

Ministry of Social Development and Poverty Reduction
BC Employment and Assistance Summary Report

BCEA Cases by Program - July 2017								
BC Employment and Assistance Cases								
	Temporary Assistance					Disability Assistance		Total
	Expected to Work	Expected to Medical Condition	Temporarily Excused	Persistent Multiple Barriers	Sub Total	Persons with Disabilities	Sub Total	
Annual Average								
1995	174,937		17,756		192,693	22,167	22,167	214,859
1996	158,020		16,654		174,674	24,391	24,391	199,064
1997	121,822		30,204		152,026	27,814	27,814	179,841
1998	106,757		29,938		136,695	30,954	30,954	167,649
1999	98,643		25,983		124,626	33,888	33,888	158,514
2000	91,661		24,389		116,049	37,902	37,902	153,952
2001	85,864		22,991		108,855	42,996	42,996	151,851
2002	68,287		20,242		88,529	45,896	45,896	134,425
2003	36,671		19,695	8,440	64,805	48,879	48,879	113,684
2004	23,657	5,805	10,660	12,282	52,403	52,933	52,933	105,336
2005	19,345	6,874	7,190	9,780	43,190	56,616	56,616	99,806
2006	16,872	6,782	6,299	7,752	37,704	59,493	59,493	97,197
2007	18,533	6,065	5,913	7,250	37,761	63,148	63,148	100,909
2008	21,910	5,506	5,999	6,897	40,312	66,882	66,882	107,194
2009	32,931	5,809	6,625	6,946	52,312	70,823	70,823	123,135
2010	36,642	6,701	7,089	7,897	58,329	74,500	74,500	132,828
2011	36,758	5,634	6,879	8,136	57,406	78,871	78,871	136,278
2012	32,451	4,669	6,361	7,716	51,197	83,205	83,205	134,402
2013	31,115	3,299	6,699	7,166	48,278	86,595	86,595	134,874
2014	28,531	2,675	6,567	6,556	44,329	90,031	90,031	134,360
2015	29,632	1,604	5,955	5,490	42,681	93,506	93,506	136,187

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2016 and 2017 annual averages)								
	0.8%	-10.9%	0.3%	-14.4%	-1.1%	4.1%	4.1%	2.5%

2016 (Annual Average)	31,920	1,447	7,061	4,444	44,871	96,601	96,601	141,471
January	31,660	1,480	6,634	4,924	44,698	94,113	94,113	138,811
February	31,921	1,470	6,744	4,874	45,009	93,833	93,833	138,842
March	32,061	1,488	7,353	4,759	45,661	95,322	95,322	140,983
April	32,115	1,464	7,363	4,630	45,572	95,887	95,887	141,459
May	32,454	1,459	7,153	4,476	45,542	96,449	96,449	141,991
June	32,340	1,538	6,878	4,515	45,271	96,785	96,785	142,056
July	32,194	1,488	6,744	4,440	44,866	97,181	97,181	142,047
August	31,901	1,478	6,858	4,340	44,577	97,198	97,198	141,775
September	31,399	1,421	7,367	4,244	44,431	97,753	97,753	142,184
October	31,626	1,389	7,248	4,066	44,329	97,996	97,996	142,325
November	31,596	1,338	7,122	4,051	44,107	98,172	98,172	142,279
December	31,769	1,353	7,262	4,003	44,387	98,518	98,518	142,905

2017 (Annual Average)	32,187	1,289	7,084	3,805	44,365	100,602	100,602	144,967
January	32,576	1,343	7,070	3,971	44,960	98,728	98,728	143,688
February	33,181	1,333	7,198	3,904	45,616	99,061	99,061	144,677
March	32,527	1,368	7,629	3,893	45,417	100,189	100,189	145,606
April	32,476	1,292	7,163	3,815	44,746	100,853	100,853	145,599
May	31,925	1,237	7,028	3,755	43,945	101,387	101,387	145,332
June	31,614	1,224	6,819	3,684	43,341	101,874	101,874	145,215
July	31,008	1,224	6,682	3,615	42,529	102,124	102,124	144,653

% Change from Year Ago (July 2016 to July 2017)								
	-3.7%	-17.7%	-0.9%	-18.6%	-5.2%	5.1%	5.1%	1.8%

% Change from Previous Month (June 2017 to July 2017)								
	-1.9%		-2.0%	-1.9%	-1.9%	0.2%	0.2%	-0.4%

