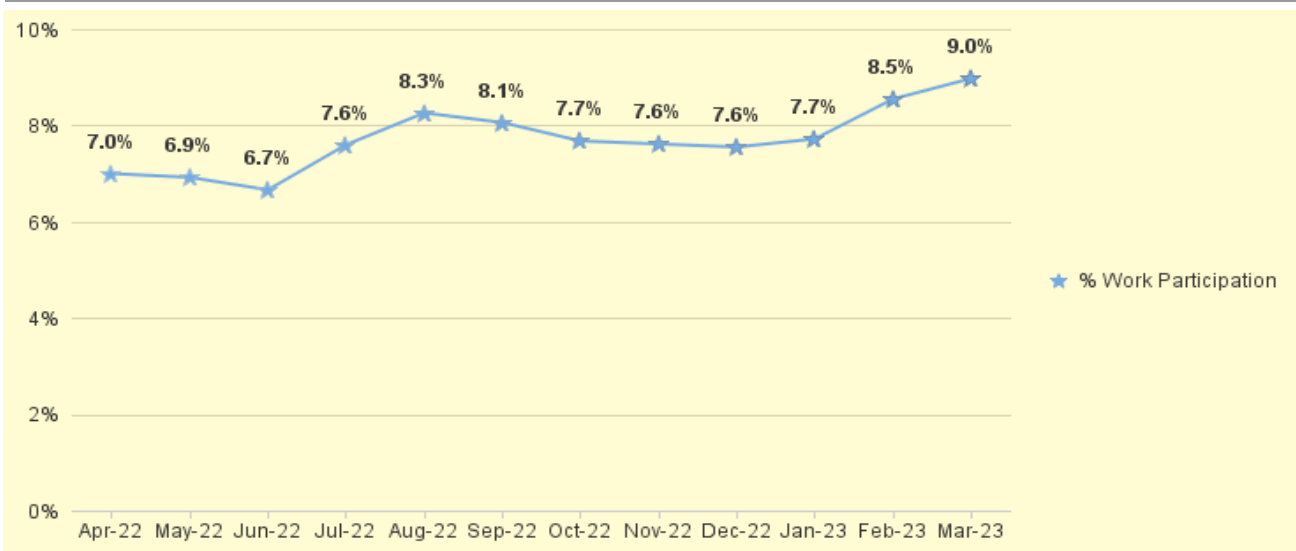
Work Participation Rates Achieved Over 12 Month Period
Ending with MARCH 2023



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TABLE 4 :

WFNJ/TANF Work Participation Rates
for 12-Month Period Ending with MARCH 2023 Statewide



* The Work Participation rate measures the number of countable Temporary Assistance for Needs 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 2023 (STATEWIDE)

		HOUSEHOLDS				PERSONS					
		WFNJ/ TANF	Other low income	Total	% CHNG (1 YR)	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% CHNG (1 YR)	Age 60+	People with a disability
2021	MAR	9,632	418,259	427,891	27.7%	465,302	366,223	831,525	26.5%	124,614	222,961
	APR	9,474	423,186	432,660	24.3%	470,412	369,625	840,037	23.0%	125,182	224,256
	MAY	9,371	428,961	438,332	19.9%	476,827	373,151	849,978	18.4%	125,750	225,339
	JUN	9,833	440,525	450,358	21.8%	490,430	393,310	883,740	21.8%	126,085	227,479
	JUL	9,067	437,889	446,956	18.8%	485,975	379,528	865,503	17.8%	126,552	227,352
	AUG	9,070	442,333	451,403	17.4%	490,577	383,106	873,683	16.7%	127,091	228,513
	SEP	9,561	447,902	457,463	15.8%	497,122	390,345	887,467	15.4%	127,550	229,863
	OCT	9,822	452,139	461,961	14.3%	502,415	388,925	891,340	13.1%	128,700	231,751
	NOV	9,967	455,343	465,310	14.5%	506,476	391,904	898,380	13.6%	129,292	233,050
	DEC	10,138	458,239	468,377	13.8%	510,116	392,757	902,873	12.8%	129,744	238,680
	Average	9,677	435,576	445,253		484,197	379,344	863,541		126,517	227,663
	2022	JAN	10,418	457,935	468,353	11.7%	509,801	392,651	902,452	10.7%	157,425
FEB		10,486	451,733	462,219	9.3%	503,693	385,199	888,892	8.1%	156,540	232,864
MAR		10,588	455,766	466,354	9.0%	508,290	388,977	897,267	7.9%	158,331	234,617
APR		10,706	439,659	450,365	4.1%	491,276	375,105	866,381	3.1%	156,504	231,071
MAY		10,669	423,672	434,341	-0.9%	474,542	360,324	834,866	-1.8%	154,816	227,400
JUN		10,650	412,366	423,016	-6.1%	462,757	351,378	814,135	-7.9%	154,107	225,452
JUL		10,910	400,990	411,900	-7.8%	451,428	343,730	795,158	-8.1%	152,494	222,166
AUG		12,919	421,433	434,352	-3.8%	475,405	401,190	876,595	0.3%	151,643	224,286
SEP		11,543	391,350	402,893	-11.9%	440,973	348,303	789,276	-11.1%	150,801	220,166
OCT		11,175	384,016	395,191	-14.5%	433,352	329,837	763,189	-14.4%	152,434	220,723
NOV		10,978	386,385	397,363	-14.6%	436,125	332,459	768,584	-14.4%	153,574	221,980
DEC		11,094	393,042	404,136	-13.7%	443,837	340,993	784,830	-13.1%	155,061	227,586
Average	11,011	418,196	429,207		469,290	362,512	831,802		154,511	227,191	
2023	JAN	11,120	388,312	399,432	-14.7%	438,140	336,442	774,582	-14.2%	153,633	223,462
	FEB	10,806	388,213	399,019	-13.7%	437,832	336,772	774,604	-12.9%	154,374	223,539
	MAR	12,027	407,914	419,941	-10.0%	460,274	373,470	833,744	-7.1%	156,031	227,136
Average to date	11,318	394,813	406,131		445,415	348,895	794,310		154,679	224,712	

