

# Public Assistance Facts and Figures

For the Month of  
**May 2010**

## Cash Grant Programs

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Foster Care (FC)  
Supplemental Security Income/State Supplementary Payment (SSI/SSP)  
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## Non-Cash Grant Programs

Federal Food Stamp Program (FS)  
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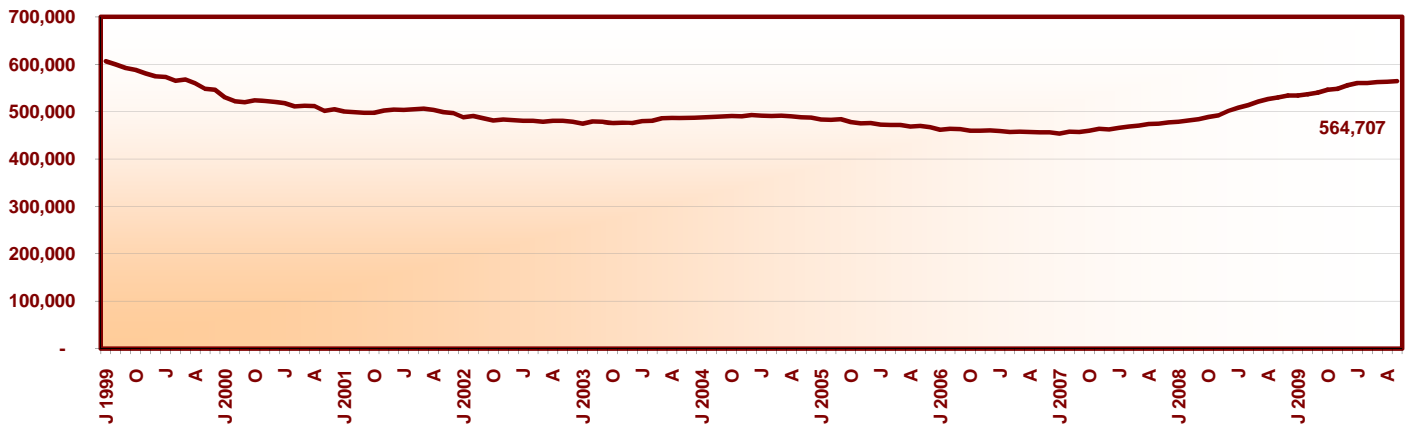
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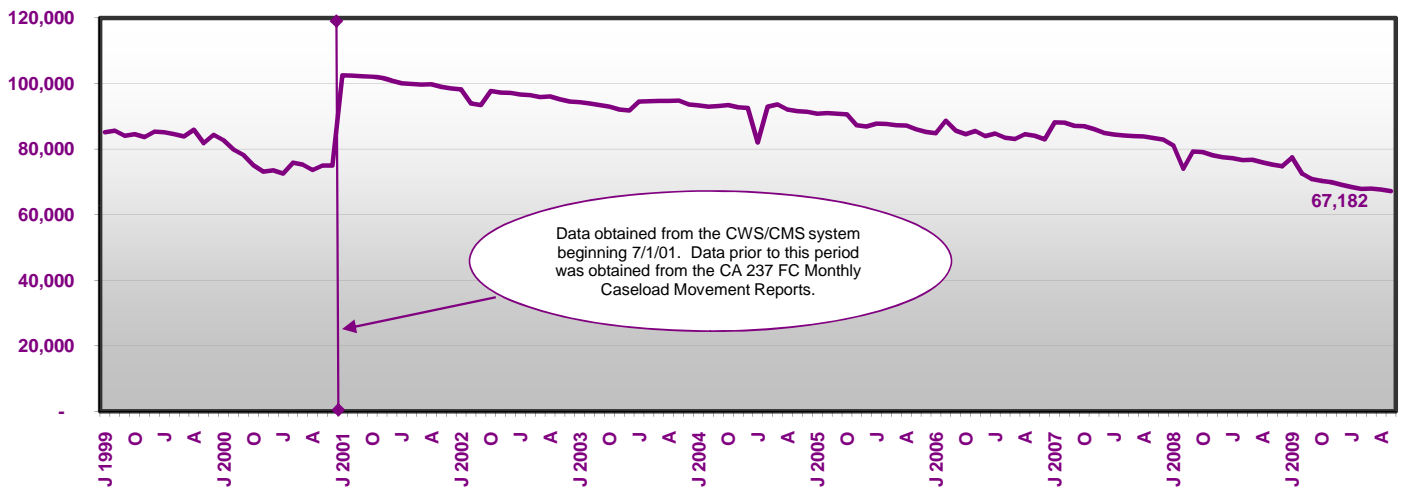
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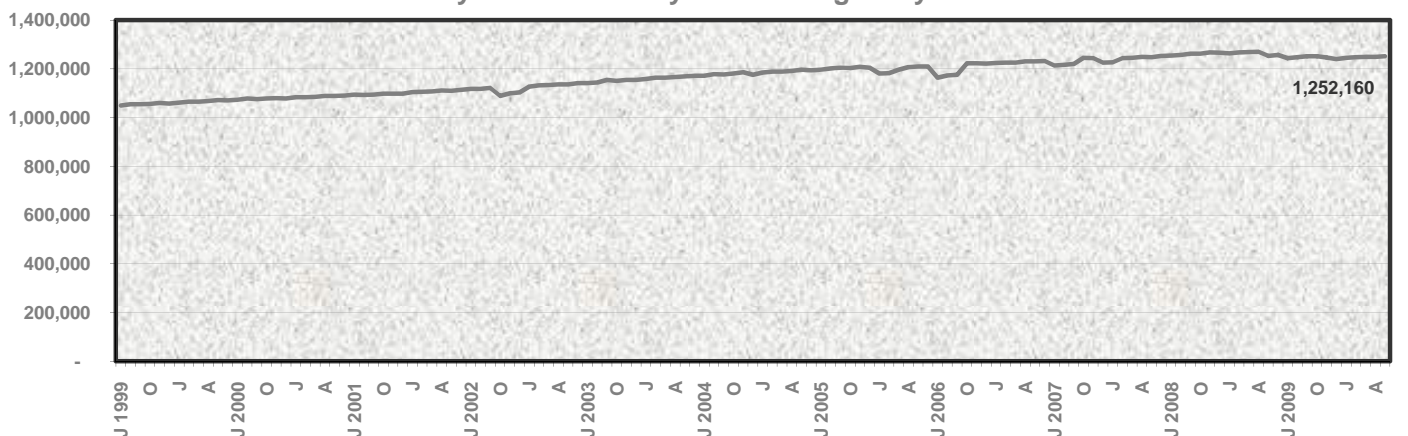
### AFDC/CalWORKs Monthly Caseload - July 1999 through May 2010



