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Ohio County QuickView Reports

The Ohio County QuickView Reports present timely summaries of relevant agency program performance by county. For many program areas, both current and prior performance data is shown. Demographic information for each county also is provided. The reports are updated quarterly with the most recent validated data available.

Some county agencies have merged their operations. For example, agencies in Hocking, Ross and Vinton counties have combined to form the South Central Ohio (SCO) JFS. In those cases, the QuickView reports include data for all counties served by the merged agency.

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County QuickView Reports

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Adams County QuickView

Ohio's Population

Year	Population
2013	11,570,808
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1990	10,847,115

2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

	2012 Poverty Estimates								Median Household Income
	All Ages		Under Age 18		Ages 5-17		Ages 0-4		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
US	48,760,123	15.9	16,396,863	22.6	11,086,537	21.0	5,014,970	25.6	$51,371
Ohio	1,818,886	16.2	617,006	23.6	411,818	21.4	192,591	28.3	$46,873

Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	11,600	11,500
Employed	10,400	10,700
Unemployed	1,200	800
Average Weekly Benefit	$320	$292
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.6	15.4
Unemployment Rate*	10.3%	6.7%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
Jobs for Veterans State Intensive Services	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

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Workforce Investment Act, Program Year (PY) 2012* and PY 2013*

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	10	9
Total Exiters	12	10
Entered Employment Rate	83.3%	90.0%
Retention Rate	85.3%	90.9%
Average Earnings	$13,924	$14,238

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	6	3
Total Exiters	13	6
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	46.2%	50.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	57.1%	75.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,635
Child Recipients	2,829
Total Recipients	7,456
Net Expenditures	$2,139,475
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$287

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Ohio Works First (OWF) is the financial assistance portion of the state's Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program, which provides cash benefits to needy families for up to 36 months.

Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	3
Child Recipients	317
Total Recipients	320
Net Expenditures	$184,212
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$576

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	0
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$0

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	6
Number of Type B Providers:	3
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$3,118,067 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,637
Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.2%
Cases with Support Orders	1,580
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	96.5%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	73.4%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	76.4%

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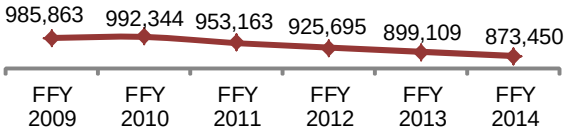
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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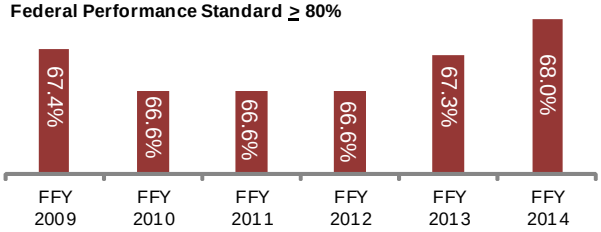

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	203	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	32	15.76%
Indicated	21	10.34%
Unsubstantiated	120	59.11%
Other*	7	3.45%
Alternative Responses	23	11.33%

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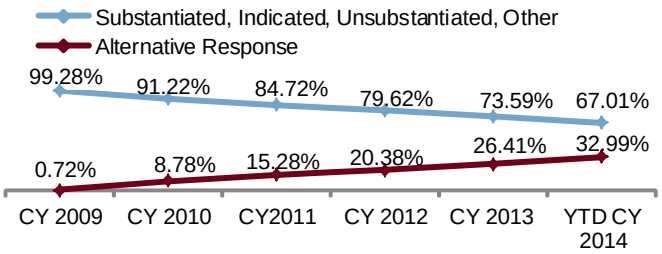

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
Certified Approved Non Relative	327	Detention Facility	43
Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
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Wendy's Wonderful Kids (WWK) Adoption Placement Program Status, September 2014

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	48,100	48,700
Employed	44,400	46,200
Unemployed	3,700	2,500
Average Weekly Benefit	$304	$291
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.0	14.1
Unemployment Rate*	7.7%	5.1%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	47	43
Total Exiters	58	53
Entered Employment Rate	81.0%	81.1%
Retention Rate	93.5%	90.9%
Average Earnings	$13,895	$13,636

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	29	11
Total Exiters	30	16
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	96.7%	68.8%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	57.8%	55.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	83.3%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	9,527
Child Recipients	7,862
Total Recipients	17,359
Net Expenditures	$5,308,849
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$306

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	37
Child Recipients	748
Total Recipients	785
Net Expenditures	$421,434
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$537

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	224
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$273

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	43
Number of Type B Providers:	18
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	17

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$17,968,302 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	10,732
Paternity Establishment Rate*	100.9%
Cases with Support Orders	10,121
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	94.3%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	68.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	71.1%

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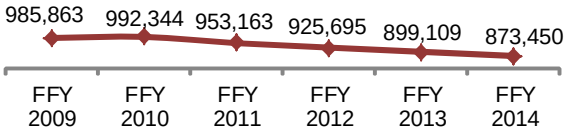
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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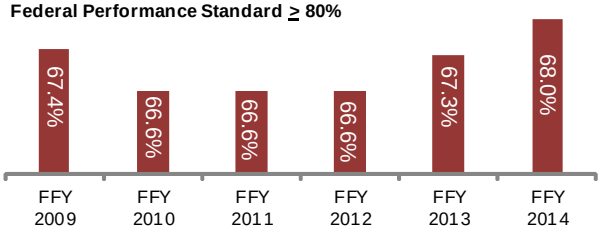

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	615	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	167	27.15%
Indicated	113	18.37%
Unsubstantiated	137	22.28%
Other*	12	1.95%
Alternative Responses	186	30.24%

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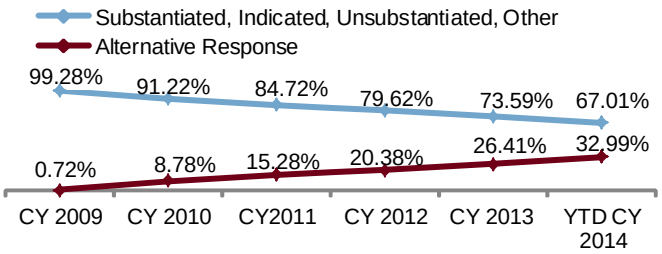

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
Certified Approved Non Relative	327	Detention Facility	43
Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
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Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
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Labor Force	26,100	26,300
Employed	24,300	25,000
Unemployed	1,800	1,300
Average Weekly Benefit	$306	$313
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.0	15.2
Unemployment Rate*	6.9%	4.8%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	1	4
Total Exiters	3	5
Entered Employment Rate	33.3%	80.0%
Retention Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$11,315	$8,239

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	21	6
Total Exiters	37	10
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	56.8%	60.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	62.0%	63.6%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	100.0%	100.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	3,402
Child Recipients	2,416
Total Recipients	5,807
Net Expenditures	$1,569,755
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$270

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	24
Child Recipients	161
Total Recipients	185
Net Expenditures	$93,629
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$506

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	112
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$239

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	11
Number of Type B Providers:	1
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	5

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$7,922,780 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	3,394
Paternity Establishment Rate*	97.6%
Cases with Support Orders	3,215
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	94.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	72.8%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	75.2%

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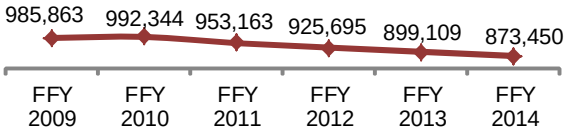

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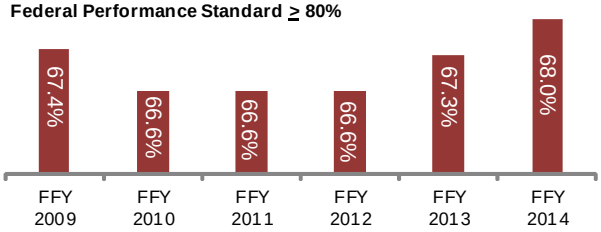

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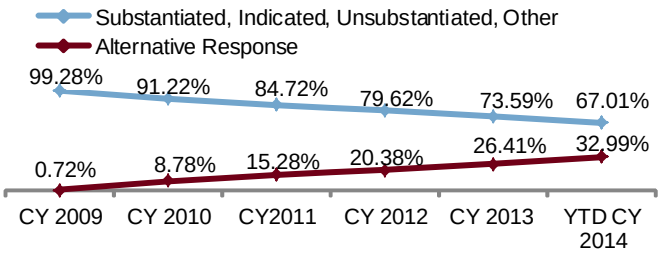

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	46,400	46,500
Employed	42,500	43,800
Unemployed	3,900	2,700
Average Weekly Benefit	$307	$304
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	18.0	15.5
Unemployment Rate*	8.5%	5.9%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	60	25
Total Exiters	75	32
Entered Employment Rate	80.0%	78.1%
Retention Rate	84.4%	85.0%
Average Earnings	$13,143	$12,961

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	38	11
Total Exiters	48	19
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	79.2%	57.9%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	76.5%	52.6%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	50.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	13,481
Child Recipients	8,618
Total Recipients	22,048
Net Expenditures	$7,116,061
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$323

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	270
Child Recipients	1,188
Total Recipients	1,458
Net Expenditures	$754,429
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$517

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	471
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$359

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	40
Number of Type B Providers:	43
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	13

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$16,115,963 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	8,158
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.6%
Cases with Support Orders	7,234
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	88.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	63.2%
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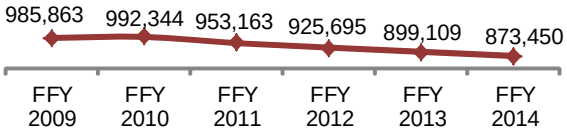

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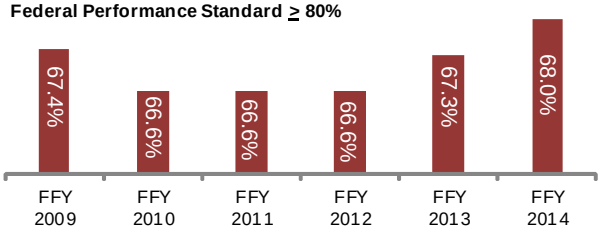

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	488	100.00%
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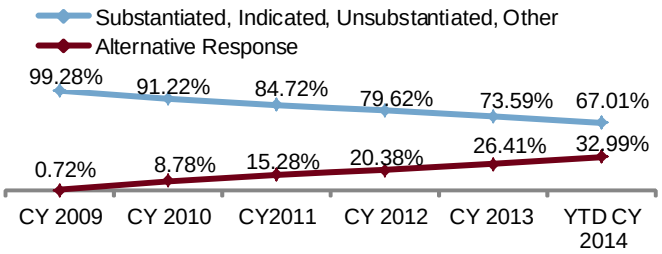

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	27,900	27,000
Employed	25,600	25,300
Unemployed	2,300	1,600
Average Weekly Benefit	$304	$306
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.5	15.9
Unemployment Rate*	8.2%	6.1%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	34	33
Total Exiters	43	37
Entered Employment Rate	79.1%	89.2%
Retention Rate	92.9%	83.7%
Average Earnings	$13,947	$10,417

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	15	9
Total Exiters	35	20
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	42.9%	45.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	69.6%	78.9%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	100.0%	100.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	7,869
Child Recipients	4,191
Total Recipients	12,036
Net Expenditures	$3,694,796
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$307

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	819
Child Recipients	1,431
Total Recipients	2,249
Net Expenditures	$950,379
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$423

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	19
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$287

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	14
Number of Type B Providers:	25
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	6

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$5,291,699 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	4,102
Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.0%
Cases with Support Orders	3,619
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	88.2%
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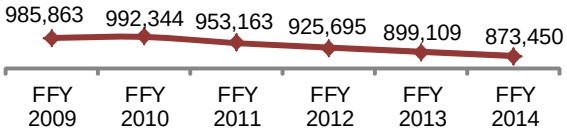

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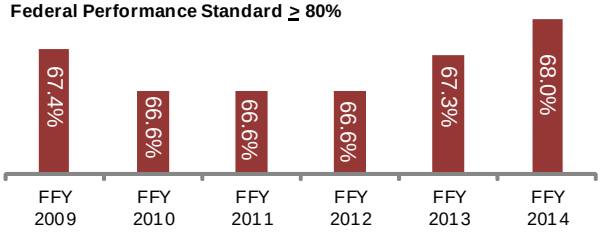

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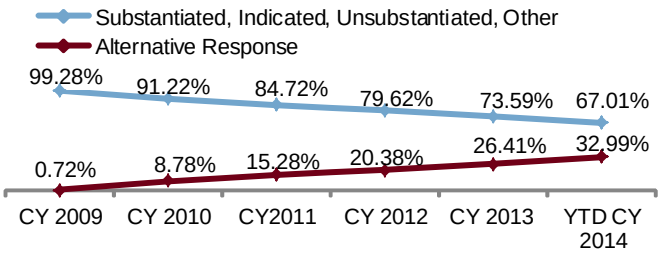

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Total Participants	13	3
Total Exiters	15	3
Entered Employment Rate	86.7%	100.0%
Retention Rate	90.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$15,287	$16,067

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants		3
Total Exiters		4
Placement in Employment or Education Rate		75.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	33.3%	33.3%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

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Child Recipients	2,043
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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	8
Child Recipients	139
Total Recipients	147
Net Expenditures	$82,463
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$561

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	36
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$297

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

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Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.3%
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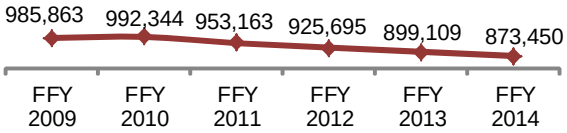

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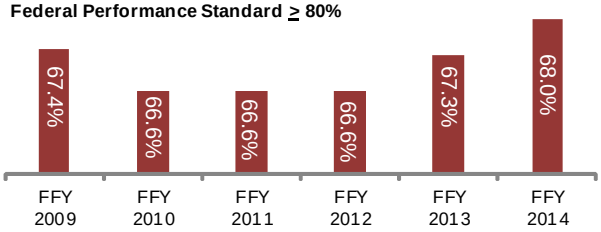

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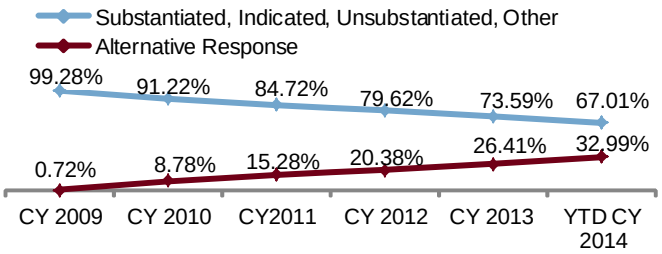

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	32,900	32,900
Employed	30,600	31,100
Unemployed	2,300	1,800
Average Weekly Benefit	$322	$332
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.9	15.7
Unemployment Rate*	7.0%	5.4%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
Jobs for Veterans State	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
Intensive Services				
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	17	11
Total Exiters	27	11
Entered Employment Rate	63.0%	100.0%
Retention Rate	85.3%	86.7%
Average Earnings	$19,988	$13,722

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	11	6
Total Exiters	15	8
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	73.3%	75.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	73.3%	69.2%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	6,622
Child Recipients	4,059
Total Recipients	10,668
Net Expenditures	$3,010,020
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$282

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	52
Child Recipients	379
Total Recipients	431
Net Expenditures	$233,607
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$542

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	16
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$215

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	18
Number of Type B Providers:	31
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	3

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$10,051,012 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	4,430
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.3%
Cases with Support Orders	3,929
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	88.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	74.9%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	75.3%

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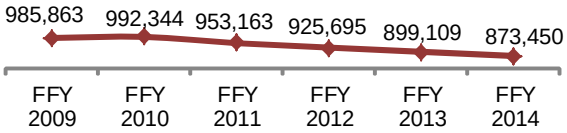

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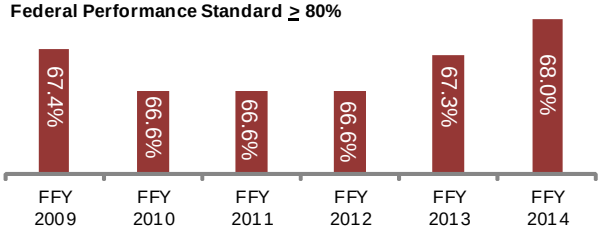

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	400	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	42	10.50%
Indicated	21	5.25%
Unsubstantiated	38	9.50%
Other*	14	3.50%
Alternative Responses	285	71.25%

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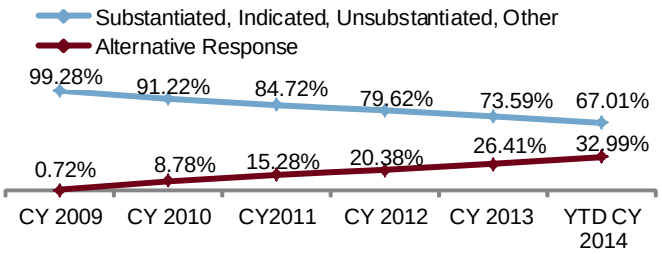

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
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Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
2013	11,570,808
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2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	21,400	21,300
Employed	19,700	20,200
Unemployed	1,600	1,100
Average Weekly Benefit	$300	$306
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	18.1	16.0
Unemployment Rate*	7.6%	5.2%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	4	5
Total Exiters	5	7
Entered Employment Rate	80.0%	71.4%
Retention Rate	86.7%	66.7%
Average Earnings	$13,382	$7,424

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	2	1
Total Exiters	4	4
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	50.0%	25.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	83.3%	40.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,757
Child Recipients	3,366
Total Recipients	8,110
Net Expenditures	$2,321,717
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$286

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	17
Child Recipients	363
Total Recipients	380
Net Expenditures	$204,350
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$538

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	0
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$0

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	8
Number of Type B Providers:	3
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	5

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$5,576,418 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	3,142
Paternity Establishment Rate*	105.0%
Cases with Support Orders	2,945
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	93.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	71.2%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	75.2%

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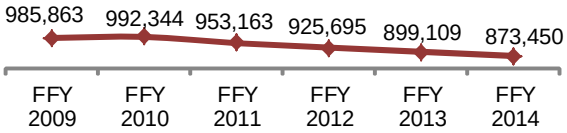
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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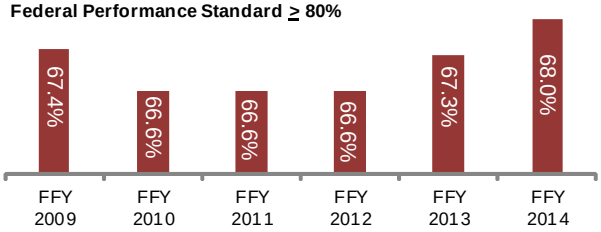

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	151	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	48	31.79%
Indicated	19	12.58%
Unsubstantiated	41	27.15%
Other*	4	2.65%
Alternative Responses	39	25.83%

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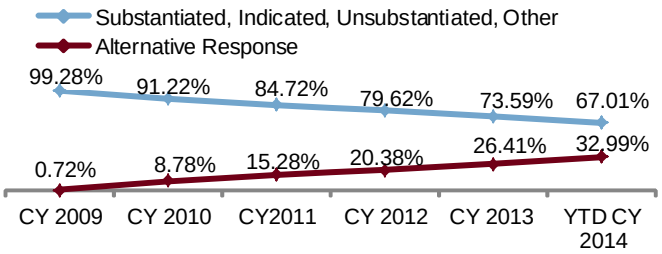

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
Certified Approved Non Relative	327	Detention Facility	43
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
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2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	190,800	192,500
Employed	178,200	183,700
Unemployed	12,600	8,800
Average Weekly Benefit	$316	$325
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.2	16.3
Unemployment Rate*	6.6%	4.6%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	108	99
Total Exiters	149	140
Entered Employment Rate	72.5%	70.7%
Retention Rate	84.2%	88.7%
Average Earnings	$14,888	$13,791

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	40	27
Total Exiters	51	34
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	78.4%	79.4%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	75.3%	66.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	50.0%	0.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	27,273
Child Recipients	24,294
Total Recipients	51,492
Net Expenditures	$16,992,970
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$330

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	235
Child Recipients	3,183
Total Recipients	3,416
Net Expenditures	$1,790,420
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$524

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	879
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$402

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	141
Number of Type B Providers:	61
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	39

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$51,495,384 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	24,949
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.3%
Cases with Support Orders	23,357
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	93.6%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	69.8%
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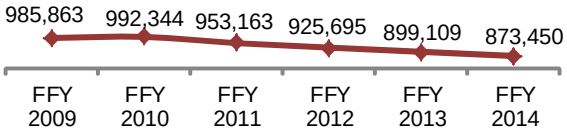

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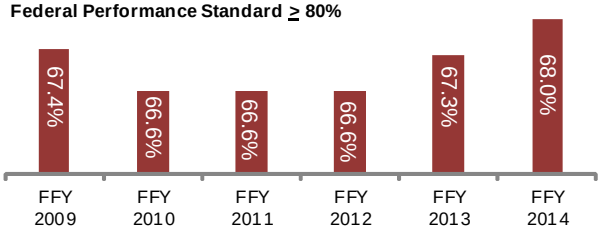

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	2,016	100.00%
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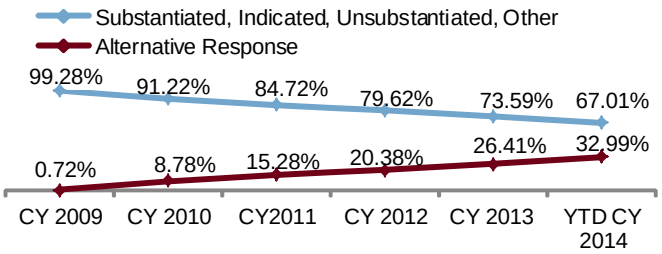

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Total Participants	12	12
Total Exiters	19	17
Entered Employment Rate	63.2%	70.6%
Retention Rate	81.8%	88.9%
Average Earnings	$12,048	$16,387

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	4	0
Total Exiters	7	0
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	57.1%	0.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	63.2%	0.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2,253
Child Recipients	1,595
Total Recipients	3,840
Net Expenditures	$1,098,057
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$286

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	25
Child Recipients	140
Total Recipients	165
Net Expenditures	$80,955
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$491

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	28
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$223

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	6
Number of Type B Providers:	5
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	3

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$4,076,878 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,540
Paternity Establishment Rate*	102.6%
Cases with Support Orders	1,467
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.3%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	78.0%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	79.3%

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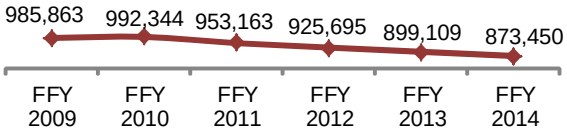

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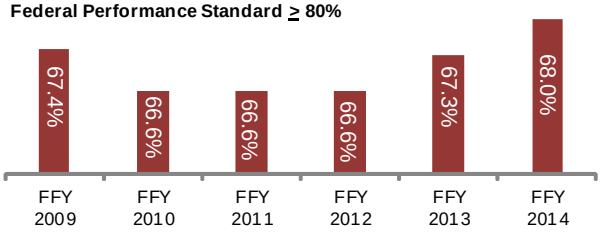

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	124	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	10	8.06%
Indicated	20	16.13%
Unsubstantiated	27	21.77%
Other*	2	1.61%
Alternative Responses	65	52.42%

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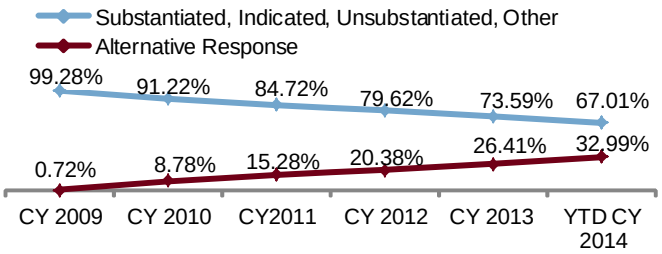