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

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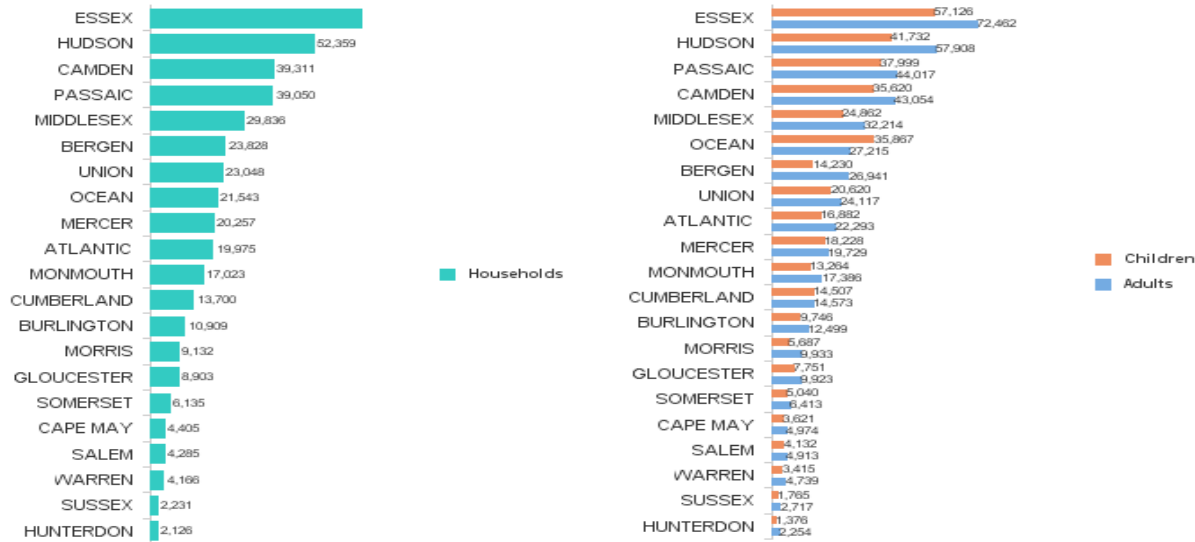
TABLE 7 :
NJ SNAP
NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS, ADULTS
AND CHILDREN BY COUNTY FOR MARCH 2023

County	HOUSEHOLDS				PERSONS				Age 60+	People with a disability
	WFNJ/ TANF	Other low income	TOTAL	% Chng (1 Yr)	Adults	Children	TOTAL	% Chng (1 Yr)		
ATLANTIC	664	19,311	19,975	-16.4%	22,293	16,882	39,175	-13.5%	6,852	10,671
BERGEN	442	23,386	23,828	3.7%	26,941	14,230	41,171	7.0%	14,278	16,419
BURLINGTON	528	10,381	10,909	-6.8%	12,499	9,746	22,245	-2.2%	3,663	6,618
CAMDEN	1,465	37,846	39,311	-5.7%	43,054	35,620	78,674	-2.7%	11,058	20,110
CAPE MAY	98	4,307	4,405	1.6%	4,974	3,621	8,595	5.4%	1,388	2,354
CUMBERLAND	315	13,385	13,700	1.0%	14,573	14,507	29,080	4.2%	3,683	7,282
ESSEX	1,818	65,901	67,719	-17.0%	72,462	57,126	129,588	-15.2%	20,663	31,698
GLOUCESTER	282	8,621	8,903	-2.2%	9,923	7,751	17,674	2.4%	3,053	6,109
HUDSON	1,826	50,533	52,359	-22.4% *	57,908	41,732	99,640	-19.0% *	22,018	28,226
HUNTERDON	57	2,069	2,126	8.7% Δ	2,254	1,376	3,630	12.8% Δ	795	1,192
MERCER	851	19,406	20,257	5.8%	19,729	18,228	37,957	8.4%	5,844	10,862
MIDDLESEX	665	29,171	29,836	-4.4%	32,214	24,862	57,076	-2.1%	14,011	17,860
MONMOUTH	278	16,745	17,023	1.0%	17,386	13,264	30,650	3.1%	6,954	10,036
MORRIS	136	8,996	9,132	4.0%	9,933	5,687	15,620	6.9%	4,914	5,585
OCEAN	387	21,156	21,543	8.4% Δ	27,215	35,867	63,082	11.0%	6,982	10,965
PASSAIC	1,025	38,025	39,050	-18.5% *	44,017	37,999	82,016	-17.0% *	15,313	19,388
SALEM	164	4,121	4,285	7.2%	4,913	4,132	9,045	9.8%	1,208	2,392
SOMERSET	206	5,929	6,135	1.9%	6,413	5,040	11,453	5.5%	2,560	3,564
SUSSEX	41	2,190	2,231	6.1%	2,717	1,765	4,482	13.2% Δ	914	1,575
UNION	680	22,368	23,048	-18.9% *	24,117	20,620	44,737	-17.0% *	8,483	11,701
WARREN	99	4,067	4,166	9.8% Δ	4,739	3,415	8,154	12.9% Δ	1,397	2,529
NJ TOTAL	12,027	407,914	419,941	-10.0%	460,274	373,470	833,744	-7.1%	156,031	227,136