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BC Employment and Assistance Clients									
	Temporary Assistance					Disability Assistance	Total	% of BC Population	Dependent Children
	Expected to Work	Expected to Work - Medical Condition	Temporarily Excused	Persistent Multiple Barriers	Sub Total	Persons with Disabilities			
Annual Average									
1995	293,710		46,970		340,679	26,708	367,387	9.7	128,153
1996	271,496		43,813		315,309	29,580	344,889	8.9	122,800
1997	212,102		58,958		271,060	33,913	304,973	7.7	105,262
1998	188,154		55,397		243,550	37,629	281,180	7.1	95,416
1999	173,739		48,232		221,971	41,218	263,189	6.6	88,036
2000	161,114		45,154		206,268	46,321	252,589	6.3	83,391
2001	149,635		42,302		191,938	52,884	244,821	6.0	78,483
2002	117,657		36,363		154,020	56,254	210,274	5.1	63,753
2003	63,968		36,332	10,436	110,736	59,641	170,376	4.1	47,313
2004	41,272	8,059	23,023	15,670	88,024	64,479	152,502	3.7	39,236
2005	32,755	9,100	17,176	12,412	71,442	68,690	140,132	3.3	33,385
2006	27,282	8,825	14,961	9,755	60,822	71,784	132,606	3.1	28,941
2007	28,376	7,709	13,959	9,285	59,329	75,818	135,147	3.2	27,868
2008	32,609	6,990	14,177	8,968	62,744	79,873	142,617	3.3	28,958
2009	48,188	7,304	15,729	9,054	80,275	84,569	164,843	3.7	34,011
2010	53,355	8,394	16,888	10,343	88,980	88,822	177,803	4.0	36,918
2011	53,607	7,089	16,348	10,772	87,816	94,037	181,853	4.0	37,577
2012	47,600	5,927	15,135	10,254	78,916	99,132	178,048	3.9	36,007
2013	45,727	4,120	15,253	9,462	74,562	103,215	177,778	3.9	35,280
2014	41,629	3,294	14,570	8,604	68,097	107,255	175,352	3.8	33,536
2015	42,696	1,942	13,759	7,245	65,641	111,390	177,031	3.8	33,482

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2016 and 2017 annual averages)									
	3.3%	-7.7%	0.2%	-14.0%	0.9%	4.5%	3.1%	2.1%	5.5%

2016 (Annual Average)	45,974	1,840	16,113	5,846	69,774	115,300	185,073	3.9	36,138
January	45,405	1,803	15,369	6,502	69,079	112,002	181,081	3.8	34,987
February	45,626	1,809	15,689	6,430	69,554	111,572	181,126	3.8	35,045
March	45,902	1,839	16,476	6,295	70,512	113,664	184,176	3.9	35,632
April	46,173	1,808	16,483	6,108	70,572	114,349	184,921	3.9	35,887
May	46,685	1,874	16,239	5,893	70,691	115,111	185,802	3.9	36,220
June	46,582	1,976	15,856	5,955	70,369	115,567	185,936	3.9	36,316
July	46,478	1,934	15,781	5,843	70,036	116,055	186,091	3.9	36,542
August	46,264	1,894	15,862	5,700	69,720	116,086	185,806	3.9	36,604
September	45,528	1,827	16,613	5,564	69,532	116,870	186,402	3.9	36,762
October	45,591	1,776	16,475	5,312	69,154	117,167	186,321	3.9	36,540
November	45,508	1,748	16,194	5,319	68,769	117,349	186,118	3.9	36,418
December	45,950	1,789	16,323	5,233	69,295	117,804	187,099	3.9	36,706

2017 (Annual Average)	47,507	1,698	16,143	5,025	70,373	120,523	190,896	4.0	38,128
January	47,611	1,779	16,045	5,208	70,643	118,095	188,738	4.0	37,430
February	48,815	1,783	16,269	5,132	71,999	118,506	190,505	4.0	38,072
March	48,041	1,832	16,927	5,137	71,937	119,984	191,921	4.0	38,406
April	47,947	1,708	16,339	5,043	71,037	120,768	191,805	4.0	38,313
May	47,224	1,616	16,039	4,963	69,842	121,577	191,419	4.0	38,228
June	46,880	1,594	15,777	4,887	69,138	122,236	191,374	4.0	38,334
July	46,031	1,576	15,603	4,805	68,015	122,497	190,512	4.0	38,115