### Foster Care Monthly Caseload - July 1999 through May 2010



### SSI/SSP Monthly Caseload - July 1999 through May 2010



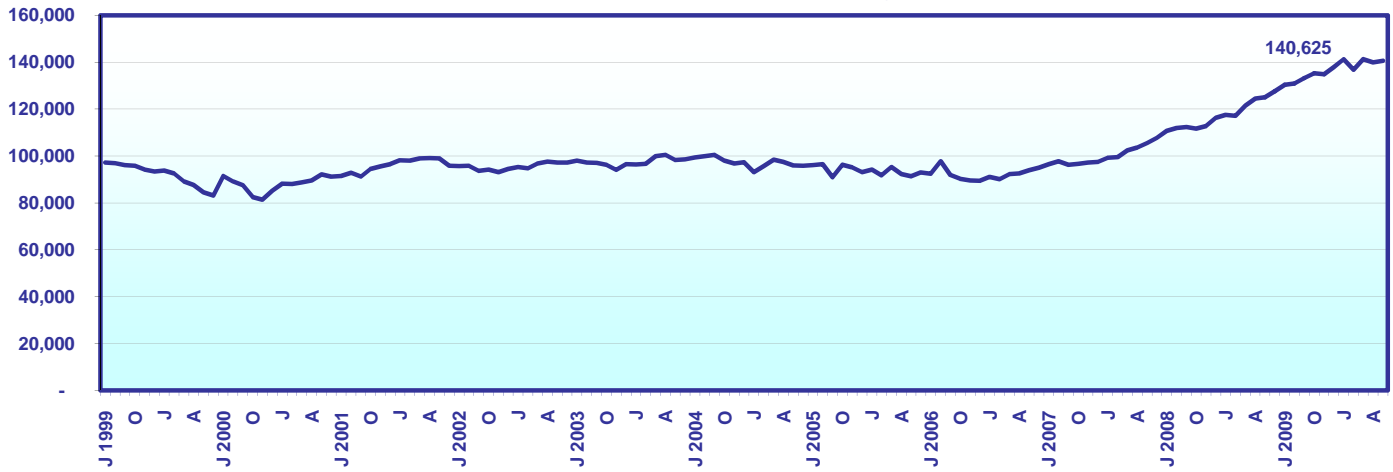
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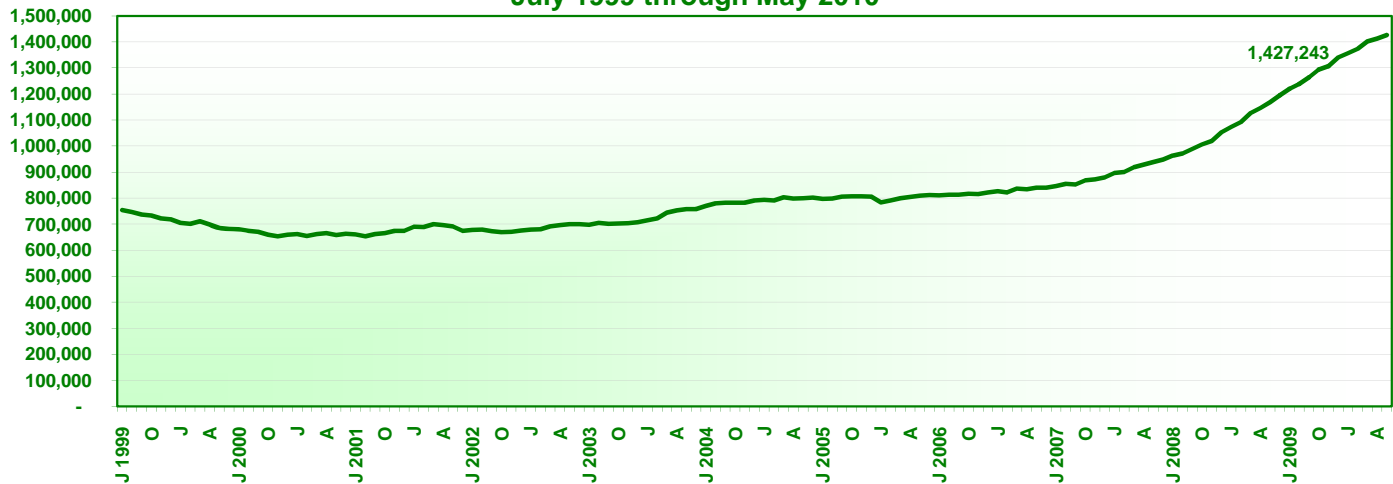
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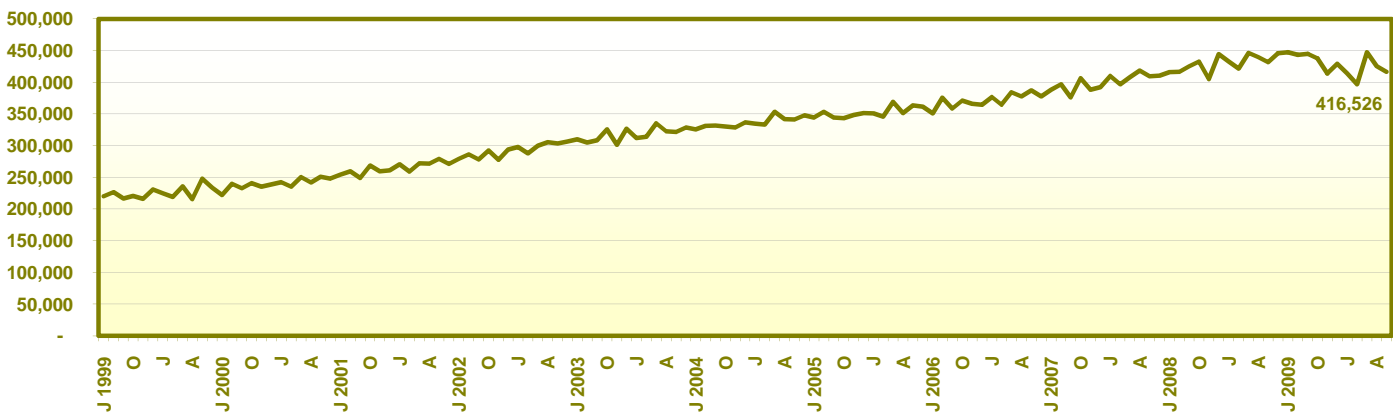
### General Relief Monthly Caseload - July 1999 through May 2010



### Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Monthly Caseload - July 1999 through May 2010



### IHSS Monthly Caseload - July 1999 through May 2010



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Programs	Recipients				Average Monthly Benefits	
	Change from		Percent Change from		May 2010	May 2009
	May 2010	April 2010	April 2010	May 2009		
California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) - persons a/					\$	\$
Children	1,396,184	4,481	0.3	6.6		
Cases	1,082,033	1,706	0.2	5.3		
CalWORKs payments (\$ in millions)	564,707	1,354	0.2	6.5	499.73	524.50
CalWORKs payments (\$ in millions)	\$282.2	(\$0.3)	(0.1)	1.5		
Two Parent Families - persons	202,646	995	0.5	13.6		
Children	113,727	526	0.5	13.7		
Cases	53,411	267	0.5	16.4	577.83	607.23
Payments (\$ in millions)	\$30.9	\$0.0	0.1	10.8		
Zero Parent Families - persons	388,673	(1,884)	(0.5)	5.5		
Children	388,673	(1,884)	(0.5)	5.5		
Cases	199,096	(935)	(0.5)	5.2	468.57	488.65
Payments (\$ in millions)	\$93.3	(\$0.1)	(0.1)	0.9		
All Other Families - persons	594,861	3,635	0.6	6.6		
Children	394,951	1,544	0.4	4.8		
Cases	231,557	1,372	0.6	6.7	514.88	547.37
Payments (\$ in millions)	\$119.2	(\$0.5)	(0.4)	0.4		
TANF Timed-Out - persons	91,375	1,339	1.5	14.2		
Children	66,053	1,124	1.7	14.8		
Cases	31,705	389	1.2	13.7	544.40	571.22
Payments (\$ in millions)	\$17.3	\$0.0	0.1	8.3		
Safety Net - persons	118,629	396	0.3	(4.5)		
Children	118,629	396	0.3	(4.5)		
Cases	48,938	261	0.5	(2.5)	440.61	459.18
Payments (\$ in millions)	\$21.6	\$0.2	0.9	(6.4)		
Foster Care (FC) Program - children	67,182	(482)	(0.7)	(10.7)		
Relative Home placements	22,393	(192)	(0.9)	(11.9)		
Foster Family Agency placements	20,090	(51)	(0.3)	(4.4)		
Foster Family Home placements	6,511	(31)	(0.5)	(8.0)		
Group Home placements	9,054	(195)	(2.1)	(23.4)		
Guardian Home placements	7,669	11	0.1	(5.8)		
Other/Unspecified Home placements	1,214	(13)	(1.1)	(16.6)		
Other Facility placements	251	(11)	(4.2)	(23.5)		
Supplemental Security Income/State Supplementary Payment (SSI/SSP) - persons b/	1,252,160	2,333	0.2	(0.1)		
Aged	359,374	419	0.1	(1.9)	507.72	530.15
Blind	19,464	(40)	(0.2)	(2.6)	650.00	663.87
Disabled	873,322	1,954	0.2	0.7	640.44	649.48
SSI/SSP payments (\$ in millions)	\$754.4	\$2.8	0.4	(2.1)		
General Relief (GR) - persons	140,625	761	0.5	12.4	213.05	220.96
	May 2010	April 2010	May 2009			
California unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)	12.4%	12.5%	11.3%			
California population on assistance c/	7.4	7.3	7.2			

a/ All CalWORKs data is for cash grant cases only.

b/ Estimate based on preliminary data from the Social Security Administration.

c/ 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.