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Total NJ SNAP Recipients
MARCH 2023 by County



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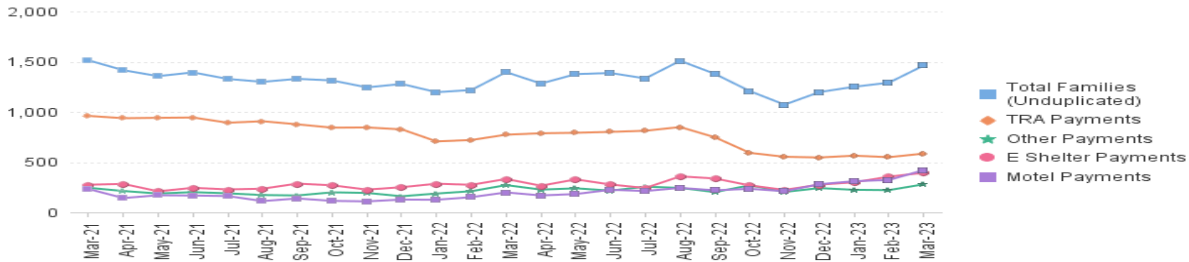
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TABLE 8 : EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (STATEWIDE) TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS MARCH 2021 THROUGH MARCH 2023 - STATEWIDE

		Total WFNJ/EA Families (Undupl)		Temp Rent Asst. Payments (Undupl)		Motel Housing Payments (Undupl)		Shelter/Transitional Housing Payments (Undupl)		Other WFNJ/EA Payments (Undupl)	
			% CHNG (1 YR)		% CHNG (1 YR)		% CHNG (1 YR)		% CHNG (1 YR)		% CHNG (1 YR)
2021	MAR	1,513	-12.2%	960	-2.0%	232	19.0%	275	-32.3%	244	-47.2%
	APR	1,415	-2.7%	937	-2.4%	142	-7.2%	283	-15.3%	212	47.2%
	MAY	1,356	-6.1%	941	5.7%	170	-28.6%	209	-22.6%	187	14.7%
	JUN	1,393	-14.6%	944	-6.9%	167	-37.0%	244	-20.0%	201	-14.1%
	JUL	1,328	-14.7%	892	-12.0%	162	-35.5%	228	-10.2%	189	-19.2%
	AUG	1,299	-20.0%	907	-9.8%	112	-59.9%	235	-22.4%	172	-27.7%
	SEP	1,329	-18.2%	876	-13.9%	138	-46.5%	286	-2.7%	168	-28.2%
	OCT	1,313	-15.7%	843	-15.4%	114	-43.3%	269	-7.9%	199	-19.4%
	NOV	1,244	-7.4%	845	-10.9%	109	-35.9%	226	25.6%	193	-5.4%
	DEC	1,278	-8.4%	826	-12.0%	127	-35.2%	250	21.4%	160	-20.4%
	Average	1,343		897		153		243		196	
	2022	JAN	1,196	-12.0%	706	-21.4%	125	-34.2%	285	17.8%	187
FEB		1,218	-5.9%	720	-19.5%	151	-12.2%	274	57.5%	210	-1.4%
MAR		1,396	-7.7%	773	-19.5%	198	-14.7%	332	20.7%	271	11.1%
APR		1,282	-9.4%	787	-16.0%	168	18.3%	265	-6.4%	226	6.8%
MAY		1,376	1.5%	792	-15.8%	182	7.1%	328	56.9%	239	27.8%
JUN		1,387	-0.4%	801	-15.1%	224	34.1%	277	13.5%	216	7.5%
JUL		1,333	0.4%	812	-9.0%	212	30.9%	242	6.1%	255	34.9%
AUG		1,509	16.2%	849	-6.4%	243	117.0%	358	52.3%	243	41.3%
SEP		1,378	3.7%	747	-14.7%	219	58.7%	337	17.8%	201	19.6%
OCT		1,207	-8.1%	592	-29.8%	234	105.3%	268	-0.4%	269	35.2%
NOV		1,072	-13.8%	553	-34.6%	210	92.7%	223	-1.3%	203	5.2%
DEC		1,197	-6.3%	546	-33.9%	280	120.5%	276	10.4%	241	50.6%
Average	1,296		723		204		289		230		
2023	JAN	1,250	4.5%	564	-20.1%	310	148.0%	299	4.9%	224	19.8%
	FEB	1,291	6.0%	549	-23.8%	322	113.2%	355	29.6%	221	5.2%
	MAR	1,462	4.7%	585	-24.3%	421	112.6%	394	18.7%	279	3.0%
Average to date	1,334		566		357		349		241		

NJ STATEWIDE Families Receiving Emergency Assistance MARCH 2021 THROUGH MARCH 2023



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* Effective Feb '11 Transitional Housing Payments were removed from 'Other EA Payments' and added to 'Shelter Payments'.