% Change from Year Ago (July 2016 to July 2017)									
	-1.0%	-18.5%	-1.1%	-17.8%	-2.9%	5.6%	2.4%	1.0%	4.3%

% Change from Previous Month (June 2017 to July 2017)									
	-1.8%	-1.1%	-1.1%	-1.7%	-1.6%	0.2%	-0.5%	-0.5%	-0.6%

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Disability Assistance Cases by Family Type - July 2017

Disability Assistance Cases						
Persons with Disabilities						
	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Total
Annual Average						
1995	10,844	8,287	1,511	604	922	22,167
1996	11,887	9,062	1,645	675	1,123	24,391
1997	13,406	10,379	1,827	784	1,419	27,814
1998	14,820	11,676	1,987	844	1,627	30,954
1999	16,231	12,775	2,135	932	1,815	33,888
2000	18,155	14,201	2,328	1,064	2,154	37,902
2001	20,560	15,937	2,617	1,229	2,653	42,996
2002	21,972	17,059	2,700	1,235	2,930	45,896
2003	23,449	18,231	2,740	1,201	3,259	48,879
2004	25,449	19,779	2,839	1,260	3,606	52,933
2005	27,353	21,167	2,946	1,277	3,874	56,616
2006	28,842	22,395	2,957	1,286	4,014	59,493
2007	30,771	23,949	2,958	1,330	4,141	63,148
2008	32,823	25,462	2,976	1,323	4,298	66,882
2009	34,950	26,825	3,088	1,428	4,532	70,823
2010	37,072	28,071	3,113	1,529	4,715	74,500
2011	39,416	29,637	3,161	1,650	5,008	78,871
2012	41,718	31,251	3,219	1,734	5,283	83,205
2013	43,425	32,603	3,292	1,850	5,426	86,595
2014	45,174	33,968	3,359	1,928	5,602	90,031
2015	46,935	35,352	3,375	1,973	5,870	93,506

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2016 and 2017 annual averages)						
	3.8%	4.1%	3.7%	7.2%	6.3%	4.1%

2016 (Annual Average)	48,431	36,505	3,436	2,046	6,183	96,601
January	47,348	35,585	3,283	1,921	5,976	94,113
February	47,253	35,475	3,242	1,902	5,961	93,833
March	47,860	35,993	3,427	2,014	6,028	95,322
April	48,080	36,245	3,475	2,031	6,056	95,887
May	48,342	36,428	3,487	2,060	6,132	96,449
June	48,464	36,576	3,493	2,080	6,172	96,785
July	48,641	36,748	3,479	2,075	6,238	97,181
August	48,659	36,764	3,448	2,072	6,255	97,198
September	48,947	36,923	3,470	2,096	6,317	97,753
October	49,073	37,017	3,477	2,102	6,327	97,996
November	49,150	37,101	3,479	2,088	6,354	98,172
December	49,351	37,208	3,469	2,109	6,381	98,518

2017 (Annual Average)	50,268	38,007	3,563	2,193	6,571	100,602
January	49,438	37,302	3,465	2,114	6,409	98,728
February	49,609	37,407	3,451	2,113	6,481	99,061
March	50,134	37,803	3,545	2,175	6,532	100,189
April	50,417	38,115	3,549	2,204	6,568	100,853
May	50,579	38,312	3,637	2,241	6,618	101,387
June	50,779	38,516	3,649	2,257	6,673	101,874
July	50,921	38,596	3,644	2,250	6,713	102,124

% Change from Year Ago (July 2016 to July 2017)						
	4.7%	5.0%	4.7%	8.4%	7.6%	5.1%

% Change from Previous Month (June 2017 to July 2017)						
	1.0%	1.3%	2.7%	2.1%	2.2%	1.3%

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Disability Assistance Clients by Family Type - July 2017