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	May 2010	April 2010	April 2010	May 2009	2010	2009
					\$	\$
Federal and State Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)					Average Benefit Per Person	
Persons.....	3,320,985	31,006	0.9	19.6	146.58	146.45
Assistance: persons.....	864,157	11,794	1.4	13.6		
households.....	338,818	3,239	1.0	12.9		
Nonassistance: persons.....	2,456,828	19,212	0.8	21.9		
households.....	1,088,425	11,573	1.1	25.2		
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$486.8	\$3.8	0.8	19.7		
Federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)						
Persons.....	3,285,959	30,854	0.9	19.6	146.92	146.83
Assistance: persons.....	857,603	11,766	1.4	13.7		
households d/.....	336,905	3,234	1.0	13.0		
Nonassistance: persons.....	2,428,356	19,088	0.8	21.9		
households d/.....	1,076,668	11,485	1.1	25.3		
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$482.8	\$3.8	0.8	19.7		
California Food Assistance Program (CFAP) e/						
Persons.....	35,026	152	0.4	18.8	114.43	111.66
Assistance: persons.....	6,554	28	0.4	7.5		
households f/.....	1,913	5	0.3	7.8		
Nonassistance: persons.....	28,472	124	0.4	21.8		
households f/.....	11,757	88	0.8	21.9		
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$4.0	\$0.1	1.4	21.8		
In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS)					Average Cost Per Person	
Persons receiving paid services.....	416,526	(9,248)	(2.2)	(3.5)	925.33	900.57
Hours of service paid.....	36,221,146	(1,110,928)	(3.0)	(1.2)		
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$385.4	(\$12.0)	(3.0)	(0.9)		

d/ 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.

e/ 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.

f/ Based on paid cases for the month.

## CalWORKs Non-Exempt Assistance Unit Maximum Aid Payment (MAP) and Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Allotment

MAP (Effective 7/1/09 - 6/30/10)			SNAP Allotments (10/01/09 - 9/30/10)*	
Eligible persons in the same home	Region 1	Region 2	Eligible persons in the SNAP household	Maximum SNAP Allotment
1	\$345	\$326	1	\$200
2	561	533	2	367
3	694	661	3	526
4	828	788	4	668
5	941	897	5	793
6	1,057	1,007	6	952
7	1,162	1,104	7	1,052
8	1,265	1,205	8	1,202
9	1,367	1,302	9	1,352
10+	1,469	1,398	each additional person	150

## SSI/SSP Grant Levels (Effective 1/1/10)\*

	Aged or Disabled			Blind		
	Total	SSI	SSP	Total	SSI	SSP
Individual	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Independent.....	845.00	674.00	171.00	908.00	674.00	234.00
Household of another.....	639.00	449.00	190.00	718.00	449.00	269.00
Non-medical Out-of-Home Care.....	1,086.00	674.00	412.00	1,086.00	674.00	412.00
Couple						
Independent, neither member blind.....	1,407.00	1,011.00	396.00	xxx	xxx	xxx
Independent, one member blind.....	xxx	xxx	xxx	1,498.00	1,011.00	487.00
Independent, both members blind.....	xxx	xxx	xxx	1,554.00	1,011.00	543.00
Non-medical Out-of-Home Care.....	2,172.00	1,011.00	1,161.00	2,172.00	1,011.00	1,161.00

\* The Public Assistance Facts and Figures report for May 2010 was released on July 30, 2010. The September 29, 2011 revision is due to corrections on Page 5: The SNAP Allotments effective period was changed from 04/01/09-09/30/09 to 10/1/09-09/30/10; SSI/SSP Grant Levels effective date was changed from 1/01/09 to 1/01/10 to reflect current grant levels at the time.