

Public Assistance Facts and Figures

For the Month of
June 2003

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Programs	Recipients				Average Monthly Benefits	
	June 2003	Change from	Percent Change from		June 2003	June 2002
		May 2003	May 2003	June 2002		
California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) - persons a/	1,230,462	(13,172)	(1.1)	(9.5)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Children.....	952,375	(7,611)	(0.8)	(7.1)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Cases.....	477,837	(3,038)	(0.7)	(3.8)	508.58	508.87
CalWORKs payments (\$ in millions).....	\$243.0	\$1.2	0.5	(3.9)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Two Parent Families - persons.....	164,551	(5,550)	(3.3)	(25.2)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Children.....	98,995	(3,340)	(3.3)	(24.5)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Cases.....	40,328	(1,281)	(3.1)	(19.8)	604.73	568.48
Payments (\$ in millions).....	\$24.4	(\$0.5)	(2.0)	(14.6)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Zero Parent Families - persons.....	302,732	(1,074)	(0.4)	(3.8)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Children.....	302,732	(1,074)	(0.4)	(3.8)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Cases.....	162,094	248	0.2	(0.6)	447.49	448.29
Payments (\$ in millions).....	\$72.5	\$0.3	0.5	(0.7)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
All Other Families - persons.....	568,314	(7,457)	(1.3)	(22.8)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Children.....	395,145	(5,778)	(1.4)	(23.7)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Cases.....	209,191	(2,118)	(1.0)	(18.9)	608.60	530.52
Payments (\$ in millions).....	\$127.3	\$0.8	0.6	(6.9)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
TANF Timed-Out - persons b/.....	144,064	(3,996)	(2.7)	63.7	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Children.....	104,702	(2,324)	(2.2)	69.1	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Cases.....	47,296	(1,496)	(3.1)	83.8	294.38	559.17
Payments (\$ in millions).....	\$13.9	(\$0.4)	(2.6)	(3.2)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Safety Net - persons.....	50,801	4,905	10.7	c/	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Children.....	50,801	4,905	10.7	c/	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Cases.....	18,928	1,609	9.3	c/	256.58	c/
Payments (\$ in millions).....	\$4.9	\$1.0	24.4	c/	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Foster Care (FC) Program - children.....	94,544	(645)	(0.7)	(4.0)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Relative Home placements.....	32,717	(265)	(0.8)	(8.7)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Foster Family Agency placements.....	23,065	(95)	(0.4)	(0.6)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Foster Family Home placements.....	14,260	230	1.6	(4.5)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Group Home placements.....	14,061	(101)	(0.7)	2.6	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Guardian Home placements.....	7,798	(38)	(0.5)	4.7	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Other home placements.....	1,177	(79)	(6.3)	(30.1)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Unspecified home placements.....	1,466	(297)	(16.8)	(12.1)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Supplemental Security Income/State Supplementary Payment (SSI/SSP) - persons d/.....	1,141,279	4,588	0.4	2.5	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
Aged.....	344,689	619	0.2	1.8	488.67	485.46
Blind.....	21,773	41	0.2	(0.5)	602.65	595.86
Disabled.....	774,817	3,928	0.5	2.9	587.67	576.71
SSI/SSP payments (\$ in millions).....	\$636.9	\$6.0	0.9	4.1	xxxxxx	xxxxxx
General Relief (GR) - persons.....	97,141	(544)	(0.6)	1.4	234.97	226.50
	June 2003	May 2003	June 2002			
California unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted).....	6.8%	6.7%	6.7%			
California population on assistance e/.....	7.2	7.2	7.6			

a/ All CalWORKs data is for cash grant cases only.
b/ Reporting began December 2001 and took several months to implement. Data is still incomplete.
c/ Reporting began January 2003. Prior year information will not be available until January 2004.
d/ Estimate based on preliminary data from the Social Security Administration.
e/ Persons receiving CalWORKs, SSI/SSP, or GR.

Data represents the most current statistics available at the time of publication. Current month data includes prior month(s) data if current month is not reported timely by the County. Prior period data is updated to include the most current information, including County reported changes/updates, for all but the Foster Care data.