TABLE 9 :
EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE FAMILIES RECEIVING EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS BY COUNTY (UNDULICATED CASES) FOR MARCH 2023 (BY COUNTY)

County	TOTAL WFNJ/EA Families (Undupl)	% CHNG From MAR 22	Temp Rent Asst. Payments (Undupl)	Motel Housing Payments (Undupl)	Shelter/Transitional Housing Payments (Undupl)	Other WFNJ/EA Payments (Undupl)	SSI Recipients Receiving EA **
ATLANTIC	33	-15.4%	18	8	0	11	52
BERGEN	37	-21.3%	24	0	5	10	42
BURLINGTON	150	108.3% Δ	8	97	55	5	102
CAMDEN	49	-12.5%	7	18	22	6	20
CAPE MAY	32	88.2%	10	22	0	0	18
CUMBERLAND	1	0%	0	0	1	0	0
ESSEX	125	1.6%	26	0	89	21	10
GLOUCESTER	14	-12.5%	1	0	7	8	7
HUDSON	270	18.9%	174	40	46	48	96
HUNTERDON	4	-60.0% *	2	0	0	3	1
MERCER	184	67.3%	87	75	22	35	114
MIDDLESEX	77	-42.1% *	37	22	7	27	42
MONMOUTH	35	20.7%	0	7	29	2	23
MORRIS	16	14.3%	7	10	2	3	25
OCEAN	55	-30.4%	33	19	0	15	25
PASSAIC	157	-23.8%	89	6	45	51	29
SALEM	6	200.0% Δ	3	0	1	2	1
SOMERSET	63	-8.7%	29	16	12	16	52
SUSSEX	8	300.0% Δ	0	3	3	2	2
UNION	140	8.5%	29	75	46	13	19
WARREN	6	-60.0% *	1	3	2	1	0
NJ Total	1,462	4.7%	585	421	394	279	680

Δ=higher caseload % change

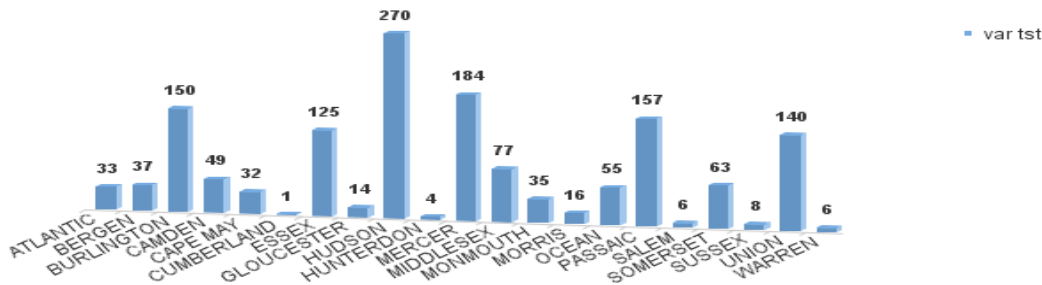
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** SSI-EA includes pay codes 22 and 24, data is derived from NJ Division of Family Development FAMIS Report #FM430-03A

WFNJ/EA data is derived from NJ MMIS Shared Data Warehouse.

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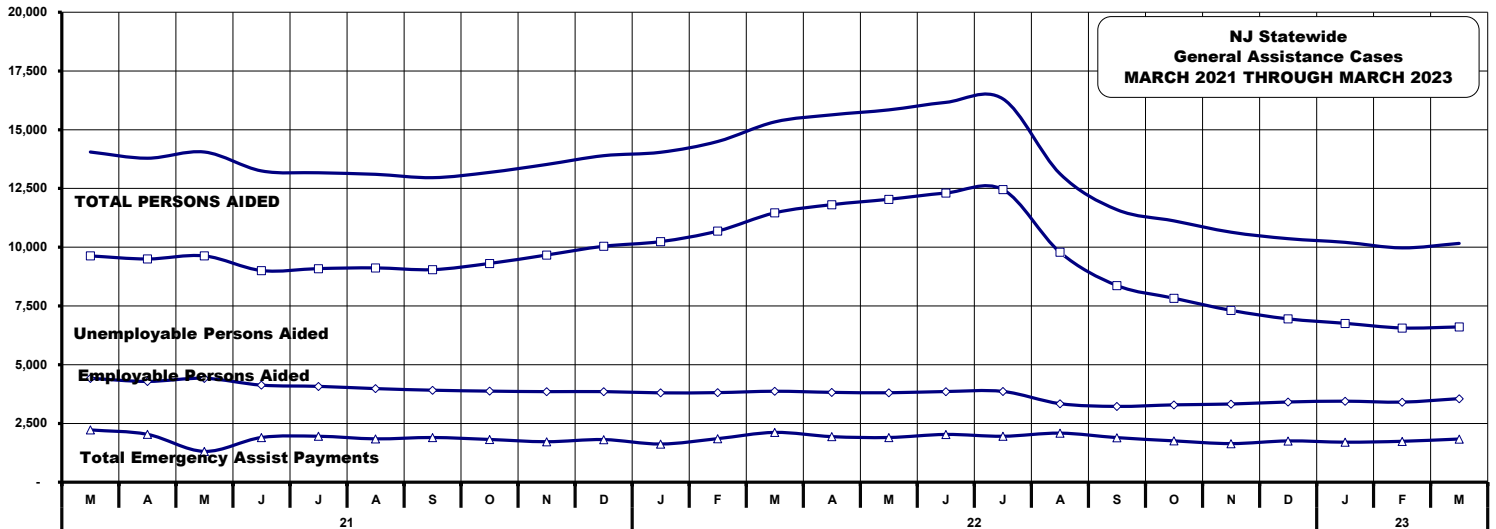
Number WFNJ Families Receiving EA by County MARCH 2023