Disability Assistance Clients						
Persons with Disabilities						
	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Total
Annual Average						
1995	10,844	8,287	3,022	2,334	2,221	26,708
1996	11,887	9,062	3,289	2,600	2,742	29,580
1997	13,406	10,379	3,653	3,030	3,445	33,913
1998	14,820	11,676	3,973	3,230	3,931	37,629
1999	16,231	12,775	4,270	3,570	4,373	41,218
2000	18,155	14,201	4,656	4,123	5,185	46,321
2001	20,560	15,937	5,234	4,753	6,399	52,884
2002	21,972	17,059	5,400	4,781	7,042	56,254
2003	23,449	18,231	5,480	4,624	7,857	59,641
2004	25,449	19,779	5,678	4,857	8,716	64,479
2005	27,353	21,167	5,892	4,918	9,361	68,690
2006	28,842	22,395	5,914	4,962	9,672	71,784
2007	30,771	23,949	5,916	5,167	10,015	75,818
2008	32,823	25,462	5,951	5,195	10,442	79,873
2009	34,950	26,825	6,176	5,571	11,046	84,569
2010	37,072	28,071	6,225	5,931	11,523	88,822
2011	39,416	29,637	6,322	6,405	12,257	94,037
2012	41,718	31,251	6,439	6,766	12,959	99,132
2013	43,425	32,603	6,583	7,279	13,326	103,215
2014	45,174	33,968	6,718	7,615	13,780	107,255
2015	46,935	35,352	6,751	7,849	14,503	111,390

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2016 and 2017 annual averages)						
	3.8%	4.1%	3.7%	7.1%	6.8%	4.5%

2016 (Annual Average)	48,431	36,505	6,872	8,153	15,340	115,300
January	47,348	35,585	6,567	7,674	14,828	112,002
February	47,253	35,475	6,484	7,596	14,764	111,572
March	47,860	35,993	6,854	8,036	14,921	113,664
April	48,080	36,245	6,950	8,091	14,983	114,349
May	48,342	36,428	6,974	8,194	15,173	115,111
June	48,464	36,576	6,986	8,281	15,260	115,567
July	48,641	36,748	6,958	8,252	15,456	116,055
August	48,659	36,764	6,896	8,248	15,519	116,086
September	48,947	36,923	6,940	8,339	15,721	116,870
October	49,073	37,017	6,954	8,365	15,758	117,167
November	49,150	37,101	6,958	8,339	15,801	117,349
December	49,351	37,208	6,938	8,417	15,890	117,804

2017 (Annual Average)	50,268	38,007	7,126	8,735	16,388	120,523
January	49,438	37,302	6,930	8,431	15,994	118,095
February	49,609	37,407	6,902	8,427	16,161	118,506
March	50,134	37,803	7,090	8,672	16,285	119,984
April	50,417	38,115	7,098	8,773	16,365	120,768
May	50,579	38,312	7,274	8,915	16,497	121,577
June	50,779	38,516	7,298	8,979	16,664	122,236
July	50,921	38,596	7,288	8,945	16,747	122,497

% Change from Year Ago (July 2016 to July 2017)						
	4.7%	5.0%	4.7%	8.4%	8.4%	5.6%

% Change from Previous Month (June 2017 to July 2017)						
	0.3%	0.2%	-0.1%	-0.4%	0.5%	0.2%