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
2013	11,570,808
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1990	10,847,115

2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	19,200	20,100
Employed	18,000	19,200
Unemployed	1,300	900
Average Weekly Benefit	$295	$288
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	14.7	13.4
Unemployment Rate*	6.7%	4.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
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New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

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Workforce Investment Act, Program Year (PY) 2012* and PY 2013*

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	10	1
Total Exiters	12	1
Entered Employment Rate	83.3%	100.0%
Retention Rate	86.7%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$13,460	$12,012

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	7	4
Total Exiters	18	13
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	38.9%	30.8%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	37.5%	15.4%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2,847
Child Recipients	2,175
Total Recipients	5,018
Net Expenditures	$1,467,740
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$292

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	40
Child Recipients	274
Total Recipients	314
Net Expenditures	$175,313
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$558

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	68
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$296

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	13
Number of Type B Providers:	4
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	4

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$5,697,984 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,618
Paternity Establishment Rate*	103.6%
Cases with Support Orders	2,480
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	94.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	74.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	77.4%

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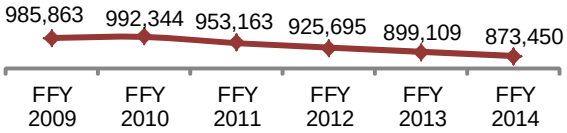
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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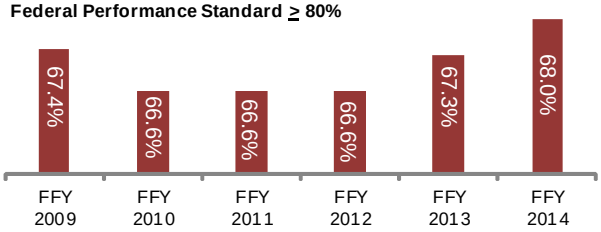

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	206	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	18	8.74%
Indicated	12	5.83%
Unsubstantiated	37	17.96%
Other*	0	0.00%
Alternative Responses	139	67.48%

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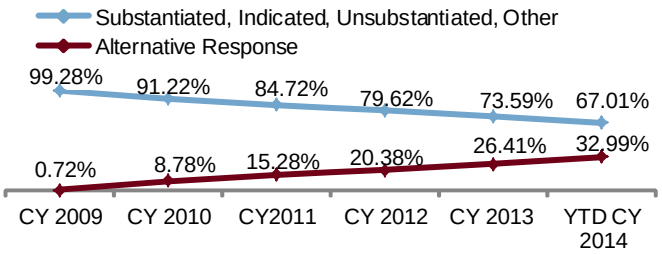

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	67,100	69,300
Employed	62,500	66,000
Unemployed	4,600	3,300
Average Weekly Benefit	$279	$291
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.1	14.6
Unemployment Rate*	6.8%	4.8%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	38	45
Total Exiters	42	52
Entered Employment Rate	90.5%	86.5%
Retention Rate	97.4%	91.8%
Average Earnings	$15,127	$14,731

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	18	15
Total Exiters	35	28
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	51.4%	53.6%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	46.5%	55.9%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	24.0%	0.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	16,662
Child Recipients	12,760
Total Recipients	29,385
Net Expenditures	$9,429,640
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$321

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	167
Child Recipients	1,562
Total Recipients	1,727
Net Expenditures	$921,576
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$534

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	296
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$338

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	34
Number of Type B Providers:	36
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	9

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$22,775,941 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	14,360
Paternity Establishment Rate*	99.7%
Cases with Support Orders	13,490
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	93.9%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	63.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	62.9%

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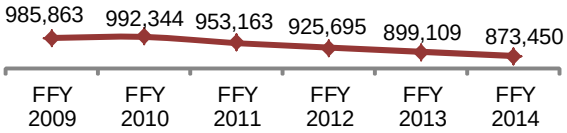

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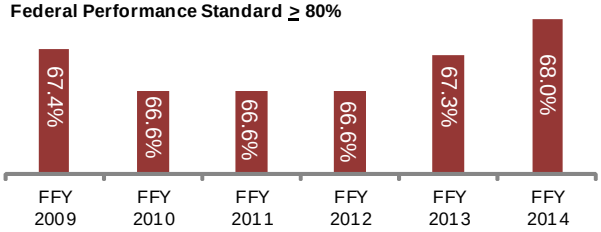

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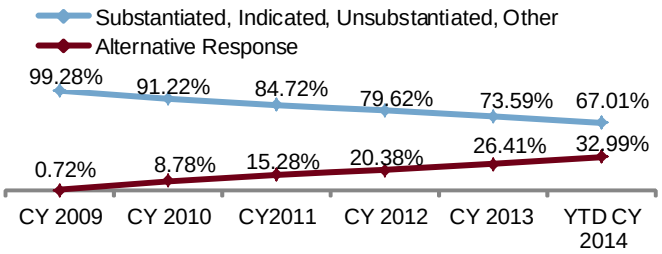

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Total Participants	18	33
Total Exiters	18	37
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	89.2%
Retention Rate	95.5%	96.2%
Average Earnings	$14,485	$14,462

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	4	3
Total Exiters	6	4
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	66.7%	75.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	30.0%	66.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	12.5%	0.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	12,697
Child Recipients	9,795
Total Recipients	22,450
Net Expenditures	$6,776,478
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$302

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	163
Child Recipients	1,049
Total Recipients	1,211
Net Expenditures	$594,726
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$491

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	365
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$361

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	61
Number of Type B Providers:	3
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	27

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$33,368,847 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	12,591
Paternity Establishment Rate*	105.4%
Cases with Support Orders	11,926
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	94.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	71.3%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	72.3%

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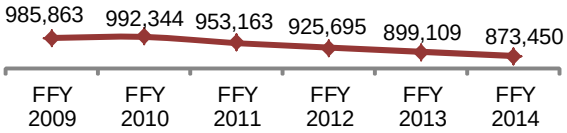

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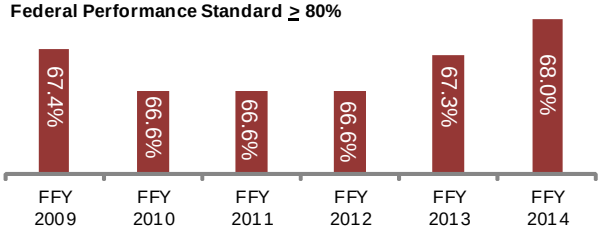

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	979	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	197	20.12%
Indicated	83	8.48%
Unsubstantiated	482	49.23%
Other*	70	7.15%
Alternative Responses	147	15.02%

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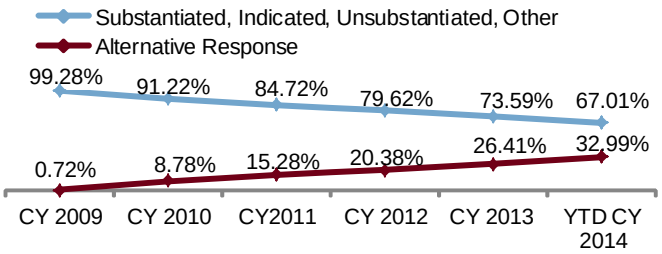

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
Certified Approved Non Relative	327	Detention Facility	43
Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
Certified Emergency Shelter Care Facility	10	Own Home	3
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
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2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

	2012 Poverty Estimates								Median Household Income
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US	48,760,123	15.9	16,396,863	22.6	11,086,537	21.0	5,014,970	25.6	$51,371
Ohio	1,818,886	16.2	617,006	23.6	411,818	21.4	192,591	28.3	$46,873

Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	16,900	16,900
Employed	15,300	15,800
Unemployed	1,600	1,100
Average Weekly Benefit	$296	$311
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.5	16.0
Unemployment Rate*	9.5%	6.7%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
Jobs for Veterans State Intensive Services	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

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Workforce Investment Act, Program Year (PY) 2012* and PY 2013*

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	46	23
Total Exiters	63	32
Entered Employment Rate	73.0%	71.9%
Retention Rate	75.0%	78.0%
Average Earnings	$15,949	$16,339

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	9	17
Total Exiters	19	22
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	47.4%	77.3%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	15.8%	57.9%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	83.3%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,198
Child Recipients	3,409
Total Recipients	8,589
Net Expenditures	$2,615,001
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$304

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Ohio Works First (OWF) is the financial assistance portion of the state's Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program, which provides cash benefits to needy families for up to 36 months.

Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	11
Child Recipients	329
Total Recipients	340
Net Expenditures	$191,056
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$562

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	7
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$278

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	14
Number of Type B Providers:	12
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	3

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$6,282,249 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,848
Paternity Establishment Rate*	98.6%
Cases with Support Orders	2,636
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	92.6%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	69.2%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	68.0%

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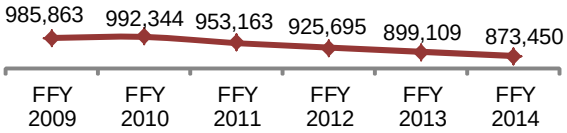

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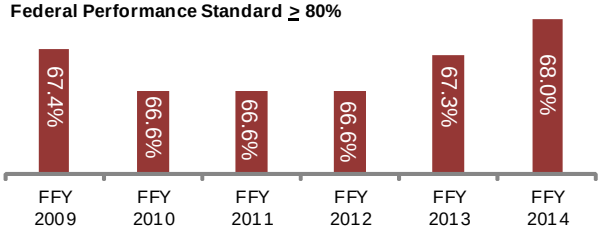

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	199	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	43	21.61%
Indicated	3	1.51%
Unsubstantiated	45	22.61%
Other*	3	1.51%
Alternative Responses	105	52.76%

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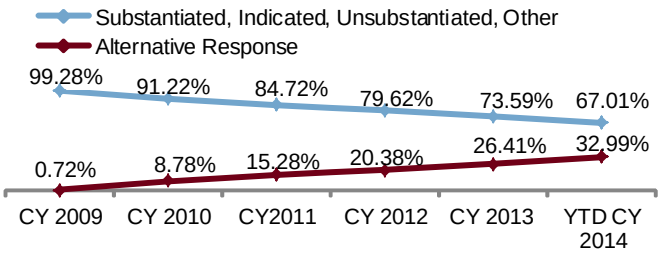

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	50,900	50,600
Employed	46,900	47,600
Unemployed	3,900	2,900
Average Weekly Benefit	$309	$319
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.7	14.7
Unemployment Rate*	7.7%	5.8%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	36	54
Total Exiters	46	59
Entered Employment Rate	78.3%	91.5%
Retention Rate	96.2%	89.7%
Average Earnings	$15,535	$20,126

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	16	7
Total Exiters	19	9
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	84.2%	77.8%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	76.9%	100.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	66.7%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	11,767
Child Recipients	7,708
Total Recipients	19,435
Net Expenditures	$5,953,934
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$306

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	195
Child Recipients	879
Total Recipients	1,074
Net Expenditures	$530,498
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$494

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

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Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	350
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$252

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	37
Number of Type B Providers:	85
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	17

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$17,647,210 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	8,671
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.8%
Cases with Support Orders	8,029
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	92.6%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	67.2%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	66.5%

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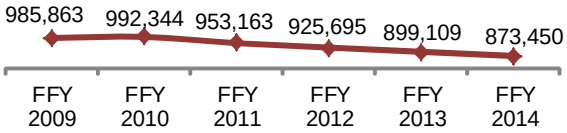

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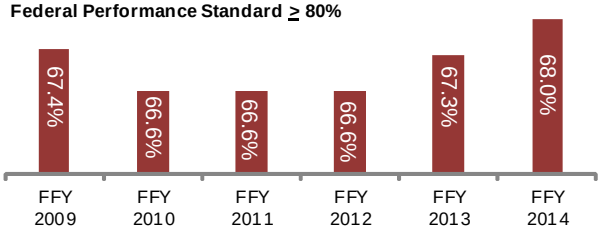

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	450	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	55	12.22%
Indicated	4	0.89%
Unsubstantiated	96	21.33%
Other*	4	0.89%
Alternative Responses	291	64.67%

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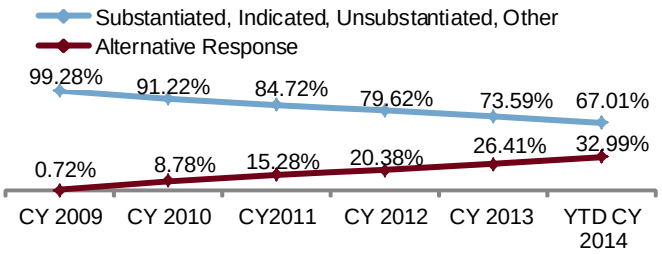

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Unemployed	1,500	1,000
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Total Participants	23	16
Total Exiters	37	20
Entered Employment Rate	62.2%	80.0%
Retention Rate	84.2%	85.7%
Average Earnings	$15,197	$14,544

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	3	3
Total Exiters	16	4
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	18.8%	75.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	0.0%	0.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,517
Child Recipients	2,919
Total Recipients	7,427
Net Expenditures	$2,209,345
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$297

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	106
Child Recipients	342
Total Recipients	448
Net Expenditures	$214,639
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$479

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	86
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$198

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	9
Number of Type B Providers:	24
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	6

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$5,454,015 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	3,049
Paternity Establishment Rate*	106.0%
Cases with Support Orders	2,902
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.2%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	74.1%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	77.1%

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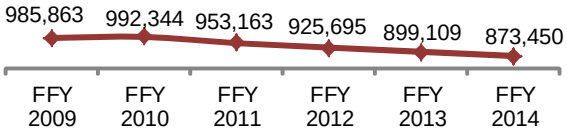

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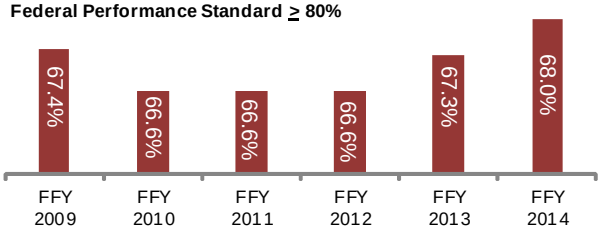

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	221	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	19	8.60%
Indicated	23	10.41%
Unsubstantiated	29	13.12%
Other*	2	0.90%
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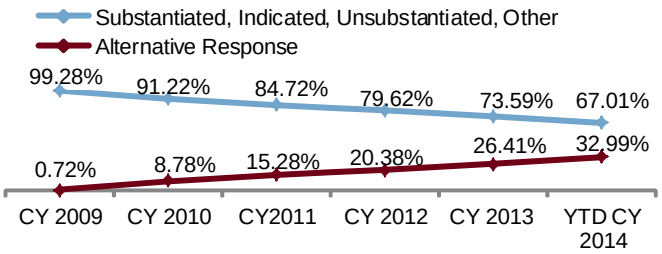

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

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	2012 Poverty Estimates								Median Household Income
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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	20,500	19,700
Employed	18,900	18,600
Unemployed	1,600	1,100
Average Weekly Benefit	$275	$276
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	13.5	12.4
Unemployment Rate*	7.8%	5.6%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	11	15
Total Exiters	19	19
Entered Employment Rate	57.9%	78.9%
Retention Rate	86.5%	87.0%
Average Earnings	$13,665	$17,514

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	20	18
Total Exiters	26	26
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	76.9%	69.2%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	70.8%	90.9%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,798
Child Recipients	3,306
Total Recipients	8,092
Net Expenditures	$2,280,483
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$282

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	45
Child Recipients	337
Total Recipients	382
Net Expenditures	$195,452
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$512

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	67
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$224

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	14
Number of Type B Providers:	10
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	6

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$7,729,991 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	5,025
Paternity Establishment Rate*	99.7%
Cases with Support Orders	4,669
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	92.9%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	60.1%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	63.5%

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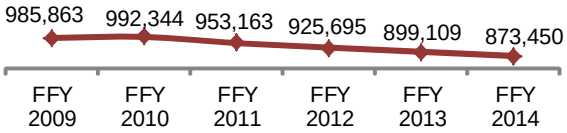

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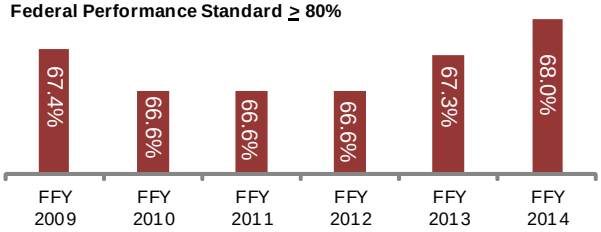

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	227	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	76	33.48%
Indicated	5	2.20%
Unsubstantiated	79	34.80%
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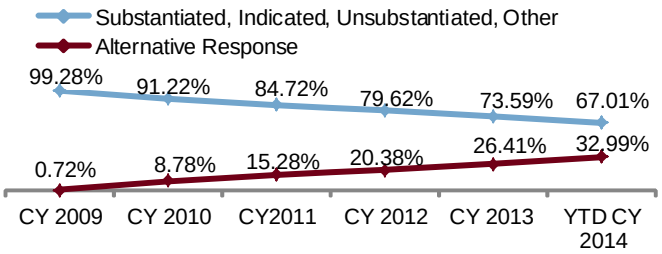

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	633,100	640,200
Employed	586,800	595,700
Unemployed	46,300	44,500
Average Weekly Benefit	$298	$307
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.7	17.1
Unemployment Rate*	7.3%	7.0%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	1,936	1,341
Total Exiters	1,977	1446
Entered Employment Rate	97.9%	92.7%
Retention Rate	96.6%	95.2%
Average Earnings	$16,719	$15,955

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	222	187
Total Exiters	254	224
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	87.4%	83.5%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	80.2%	83.9%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	60.2%	100.0%

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Adult Recipients	177,803
Child Recipients	111,969
Total Recipients	289,125
Net Expenditures	$101,250,297
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$350

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	3,346
Child Recipients	14,351
Total Recipients	17,687
Net Expenditures	$9,253,461
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$523

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	4,691
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$386

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	559
Number of Type B Providers:	737
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	153

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$211,575,116 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	117,653
Paternity Establishment Rate*	92.4%
Cases with Support Orders	100,912
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	85.8%
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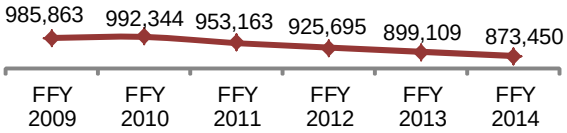

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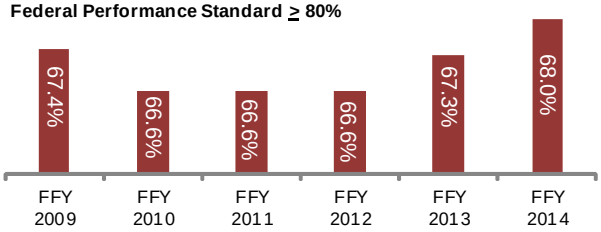

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	9,730	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	1,201	12.34%
Indicated	754	7.75%
Unsubstantiated	6,819	70.08%
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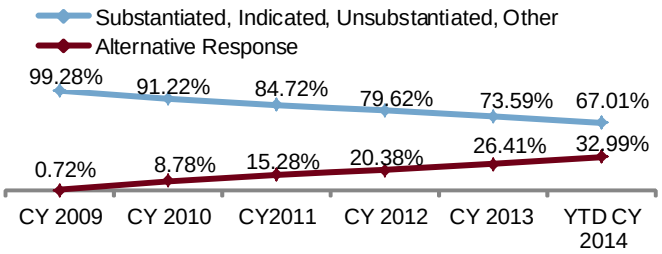

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Labor Force and Employment

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Labor Force	27,400	27,000
Employed	25,700	25,900
Unemployed	1,700	1,200
Average Weekly Benefit	$282	$273
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.2	14.7
Unemployment Rate*	6.1%	4.3%

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Total Participants	2	10
Total Exiters	2	15
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	66.7%
Retention Rate	100.0%	66.7%
Average Earnings	$16,385	$14,228

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	0	9
Total Exiters	1	14
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	0.0%	64.3%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	50.0%	57.9%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	33.3%	0.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2,750
Child Recipients	2,245
Total Recipients	4,991
Net Expenditures	$1,373,085
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$275

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	37
Child Recipients	170
Total Recipients	207
Net Expenditures	$101,673
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$491

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	25
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$374

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	9
Number of Type B Providers:	8
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	4

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

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Child Support Cases	2,757
Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.2%
Cases with Support Orders	2,618
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.0%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	73.2%
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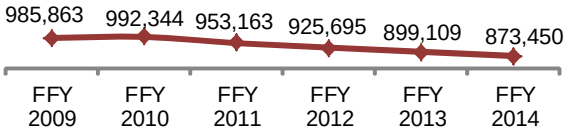

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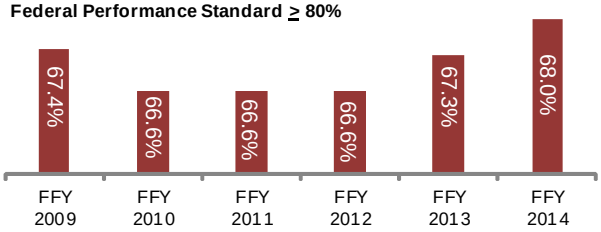

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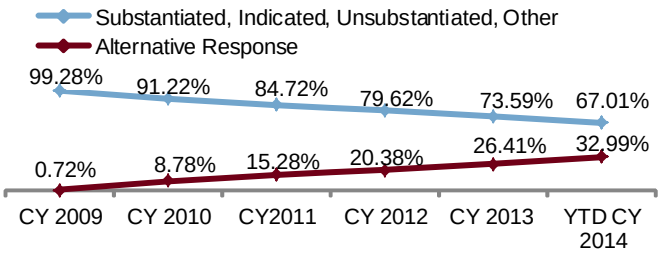

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
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Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	19,100	19,000
Employed	17,800	18,100
Unemployed	1,300	900
Average Weekly Benefit	$301	$295
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	13.3	11.5
Unemployment Rate*	6.7%	4.8%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants		2
Total Exiters		2
Entered Employment Rate		100.0%
Retention Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$15,535	$20,100

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	12	10
Total Exiters	20	12
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	60.0%	83.3%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	50.0%	36.4%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	100.0%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,347
Child Recipients	3,468
Total Recipients	7,801
Net Expenditures	$2,241,446
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$287

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4
Child Recipients	157
Total Recipients	161
Net Expenditures	$89,044
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$553

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	92
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$187

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	11
Number of Type B Providers:	12
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	6

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$6,231,218 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,433
Paternity Establishment Rate*	105.7%
Cases with Support Orders	2,361
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	97.0%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	75.9%
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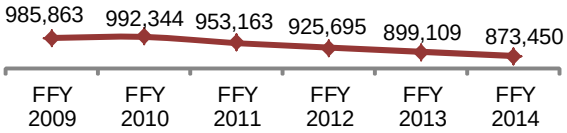

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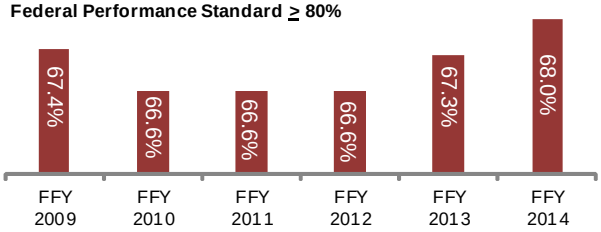