**TABLE 10:
GENERAL
ASSISTANCE
PROGRAM**

**NUMBER OF EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE RECIPIENTS
AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS - STATEWIDE
MARCH 2021 THROUGH MARCH 2023**

PROGRAM	Total Cases						Emergency Assistance Cases			
	Employable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Unemployable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)	Temporary Rental Assistance	Other GA-EA	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)
2021 MAR	9,630	97.8%	4,421	-26.2%	14,051	29.4%	819	1,405	2,224	11.4%
APR	9,499	70.0%	4,288	-26.9%	13,787	20.4%	832	1,204	2,036	15.2%
MAY	9,630	38.8%	4,421	-23.6%	14,051	10.5%	819	491	1,310	-28.7%
JUN	9,007	18.7%	4,130	-32.8%	13,247	0.1%	794	1,108	1,902	-12.4%
JUL	9,090	13.7%	4,078	-26.1%	13,168	-2.6%	833	1,121	1,954	-9.6%
AUG	9,120	12.3%	3,982	-24.3%	13,102	-2.1%	753	1,091	1,844	-10.6%
SEP	9,045	10.6%	3,914	-23.7%	12,959	-2.6%	787	1,114	1,901	-12.9%
OCT	9,309	14.1%	3,875	-22.3%	13,184	0.3%	757	1,061	1,818	-7.3%
NOV	9,668	17.5%	3,853	-20.1%	13,521	3.6%	711	1,011	1,722	0.2%
DEC	10,040	17.6%	3,855	-17.8%	13,895	5.0%	742	1,071	1,813	-6.7%
2021 AVERAGE	9,342		4,148		13,499		792	1,076	1,868	
2022 JAN	10,239	14.0%	3,801	-16.5%	14,040	3.8%	677	947	1,624	-22.2%
FEB	10,687	17.6%	3,812	-13.5%	14,499	7.4%	727	1,126	1,853	2.9%
MAR	11,462	19.0%	3,870	-12.5%	15,332	9.1%	719	1,399	2,118	-4.8%
APR	11,810	24.3%	3,823	-10.8%	15,633	13.4%	742	1,196	1,938	-4.8%
MAY	12,039	25.0%	3,805	-13.9%	15,844	12.8%	750	1,152	1,902	45.2%
JUN	12,306	36.6%	3,858	-6.6%	16,164	22.0%	782	1,250	2,032	6.8%
JUL	12,451	37.0%	3,862	-5.3%	16,313	23.9%	758	1,196	1,954	0.0%
AUG	9,785	7.3%	3,342	-16.1%	13,127	0.2%	691	1,396	2,087	13.2%
SEP	8,370	-7.5%	3,225	-17.6%	11,595	-10.5%	635	1,261	1,896	-0.3%
OCT	7,829	-15.9%	3,291	-15.1%	11,120	-15.7%	574	1,184	1,758	-3.3%
NOV	7,313	-24.4%	3,326	-13.7%	10,639	-21.3%	602	1,040	1,642	-4.6%
DEC	6,950	-30.8%	3,413	-11.5%	10,363	-25.4%	599	1,157	1,756	-3.1%
2022 AVERAGE	10,103		3,619		13,722		688	1,192	1,880	
2023 JAN	6,760	-34.0%	3,447	-9.3%	10,207	-27.3%	590	1,112	1,702	4.8%
FEB	6,563	-38.6%	3,408	-10.6%	9,971	-31.2%	570	1,170	1,740	-6.1%
MAR	6,607	-42.4%	3,555	-8.1%	10,162	-33.7%	586	1,251	1,837	-10.8%
2023 AVERAGE TO DATE	6,643		3,470		10,113		582	1,178	1,760	



**TABLE 11:
GENERAL
ASSISTANCE
PROGRAM**

**EMPLOYABLE AND UNEMPLOYABLE CASES
AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE CASES RECEIVING PAYMENTS BY COUNTY
MARCH 2023**