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Temporary Assistance Cases																										
Year	Expected to Work						Expected to Work - Medical Condition						Temporarily Excused						Persons with Persistent Multiple Barriers							Total
	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total		
Annual Average																										
1995	78,836	34,737	7,357	14,903	39,103	174,937						0	189	680				16,887	17,756						0	192,693
1996	69,097	30,510	6,651	14,054	37,708	158,020						0	222	714				15,718	16,654						0	174,674
1997	52,966	22,121	5,108	10,983	30,644	121,822						0	7,362	5,886	861	308	15,787	30,204						0	152,026	
1998	45,610	18,860	4,441	9,631	28,217	106,757						0	8,169	6,740	964	251	13,815	29,938						0	136,695	
1999	41,424	17,814	4,140	8,443	26,822	98,643						0	6,821	5,971	826	163	12,202	25,983						0	124,626	
2000	37,865	17,072	3,669	7,307	25,748	91,661						0	6,454	5,581	745	132	11,476	24,389						0	116,049	
2001	35,480	16,376	3,352	6,514	24,143	85,864						0	6,190	5,280	671	106	10,744	22,991						0	108,855	
2002	28,006	13,605	2,613	4,873	19,190	68,287						0	5,808	4,871	596	79	8,888	20,242						0	88,529	
2003	14,795	7,226	1,420	2,786	10,444	36,671						0	5,718	4,194	705	290	8,787	19,695	4,111	3,022	179	58	1,069	8,440	64,805	
2004	9,279	4,924	918	1,781	6,754	23,657	2,701	1,733	170	108	1,093	5,805	1,911	1,473	403	92	6,782	10,660	6,043	4,063	263	96	1,817	12,282	52,403	
2005	7,744	4,345	766	1,199	5,291	19,345	3,389	2,106	137	82	1,160	6,874	680	666	242	33	5,571	7,190	4,866	3,228	186	74	1,426	9,780	43,190	
2006	7,279	3,966	651	951	4,024	16,872	3,403	2,125	132	80	1,041	6,782	677	618	210	20	4,775	6,299	3,809	2,641	136	45	1,121	7,752	37,704	
2007	8,764	4,471	614	893	3,791	18,533	3,170	1,884	94	51	866	6,065	705	624	171	12	4,401	5,913	3,550	2,385	171	76	1,068	7,250	37,761	
2008	10,917	5,298	591	1,016	4,088	21,910	2,863	1,735	64	43	801	5,506	735	595	158	15	4,496	5,999	3,316	2,275	185	94	1,027	6,897	40,312	
2009	17,391	7,450	902	1,715	5,473	32,931	3,106	1,809	68	46	780	5,809	802	600	162	14	5,047	6,625	3,388	2,246	179	95	1,038	6,946	52,312	
2010	19,342	8,402	929	1,841	6,128	36,642	3,599	2,077	82	58	885	6,701	819	628	161	15	5,467	7,089	3,916	2,485	205	126	1,165	7,897	58,329	
2011	19,055	8,665	857	1,707	6,474	36,758	2,930	1,823	58	45	777	5,634	805	633	152	14	5,275	6,879	4,013	2,534	196	159	1,234	8,136	57,406	
2012	16,422	7,890	697	1,422	6,021	32,451	2,474	1,440	40	44	671	4,669	761	614	149	18	4,819	6,361	3,803	2,385	166	150	1,213	7,716	51,197	
2013	15,459	7,777	652	1,296	5,931	31,115	1,738	1,039	39	22	461	3,299	876	1,015	156	25	4,626	6,699	3,541	2,225	151	140	1,108	7,166	48,278	
2014	14,098	7,381	581	1,105	5,367	28,531	1,461	824	31	20	339	2,675	949	1,126	157	30	4,305	6,567	3,232	2,065	131	114	1,014	6,556	44,329	
2015	14,827	7,767	556	1,037	5,446	29,632	885	506	16	13	184	1,604	633	1,001	161	27	4,132	5,955	2,671	1,749	109	97	866	5,490	42,681	

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2016 and 2017 annual averages)																									
	0.3%	-1.5%	-7.4%	13.9%	3.9%	0.8%	-11.4%	-11.1%	-19.6%	72.8%	-12.4%	-10.9%	10.8%	-3.8%	-8.7%	16.4%	-0.3%	0.3%	-16.9%	-11.1%	-19.9%	-24.4%	-11.5%	-14.4%	-1.1%

2016 (Annual Average)	15,911	8,378	544	1,015	6,072	31,920	732	480	12	11	213	1,447	871	1,256	184	52	4,697	7,061	2,146	1,444	94	70	691	4,444	44,871
January	15,933	8,254	575	1,071	5,827	31,660	797	476	13	7	187	1,480	710	1,156	179	41	4,548	6,634	2,395	1,571	105	87	766	4,924	44,698
February	16,105	8,341	591	1,067	5,817	31,921	781	478	13	8	190	1,470	724	1,160	174	53	4,633	6,744	2,370	1,560	101	88	755	4,874	45,009
March	16,211	8,315	580	1,060	5,895	32,061	787	484	17	11	189	1,488	960	1,398	198	70	4,727	7,353	2,314	1,520	100	84	741	4,759	45,661
April	16,079	8,374	565	1,039	6,058	32,115	745	505	14	7	193	1,464	1,005	1,356	196	70	4,736	7,363	2,247	1,490	100	78	715	4,630	45,572
May	16,194	8,523	556	1,041	6,140	32,454	717	494	13	10	225	1,459	888	1,297	181	71	4,716	7,153	2,180	1,441	94	78	683	4,476	45,542
June	16,077	8,521	550	1,030	6,162	32,340	764	511	11	12	240	1,538	814	1,179	172	47	4,666	6,878	2,171	1,467	97	72	708	4,515	45,271
July	15,969	8,476	545	1,004	6,200	32,194	736	490	12	15	235	1,488	735	1,114	169	41	4,685	6,744	2,137	1,444	94	68	697	4,440	44,866
August	15,676	8,455	525	995	6,250	31,901	737	490	10	11	230	1,478	786	1,187	175	36	4,674	6,858	2,093	1,417	89	66	675	4,340	44,577
September	15,436	8,311	500	972	6,180	31,399	696	483	11	12	219	1,421	1,005	1,344	185	60	4,773	7,367	2,044	1,389	88	62	661	4,244	44,431
October	15,667	8,356	514	957	6,132	31,626	688	474	8	10	209	1,389	962	1,278	195	54	4,759	7,248	1,965	1,330	86	53	632	4,066	44,329
November	15,726	8,335	508	953	6,074	31,596	662	435	10	9	222	1,338	905	1,269	193	39	4,716	7,122	1,936	1,339	88	54	634	4,051	44,107
December	15,856	8,278	513	994	6,128	31,769	669	435	13	14	222	1,353	959	1,329	194	47	4,733	7,262	1,894	1,355	81	54	619	4,003	44,387