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Programs	Recipients				Average Monthly Benefits		
	Change from		Percent Change from		June 2003	June 2002	
	June 2003	May 2003	May 2003	June 2002			
					\$	\$	
Federal and State Food Stamp (FS) Program						Average Coupon Value	
Persons.....	1,786,743	(1,705)	(0.1)	(0.2)	86.46	78.18	
Assistance: persons.....	860,531	(10,909)	(1.3)	(10.8)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
households.....	313,835	(2,011)	(0.6)	(6.3)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Nonassistance: persons.....	926,212	9,204	1.0	12.2	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
households.....	381,889	2,861	0.8	12.6	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$154.5	(\$0.4)	(0.3)	10.3	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Federal Food Stamp (FS) Program							
Persons.....	1,756,535	2,458	0.1	3.6	86.71	79.14	
Assistance: persons.....	850,215	(9,560)	(1.1)	(8.2)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
households f/.....	310,866	(1,588)	(0.5)	(4.2)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Nonassistance: persons.....	906,320	12,018	1.3	17.8	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
households f/.....	373,404	3,928	1.1	18.2	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$152.3	(\$0.1)	(0.1)	13.5	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
California Food Assistance Program (CFAP) g/							
Persons.....	30,208	(4,163)	(12.1)	(68.1)	71.91	60.93	
Assistance: persons.....	10,316	(1,349)	(11.6)	(73.0)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
households h/.....	2,969	(423)	(12.5)	(71.1)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Nonassistance: persons.....	19,892	(2,814)	(12.4)	(64.8)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
households h/.....	8,485	(1,067)	(11.2)	(63.5)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$2.2	(\$0.3)	(11.6)	(62.4)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS)						Average Cost Per Person i/	
Persons receiving paid services.....	306,623	3,094	1.0	13.2	721.84	665.09	
Hours of service paid.....	25,567,829	206,476	0.8	12.5	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$221.3	\$2.2	1.0	22.8	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Adult Protective Services (APS)							
Cases opened during the month.....	6,755	(36)	(0.5)	1.7	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Cases carried forward to next month.....	11,243	223	2.0	(23.1)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Confirmed Investigations of self neglect j/.....	1,863	7	0.4	(6.4)	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	
Confirmed Investigations of abuse by others j/.....	1,229	39	3.3	1.7	xxxxxx	xxxxxx	

f/ Combined count of Federal only and a portion of Federal-CFAP mixed households based on the percentage of Federal persons in Federal-CFAP mixed households.
g/ Large fluctuations in data due to continuing implementation of the Los Angeles County LEADER system.
h/ Combined count of State only and a portion of Federal-CFAP mixed households based on the percentage of State persons in Federal-CFAP mixed households.
i/ Based on paid cases for the month.
j/ Confirmed and unduplicated investigations.

CalWORKs Non-Exempt Assistance Unit Maximum Aid Payment (MAP) and Food Stamp (FS) Allotment

MAP (Effective 06/1/03)			FS Allotments (10/1/02 - 9/30/03)	
Eligible persons in the same home	Region 1	Region 2	Eligible persons in the FS household	Maximum Coupon Allotment
1	\$349	\$331	1	\$139
2	568	540	2	256
3	704	671	3	366
4	839	799	4	465
5	954	909	5	553
6	1,072	1,021	6	663
7	1,178	1,119	7	733
8	1,283	1,221	8	838
9	1,386	1,320	9	943
10+	1,489	1,417	each additional person	105

	Aged or Disabled			Blind		
	Total	SSI	SSP	Total	SSI	SSP
Individual	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Independent.....	757.00	552.00	205.00	819.00	552.00	267.00
Household of another.....	578.66	368.00	210.66	654.66	368.00	286.66
Non-medical Out-of-Home Care.....	925.00	552.00	373.00	925.00	552.00	373.00
Couple						
Independent, neither member blind.....	1,344.00	829.00	727.00	xxx	xxx	xxx
Independent, one member blind.....	xxx	xxx	xxx	1,477.00	829.00	648.00
Independent, both members blind.....	xxx	xxx	xxx	1,556.00	829.00	727.00
Non-medical Out-of-Home Care.....	1,744.00	796.00	948.00	1,850.00	829.00	1,021.00