	<u>Total Cases</u>				<u>Emergency Assistance Cases</u>						
	Employable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Unemployable	% Chng (1 Yr)	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)	Temporary Rental Assistance	Other GA-EA	Total	% Chng (1 Yr)	
ATLANTIC	791	-36.6%	148	-23.7%	939	-34.8%	73	46	119	6.3%	
BERGEN	230	-37.5%	275	61.8%	505	-6.1%	Δ	71	18	89	-9.2%
BURLINGTON	239	-46.9%	132	-31.3%	371	-42.2%		7	126	133	-10.1%
CAMDEN	1,138	-36.0%	401	-20.0%	1,539	-32.5%		22	82	104	-29.3%
CAPE MAY	124	-3.1%	40	-4.8%	164	-3.5%	Δ	7	-7	0	-100.0% *
CUMBERLAND	216	-36.1%	163	59.8%	379	-13.9%		0	19	19	375.0% Δ
ESSEX	589	-50.3%	210	-34.2%	799	-46.9%	*	12	174	186	-15.1%
GLOUCESTER	141	-23.0%	120	17.6%	261	-8.4%		1	16	17	-29.2%
HUDSON	760	-58.9%	261	-42.9%	1,021	-55.7%	*	96	58	154	-25.6%
HUNTERDON	90	-42.7%	62	44.2%	152	-24.0%		11	22	33	-25.0%
MERCER	339	-25.8%	230	-5.0%	569	-18.6%		43	28	71	-28.3%
MIDDLESEX	210	-59.9%	319	-8.6%	529	-39.4%		61	69	130	-35.6%
MONMOUTH	149	-47.7%	215	29.5%	364	-19.3%		2	92	94	-8.7%
MORRIS	165	-18.7%	152	-4.4%	317	-12.4%		37	59	96	33.3% Δ
OCEAN	241	-41.5%	218	9.0%	459	-25.0%		29	61	90	-22.4%
PASSAIC	244	-61.5%	165	-44.6%	409	-56.1%	*	22	18	40	-38.5%
SALEM	60	-61.5%	61	79.4%	121	-36.3%		2	2	4	-20.0%
SOMERSET	190	-5.5%	74	39.6%	264	3.9%	Δ	36	70	106	17.8%
SUSSEX	33	-46.8%	25	4.2%	58	-32.6%		0	2	2	-83.3% *
UNION	586	-17.1%	206	28.8%	792	-8.7%		46	282	328	30.2% Δ
WARREN	72	-48.2%	78	23.8%	150	-25.7%		8	14	22	-43.6% *
NJ TOTAL	6,607	-42.4%	3,555	-8.1%	10,162	-33.7%		586	1,251	1,837	-10.8%

Δ= ↑ Caseload %

* = ↓ Caseload %

**TABLE 12:
OFFICE OF
CHILD SUPPORT
SERVICES**

**OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES
QUARTERLY PERFORMANCE REPORT
STATE SUMMARY
TITLE IV-D SOURCE COLLECTION REPORT**

Comparison of Quarter-2 (FFY 2022 vs. FFY 2023)

COLLECTION SOURCE	TOTAL 1/1/2022 - 3/31/2022	% OF TOTAL COLLECTIONS	TOTAL 1/1/2023 - 3/31/2023	% OF TOTAL COLLECTIONS	DOLLAR CHANGE	% CHANGE
FEDERAL TAX	\$18,598,245	6.65%	\$16,139,052	5.90%	\$ (2,459,193)	-13.22%
STATE TAX	\$314,280	0.11%	\$404,499	0.15%	\$ 90,219	28.71%
UIB	\$7,681,812	2.74%	\$6,864,655	2.51%	\$ (817,157)	-10.64%
INC WITHHOLD	\$182,025,127	65.04%	\$182,187,063	66.65%	\$ 161,936	0.09%
FROM OTHER STATES	\$10,397,345	3.72%	\$10,105,532	3.70%	\$ (291,813)	-2.81%
ADMIN ENFORCEMENT	\$5,251,118	1.88%	\$4,775,169	0.02%	\$ (475,948)	-9.06%
OTHER	\$55,594,425	19.86%	\$52,874,824	19.34%	\$ (2,719,601)	-4.89%
TOTAL COLLECTIONS*	\$279,862,352	100%	\$273,350,794	100%	\$ (6,511,557)	-2.33%
DISBURSED COLLECTIONS**	\$241,423,424		\$234,232,421		\$ (7,191,003)	-2.98%

* Includes collections on both current support and arrears.

** Includes collections on both current support and arrears; also includes money sent to other states.

SOURCE: NJKiDS (Based on Federal Quarterly Report of Collections - OCSE-34A except Disbursed Collections)

Disbursed 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.

**TABLE 13:
OFFICE OF
CHILD SUPPORT
SERVICES**

**OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES
STATE SUMMARY
TITLE IV-D PATERNITY ESTABLISHMENT REPORT**

Comparison of March (FFY 2022 vs. FFY 2023)

County	MARCH 2022			MARCH 2023			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2022 to FFY 2023
	Total Children Born Out of Wedlock*	Number of Paternities Established	Percent of Paternities Established	Total Children Born Out of Wedlock*	Number of Paternities Established	Percent of Paternities Established	
Atlantic	5,345	5,322	99.6%	4,910	4,910	100.0%	0.4%
Bergen	2,676	2,636	98.5%	2,507	2,468	98.4%	-0.1%
Burlington	4,118	4,020	97.6%	3,705	3,636	98.1%	0.5%
Camden	13,514	13,258	98.1%	12,510	12,218	97.7%	-0.4%
Cape May	1,025	1,021	99.6%	901	892	99.0%	-0.6%
Cumberland	5,798	5,747	99.1%	5,406	5,378	99.5%	0.4%
Essex	20,652	19,734	95.6%	18,919	18,037	95.3%	-0.2%
Gloucester	3,662	3,609	98.6%	3,300	3,270	99.1%	0.5%
Hudson	8,240	7,970	96.7%	7,633	7,418	97.2%	0.5%
Hunterdon	196	194	99.0%	162	162	100.0%	1.0%
Mercer	5,711	5,544	97.1%	5,198	5,040	97.0%	-0.1%
Middlesex	5,453	5,295	97.1%	4,967	4,856	97.8%	0.7%
Monmouth	4,029	3,918	97.2%	3,601	3,526	97.9%	0.7%
Morris	1,026	1,015	98.9%	904	894	98.9%	0.0%
Ocean	4,137	4,047	97.8%	3,786	3,711	98.0%	0.2%
Passaic	8,438	8,172	96.8%	7,593	7,415	97.7%	0.8%
Salem	2,394	2,304	96.2%	2,329	2,246	96.4%	0.2%
Somerset	1,148	1,123	97.8%	1,028	1,008	98.1%	0.2%
Sussex	418	417	99.8%	392	397	101.3%	1.5%
Union	8,992	8,615	95.8%	8,545	8,202	96.0%	0.2%
Warren	654	657	100.5%	567	575	101.4%	1.0%
NJ TOTALS	107,626	104,618	97.2%	98,863	96,259	97.4%	0.2%