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Traditional Response Status:		
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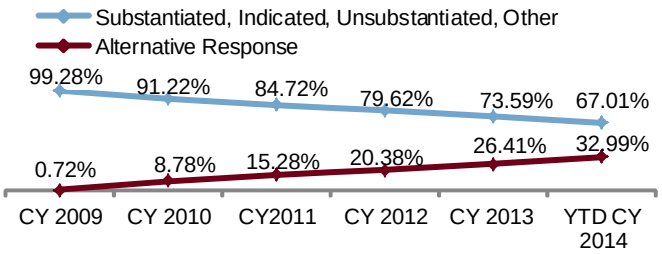

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	97,000	97,700
Employed	92,100	94,000
Unemployed	4,900	3,700
Average Weekly Benefit	$369	$382
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.3	15.9
Unemployment Rate*	5.1%	3.8%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	21	14
Total Exiters	25	14
Entered Employment Rate	84.0%	100.0%
Retention Rate	95.8%	96.3%
Average Earnings	$18,109	$19,235

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	10	13
Total Exiters	16	14
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	62.5%	92.9%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	92.9%	66.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	80.0%	100.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,258
Child Recipients	3,359
Total Recipients	7,599
Net Expenditures	$2,225,550
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$293

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	115
Child Recipients	395
Total Recipients	510
Net Expenditures	$222,138
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$436

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	90
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$521

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	96
Number of Type B Providers:	19
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	12

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$20,378,747 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	3,957
Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.8%
Cases with Support Orders	3,823
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	96.6%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	83.6%
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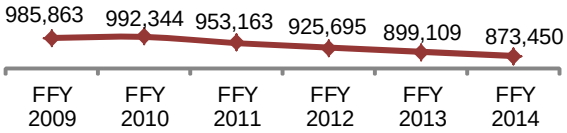

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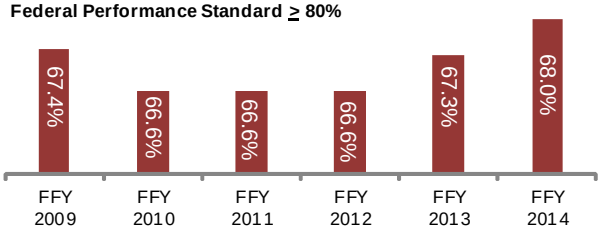

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	343	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	33	9.62%
Indicated	27	7.87%
Unsubstantiated	110	32.07%
Other*	3	0.87%
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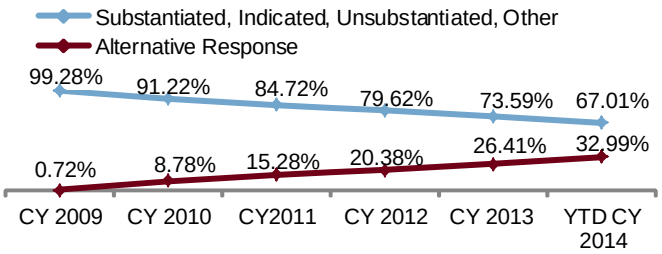

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Total Participants	60	28
Total Exiters	67	28
Entered Employment Rate	89.6%	100.0%
Retention Rate	91.9%	98.2%
Average Earnings	$15,350	$16,773

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	20	17
Total Exiters	29	22
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Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	72.2%	75.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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Child Recipients	5,244
Total Recipients	12,930
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Child Recipients	411
Total Recipients	420
Net Expenditures	$231,861
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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$226

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$12,648,479 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	6,818
Paternity Establishment Rate*	99.4%
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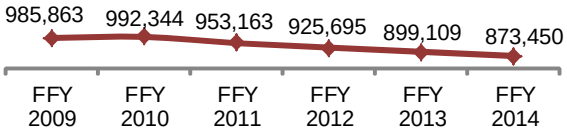

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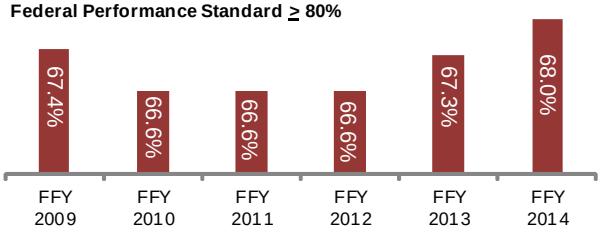

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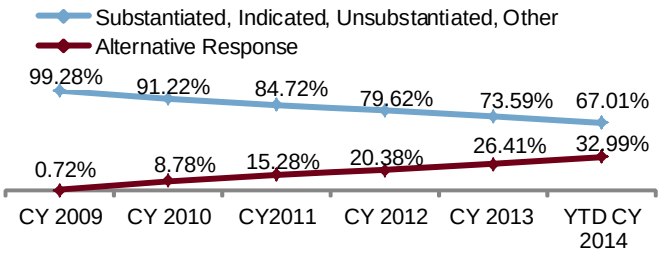

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	75,900	75,400
Employed	71,400	72,000
Unemployed	4,500	3,400
Average Weekly Benefit	$319	$335
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.2	14.1
Unemployment Rate*	5.9%	4.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
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Intensive Services				
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
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Other Successful	100	63	88	92
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	7	11
Total Exiters	8	11
Entered Employment Rate	87.5%	100.0%
Retention Rate	94.1%	87.5%
Average Earnings	$15,571	$14,146

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	18	7
Total Exiters	27	14
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	66.7%	50.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	63.3%	20.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	50.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	12,786
Child Recipients	8,689
Total Recipients	21,439
Net Expenditures	$6,572,579
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$307

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	330
Child Recipients	1,211
Total Recipients	1,541
Net Expenditures	$703,996
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$457

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	195
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$326

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	62
Number of Type B Providers:	29
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	13

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$18,589,556 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	8,481
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.4%
Cases with Support Orders	7,787
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	91.8%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	68.9%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	64.9%

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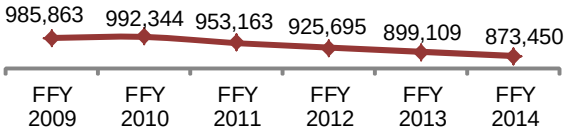

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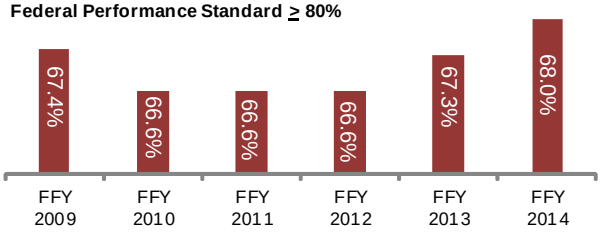

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
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Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	77	9.36%
Indicated	22	2.67%
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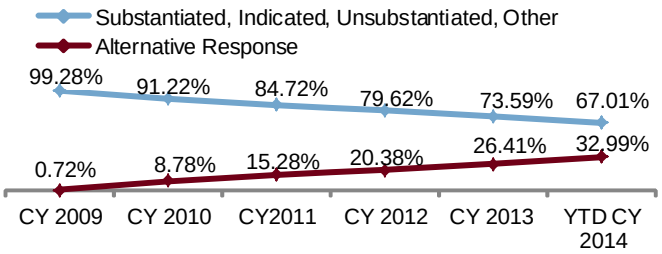

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	15,300	16,000
Employed	14,300	15,200
Unemployed	1,000	700
Average Weekly Benefit	$278	$281
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.8	15.4
Unemployment Rate*	6.3%	4.6%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	16	7
Total Exiters	21	10
Entered Employment Rate	76.2%	70.0%
Retention Rate	100.0%	94.1%
Average Earnings	$14,373	$12,661

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	11	13
Total Exiters	20	26
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	55.0%	50.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	44.1%	54.8%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	100.0%	100.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	3,879
Child Recipients	2,810
Total Recipients	6,683
Net Expenditures	$2,037,252
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$305

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	35
Child Recipients	314
Total Recipients	349
Net Expenditures	$175,840
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$504

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	0
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$0

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	6
Number of Type B Providers:	31
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$4,948,509 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,887
Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.5%
Cases with Support Orders	2,620
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	90.8%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	64.6%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	62.7%

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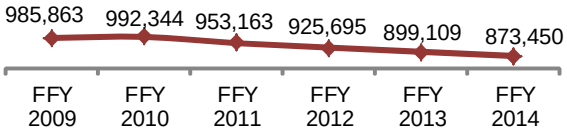

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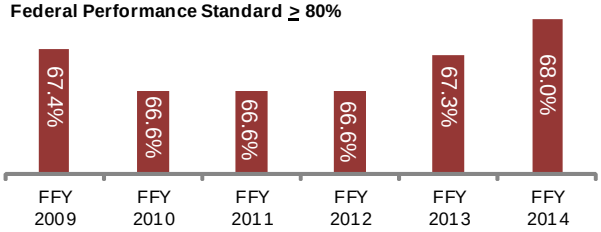

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	153	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	30	19.61%
Indicated	13	8.50%
Unsubstantiated	32	20.92%
Other*	2	1.31%
Alternative Responses	76	49.67%

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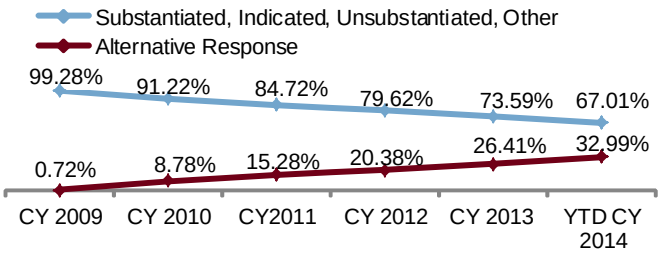

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	636,200	637,800
Employed	597,600	609,700
Unemployed	38,600	28,200
Average Weekly Benefit	$307	$317
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.1	16.6
Unemployment Rate*	6.1%	4.4%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	1,203	781
Total Exiters	1,662	1017
Entered Employment Rate	72.4%	76.8%
Retention Rate	83.1%	82.2%
Average Earnings	$15,126	$14,851

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	166	5
Total Exiters	256	6
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	64.8%	83.3%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	65.0%	83.3%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	33.3%	0.0%

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Child Recipients	111,247
Total Recipients	230,391
Net Expenditures	$79,437,014
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$345

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Adult Recipients	3,069
Child Recipients	15,622
Total Recipients	18,681
Net Expenditures	$8,770,544
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$469

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count): 4,833

Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child): $417

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers: 660

Number of Type B Providers: 316

Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings: 167

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$150,665,504 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	72,144
Paternity Establishment Rate*	93.7%
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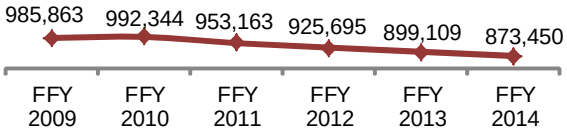

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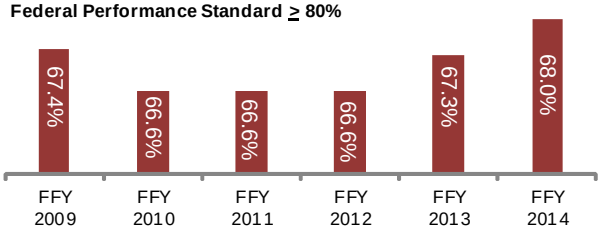

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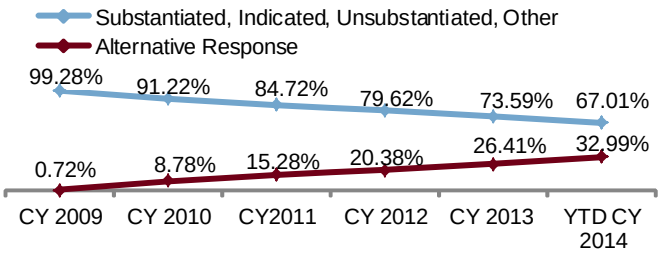

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	6	6
Total Exiters	7	7
Entered Employment Rate	85.7%	85.7%
Retention Rate	100.0%	80.0%
Average Earnings	$16,311	$17,458

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	21	12
Total Exiters	32	20
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	65.6%	60.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	76.9%	66.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2,314
Child Recipients	2,104
Total Recipients	4,412
Net Expenditures	$1,173,739
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$266

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	0
Child Recipients	103
Total Recipients	103
Net Expenditures	$61,418
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$596

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	97
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$224

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	17
Number of Type B Providers:	11
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	4

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$6,206,029 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,138
Paternity Establishment Rate*	110.3%
Cases with Support Orders	2,033
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.1%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	77.1%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	79.2%

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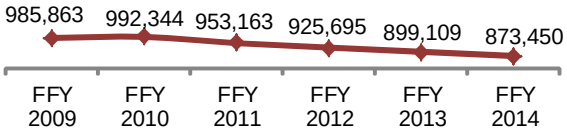

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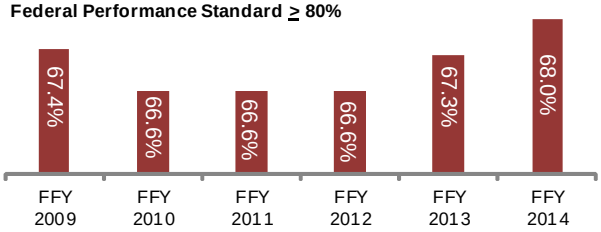

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	261	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	39	14.94%
Indicated	31	11.88%
Unsubstantiated	56	21.46%
Other*	2	0.77%
Alternative Responses	133	50.96%

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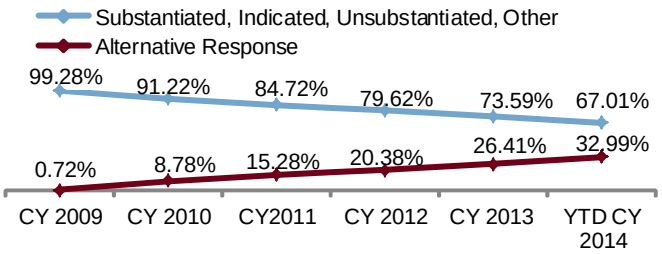

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

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Wendy's Wonderful Kids (WWK) Adoption Placement Program Status, September 2014

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	13,200	12,600
Employed	12,100	11,800
Unemployed	1,100	900
Average Weekly Benefit	$319	$368
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.2	16.0
Unemployment Rate*	8.2%	6.7%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	3	7
Total Exiters	5	10
Entered Employment Rate	60.0%	70.0%
Retention Rate	75.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$13,904	$17,211

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	8	5
Total Exiters	13	8
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	61.5%	62.5%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	65.2%	66.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,057
Child Recipients	2,931
Total Recipients	7,967
Net Expenditures	$2,519,445
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$316

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	153
Child Recipients	481
Total Recipients	634
Net Expenditures	$305,654
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$482

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	96
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$240

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	7
Number of Type B Providers:	10
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$3,427,098 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,171
Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.6%
Cases with Support Orders	1,838
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	84.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	60.3%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	61.7%

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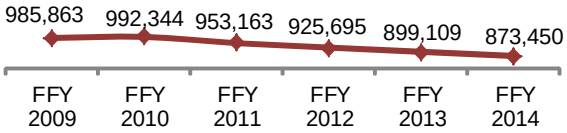

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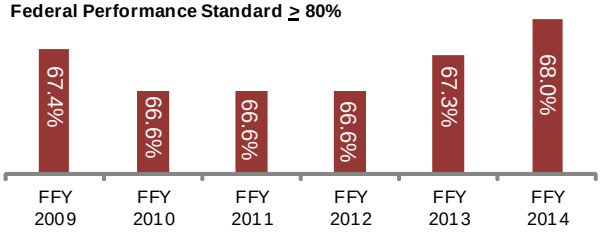

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	120	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	13	10.83%
Indicated	17	14.17%
Unsubstantiated	32	26.67%
Other*	0	0.00%
Alternative Responses	58	48.33%

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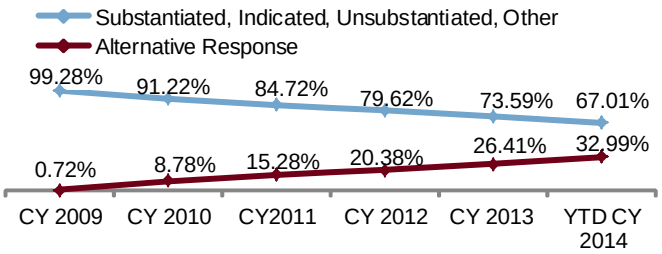

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	49,700	50,800
Employed	47,000	48,100
Unemployed	2,700	2,700
Average Weekly Benefit	$346	$361
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.0	16.0
Unemployment Rate*	5.5%	5.4%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	148	42
Total Exiters	148	44
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	95.5%
Retention Rate	90.6%	91.2%
Average Earnings	$16,887	$19,566

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	5	7
Total Exiters	8	10
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	62.5%	70.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	60.0%	50.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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Child Recipients	1,718
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Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$304

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Child Recipients	119
Total Recipients	128
Net Expenditures	$76,647
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$599

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$309

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Number of Type B Providers:	3
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	14

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Paternity Establishment Rate*	102.6%
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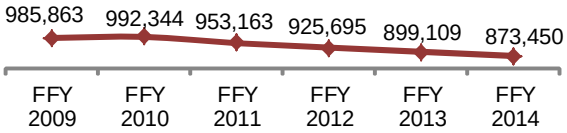

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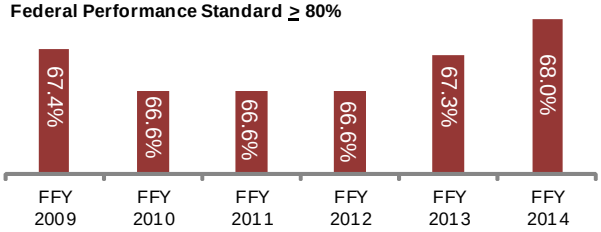

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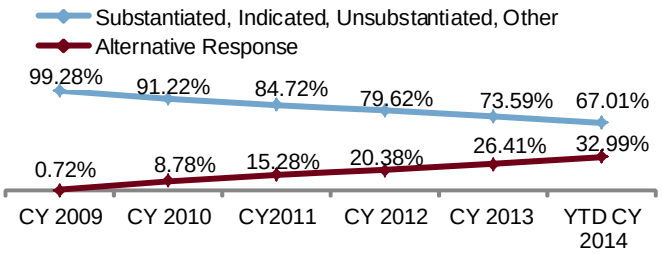

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Total Exiters	152	146
Entered Employment Rate	60.5%	69.9%
Retention Rate	84.2%	88.7%
Average Earnings	$13,126	$13,250

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
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Child Recipients	6,943
Total Recipients	15,339
Net Expenditures	$4,782,708
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$312

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Ohio Works First (OWF) is the financial assistance portion of the state's Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program, which provides cash benefits to needy families for up to 36 months.

Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	168
Child Recipients	794
Total Recipients	962
Net Expenditures	$493,305
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$513

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	537
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$359

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	51
Number of Type B Providers:	7
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	21

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$23,268,272 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	8,586
Paternity Establishment Rate*	109.4%
Cases with Support Orders	7,960
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	92.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	74.2%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	74.0%

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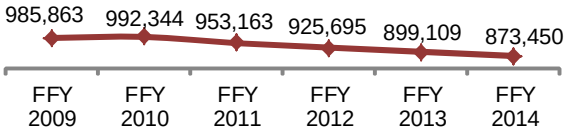
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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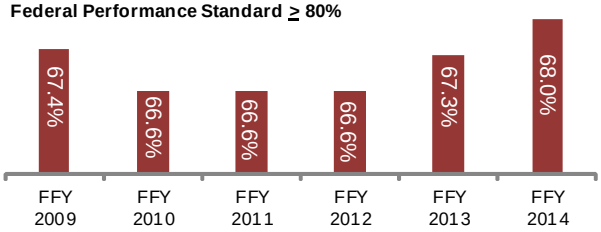

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	703	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	128	18.21%
Indicated	120	17.07%
Unsubstantiated	279	39.69%
Other*	15	2.13%
Alternative Responses	161	22.90%

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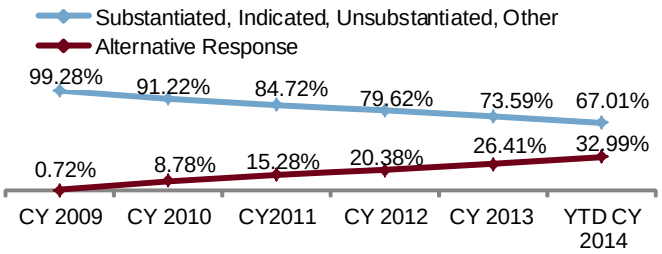

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
Certified Approved Non Relative	327	Detention Facility	43
Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
Certified Emergency Shelter Care Facility	10	Own Home	3
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Wendy's Wonderful Kids (WWK) Adoption Placement Program Status, September 2014

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
2013	11,570,808
2000	11,353,140
1990	10,847,115

2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

	2012 Poverty Estimates								Median Household Income
	All Ages		Under Age 18		Ages 5-17		Ages 0-4		
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US	48,760,123	15.9	16,396,863	22.6	11,086,537	21.0	5,014,970	25.6	$51,371
Ohio	1,818,886	16.2	617,006	23.6	411,818	21.4	192,591	28.3	$46,873

Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	18,900	19,700
Employed	17,500	18,700
Unemployed	1,400	1,100
Average Weekly Benefit	$295	$318
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.5	14.7
Unemployment Rate*	7.2%	5.4%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
Jobs for Veterans State	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
Intensive Services				
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

*Data Not Yet Available

Workforce Investment Act, Program Year (PY) 2012* and PY 2013*

The federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) is a federally funded program that helps employers find a skilled workforce; provides training and employment opportunities for individuals to match their skills to current job opportunities; and measures program achievements in terms of customer outcomes and increased local accountability.

Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	39	12
Total Exiters	46	20
Entered Employment Rate	84.8%	60.0%
Retention Rate	92.9%	91.9%
Average Earnings	$13,052	$17,747

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	3	7
Total Exiters	8	12
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	37.5%	58.3%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	75.0%	41.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,567
Child Recipients	2,907
Total Recipients	7,463
Net Expenditures	$2,052,260
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$275

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	56
Child Recipients	314
Total Recipients	370
Net Expenditures	$188,321
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$509

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	127
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$279

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	7
Number of Type B Providers:	12
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	3

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$6,761,258 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	3,956
Paternity Establishment Rate*	105.9%
Cases with Support Orders	3,797
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	96.0%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	64.6%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	64.7%

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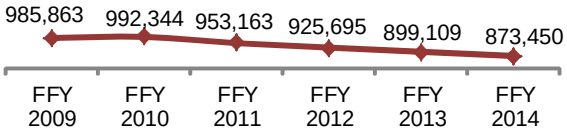
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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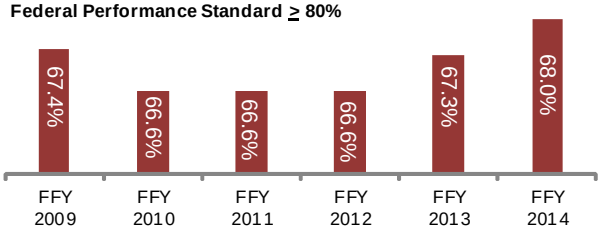

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	304	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	55	18.09%
Indicated	25	8.22%
Unsubstantiated	84	27.63%
Other*	20	6.58%
Alternative Responses	120	39.47%

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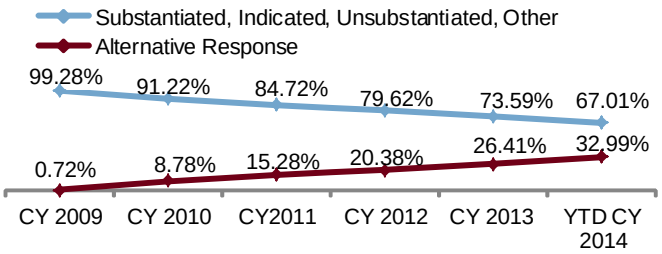

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	403,500	407,700
Employed	376,200	388,000
Unemployed	27,300	19,700
Average Weekly Benefit	$291	$298
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.5	16.7
Unemployment Rate*	6.8%	4.8%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	336	960
Total Exiters	514	1270
Entered Employment Rate	65.4%	75.6%
Retention Rate	83.0%	83.2%
Average Earnings	$15,364	$17,481

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	228	142
Total Exiters	392	175
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	58.2%	81.1%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	53.9%	84.3%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	47.7%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	75,269
Child Recipients	68,524
Total Recipients	143,506
Net Expenditures	$48,212,293
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$336

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	3,897
Child Recipients	13,145
Total Recipients	17,039
Net Expenditures	$7,843,705
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$460

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	3,570
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$435

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	401
Number of Type B Providers:	875
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	100

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$118,982,642 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	74,604
Paternity Establishment Rate*	83.4%
Cases with Support Orders	56,810
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	76.1%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	62.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	60.1%

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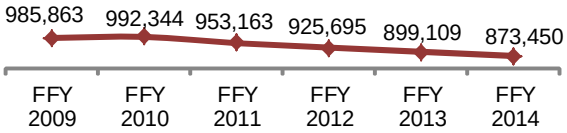

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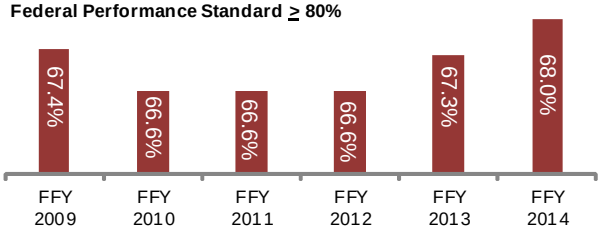

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	4,919	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	888	18.05%
Indicated	472	9.60%
Unsubstantiated	2,391	48.61%
Other*	353	7.18%
Alternative Responses	815	16.57%

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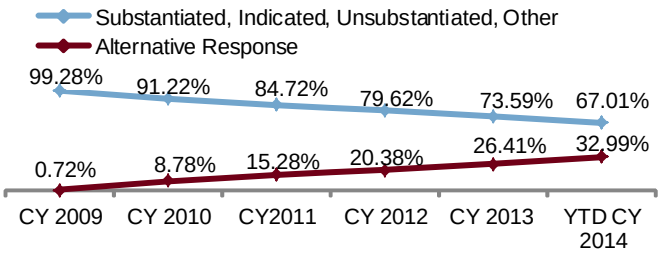

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Unemployed	2,300	1,600
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Average UC Duration (# weeks)	12.2	12.6
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	10	62
Total Exiters	12	65
Entered Employment Rate	83.3%	95.4%
Retention Rate	92.3%	89.7%
Average Earnings	$13,726	$15,744

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	12	27
Total Exiters	15	40
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	80.0%	67.5%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	38.9%	48.1%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	14.3%	0.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,422
Child Recipients	3,769
Total Recipients	8,183
Net Expenditures	$2,459,509
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$301

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	7
Child Recipients	216
Total Recipients	223
Net Expenditures	$128,695
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$577

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	287
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$279

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	24
Number of Type B Providers:	19
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	11

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$9,807,075 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	4,616
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.2%
Cases with Support Orders	4,460
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	96.6%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	73.1%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	74.4%

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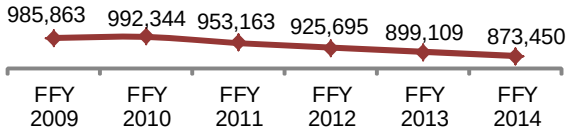

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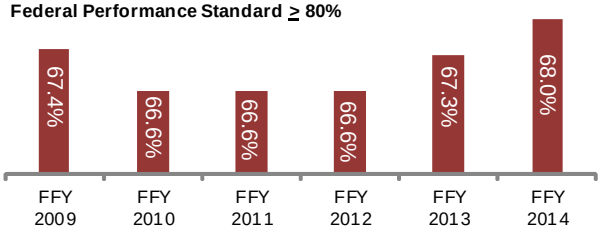

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	249	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	50	20.08%
Indicated	22	8.84%
Unsubstantiated	84	33.73%
Other*	6	2.41%
Alternative Responses	87	34.94%

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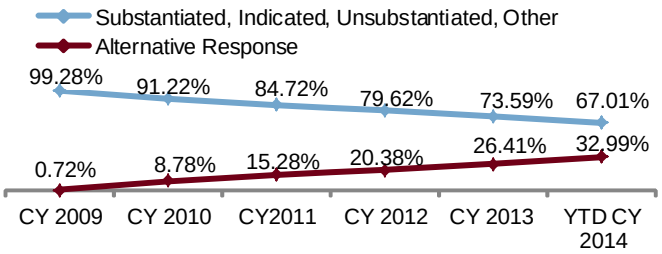

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	14,600	15,200
Employed	13,500	14,400
Unemployed	1,100	800
Average Weekly Benefit	$257	$275
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	14.1	15.7
Unemployment Rate*	7.5%	5.0%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
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New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	5	7
Total Exiters	9	7
Entered Employment Rate	55.6%	100.0%
Retention Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$16,267	$16,996

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	6	5
Total Exiters	6	12
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	100.0%	41.7%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	80.0%	63.6%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2,380
Child Recipients	1,943
Total Recipients	4,318
Net Expenditures	$1,225,499
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$284

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	6
Child Recipients	192
Total Recipients	198
Net Expenditures	$109,720
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$554

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	52
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$259

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	8
Number of Type B Providers:	6
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	3

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$4,879,206 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,231
Paternity Establishment Rate*	107.7%
Cases with Support Orders	2,137
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.8%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	71.9%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	68.4%

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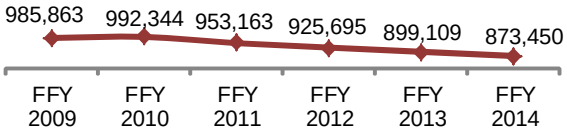

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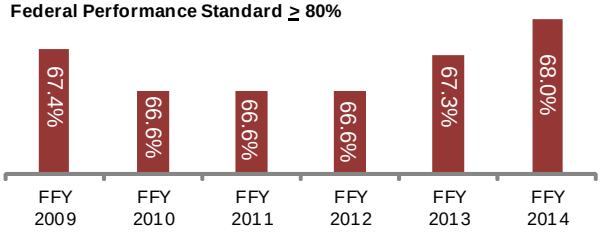

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	203	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	31	15.27%
Indicated	21	10.34%
Unsubstantiated	76	37.44%
Other*	1	0.49%
Alternative Responses	74	36.45%

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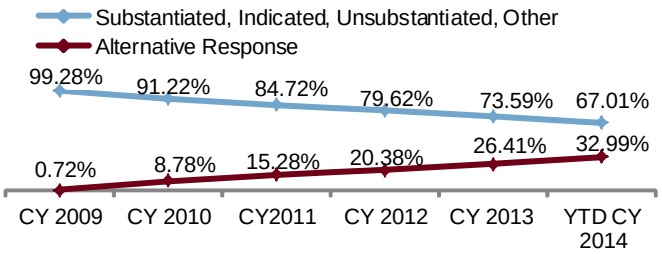

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Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	7,100	7,900
Employed	6,500	7,500
Unemployed	500	400
Average Weekly Benefit	$307	$321
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.3	13.4
Unemployment Rate*	7.6%	4.7%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	5	1
Total Exiters	8	2
Entered Employment Rate	62.5%	50.0%
Retention Rate	90.9%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$14,247	$18,646

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants		0
Total Exiters		0
Placement in Employment or Education Rate		0.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	20.0%	50.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	1,616
Child Recipients	953
Total Recipients	2,566
Net Expenditures	$716,413
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$279

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	51
Child Recipients	154
Total Recipients	205
Net Expenditures	$99,671
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$486

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	0
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$0

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	2
Number of Type B Providers:	7
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$2,197,722 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	912
Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.4%
Cases with Support Orders	854
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	93.6%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	79.9%
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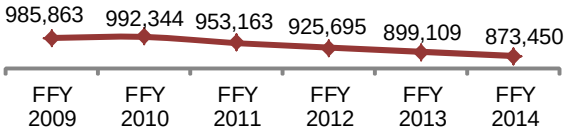

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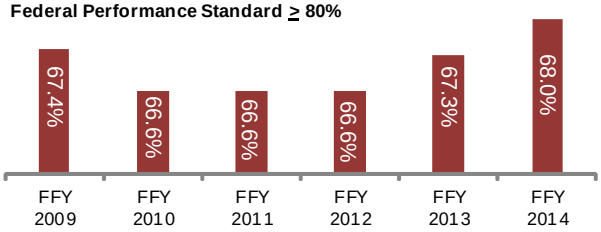

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	77	100.00%
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Indicated	5	6.49%
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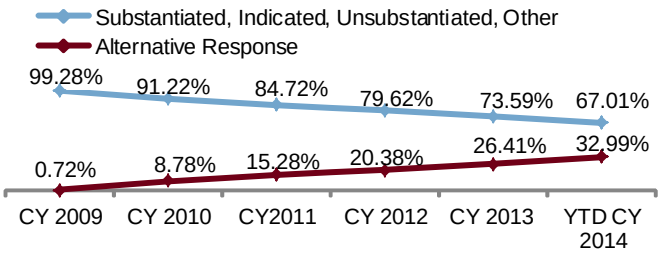

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Total Participants	6	7
Total Exiters	7	8
Entered Employment Rate	85.7%	87.5%
Retention Rate	92.3%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$21,964	$21,095

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	11	5
Total Exiters	14	5
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	78.6%	100.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	93.3%	57.1%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	1,475
Child Recipients	1,274
Total Recipients	2,748
Net Expenditures	$678,966
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$247

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	6
Child Recipients	66
Total Recipients	72
Net Expenditures	$35,955
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$499

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	18
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$204

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	11
Number of Type B Providers:	3
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	4

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$4,588,629 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,760
Paternity Establishment Rate*	105.2%
Cases with Support Orders	1,684
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	78.4%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	81.1%

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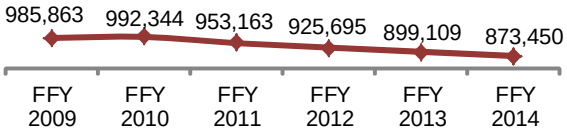

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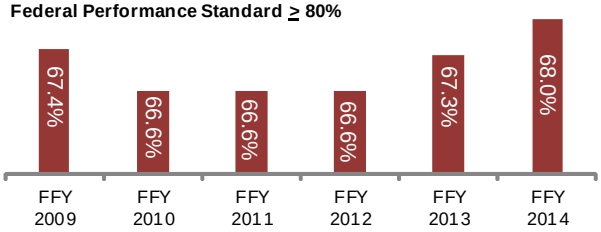

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Other*	4	2.53%
Alternative Responses	80	50.63%

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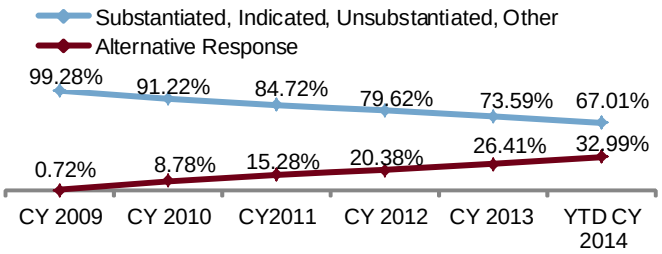

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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	2012 Poverty Estimates								Median Household Income
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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	18,100	18,200
Employed	16,400	17,000
Unemployed	1,700	1,200
Average Weekly Benefit	$299	$308
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.4	17.2
Unemployment Rate*	9.2%	6.3%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	11	15
Total Exiters	12	17
Entered Employment Rate	91.7%	88.2%
Retention Rate	92.9%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$12,837	$16,353

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	1	3
Total Exiters	6	4
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	16.7%	75.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	33.3%	80.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,659
Child Recipients	3,778
Total Recipients	9,428
Net Expenditures	$2,758,348
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$293

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	92
Child Recipients	484
Total Recipients	576
Net Expenditures	$260,020
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$451

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

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Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	75
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$210

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	9
Number of Type B Providers:	4
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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$5,519,038 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	3,015
Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.9%
Cases with Support Orders	2,877
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.4%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	69.8%
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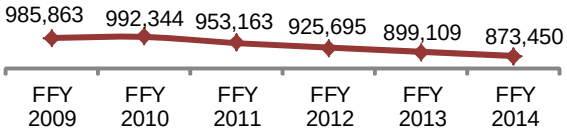

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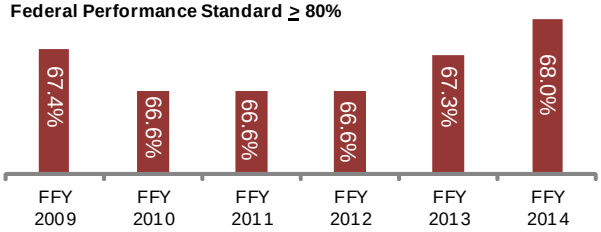

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	78	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
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Indicated	6	7.69%
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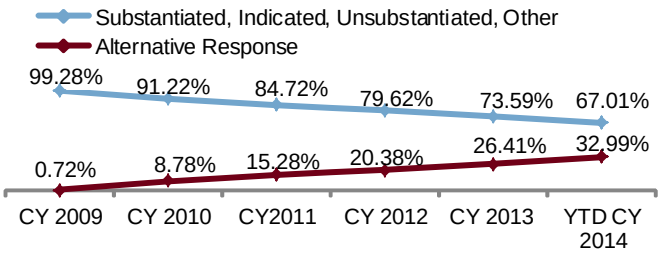

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Unemployed	1,000	700
Average Weekly Benefit	$332	$319
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	14.2	14.2
Unemployment Rate*	7.4%	5.4%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	16	5
Total Exiters	18	6
Entered Employment Rate	88.9%	83.3%
Retention Rate	86.4%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$12,255	$11,908

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	3	12
Total Exiters	4	18
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	75.0%	66.7%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	100.0%	72.2%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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Net Expenditures	
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Net Expenditures	
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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	13
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$167

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	5
Number of Type B Providers:	18
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	3

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$3,967,104 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,476
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.5%
Cases with Support Orders	2,192
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	88.5%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	67.6%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	66.2%

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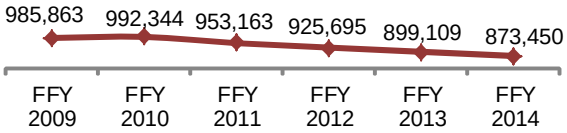

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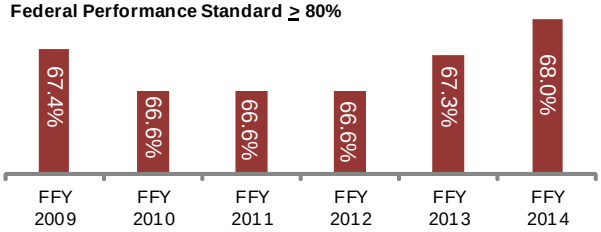

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		100.00%
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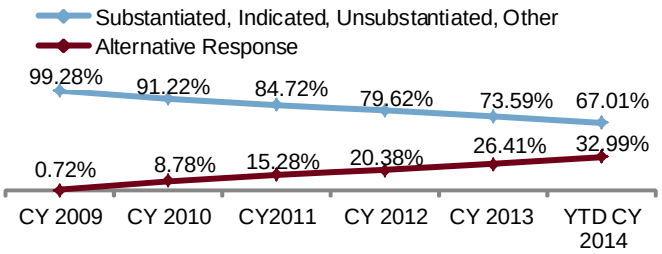

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Total Participants	2	5
Total Exiters	2	5
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Retention Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$12,719	$12,133

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	2	0
Total Exiters	2	0
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	100.0%	0.0%
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Child Recipients	843
Total Recipients	2,001
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Child Recipients	59
Total Recipients	72
Net Expenditures	$34,602
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$481

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Paternity Establishment Rate*	105.6%
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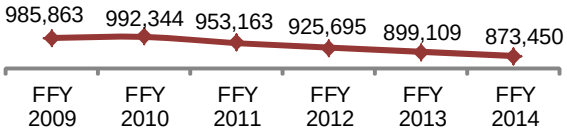

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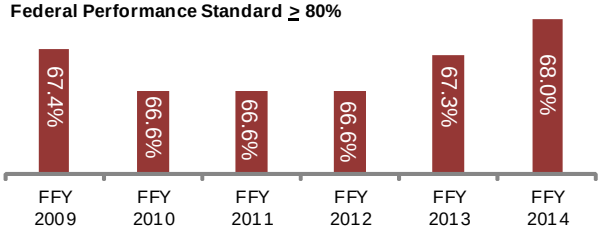

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Traditional Response Status:		
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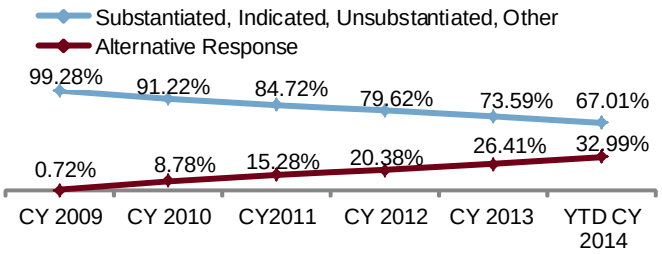

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	27,400	26,800
Employed	25,000	25,100
Unemployed	2,400	1,800
Average Weekly Benefit	$306	$318
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	14.1	12.3
Unemployment Rate*	8.6%	6.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	37	30
Total Exiters	46	37
Entered Employment Rate	80.4%	81.1%
Retention Rate	84.1%	86.2%
Average Earnings	$13,265	$13,899

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	13	6
Total Exiters	23	15
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	56.5%	40.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	63.3%	52.6%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,240
Child Recipients	4,350
Total Recipients	9,571
Net Expenditures	$2,764,180
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$289

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	55
Child Recipients	508
Total Recipients	563
Net Expenditures	$275,556
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$489

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	55
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$175

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	16
Number of Type B Providers:	42
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	8

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$10,490,626 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	5,308
Paternity Establishment Rate*	105.6%
Cases with Support Orders	5,082
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	68.6%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	68.1%

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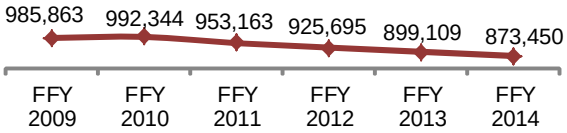

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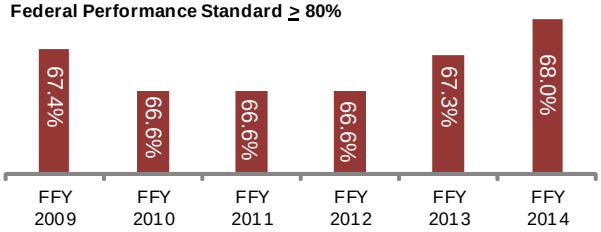

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	224	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	56	25.00%
Indicated	0	0.00%
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Other*	0	0.00%
Alternative Responses	125	55.80%

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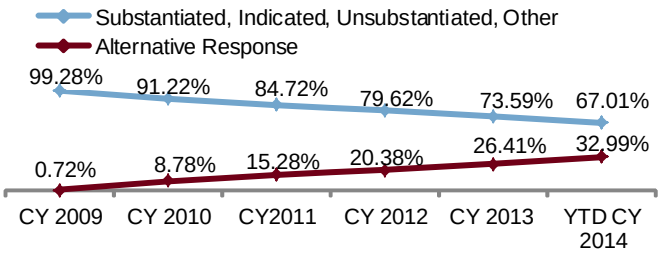

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
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Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
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Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	14,300	14,300
Employed	13,100	13,300
Unemployed	1,300	1,000
Average Weekly Benefit	$295	$302
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	14.4	12.8
Unemployment Rate*	8.8%	6.9%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	8	4
Total Exiters	11	4
Entered Employment Rate	72.7%	100.0%
Retention Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$20,118	$16,955

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	9	10
Total Exiters	16	15
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	56.3%	66.7%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	63.2%	80.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,831
Child Recipients	3,177
Total Recipients	7,998
Net Expenditures	$2,364,681
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$296

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	114
Child Recipients	533
Total Recipients	647
Net Expenditures	$331,896
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$513

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	39
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$195

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	6
Number of Type B Providers:	4
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	4

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$4,534,409 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,464
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.0%
Cases with Support Orders	1,862
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	75.6%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	72.9%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	69.5%

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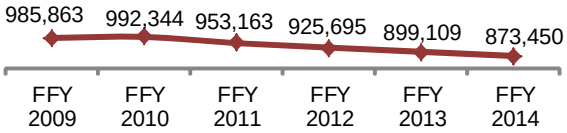
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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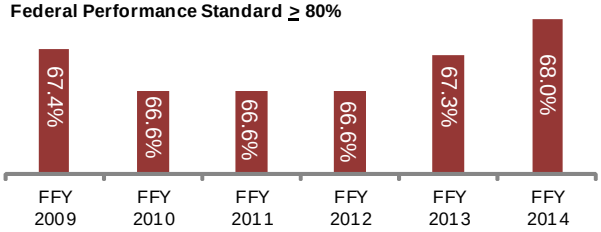

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	77	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	16	20.78%
Indicated	14	18.18%
Unsubstantiated	29	37.66%
Other*	1	1.30%
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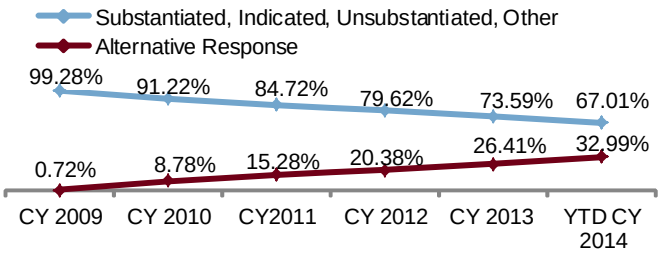

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	30,100	29,200
Employed	27,100	27,100
Unemployed	3,000	2,100
Average Weekly Benefit	$316	$336
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	18.3	14.9
Unemployment Rate*	10.0%	7.2%

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Total Participants	6	11
Total Exiters	9	15
Entered Employment Rate	66.7%	73.3%
Retention Rate	100.0%	93.1%
Average Earnings	$17,421	$18,593

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	7	5
Total Exiters	11	7
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	63.6%	71.4%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	68.8%	42.1%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	100.0%	100.0%

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Child Recipients	5,634
Total Recipients	15,171
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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	174
Child Recipients	726
Total Recipients	900
Net Expenditures	$455,420
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$506

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	8
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$326

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	18
Number of Type B Providers:	46
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	1

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

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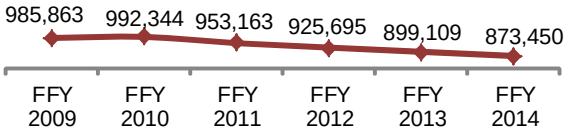

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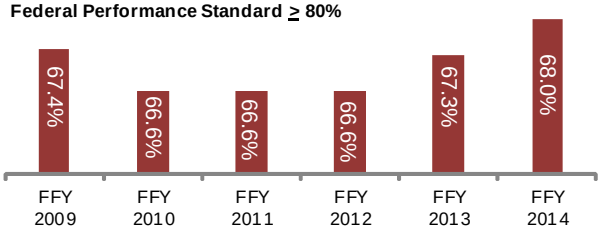

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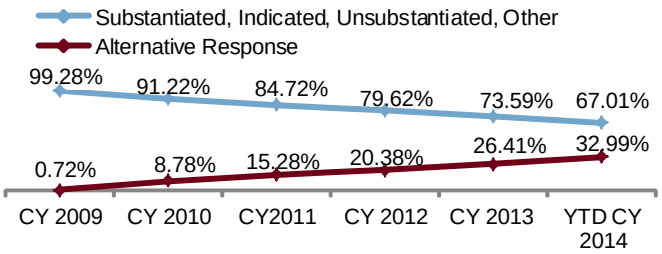

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Jobs for Veterans State	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
Intensive Services				
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
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The federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) is a federally funded program that helps employers find a skilled workforce; provides training and employment opportunities for individuals to match their skills to current job opportunities; and measures program achievements in terms of customer outcomes and increased local accountability.

Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	6	4
Total Exiters	7	4
Entered Employment Rate	85.7%	100.0%
Retention Rate	87.1%	95.2%
Average Earnings	$12,620	$12,717

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	34	25
Total Exiters	43	34
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	79.1%	73.5%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	62.1%	66.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	57.1%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,533
Child Recipients	3,361
Total Recipients	7,881
Net Expenditures	$2,319,184
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$294

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	120
Child Recipients	407
Total Recipients	527
Net Expenditures	$219,349
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$416

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	140
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$296

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	15
Number of Type B Providers:	22
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	10

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$7,355,993 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	3,535
Paternity Establishment Rate*	102.3%
Cases with Support Orders	3,276
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	92.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	72.5%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	69.1%

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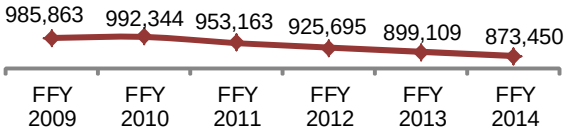

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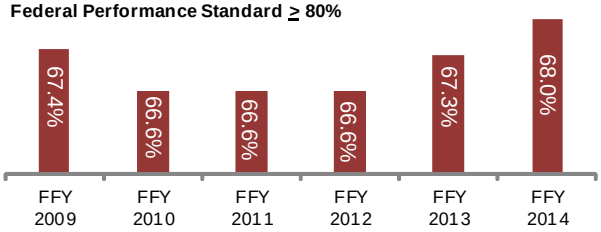

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	343	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	104	30.32%
Indicated	76	22.16%
Unsubstantiated	140	40.82%
Other*	13	3.79%
Alternative Responses	10	2.92%

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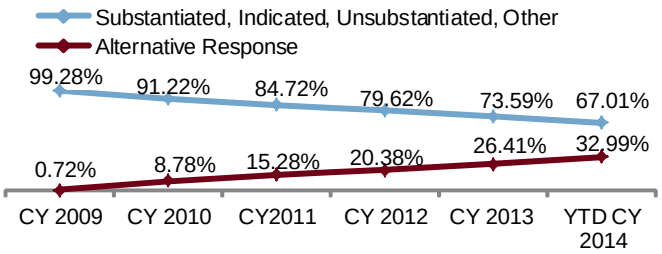

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
Certified Approved Non Relative	327	Detention Facility	43
Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
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2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

	2012 Poverty Estimates								Median Household Income
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US	48,760,123	15.9	16,396,863	22.6	11,086,537	21.0	5,014,970	25.6	$51,371
Ohio	1,818,886	16.2	617,006	23.6	411,818	21.4	192,591	28.3	$46,873

Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	130,000	131,400
Employed	121,800	124,000
Unemployed	8,200	7,400
Average Weekly Benefit	$321	$337
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.6	16.4
Unemployment Rate*	6.3%	5.7%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	32	36
Total Exiters	32	36
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Retention Rate	98.6%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$18,656	$18,171

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	14	9
Total Exiters	23	13
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	60.9%	69.2%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	72.7%	80.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	42.9%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	13,357
Child Recipients	9,654
Total Recipients	22,961
Net Expenditures	$7,181,917
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$313

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	448
Child Recipients	1,262
Total Recipients	1,710
Net Expenditures	$784,738
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$459

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	547
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$368

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	83
Number of Type B Providers:	12
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	26

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$31,808,876 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	11,000
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.1%
Cases with Support Orders	10,095
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	91.8%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	74.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	76.3%

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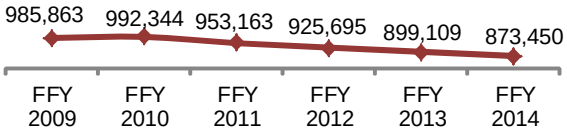
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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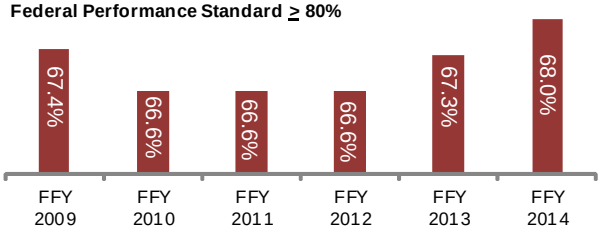

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	662	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	51	7.70%
Indicated	106	16.01%
Unsubstantiated	373	56.34%
Other*	14	2.11%
Alternative Responses	118	17.82%

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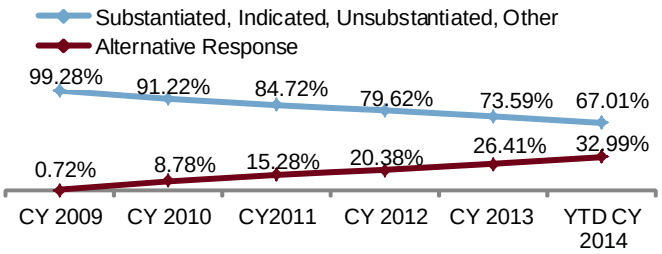

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Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	27,400	27,000
Employed	25,400	25,500
Unemployed	2,000	1,500
Average Weekly Benefit	$291	$289
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.1	15.8
Unemployment Rate*	7.2%	5.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	9	2
Total Exiters	9	2
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Retention Rate	78.9%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$18,214	$16,827

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	1	2
Total Exiters	1	2
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	50.0%	100.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	100.0%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	9,115
Child Recipients	5,738
Total Recipients	14,830
Net Expenditures	$4,469,246
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$301

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	50
Child Recipients	822
Total Recipients	872
Net Expenditures	$513,661
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$589

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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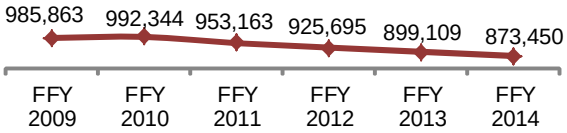

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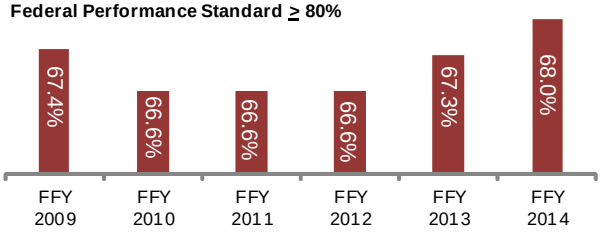

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	258	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	63	24.42%
Indicated	40	15.50%
Unsubstantiated	138	53.49%
Other*	5	1.94%
Alternative Responses	12	4.65%

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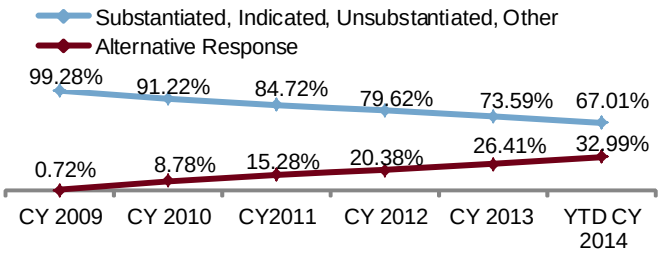

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Labor Force and Employment

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Employed	80,700	81,300
Unemployed	5,700	4,000
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Total Exiters	16	18
Entered Employment Rate	68.8%	77.8%
Retention Rate	95.5%	94.1%
Average Earnings	$16,299	$12,718

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	27	33
Total Exiters	30	36
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	90.0%	91.7%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	58.3%	70.5%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	58.3%	100.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	13,354
Child Recipients	9,814
Total Recipients	23,123
Net Expenditures	$7,005,498
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$303

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	177
Child Recipients	1,011
Total Recipients	1,187
Net Expenditures	$587,067
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$495

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	416
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$266

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	60
Number of Type B Providers:	50
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	11

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$21,228,684 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	12,826
Paternity Establishment Rate*	95.9%
Cases with Support Orders	11,085
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	86.4%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	64.2%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	66.3%

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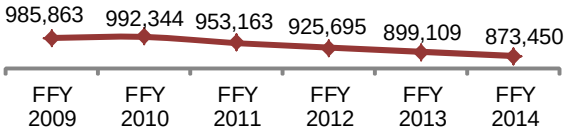
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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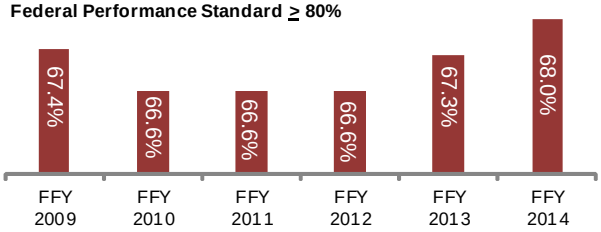

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	833	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	204	24.49%
Indicated	84	10.08%
Unsubstantiated	263	31.57%
Other*	16	1.92%
Alternative Responses	266	31.93%

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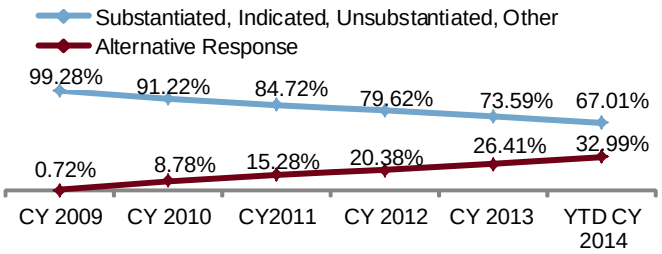

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
Certified Approved Non Relative	327	Detention Facility	43
Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
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2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	23,300	24,000
Employed	21,800	22,900
Unemployed	1,400	1,000
Average Weekly Benefit	$299	$292
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.1	14.1
Unemployment Rate*	6.2%	4.4%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
Jobs for Veterans State	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
Intensive Services				
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

*Data Not Yet Available

Workforce Investment Act, Program Year (PY) 2012* and PY 2013*

The federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) is a federally funded program that helps employers find a skilled workforce; provides training and employment opportunities for individuals to match their skills to current job opportunities; and measures program achievements in terms of customer outcomes and increased local accountability.

Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	11	5
Total Exiters	12	5
Entered Employment Rate	91.7%	100.0%
Retention Rate	94.4%	87.5%
Average Earnings	$16,484	$11,976

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	17	6
Total Exiters	31	11
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	54.8%	54.5%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	37.5%	27.3%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,083
Child Recipients	2,960
Total Recipients	7,028
Net Expenditures	$2,118,209
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$301

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	124
Child Recipients	423
Total Recipients	546
Net Expenditures	$246,426
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$451

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	0
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$0

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	11
Number of Type B Providers:	5
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	1

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$8,022,205 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	4,209
Paternity Establishment Rate*	98.6%
Cases with Support Orders	3,907
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	92.8%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	70.1%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	68.4%

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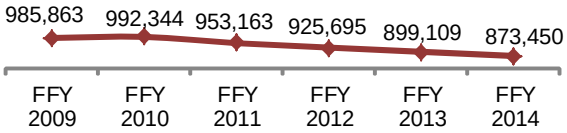
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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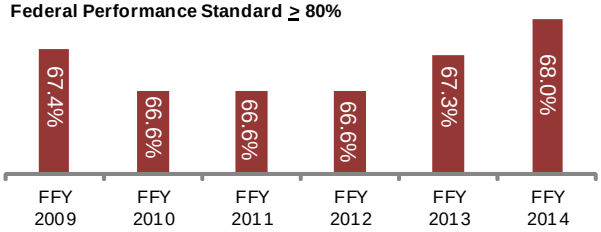

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	263	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	92	34.98%
Indicated	18	6.84%
Unsubstantiated	41	15.59%
Other*	4	1.52%
Alternative Responses	108	41.06%

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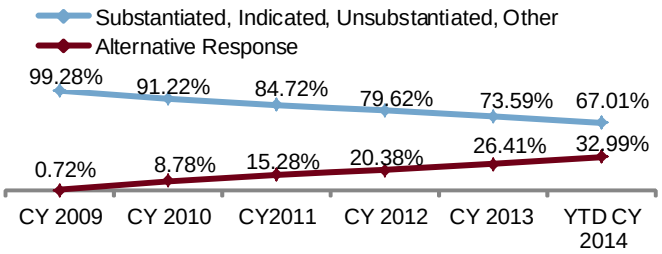

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	157,500	159,600
Employed	145,800	148,500
Unemployed	11,700	11,100
Average Weekly Benefit	$318	$320
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	14.5	14.3
Unemployment Rate*	7.4%	6.9%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	61	61
Total Exiters	70	77
Entered Employment Rate	87.1%	79.2%
Retention Rate	93.8%	94.6%
Average Earnings	$17,262	$16,318

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	9	15
Total Exiters	16	23
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	56.3%	65.2%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	61.5%	63.9%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	14.3%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	26,084
Child Recipients	20,935
Total Recipients	46,903
Net Expenditures	$14,926,402
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$318

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	483
Child Recipients	2,680
Total Recipients	3,161
Net Expenditures	$1,623,581
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$514

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	987
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$333

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	99
Number of Type B Providers:	134
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	47

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$47,734,449 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	26,801
Paternity Establishment Rate*	94.5%
Cases with Support Orders	22,854
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	85.3%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	67.1%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	66.6%

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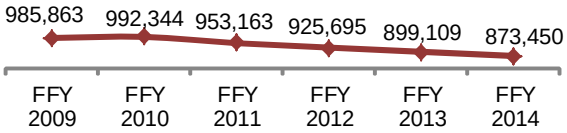

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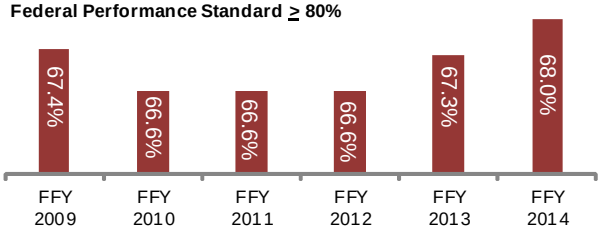

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	1,512	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	330	21.83%
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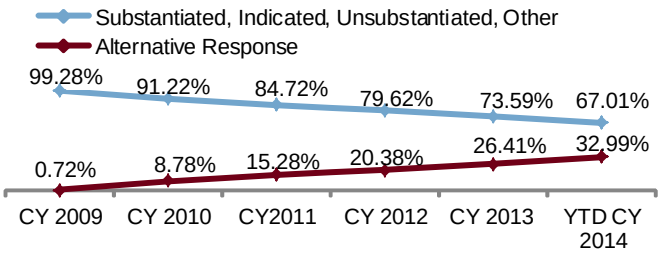

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	45	89
Total Exiters	49	98
Entered Employment Rate	91.8%	90.8%
Retention Rate	92.0%	94.8%
Average Earnings	$17,371	$18,052

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	111	81
Total Exiters	178	123
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	62.4%	65.9%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	72.7%	66.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	46.2%	0.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	57,832
Child Recipients	41,650
Total Recipients	99,305
Net Expenditures	$33,379,667
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$336

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	1,618
Child Recipients	6,763
Total Recipients	8,379
Net Expenditures	$4,287,659
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$512

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	2,733
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$349

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	182
Number of Type B Providers:	173
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	103

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$74,955,908 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	53,301
Paternity Establishment Rate*	97.3%
Cases with Support Orders	49,773
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	93.4%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	64.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	57.1%

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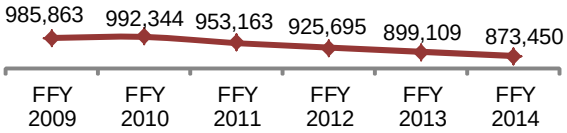

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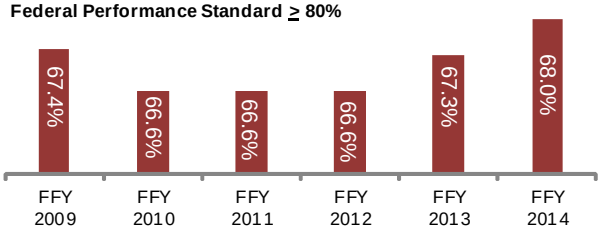

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	3,206	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	302	9.42%
Indicated	220	6.86%
Unsubstantiated	697	21.74%
Other*	45	1.40%
Alternative Responses	1,942	60.57%

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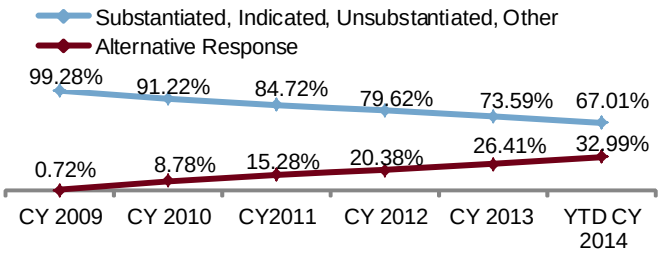

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

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2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	20,300	19,900
Employed	19,000	19,000
Unemployed	1,300	900
Average Weekly Benefit	$309	$324
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.6	15.2
Unemployment Rate*	6.4%	4.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	7	1
Total Exiters	7	1
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Retention Rate	92.9%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$12,860	$13,248

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	6	3
Total Exiters	7	3
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	85.7%	100.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	50.0%	66.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2,911
Child Recipients	2,344
Total Recipients	5,247
Net Expenditures	$1,531,847
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$292

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	49
Child Recipients	355
Total Recipients	404
Net Expenditures	$200,844
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$497

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	32
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$250

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	8
Number of Type B Providers:	5
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	5

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$4,153,499 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,809
Paternity Establishment Rate*	94.3%
Cases with Support Orders	1,434
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	79.3%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	74.2%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	70.8%

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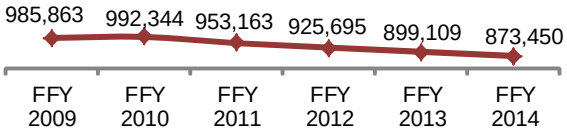

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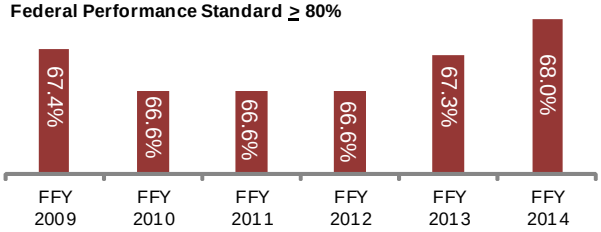

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	290	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	18	6.21%
Indicated	16	5.52%
Unsubstantiated	55	18.97%
Other*	9	3.10%
Alternative Responses	192	66.21%

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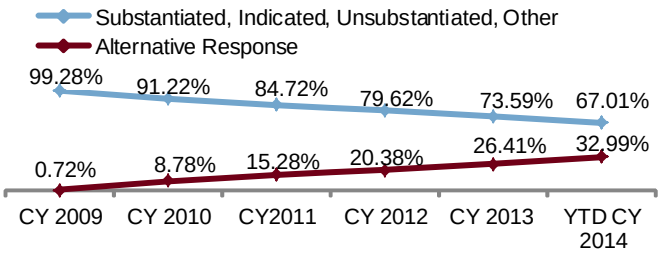

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	111,700	108,300
Employed	103,100	101,900
Unemployed	8,600	6,400
Average Weekly Benefit	$288	$293
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.8	15.7
Unemployment Rate*	7.7%	5.9%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	59	63
Total Exiters	75	72
Entered Employment Rate	78.7%	87.5%
Retention Rate	93.1%	92.7%
Average Earnings	$16,241	$16,603

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	42	34
Total Exiters	44	38
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	95.5%	89.5%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	93.8%	93.9%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	100.0%	100.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	30,637
Child Recipients	20,096
Total Recipients	50,604
Net Expenditures	$16,562,787
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$327

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	1,786
Child Recipients	4,604
Total Recipients	6,387
Net Expenditures	$2,914,026
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$456

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	976
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$390

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	98
Number of Type B Providers:	107
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	44

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$30,356,875 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	19,731
Paternity Establishment Rate*	93.6%
Cases with Support Orders	16,747
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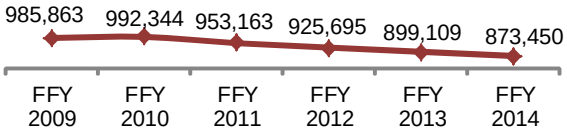

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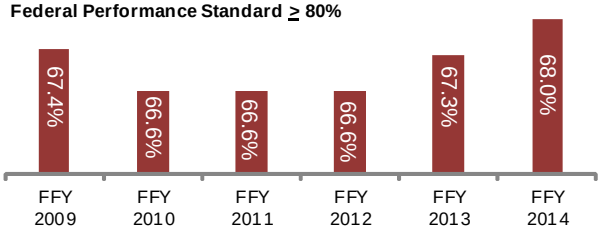

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	873	100.00%
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Indicated	53	6.07%
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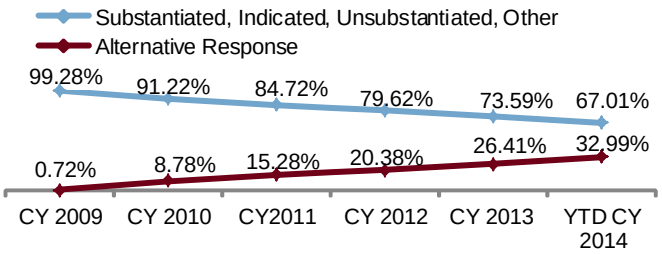

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Unemployed	2,100	1,500
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Unemployment Rate*	7.4%	5.4%

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Total Participants	221	124
Total Exiters	250	131
Entered Employment Rate	88.4%	94.7%
Retention Rate	92.3%	87.4%
Average Earnings	$14,188	$12,398

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	18	10
Total Exiters	24	23
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	75.0%	43.5%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	88.9%	78.3%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	100.0%	100.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	7,496
Child Recipients	5,677
Total Recipients	13,147
Net Expenditures	$4,089,192
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$311

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	34
Child Recipients	656
Total Recipients	690
Net Expenditures	$366,385
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$531

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	18
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$229

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	15
Number of Type B Providers:	31
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	3

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$9,331,027 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	5,362
Paternity Establishment Rate*	102.3%
Cases with Support Orders	5,051
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	94.2%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	62.3%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	69.0%

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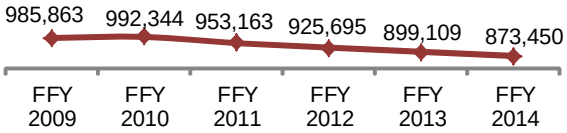

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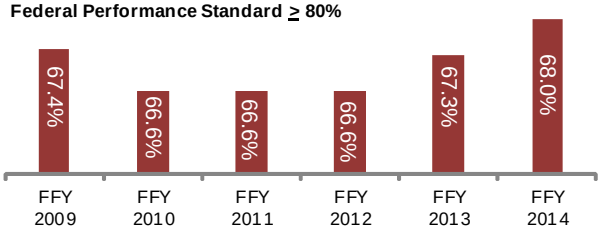

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	381	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	90	23.62%
Indicated	33	8.66%
Unsubstantiated	90	23.62%
Other*	32	8.40%
Alternative Responses	136	35.70%

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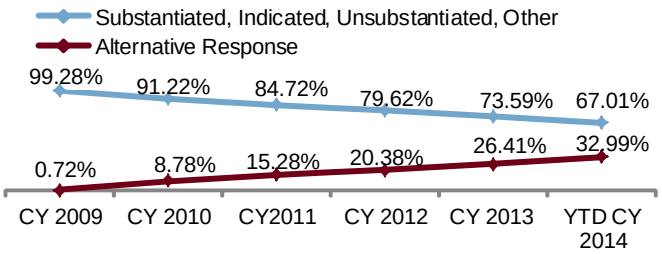