2017 (Annual Average)	15,964	8,255	503	1,156	6,309	32,187	648	426	10	18	187	1,289	965	1,208	168	61	4,681	7,084	1,782	1,284	75	53	611	3,805	44,365
January	16,289	8,387	506	1,133	6,261	32,576	658	443	12	17	213	1,343	911	1,239	199	38	4,683	7,070	1,868	1,346	81	55	621	3,971	44,960
February	16,584	8,456	547	1,224	6,370	33,181	652	440	11	22	208	1,333	950	1,264	203	52	4,729	7,198	1,834	1,322	77	56	615	3,904	45,616
March	16,209	8,272	517	1,211	6,318	32,527	673	454	11	23	207	1,368	1,205	1,364	210	84	4,766	7,629	1,817	1,318	79	54	625	3,893	45,417
April	16,148	8,310	517	1,192	6,309	32,476	654	426	7	19	186	1,292	967	1,236	190	81	4,689	7,163	1,782	1,288	76	58	611	3,815	44,746
May	15,795	8,180	493	1,141	6,316	31,925	638	403	9	17	170	1,237	991	1,193	129	70	4,645	7,028	1,764	1,255	74	48	614	3,755	43,945
June	15,530	8,159	481	1,112	6,332	31,614	637	396	9	15	167	1,224	878	1,114	124	56	4,647	6,819	1,723	1,239	71	51	600	3,684	43,341
July	15,191	8,021	461	1,081	6,254	31,008	623	421	9	14	157	1,224	856	1,049	122	46	4,609	6,682	1,688	1,220	67	50	590	3,615	42,529

% Change from Year Ago (July 2016 to July 2017)																									
	-4.9%	-5.4%	-15.4%	7.7%	0.9%	-3.7%	-15.4%	-14.1%	-25.0%	-6.7%	-33.2%	-17.7%	16.5%	-5.8%	-27.8%	12.2%	-1.6%	-0.9%	-21.0%	-15.5%	-28.7%	-26.5%	-15.4%	-18.6%	-5.2%

% Change from Previous Month (June 2017 to July 2017)																									
	-2.2%	-1.7%	-4.2%	-2.8%	-1.2%	-1.9%	-2.2%	6.3%	0.0%	-6.7%	-6.0%	0.0%	-2.5%	-5.8%	-1.6%	-17.9%	-0.8%	-2.0%	-2.0%	-1.5%	-5.6%	-2.0%	-1.7%	-1.9%	-1.9%