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

* Information on Out of Wedlock Births obtained from NJ Bureau of Vital Statistics

**TABLE 14:
OFFICE OF
CHILD SUPPORT
SERVICES**

**OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES
STATE SUMMARY
TITLE IV-D REPORT OF CASES WITH ORDERS**
Comparison of March (FFY 2022 vs. FFY 2023)

County	MARCH 2022			MARCH 2023			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2022 to FFY 2023
	Total Cases	Cases with Orders	% of Cases with Orders	Total Cases	Cases with Orders	% of Cases with Orders	
Atlantic	10,119	9,374	92.6%	9,632	8,909	92.5%	-0.1%
Bergen	10,310	10,057	97.5%	9,953	9,663	97.1%	-0.5%
Burlington	11,244	10,562	93.9%	10,963	10,062	91.8%	-2.2%
Camden	24,947	23,674	94.9%	24,047	22,532	93.7%	-1.2%
Cape May	2,622	2,473	94.3%	2,427	2,301	94.8%	0.5%
Cumberland	10,566	10,087	95.5%	10,222	9,635	94.3%	-1.2%
Essex	34,743	30,451	87.6%	33,437	29,058	86.9%	-0.7%
Gloucester	9,055	8,623	95.2%	8,591	8,206	95.5%	0.3%
Hudson	17,210	15,483	90.0%	16,752	14,976	89.4%	-0.6%
Hunterdon	1,227	1,153	94.0%	1,107	1,042	94.1%	0.2%
Mercer	11,405	10,332	90.6%	11,070	9,866	89.1%	-1.5%
Middlesex	15,126	14,140	93.5%	14,755	13,616	92.3%	-1.2%
Monmouth	11,274	10,683	94.8%	10,547	9,913	94.0%	-0.8%
Morris	5,051	4,863	96.3%	4,709	4,576	97.2%	0.9%
Ocean	12,586	12,113	96.2%	11,999	11,483	95.7%	-0.5%
Passaic	16,589	14,570	87.8%	15,790	13,864	87.8%	0.0%
Salem	3,626	3,458	95.4%	3,536	3,332	94.2%	-1.1%
Somerset	3,915	3,687	94.2%	3,781	3,430	90.7%	-3.5%
Sussex	2,260	2,208	97.7%	2,194	2,137	97.4%	-0.3%
Union	16,070	15,203	94.6%	15,539	14,634	94.2%	-0.4%
Warren	2,298	2,183	95.0%	2,160	2,051	95.0%	0.0%
NJ TOTALS	232,243	215,377	92.7%	223,211	205,286	92.0%	-0.8%

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 2022 vs. FFY 2023)

County	MARCH 2022			MARCH 2023			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2022 to FFY 2023
	Total Current Support Due	Total Current Support Distributed	Total Collection Rate	Total Current Support Due	Total Current Support Distributed	Total Collection Rate	
Atlantic	\$3,566,101	\$2,213,470	62.1%	\$3,481,559	\$2,210,386	63.5%	1.4%
Bergen	\$7,627,772	\$5,686,440	74.5%	\$7,407,107	\$5,498,515	74.2%	-0.3%
Burlington	\$5,194,621	\$3,524,181	67.8%	\$5,100,702	\$3,503,300	68.7%	0.8%
Camden	\$7,499,256	\$4,340,635	57.9%	\$7,330,663	\$4,313,446	58.8%	1.0%
Cape May	\$1,021,351	\$664,752	65.1%	\$961,713	\$642,894	66.8%	1.8%
Cumberland	\$2,889,509	\$1,638,519	56.7%	\$2,837,177	\$1,625,008	57.3%	0.6%
Essex	\$9,911,498	\$5,757,627	58.1%	\$9,852,175	\$5,737,691	58.2%	0.1%
Gloucester	\$3,887,363	\$2,514,941	64.7%	\$3,791,577	\$2,436,817	64.3%	-0.4%
Hudson	\$6,836,707	\$4,476,178	65.5%	\$6,890,440	\$4,440,697	64.4%	-1.0%
Hunterdon	\$1,076,048	\$885,474	82.3%	\$969,872	\$831,976	85.8%	3.5%
Mercer	\$3,716,597	\$2,333,444	62.8%	\$3,749,266	\$2,346,285	62.6%	-0.2%
Middlesex	\$6,899,069	\$4,654,144	67.5%	\$6,947,459	\$4,708,941	67.8%	0.3%
Monmouth	\$6,290,806	\$4,580,375	72.8%	\$5,987,369	\$4,364,561	72.9%	0.1%
Morris	\$4,044,939	\$2,993,197	74.0%	\$3,812,712	\$2,790,679	73.2%	-0.8%
Ocean	\$6,030,286	\$4,239,488	70.3%	\$5,912,883	\$4,196,274	71.0%	0.7%
Passaic	\$5,998,347	\$3,732,245	62.2%	\$5,805,729	\$3,650,422	62.9%	0.7%
Salem	\$1,017,951	\$597,311	58.7%	\$1,069,201	\$631,648	59.1%	0.4%
Somerset	\$2,648,140	\$2,133,606	80.6%	\$2,452,808	\$1,976,583	80.6%	0.0%
Sussex	\$1,635,130	\$1,232,494	75.4%	\$1,565,459	\$1,152,239	73.6%	-1.8%
Union	\$6,531,290	\$4,437,316	67.9%	\$6,532,137	\$4,345,884	66.5%	-1.4%
Warren	\$1,130,921	\$831,367	73.5%	\$1,098,529	\$819,022	74.6%	1.0%
NJ TOTALS	\$95,453,703	\$63,467,204	66.5%	\$93,556,538	\$62,223,267	66.5%	0.0%