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
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1990	10,847,115

2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

	2012 Poverty Estimates								Median Household Income
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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	96,300	97,900
Employed	90,600	92,600
Unemployed	5,700	5,300
Average Weekly Benefit	$345	$352
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.7	15.7
Unemployment Rate*	5.9%	5.4%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
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Jobs for Veterans State	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
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New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	74	149
Total Exiters	80	181
Entered Employment Rate	92.5%	82.3%
Retention Rate	92.5%	88.4%
Average Earnings	$15,990	$18,297

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	61	27
Total Exiters	73	35
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	83.6%	77.1%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	56.1%	67.4%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	66.7%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	6,864
Child Recipients	5,046
Total Recipients	11,890
Net Expenditures	$3,536,845
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$297

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	106
Child Recipients	447
Total Recipients	553
Net Expenditures	$258,937
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$468

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	321
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$388

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	48
Number of Type B Providers:	41
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	20

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$27,046,252 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	7,713
Paternity Establishment Rate*	102.0%
Cases with Support Orders	7,346
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.2%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	75.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	72.9%

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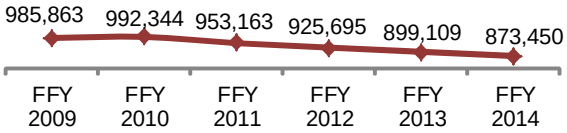

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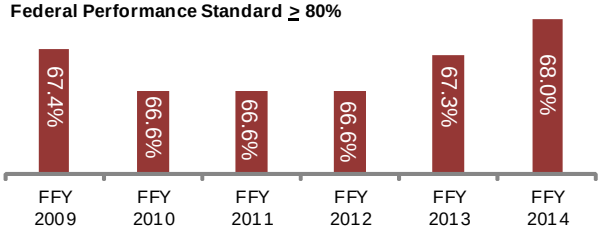

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	284	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	56	19.72%
Indicated	21	7.39%
Unsubstantiated	37	13.03%
Other*	2	0.70%
Alternative Responses	168	59.15%

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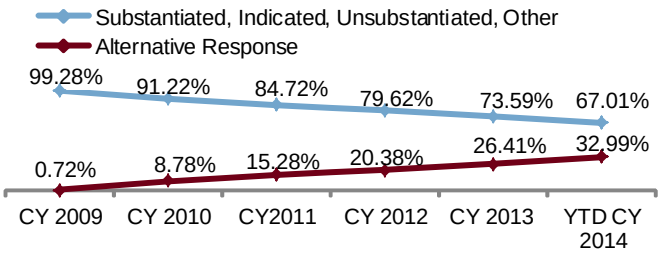

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	8,800	8,600
Employed	7,800	7,900
Unemployed	1,000	700
Average Weekly Benefit	$356	$374
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.7	16.2
Unemployment Rate*	11.8%	8.1%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	3	10
Total Exiters	7	10
Entered Employment Rate	42.9%	100.0%
Retention Rate	100.0%	90.9%
Average Earnings	$12,579	$12,526

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	3	0
Total Exiters	3	0
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	100.0%	0.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	33.3%	0.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,321
Child Recipients	2,350
Total Recipients	6,659
Net Expenditures	$2,019,631
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$303

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	182
Child Recipients	452
Total Recipients	634
Net Expenditures	$268,929
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$424

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

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Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count): 0

Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers: 1

Number of Type B Providers: 21

Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings: 0

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$2,785,925 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,145
Paternity Establishment Rate*	100.8%
Cases with Support Orders	1,936
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	90.3%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	58.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	62.5%

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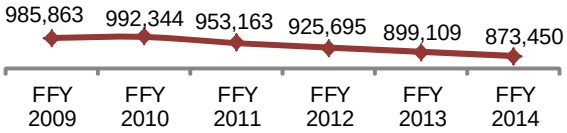

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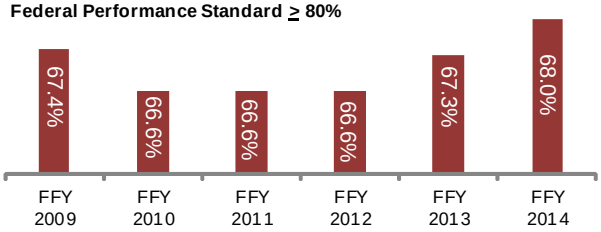

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	254	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	35	13.78%
Indicated	44	17.32%
Unsubstantiated	142	55.91%
Other*	7	2.76%
Alternative Responses	26	10.24%

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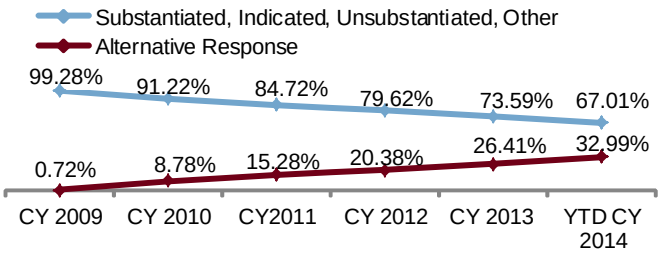

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Labor Force	25,300	25,700
Employed	24,200	24,900
Unemployed	1,100	800
Average Weekly Benefit	$279	$307
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.0	12.3
Unemployment Rate*	4.3%	3.0%

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Total Participants	11	6
Total Exiters	12	6
Entered Employment Rate	91.7%	100.0%
Retention Rate	100.0%	89.5%
Average Earnings	$13,207	$18,633

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	10	5
Total Exiters	11	8
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	90.9%	62.5%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	40.0%	50.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	1,740
Child Recipients	1,479
Total Recipients	3,214
Net Expenditures	$868,862
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$270

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Child Recipients	133
Total Recipients	152
Net Expenditures	$70,824
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$466

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	149
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$278

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	8
Number of Type B Providers:	9
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$4,065,227 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,967
Paternity Establishment Rate*	103.0%
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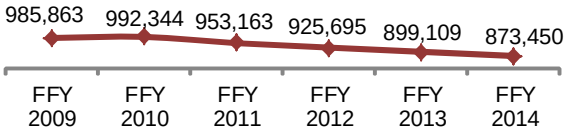

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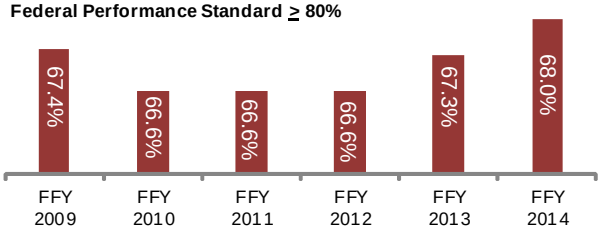

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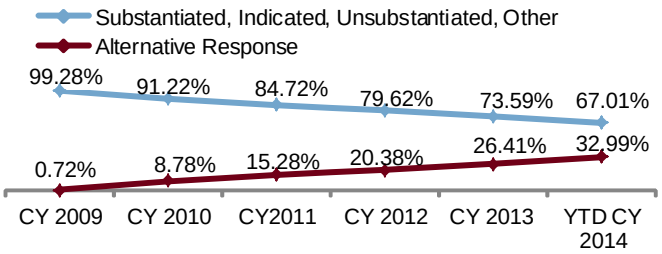

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	51,900	51,400
Employed	48,400	49,000
Unemployed	3,500	2,500
Average Weekly Benefit	$315	$321
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.2	15.2
Unemployment Rate*	6.7%	4.8%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	7	12
Total Exiters	13	16
Entered Employment Rate	53.8%	75.0%
Retention Rate	80.0%	96.0%
Average Earnings	$15,581	$12,671

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	11	11
Total Exiters	14	13
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	78.6%	84.6%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	87.5%	68.8%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,238
Child Recipients	4,367
Total Recipients	9,589
Net Expenditures	$2,677,972
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$279

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
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Child Recipients	494
Total Recipients	547
Net Expenditures	$305,709
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$559

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	163
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$337

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	32
Number of Type B Providers:	2
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	8

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$17,535,337 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	7,634
Paternity Establishment Rate*	102.1%
Cases with Support Orders	7,250
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.0%
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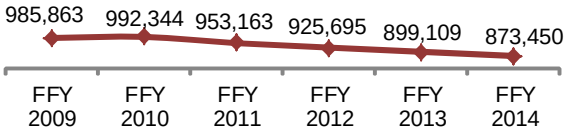

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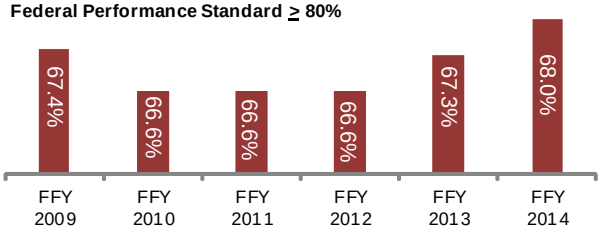

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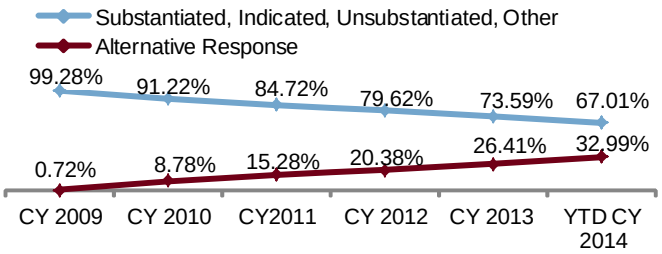

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	2	2
Total Exiters	3	3
Entered Employment Rate	66.7%	66.7%
Retention Rate	100.0%	71.4%
Average Earnings	$20,632	$18,909

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	7	5
Total Exiters	9	7
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	77.8%	71.4%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	72.7%	66.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	1,507
Child Recipients	980
Total Recipients	2,483
Net Expenditures	$699,514
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$282

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	13
Child Recipients	46
Total Recipients	58
Net Expenditures	$23,505
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$405

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	0
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$0

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	2
Number of Type B Providers:	3
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$1,837,725 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	779
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.4%
Cases with Support Orders	725
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	93.1%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	72.9%
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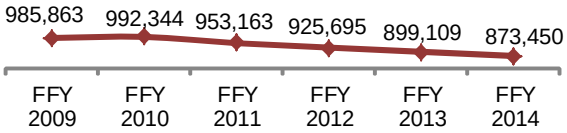

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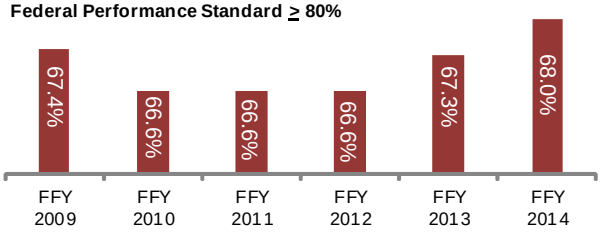

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	84	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	9	10.71%
Indicated	3	3.57%
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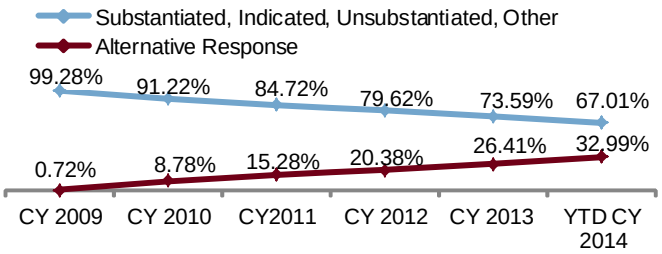

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Unemployed	19,000	13,500
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Unemployment Rate*	7.6%	5.5%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	310	197
Total Exiters	380	259
Entered Employment Rate	81.6%	76.1%
Retention Rate	91.3%	91.5%
Average Earnings	$13,225	$13,771

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	352	227
Total Exiters	562	337
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	62.6%	67.4%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	56.0%	53.6%
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Child Recipients	6,455
Total Recipients	7,737
Net Expenditures	$4,112,582
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$532

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count): 3,115

Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child): $407

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers: 220

Number of Type B Providers: 164

Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings: 84

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$86,969,137 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	48,377
Paternity Establishment Rate*	95.0%
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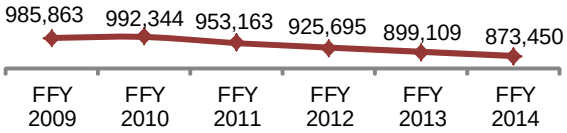

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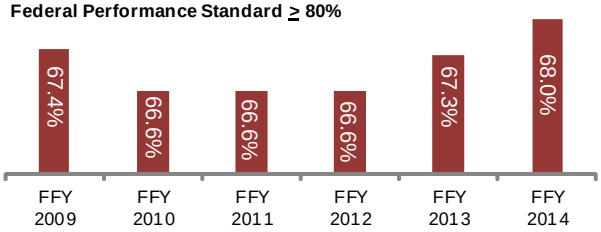

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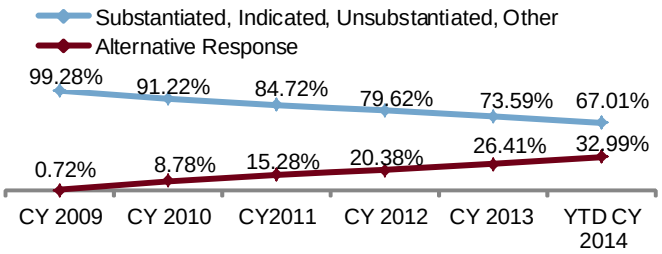

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Labor Force	5,800	5,700
Employed	5,200	5,300
Unemployed	600	400
Average Weekly Benefit	$317	$323
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.2	14.2
Unemployment Rate*	10.2%	7.2%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
Jobs for Veterans State Intensive Services	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	5	9
Total Exiters	7	12
Entered Employment Rate	71.4%	75.0%
Retention Rate	89.6%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$19,404	$20,392

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	2	1
Total Exiters	4	1
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	50.0%	100.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	20.0%	100.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	1,923
Child Recipients	1,168
Total Recipients	3,083
Net Expenditures	$847,893
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$275

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4
Child Recipients	111
Total Recipients	115
Net Expenditures	$67,608
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$588

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	32
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$145

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	3
Number of Type B Providers:	1
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	1

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$1,722,427 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	822
Paternity Establishment Rate*	103.8%
Cases with Support Orders	775
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	94.3%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	75.4%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	76.6%

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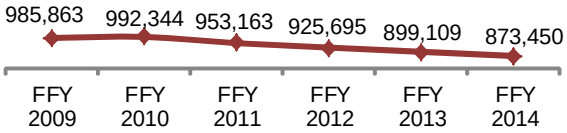

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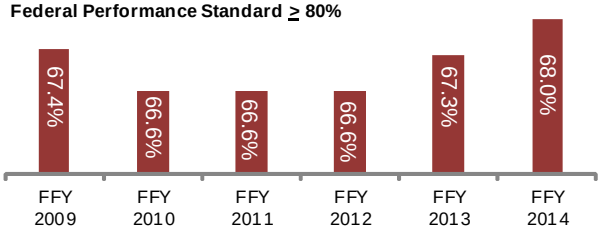

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	35	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	8	22.86%
Indicated	2	5.71%
Unsubstantiated	12	34.29%
Other*	1	2.86%
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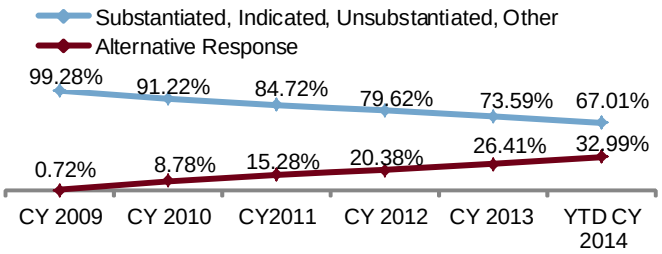

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	17,500	17,300
Employed	16,400	16,500
Unemployed	1,100	800
Average Weekly Benefit	$312	$332
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.2	15.5
Unemployment Rate*	6.4%	4.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	7	16
Total Exiters	8	20
Entered Employment Rate	87.5%	80.0%
Retention Rate	62.5%	84.0%
Average Earnings	$14,009	$11,225

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	1	2
Total Exiters	1	2
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate		100.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2,883
Child Recipients	2,110
Total Recipients	4,985
Net Expenditures	$1,470,194
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$295

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	24
Child Recipients	202
Total Recipients	226
Net Expenditures	$108,932
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$482

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	0
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$0

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	4
Number of Type B Providers:	17
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	1

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$4,120,937 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,962
Paternity Establishment Rate*	102.3%
Cases with Support Orders	1,840
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	93.8%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	66.4%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	69.8%

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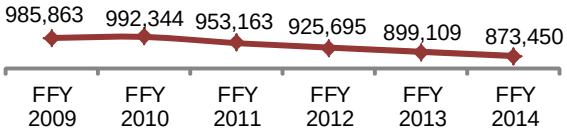
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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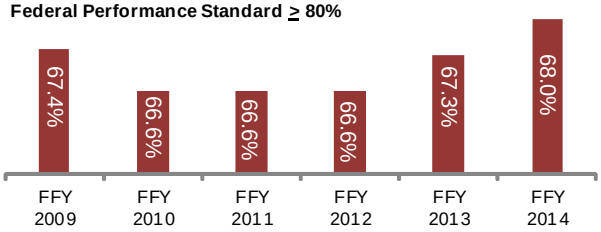

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	103	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	18	17.48%
Indicated	10	9.71%
Unsubstantiated	54	52.43%
Other*	8	7.77%
Alternative Responses	13	12.62%

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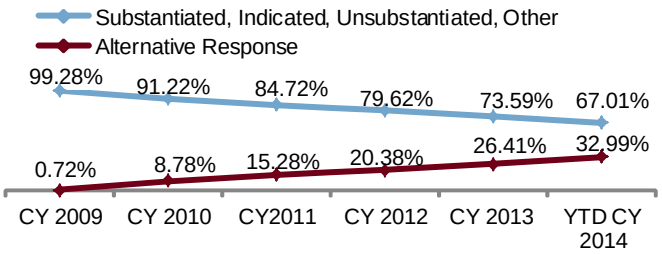

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Certified Approved Non Relative	327	Detention Facility	43
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	37,000	36,300
Employed	33,800	34,000
Unemployed	3,300	2,300
Average Weekly Benefit	$297	$295
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.9	13.8
Unemployment Rate*	8.8%	6.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	6	2
Total Exiters	8	2
Entered Employment Rate	75.0%	100.0%
Retention Rate	91.7%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$17,836	$12,485

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	16	9
Total Exiters	27	15
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	59.3%	60.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	52.2%	80.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	14,217
Child Recipients	8,421
Total Recipients	22,593
Net Expenditures	$6,953,076
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$308

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	283
Child Recipients	1,381
Total Recipients	1,663
Net Expenditures	$817,002
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$491

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	86
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$287

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	21
Number of Type B Providers:	93
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	7

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$12,917,563 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	8,875
Paternity Establishment Rate*	102.0%
Cases with Support Orders	7,775
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	87.6%
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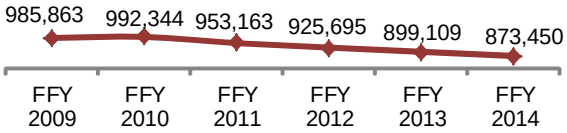

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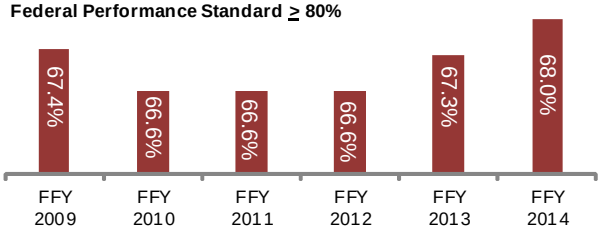

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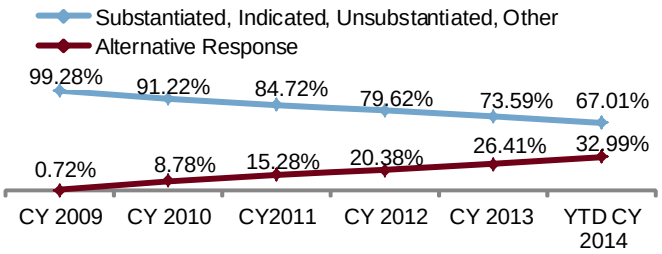

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Total Exiters	2	17
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	88.2%
Retention Rate	95.7%	96.3%
Average Earnings	$17,956	$15,436

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
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Child Recipients	633
Total Recipients	1,583
Net Expenditures	$416,981
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$263

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	7
Child Recipients	51
Total Recipients	58
Net Expenditures	$28,626
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$494

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	58
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$245

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	2
Number of Type B Providers:	6
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$1,707,667 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	547
Paternity Establishment Rate*	105.2%
Cases with Support Orders	534
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	97.6%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	76.6%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	82.7%

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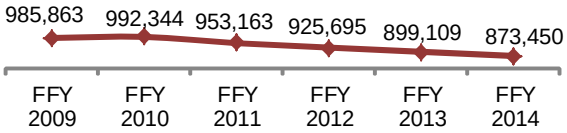

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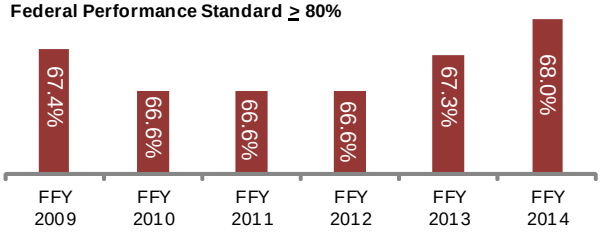

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	49	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	8	16.33%
Indicated	2	4.08%
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Alternative Responses	30	61.22%

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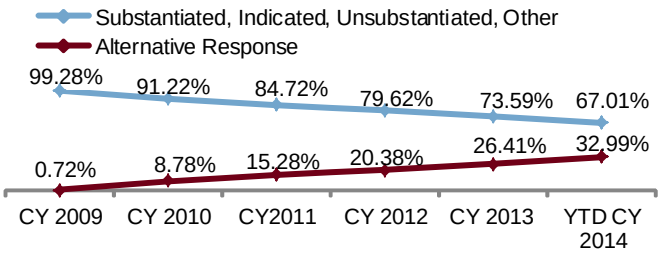

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
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2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

	2012 Poverty Estimates								Median Household Income
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Ohio	1,818,886	16.2	617,006	23.6	411,818	21.4	192,591	28.3	$46,873

Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	20,400	20,300
Employed	18,900	19,100
Unemployed	1,500	1,200
Average Weekly Benefit	$352	$364
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.7	15.2
Unemployment Rate*	7.4%	5.9%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
Jobs for Veterans State	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
Intensive Services				
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

*Data Not Yet Available

Workforce Investment Act, Program Year (PY) 2012* and PY 2013*

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	4	1
Total Exiters	5	3
Entered Employment Rate	80.0%	33.3%
Retention Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$12,732	$0

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	14	6
Total Exiters	20	14
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	70.0%	42.9%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	71.4%	64.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2,611
Child Recipients	1,797
Total Recipients	4,398
Net Expenditures	$1,229,758
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$280

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	69
Child Recipients	290
Total Recipients	359
Net Expenditures	$153,786
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$428

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	13
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$301

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	12
Number of Type B Providers:	8
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	5

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$4,913,479 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,836
Paternity Establishment Rate*	107.9%
Cases with Support Orders	1,715
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	93.4%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	76.1%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	77.2%