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Temporary Assistance Clients																									
	Expected to Work						Expected to Work - Medical Condition					Temporarily Excused						Persons with Persistent Multiple Barriers						Total	
	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families		Sub Total
Annual Average																									
1995	78,836	34,737	14,715	60,722	104,700	293,710						0	189	680			46,100	46,970						0	340,679
1996	69,097	30,510	13,303	57,434	101,153	271,496						0	222	714			42,877	43,813						0	315,309
1997	52,966	22,121	10,215	44,862	81,937	212,102						0	7,362	5,886	1,723	1,242	42,746	58,958						0	271,060
1998	45,610	18,860	8,881	39,268	75,535	188,154						0	8,169	6,740	1,927	992	37,569	55,397						0	243,550
1999	41,424	17,814	8,280	34,416	71,805	173,739						0	6,821	5,971	1,652	651	33,137	48,232						0	221,971
2000	37,865	17,072	7,339	29,859	68,979	161,114						0	6,454	5,581	1,491	521	31,108	45,154						0	206,268
2001	35,480	16,376	6,703	26,711	64,365	149,635						0	6,190	5,280	1,342	422	29,069	42,302						0	191,938
2002	28,006	13,605	5,226	19,993	50,826	117,657						0	5,808	4,871	1,193	312	24,180	36,363						0	154,020
2003	14,795	7,226	2,840	11,488	27,620	63,968						0	5,718	4,194	1,410	1,177	23,833	36,332	4,111	3,022	359	232	2,712	10,436	110,736
2004	9,279	4,924	1,836	7,337	17,896	41,272	2,701	1,733	341	445	2,839	8,059	1,911	1,473	806	365	18,469	23,023	6,043	4,063	527	387	4,650	15,670	88,024
2005	7,744	4,345	1,532	5,056	14,078	32,755	3,389	2,106	275	325	3,005	9,100	680	666	484	127	15,219	17,176	4,866	3,228	373	295	3,650	12,412	71,442
2006	7,279	3,966	1,302	4,008	10,727	27,282	3,403	2,125	264	327	2,706	8,825	677	618	421	76	13,169	14,961	3,809	2,641	271	175	2,858	9,755	60,822
2007	8,764	4,471	1,227	3,785	10,129	28,376	3,170	1,884	188	217	2,250	7,709	705	624	343	49	12,238	13,959	3,550	2,385	342	308	2,701	9,285	59,329
2008	10,917	5,298	1,183	4,268	10,944	32,609	2,863	1,735	128	186	2,079	6,990	735	595	316	55	12,476	14,177	3,316	2,275	369	398	2,610	8,968	62,744
2009	17,391	7,450	1,804	7,015	14,529	48,188	3,106	1,809	136	200	2,053	7,304	802	600	324	54	13,949	15,729	3,388	2,246	357	401	2,662	9,054	80,275
2010	19,342	8,402	1,858	7,647	16,106	53,355	3,599	2,077	164	242	2,312	8,394	819	628	322	57	15,063	16,888	3,916	2,485	410	522	3,011	10,343	88,980
2011	19,055	8,665	1,713	7,108	17,066	53,607	2,930	1,823	117	187	2,032	7,089	805	633	304	54	14,552	16,348	4,013	2,534	391	655	3,178	10,772	87,816
2012	16,422	7,890	1,394	6,017	15,877	47,600	2,474	1,440	81	183	1,750	5,927	761	615	298	71	13,391	15,135	3,803	2,385	331	612	3,124	10,254	78,916
2013	15,459	7,777	1,304	5,545	15,642	45,727	1,738	1,039	77	87	1,178	4,120	876	1,015	313	103	12,946	15,253	3,541	2,225	303	569	2,825	9,462	74,562
2014	14,098	7,381	1,161	4,754	14,235	41,629	1,461	824	62	79	868	3,294	949	1,126	314	121	12,060	14,570	3,232	2,065	263	461	2,583	8,604	68,097
2015	14,827	7,767	1,111	4,471	14,520	42,696	885	506	31	51	469	1,942	633	1,001	323	102	11,699	13,759	2,671	1,749	218	400	2,208	7,245	65,641

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2016 and 2017 annual averages)																									
	0.3%	-1.5%	-7.4%	22.3%	4.4%	3.3%	-11.4%	-11.1%	-19.6%	63.1%	-5.5%	-7.7%	10.8%	-3.8%	-8.7%	22.3%	-0.2%	0.2%	-16.9%	-11.1%	-19.9%	-22.0%	-11.1%	-14.0%	0.9%