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 2022 vs. FFY 2023)

County	MARCH 2022			MARCH 2023			Increase or Decrease (-) from FFY 2022 to FFY 2023
	Total Cases with Arrears	Total Amount Collected	Average Arrears Collection per Case	Total Cases with Arrears	Total Amount Collected	Average Arrears Collection per Case	
Atlantic	6,338	\$1,358,258	\$214.30	6,103	\$1,199,326	\$196.51	-\$17.79
Bergen	6,648	\$1,534,221	\$230.78	6,456	\$1,501,100	\$232.51	\$1.73
Burlington	7,109	\$1,561,302	\$219.62	6,882	\$1,357,269	\$197.22	-\$22.40
Camden	14,550	\$3,113,574	\$213.99	13,983	\$2,669,039	\$190.88	-\$23.11
Cape May	1,671	\$282,452	\$169.03	1,595	\$245,775	\$154.09	-\$14.94
Cumberland	6,404	\$1,244,079	\$194.27	6,093	\$999,632	\$164.06	-\$30.20
Essex	19,036	\$4,388,099	\$230.52	18,040	\$3,599,228	\$199.51	-\$31.00
Gloucester	5,752	\$1,367,190	\$237.69	5,489	\$1,053,182	\$191.87	-\$45.82
Hudson	10,577	\$2,127,925	\$201.18	10,433	\$2,031,055	\$194.68	-\$6.51
Hunterdon	720	\$228,686	\$317.62	675	\$178,009	\$263.72	-\$53.90
Mercer	7,016	\$1,564,636	\$223.01	6,809	\$1,324,844	\$194.57	-\$28.44
Middlesex	9,354	\$2,153,683	\$230.24	9,201	\$1,862,467	\$202.42	-\$27.82
Monmouth	6,930	\$1,766,795	\$254.95	6,530	\$1,452,041	\$222.36	-\$32.58
Morris	3,303	\$910,157	\$275.55	3,120	\$703,136	\$225.36	-\$50.19
Ocean	7,648	\$1,706,953	\$223.19	7,378	\$1,377,638	\$186.72	-\$36.47
Passaic	9,771	\$2,084,363	\$213.32	9,394	\$1,957,297	\$208.36	-\$4.97
Salem	2,161	\$437,295	\$202.36	2,054	\$308,607	\$150.25	-\$52.11
Somerset	2,436	\$584,925	\$240.12	2,284	\$574,303	\$251.45	\$11.33
Sussex	1,456	\$317,339	\$217.95	1,429	\$328,389	\$229.80	\$11.85
Union	9,960	\$2,223,566	\$223.25	9,534	\$1,909,038	\$200.23	-\$23.01
Warren	1,448	\$312,992	\$216.15	1,383	\$356,662	\$257.89	\$41.74
NJ TOTALS	140,288	\$31,268,490	\$222.89	134,865	\$26,988,037	\$200.11	-\$22.78

SOURCE: OCSE-157 Child Support Enforcement Annual Data Report

Table 17**WORK FIRST NEW JERSEY STATISTICAL SUMMARY****WFNJ****MARCH 2023**

COUNTY	EMPLOYMENT DIRECTED ACTIVITIES			EMPLOYED OPEN (WFNJ RECIPIENT)	SUPPORT SERVICES ON ACTIVE CASE		CLOSED FOR EMPLOYMENT THIS MONTH	POST ASSISTANCE CHILD CARE
	CWEP	ALL	JOB SEARCH		CHILD CARE	TRAINING REL. EXPENSES		
		OTHER TRAINING						
ATLANTIC	5	51	13	29	21	47	3	19
BERGEN	38	15	45	14	37	17	8	3
BURLINGTON	89	10	52	24	33	9	6	10
CAMDEN	35	157	8	58	77	3	16	6
CAPE MAY	0	14	10	9	4	8	3	2
CUMBERLAND	0	22	12	16	13	49	3	3
ESSEX	134	170	15	90	75	127	24	44
GLOUCESTER	5	11	15	18	18	6	6	3
HUDSON	0	360	54	100	238	128	35	13
HUNTERDON	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
MERCER	105	124	41	53	120	41	12	58
MIDDLESEX	0	31	57	30	31	1	7	4
MONMOUTH	0	6	27	21	20	5	6	22
MORRIS	0	6	0	1	0	0	6	1
OCEAN	0	124	0	17	13	24	2	14
PASSAIC	6	98	0	18	28	7	10	8
SALEM	0	9	8	8	9	1	3	0
SOMERSET	20	9	12	13	16	26	1	1
SUSSEX	0	2	1	2	0	0	0	1
UNION	26	47	0	12	17	1	6	1
WARREN	0	4	0	2	2	0	1	3
STATE TOTAL	463	1,270	370	535	773	500	158	218

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

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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 in 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.

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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).