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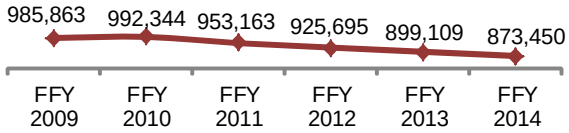
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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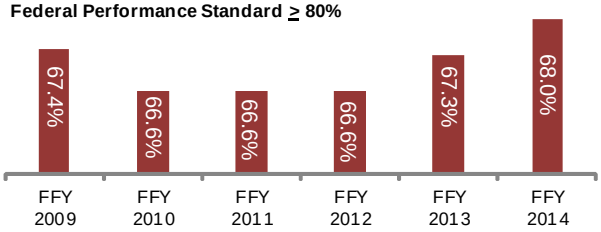

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	115	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	15	13.04%
Indicated	8	6.96%
Unsubstantiated	16	13.91%
Other*	0	0.00%
Alternative Responses	76	66.09%

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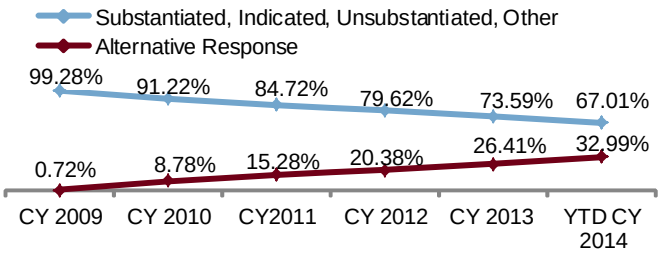

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	9,900	9,600
Employed	9,200	9,100
Unemployed	600	400
Average Weekly Benefit	$312	$276
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	13.6	12.7
Unemployment Rate*	6.5%	4.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	9	5
Total Exiters	10	7
Entered Employment Rate	90.0%	71.4%
Retention Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$8,291	$14,513

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants		1
Total Exiters		1
Placement in Employment or Education Rate		100.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	50.0%	0.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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Child Recipients	2
Total Recipients	4
Net Expenditures	$470
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$118

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Child Recipients	0
Total Recipients	
Net Expenditures	
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	5
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$120

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	3
Number of Type B Providers:	2
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$2,941,475 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,185
Paternity Establishment Rate*	103.0%
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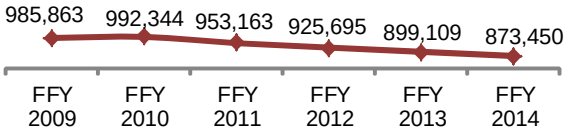

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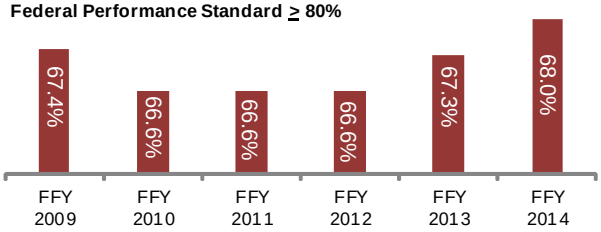

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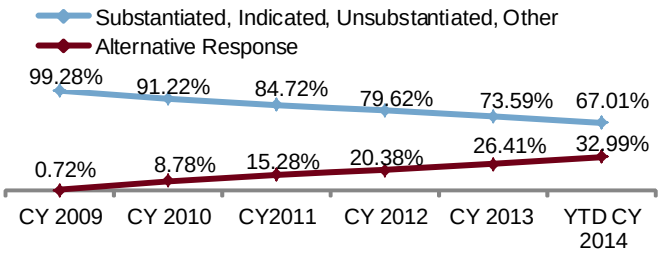

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Labor Force	15,700	15,900
Employed	14,400	14,900
Unemployed	1,300	1,000
Average Weekly Benefit	$296	$299
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.8	13.4
Unemployment Rate*	8.6%	6.0%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	1	5
Total Exiters	3	8
Entered Employment Rate	33.3%	62.5%
Retention Rate	91.7%	62.5%
Average Earnings	$12,332	$12,005

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	2	5
Total Exiters	5	8
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	40.0%	62.5%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	0.0%	92.9%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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Adult Recipients	5,222
Child Recipients	3,321
Total Recipients	8,528
Net Expenditures	$2,490,158
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$292

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	94
Child Recipients	508
Total Recipients	602
Net Expenditures	$299,404
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$497

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	22
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$204

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	6
Number of Type B Providers:	21
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	4

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Child Support Cases	3,350
Paternity Establishment Rate*	99.9%
Cases with Support Orders	2,616
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	78.1%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	63.1%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	58.7%

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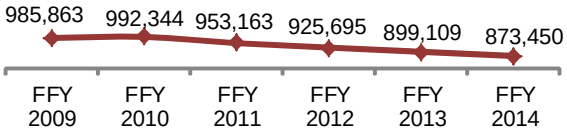

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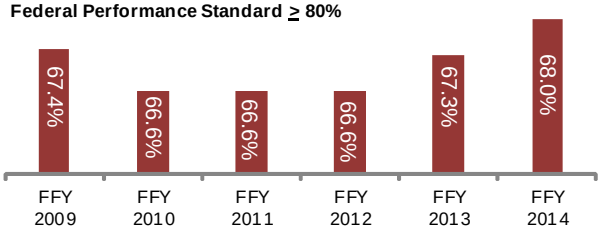

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	96	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	33	34.38%
Indicated	8	8.33%
Unsubstantiated	52	54.17%
Other*	1	1.04%
Alternative Responses	2	2.08%

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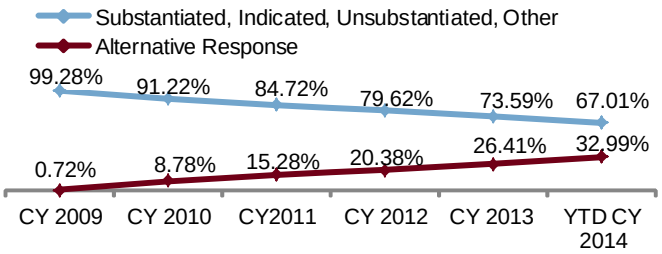

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

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Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
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2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

	2012 Poverty Estimates								Median Household Income
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US	48,760,123	15.9	16,396,863	22.6	11,086,537	21.0	5,014,970	25.6	$51,371
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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	24,700	24,600
Employed	22,900	23,200
Unemployed	1,800	1,300
Average Weekly Benefit	$298	$295
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.5	15.5
Unemployment Rate*	7.1%	5.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
Jobs for Veterans State	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
Intensive Services				
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	21	12
Total Exiters	24	13
Entered Employment Rate	87.5%	92.3%
Retention Rate	96.7%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$14,742	$16,884

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	23	9
Total Exiters	41	11
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	56.1%	81.8%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	51.2%	90.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,329
Child Recipients	3,676
Total Recipients	8,986
Net Expenditures	$2,722,732
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$303

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	42
Child Recipients	454
Total Recipients	496
Net Expenditures	$267,951
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$540

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	37
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$139

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	18
Number of Type B Providers:	3
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	3

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$6,908,462 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	3,229
Paternity Establishment Rate*	103.0%
Cases with Support Orders	2,963
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	91.8%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	68.8%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	69.4%

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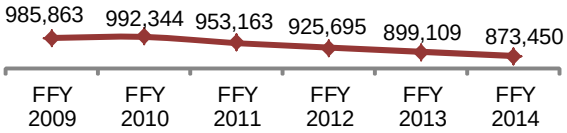

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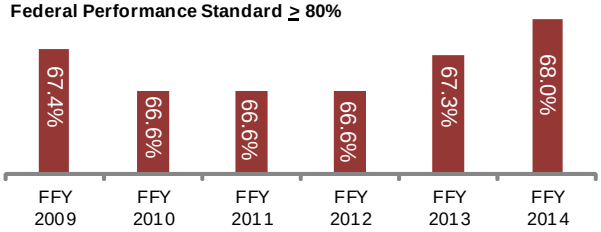

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	89	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	21	23.60%
Indicated	6	6.74%
Unsubstantiated	15	16.85%
Other*	0	0.00%
Alternative Responses	47	52.81%

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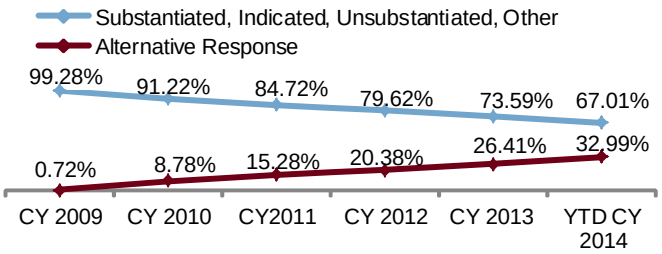

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	10,000	10,100
Employed	8,800	9,300
Unemployed	1,200	800
Average Weekly Benefit	$310	$320
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.7	16.9
Unemployment Rate*	12.0%	7.8%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	1	7
Total Exiters	1	7
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Retention Rate	91.7%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$10,310	$16,388

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	7	7
Total Exiters	9	7
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	77.8%	100.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	90.0%	44.4%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,536
Child Recipients	3,384
Total Recipients	8,901
Net Expenditures	$2,749,598
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$309

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	125
Child Recipients	524
Total Recipients	649
Net Expenditures	$323,154
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$498

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	24
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$359

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	6
Number of Type B Providers:	6
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	3

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$4,161,340 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,800
Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.0%
Cases with Support Orders	2,604
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	93.0%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	64.0%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	62.3%

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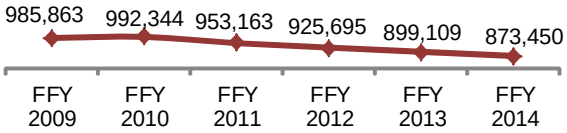

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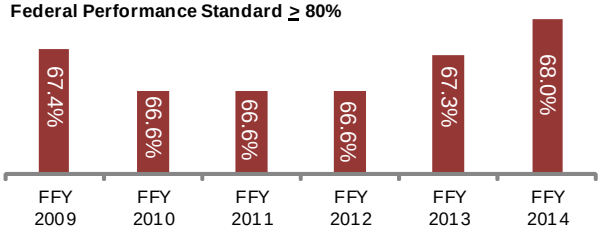

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	114	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	26	22.81%
Indicated	14	12.28%
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Other*	5	4.39%
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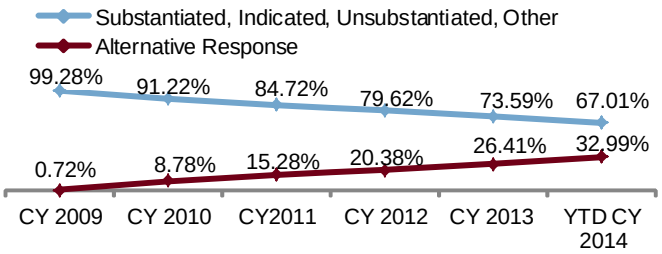

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Labor Force	91,300	90,300
Employed	85,400	86,100
Unemployed	5,900	4,200
Average Weekly Benefit	$312	$337
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.0	15.5
Unemployment Rate*	6.5%	4.6%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	4	0
Total Exiters	7	0
Entered Employment Rate	57.1%	0.0%
Retention Rate	81.3%	62.5%
Average Earnings	$22,828	$15,808

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	20	13
Total Exiters	39	18
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	51.3%	72.2%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	82.5%	83.3%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	10,435
Child Recipients	7,455
Total Recipients	17,857
Net Expenditures	$5,653,854
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$317

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	146
Child Recipients	701
Total Recipients	847
Net Expenditures	$428,943
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$506

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	183
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$276

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	51
Number of Type B Providers:	30
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	15

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$20,372,699 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	7,766
Paternity Establishment Rate*	100.4%
Cases with Support Orders	7,080
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	91.2%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	73.8%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	72.1%

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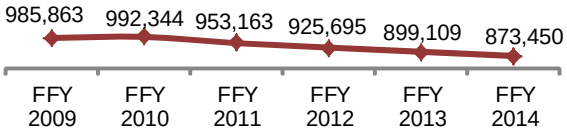

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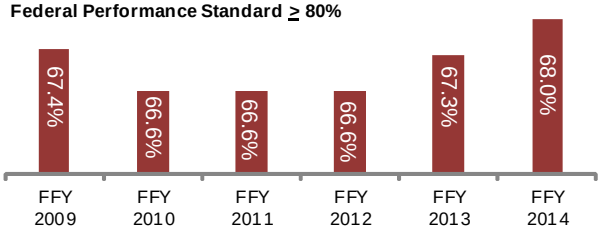

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	835	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	126	15.09%
Indicated	17	2.04%
Unsubstantiated	162	19.40%
Other*	4	0.48%
Alternative Responses	526	62.99%

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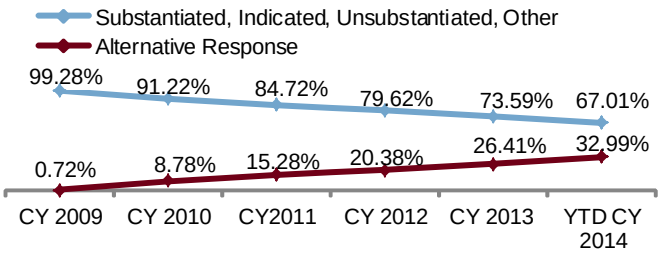

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	20,200	19,900
Employed	18,700	18,800
Unemployed	1,400	1,000
Average Weekly Benefit	$298	$293
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.8	16.4
Unemployment Rate*	7.1%	5.2%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	10	2
Total Exiters	12	2
Entered Employment Rate	83.3%	100.0%
Retention Rate	88.9%	92.3%
Average Earnings	$11,941	$20,350

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	6	2
Total Exiters	6	5
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	100.0%	40.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	75.0%	85.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	3,028
Child Recipients	2,499
Total Recipients	5,511
Net Expenditures	$1,573,555
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$286

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	15
Child Recipients	266
Total Recipients	281
Net Expenditures	$154,244
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$549

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	225
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$212

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	10
Number of Type B Providers:	2
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	6

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$5,797,257 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,374
Paternity Establishment Rate*	103.4%
Cases with Support Orders	2,221
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	93.6%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	69.5%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	70.8%

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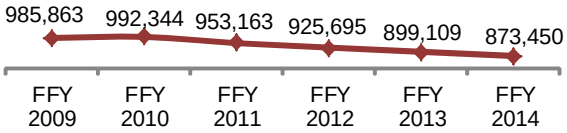

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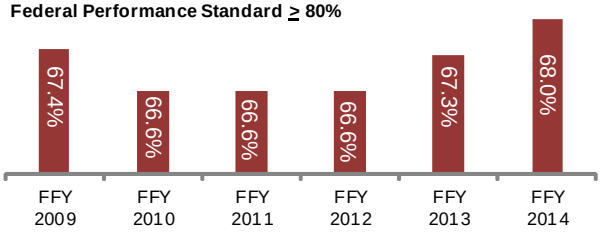

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	183	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	31	16.94%
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Other*	6	3.28%
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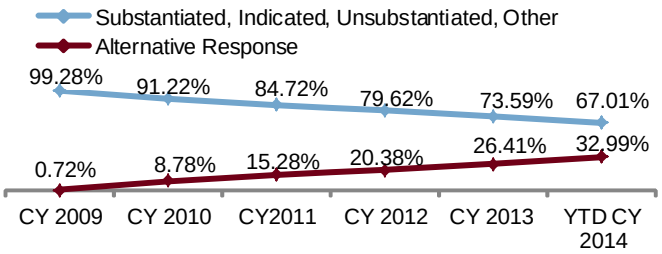

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	17,800	17,700
Employed	16,800	17,000
Unemployed	1,000	700
Average Weekly Benefit	$307	$300
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	12.5	12.6
Unemployment Rate*	5.7%	4.0%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	16	7
Total Exiters	17	7
Entered Employment Rate	94.1%	100.0%
Retention Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$11,996	$12,211

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	2	2
Total Exiters	3	3
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	66.7%	66.7%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	100.0%	33.3%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	1,482
Child Recipients	1,316
Total Recipients	2,796
Net Expenditures	$774,511
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$277

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5
Child Recipients	81
Total Recipients	86
Net Expenditures	$46,381
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$539

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	4
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$253

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	13
Number of Type B Providers:	11
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	3

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$3,437,422 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,192
Paternity Establishment Rate*	103.4%
Cases with Support Orders	1,162
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	97.5%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	80.3%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	80.7%

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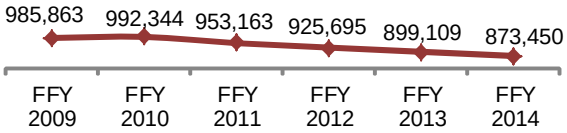

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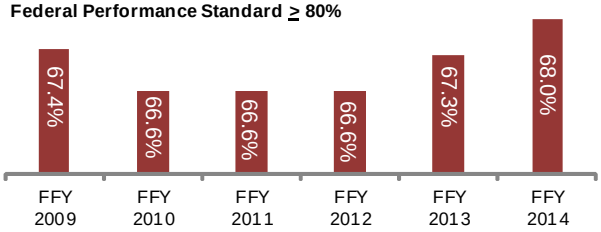

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	76	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	7	9.21%
Indicated	7	9.21%
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Other*	1	1.32%
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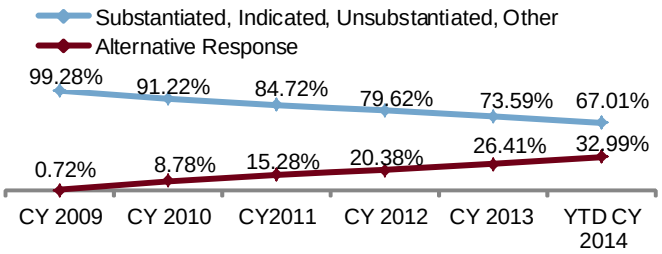

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Labor Force	56,800	56,200
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Unemployed	4,300	3,200
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Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.1	14.5
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Total Participants	9	42
Total Exiters	15	63
Entered Employment Rate	60.0%	66.7%
Retention Rate	83.3%	82.3%
Average Earnings	$13,630	$11,056

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	30	24
Total Exiters	44	43
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	68.2%	55.8%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	73.9%	59.1%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	66.7%	100.0%

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Child Recipients	9,873
Total Recipients	23,280
Net Expenditures	$7,203,313
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Child Recipients	1,571
Total Recipients	1,977
Net Expenditures	$953,850
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$482

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	599
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$242

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

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Child Support Cases	9,525
Paternity Establishment Rate*	97.5%
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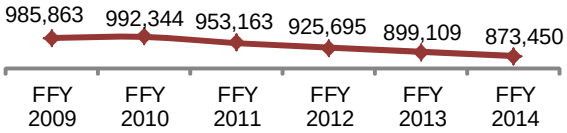

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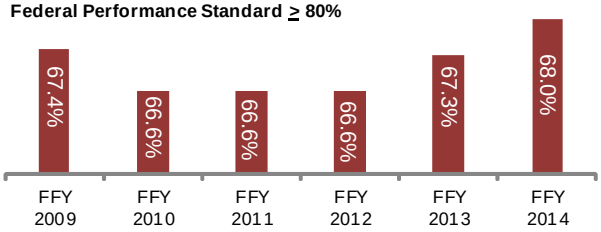

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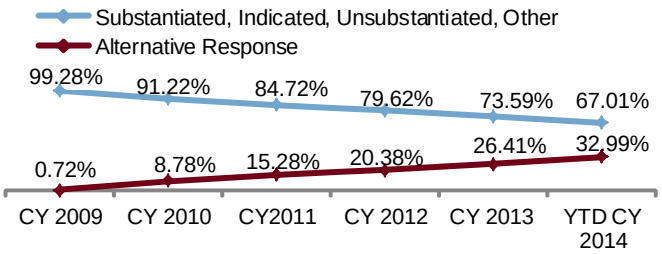

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	34,700	34,100
Employed	32,000	32,200
Unemployed	2,800	1,900
Average Weekly Benefit	$301	$298
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.9	17.2
Unemployment Rate*	7.9%	5.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	19	15
Total Exiters	31	19
Entered Employment Rate	61.3%	78.9%
Retention Rate	85.7%	81.8%
Average Earnings	$11,018	$10,496

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	11	0
Total Exiters	12	0
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	91.7%	0.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	27.3%	0.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	50.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	18,419
Child Recipients	11,152
Total Recipients	29,515
Net Expenditures	$9,495,977
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$322

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	870
Child Recipients	2,458
Total Recipients	3,327
Net Expenditures	$1,655,598
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$498

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	85
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$224

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	11
Number of Type B Providers:	13
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	9

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$11,096,521 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	6,229
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.3%
Cases with Support Orders	5,399
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	86.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	67.0%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	66.4%

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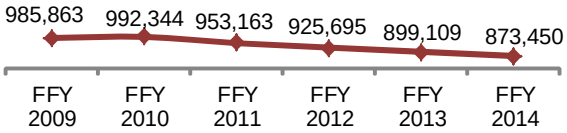

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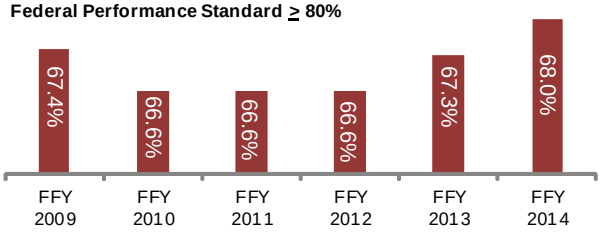

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
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Traditional Response Status:		
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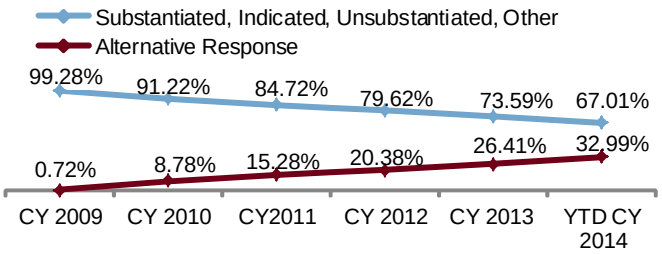

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	32,100	32,000
Employed	30,000	30,500
Unemployed	2,100	1,500
Average Weekly Benefit	$314	$316
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	13.6	12.2
Unemployment Rate*	6.6%	4.7%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	44	93
Total Exiters	48	97
Entered Employment Rate	91.7%	95.9%
Retention Rate	93.7%	93.5%
Average Earnings	$17,423	$17,203

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	14	12
Total Exiters	24	14
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	58.3%	85.7%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	71.9%	68.4%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	20.0%	0.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	4,051
Child Recipients	3,704
Total Recipients	7,739
Net Expenditures	$2,212,279
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$286

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	34
Child Recipients	303
Total Recipients	337
Net Expenditures	$168,330
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$499

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	200
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$259

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	23
Number of Type B Providers:	76
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	11

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$11,346,087 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	4,956
Paternity Establishment Rate*	103.7%
Cases with Support Orders	4,704
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	94.9%
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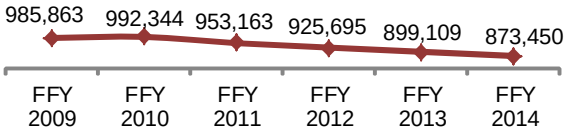

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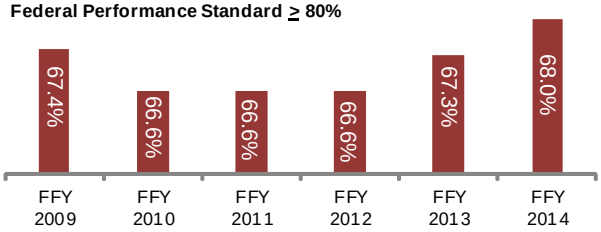