2016 (Annual Average)	15,911	8,378	1,087	4,348	16,250	45,974	732	480	24	50	555	1,840	871	1,256	369	213	13,405	16,113	2,146	1,444	187	291	1,779	5,846	69,774
January	15,933	8,254	1,150	4,518	15,550	45,405	797	476	26	31	473	1,803	710	1,156	358	176	12,969	15,369	2,395	1,571	210	361	1,965	6,502	69,079
February	16,105	8,341	1,182	4,514	15,484	45,626	781	478	26	35	489	1,809	724	1,160	348	217	13,240	15,689	2,370	1,560	202	364	1,934	6,430	69,554
March	16,211	8,315	1,160	4,492	15,724	45,902	787	484	34	51	483	1,839	960	1,398	396	291	13,431	16,476	2,314	1,520	200	353	1,908	6,295	70,512
April	16,079	8,374	1,130	4,430	16,160	46,173	745	505	28	37	493	1,808	1,005	1,356	392	292	13,438	16,483	2,247	1,490	200	322	1,849	6,108	70,572
May	16,194	8,523	1,112	4,451	16,405	46,685	717	494	26	50	587	1,874	888	1,297	362	288	13,404	16,239	2,180	1,441	188	321	1,763	5,893	70,691
June	16,077	8,521	1,100	4,423	16,461	46,582	764	511	22	57	622	1,976	814	1,179	344	181	13,338	15,856	2,171	1,467	194	299	1,824	5,955	70,369
July	15,969	8,476	1,090	4,325	16,618	46,478	736	490	24	75	609	1,934	735	1,114	338	154	13,440	15,781	2,137	1,444	188	284	1,790	5,843	70,036
August	15,676	8,455	1,050	4,292	16,791	46,264	737	490	20	51	596	1,894	786	1,187	350	143	13,396	15,862	2,093	1,417	178	274	1,738	5,700	69,720
September	15,436	8,311	1,000	4,189	16,592	45,528	696	483	22	54	572	1,827	1,005	1,344	370	256	13,638	16,613	2,044	1,389	176	255	1,700	5,564	69,532
October	15,667	8,356	1,028	4,109	16,431	45,591	688	474	16	51	547	1,776	962	1,278	390	219	13,626	16,475	1,965	1,330	172	217	1,628	5,312	69,154
November	15,726	8,335	1,016	4,100	16,331	45,508	662	435	20	41	590	1,748	905	1,269	386	149	13,485	16,194	1,936	1,339	176	222	1,646	5,319	68,769
December	15,856	8,278	1,026	4,337	16,453	45,950	669	435	26	61	598	1,789	959	1,329	388	187	13,460	16,323	1,894	1,355	162	222	1,600	5,233	69,295

2017 (Annual Average)	15,964	8,255	1,006	5,320	16,962	47,507	648	426	19	81	524	1,698	965	1,208	336	260	13,372	16,143	1,782	1,284	150	227	1,582	5,025	70,373
January	16,289	8,387	1,012	5,095	16,828	47,611	658	443	24	76	578	1,779	911	1,239	398	150	13,347	16,045	1,868	1,346	162	229	1,603	5,208	70,643
February	16,584	8,456	1,094	5,587	17,094	48,815	652	440	22	98	571	1,783	950	1,264	406	200	13,449	16,269	1,834	1,322	154	233	1,589	5,132	71,999
March	16,209	8,272	1,034	5,584	16,942	48,041	673	454	22	102	581	1,832	1,205	1,364	420	366	13,572	16,927	1,817	1,318	158	226	1,618	5,137	71,937
April	16,148	8,310	1,034	5,509	16,946	47,947	654	426	14	82	532	1,708	967	1,236	380	354	13,402	16,339	1,782	1,288	152	246	1,575	5,043	71,037
May	15,795	8,180	986	5,249	17,014	47,224	638	403	18	75	482	1,616	991	1,193	258	308	13,289	16,039	1,764	1,255	148	207	1,589	4,963	69,842
June	15,530	8,159	962	5,172	17,057	46,880	637	396	18	69	474	1,594	878	1,114	248	239	13,298	15,777	1,723	1,239	142	224	1,559	4,887	69,138
July	15,191	8,021	922	5,045	16,852	46,031	623	421	18	63	451	1,576	856	1,049	244	205	13,249	15,603	1,688	1,220	134	224	1,539	4,805	68,015

% Change from Year Ago (July 2016 to July 2017)																									
	-4.9%	-5.4%	-15.4%	16.6%	1.4%	-1.0%	-15.4%	-14.1%	-25.0%	-16.0%	-25.9%	-18.5%	16.5%	-5.8%	-27.8%	33.1%	-1.4%	-1.1%	-21.0%	-15.5%	-28.7%	-21.1%	-14.0%	-17.8%	-2.9%

% Change from Previous Month (June 2017 to July 2017)																									
	-2.2%	-1.7%	-4.2%	-2.5%	-1.2%	-1.8%	-2.2%	6.3%	0.0%	-8.7%	-4.9%	-1.1%	-2.5%	-5.8%	-1.6%	-14.2%	-0.4%	-1.1%	-2.0%	-1.5%	-5.6%	0.0%	-1.3%	-1.7%	-1.6%