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	186	100.00%
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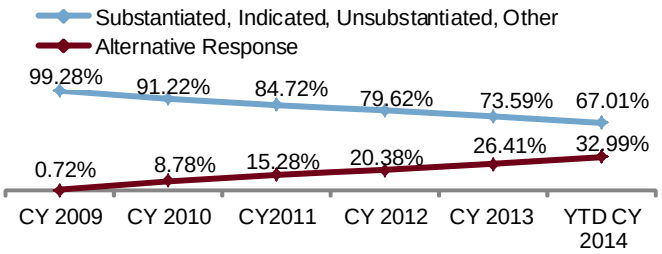

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	71	68
Total Exiters	78	77
Entered Employment Rate	91.0%	88.3%
Retention Rate	79.5%	87.1%
Average Earnings	$16,839	$14,735

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	32	24
Total Exiters	42	34
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	76.2%	70.6%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	70.6%	84.4%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	60.0%	100.0%

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Child Recipients	8,257
Total Recipients	23,163
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OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	165
Child Recipients	1,485
Total Recipients	1,649
Net Expenditures	$924,074
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$560

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$240

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

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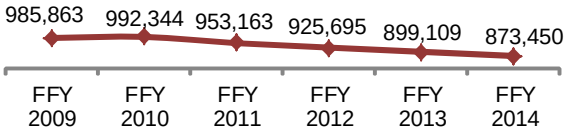

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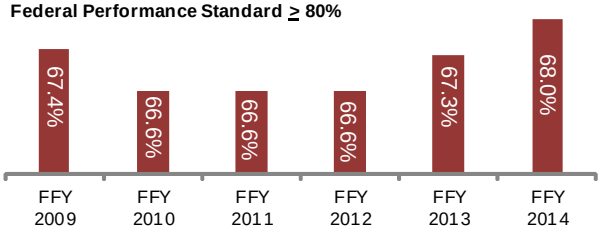

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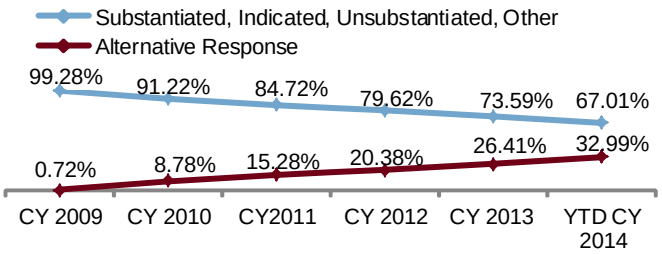

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	27,600	28,100
Employed	25,700	26,700
Unemployed	1,900	1,300
Average Weekly Benefit	$293	$303
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	14.0	12.9
Unemployment Rate*	6.8%	4.8%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	93	43
Total Exiters	101	44
Entered Employment Rate	92.1%	97.7%
Retention Rate	91.8%	95.0%
Average Earnings	$15,102	$15,289

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	20	22
Total Exiters	25	25
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	80.0%	88.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	61.3%	58.1%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,027
Child Recipients	3,893
Total Recipients	8,906
Net Expenditures	$2,634,875
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$296

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5
Child Recipients	236
Total Recipients	241
Net Expenditures	$126,692
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$526

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	70
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$227

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	12
Number of Type B Providers:	8
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	7

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$8,489,893 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	4,224
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.4%
Cases with Support Orders	4,066
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	96.3%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	67.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	72.0%

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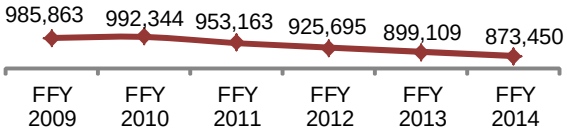

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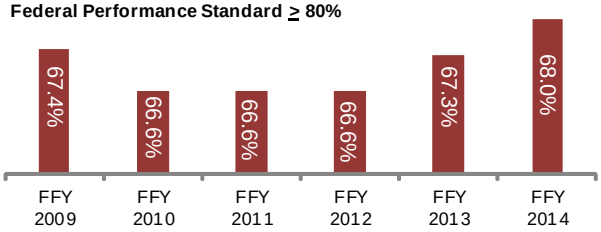

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	236	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	38	16.10%
Indicated	17	7.20%
Unsubstantiated	48	20.34%
Other*	2	0.85%
Alternative Responses	131	55.51%

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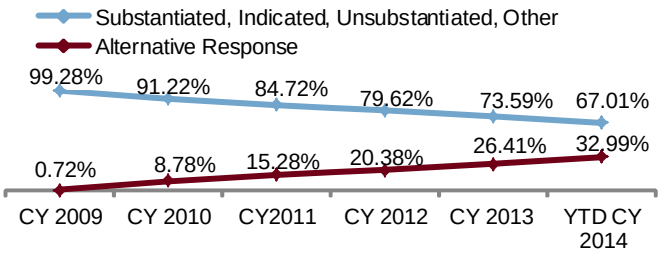

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	25,400	25,100
Employed	23,900	24,100
Unemployed	1,500	1,100
Average Weekly Benefit	$298	$289
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	14.2	14.7
Unemployment Rate*	5.8%	4.3%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	11	6
Total Exiters	13	6
Entered Employment Rate	84.6%	100.0%
Retention Rate	87.5%	58.8%
Average Earnings	$15,485	$11,529

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	5	4
Total Exiters	8	4
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	62.5%	100.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	66.7%	75.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	0.0%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2,435
Child Recipients	2,396
Total Recipients	4,827
Net Expenditures	$1,334,257
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$276

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	11
Child Recipients	266
Total Recipients	277
Net Expenditures	$146,824
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$530

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	72
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$337

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	11
Number of Type B Providers:	12
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	4

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$7,398,406 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	3,778
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.0%
Cases with Support Orders	3,424
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	90.6%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	71.0%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	70.9%

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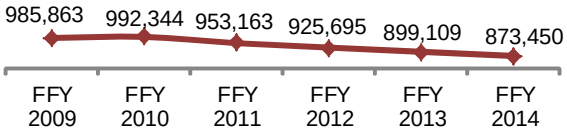
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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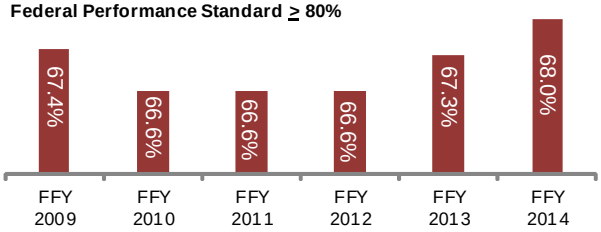

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	147	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	26	17.69%
Indicated	12	8.16%
Unsubstantiated	36	24.49%
Other*	3	2.04%
Alternative Responses	70	47.62%

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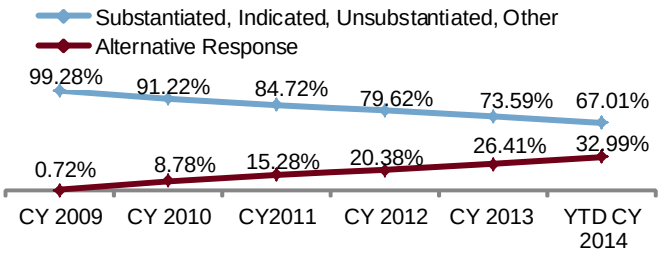

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Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	186,300	185,500
Employed	173,200	176,000
Unemployed	13,100	9,400
Average Weekly Benefit	$296	$293
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.1	14.8
Unemployment Rate*	7.1%	5.1%

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Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	54	27
Total Exiters	60	30
Entered Employment Rate	90.0%	90.0%
Retention Rate	89.8%	90.0%
Average Earnings	$15,897	$16,722

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	65	68
Total Exiters	100	96
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	65.0%	70.8%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	72.0%	74.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	63.2%	100.0%

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Child Recipients	25,624
Total Recipients	62,234
Net Expenditures	$19,862,722
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$319

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Child Recipients	3,787
Total Recipients	4,908
Net Expenditures	$2,244,152
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$457

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	1,563
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$295

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	120
Number of Type B Providers:	46
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	41

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$51,600,463 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	28,719
Paternity Establishment Rate*	97.4%
Cases with Support Orders	24,690
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	86.0%
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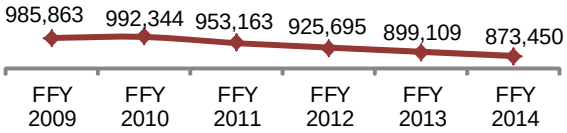

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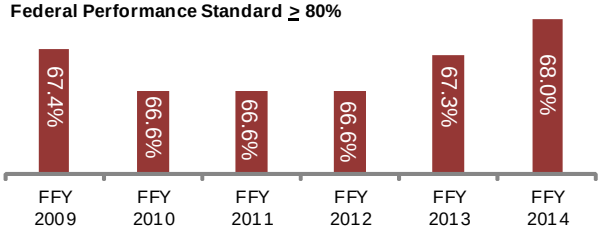

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	1,766	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
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Indicated	54	3.06%
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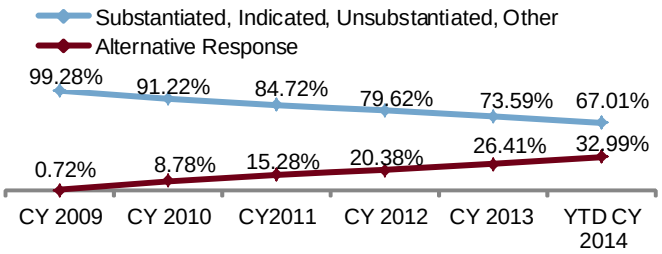

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Total Exiters	347	401
Entered Employment Rate	64.3%	69.1%
Retention Rate	80.2%	76.4%
Average Earnings	$14,232	$13,807

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	181	138
Total Exiters	256	219
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	70.7%	63.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	56.0%	43.5%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	43.9%	0.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	55,807
Child Recipients	37,671
Total Recipients	93,313
Net Expenditures	$31,257,137
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$335

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	913
Child Recipients	5,017
Total Recipients	5,930
Net Expenditures	$3,059,280
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$516

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

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Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count): 2,143

Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child): $404

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers: 216

Number of Type B Providers: 117

Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings: 61

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$71,330,996 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	43,377
Paternity Establishment Rate*	99.3%
Cases with Support Orders	40,947
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	94.4%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	69.9%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	61.6%

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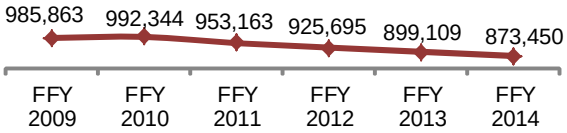

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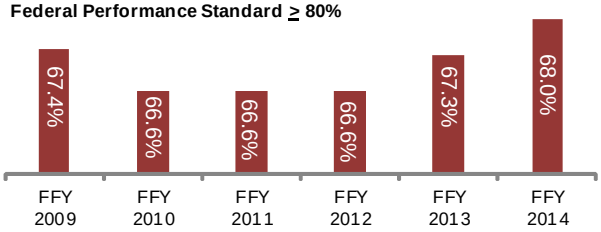

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	1,657	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	305	18.41%
Indicated	180	10.86%
Unsubstantiated	689	41.58%
Other*	22	1.33%
Alternative Responses	461	27.82%

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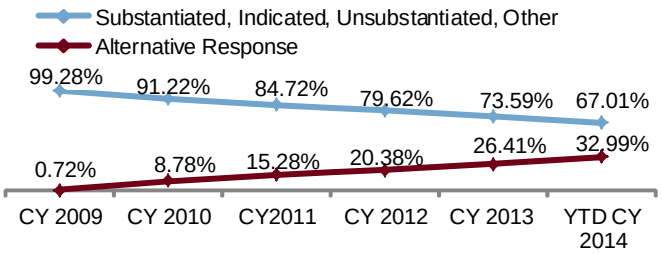

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
Certified Approved Non Relative	327	Detention Facility	43
Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

Year	Population
2013	11,570,808
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1990	10,847,115

2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

	2012 Poverty Estimates								Median Household Income
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Ohio	1,818,886	16.2	617,006	23.6	411,818	21.4	192,591	28.3	$46,873

Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	100,600	97,700
Employed	93,000	91,900
Unemployed	7,700	5,900
Average Weekly Benefit	$300	$308
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.9	15.5
Unemployment Rate*	7.6%	6.0%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
Jobs for Veterans State Intensive Services	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

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Workforce Investment Act, Program Year (PY) 2012* and PY 2013*

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	132	74
Total Exiters	153	78
Entered Employment Rate	86.3%	94.9%
Retention Rate	87.1%	94.6%
Average Earnings	$15,431	$16,191

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	12	15
Total Exiters	23	20
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	52.2%	75.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	59.1%	72.2%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	60.0%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	21,122
Child Recipients	15,241
Total Recipients	36,293
Net Expenditures	$10,935,702
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$301

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	643
Child Recipients	2,247
Total Recipients	2,889
Net Expenditures	$1,426,157
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$494

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

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Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	727
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$281

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	56
Number of Type B Providers:	61
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	26

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$30,769,571 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	19,784
Paternity Establishment Rate*	100.4%
Cases with Support Orders	17,946
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	90.7%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	65.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	63.7%

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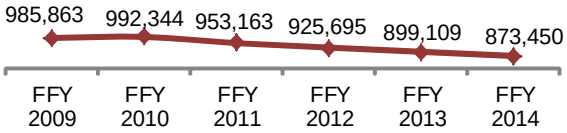
Number of Ohio IV-D Child Support Cases



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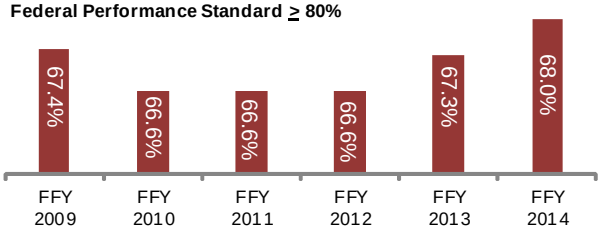

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	778	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	69	8.87%
Indicated	45	5.78%
Unsubstantiated	109	14.01%
Other*	9	1.16%
Alternative Responses	546	70.18%

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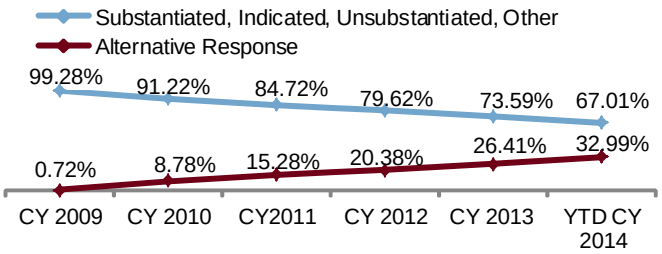

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	47,100	47,600
Employed	44,100	45,500
Unemployed	3,000	2,100
Average Weekly Benefit	$305	$307
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	14.3	13.9
Unemployment Rate*	6.3%	4.4%

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Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	15	11
Total Exiters	16	11
Entered Employment Rate	93.8%	100.0%
Retention Rate	94.4%	94.7%
Average Earnings	$13,511	$12,337

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	16	0
Total Exiters	22	0
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	72.7%	0.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	84.6%	0.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	100.0%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	7,898
Child Recipients	5,213
Total Recipients	13,085
Net Expenditures	$3,793,094
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$290

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	50
Child Recipients	471
Total Recipients	521
Net Expenditures	$285,983
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$549

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	128
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$217

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	26
Number of Type B Providers:	44
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	16

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$13,823,653 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	6,849
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.0%
Cases with Support Orders	6,532
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.4%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	72.6%
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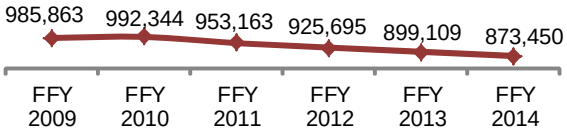

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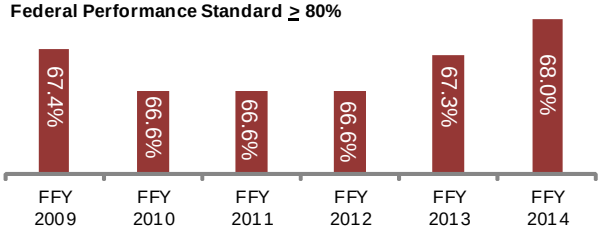

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	245	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	38	15.51%
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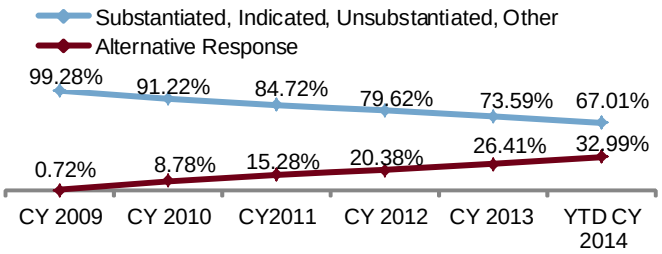

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Unemployed	1,500	1,100
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Total Participants	11	18
Total Exiters	13	23
Entered Employment Rate	84.6%	78.3%
Retention Rate	87.5%	91.7%
Average Earnings	$12,174	$15,774

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants		1
Total Exiters		1
Placement in Employment or Education Rate		100.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate		0.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2,235
Child Recipients	1,898
Total Recipients	4,123
Net Expenditures	$1,192,836
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$289

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	40
Child Recipients	209
Total Recipients	249
Net Expenditures	$114,623
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$460

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	0
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$0

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	15
Number of Type B Providers:	9
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$7,107,060 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,680
Paternity Establishment Rate*	100.8%
Cases with Support Orders	2,581
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	96.3%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	77.9%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	77.7%

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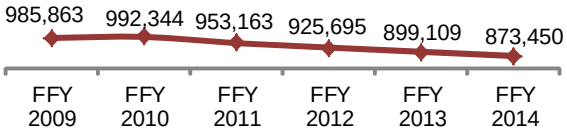

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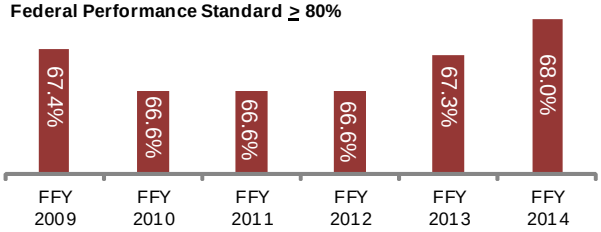

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	229	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	39	17.03%
Indicated	21	9.17%
Unsubstantiated	58	25.33%
Other*	2	0.87%
Alternative Responses	109	47.60%

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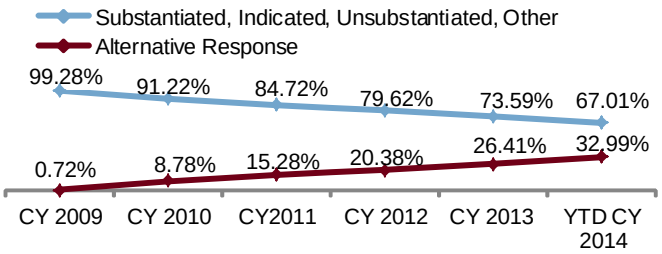

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Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

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Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Ohio's Population

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	13,700	14,100
Employed	12,800	13,400
Unemployed	900	600
Average Weekly Benefit	$295	$292
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.4	15.4
Unemployment Rate*	6.7%	4.5%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
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W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

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Workforce Investment Act, Program Year (PY) 2012* and PY 2013*

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	6	7
Total Exiters	6	7
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Retention Rate	100.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings		$18,730

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	2	7
Total Exiters	3	9
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	66.7%	77.8%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	66.7%	75.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	1,866
Child Recipients	1,543
Total Recipients	3,401
Net Expenditures	$900,996
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$265

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Ohio Works First (OWF) is the financial assistance portion of the state's Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program, which provides cash benefits to needy families for up to 36 months.

Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	38
Child Recipients	172
Total Recipients	210
Net Expenditures	$99,563
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$474

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	0
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$0

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	6
Number of Type B Providers:	1
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$3,685,826 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,639
Paternity Establishment Rate*	105.0%
Cases with Support Orders	1,562
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.3%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	76.9%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	78.3%

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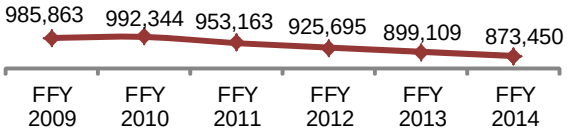

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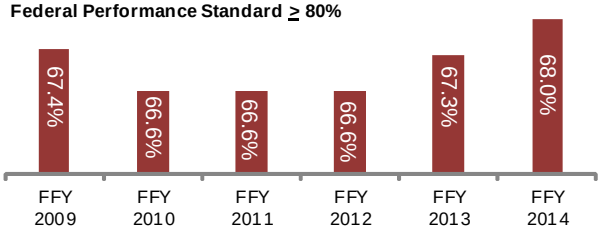

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	95	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	30	31.58%
Indicated	17	17.89%
Unsubstantiated	32	33.68%
Other*	1	1.05%
Alternative Responses	15	15.79%

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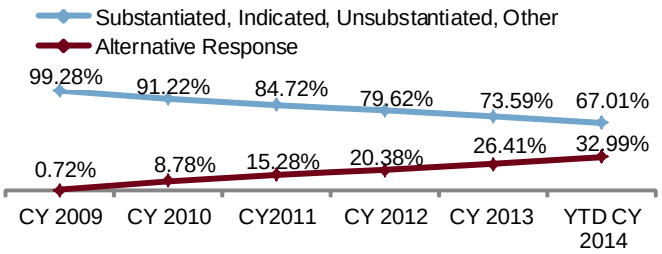

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	5,400	5,300
Employed	4,900	5,000
Unemployed	500	400
Average Weekly Benefit	$283	$273
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.3	13.6
Unemployment Rate*	9.5%	6.8%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	6	3
Total Exiters	10	5
Entered Employment Rate	60.0%	60.0%
Retention Rate	90.0%	100.0%
Average Earnings	$18,744	$8,999

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants		2
Total Exiters		4
Placement in Employment or Education Rate		50.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	0.0%	25.0%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	100.0%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Total Recipients	
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OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	8
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$235

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	1
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Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$1,700,076 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,154
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.2%
Cases with Support Orders	956
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	82.8%
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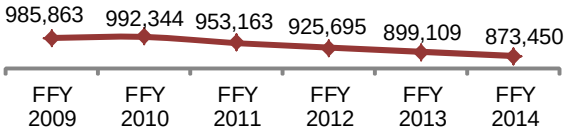

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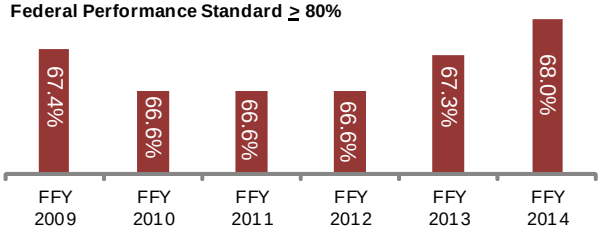

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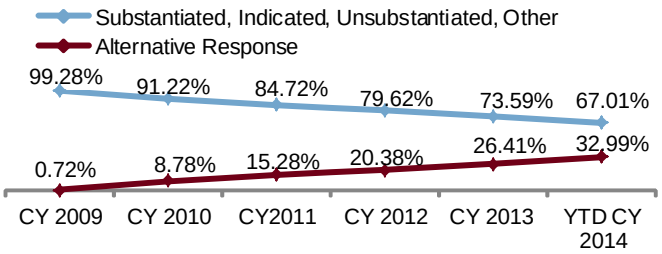

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Total Participants	25	47
Total Exiters	29	51
Entered Employment Rate	86.2%	92.2%
Retention Rate	89.2%	92.3%
Average Earnings	$13,967	$10,982

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	2	9
Total Exiters	2	11
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	100.0%	81.8%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	100.0%	77.8%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,906
Child Recipients	5,156
Total Recipients	11,048
Net Expenditures	$3,186,404
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$288

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	90
Child Recipients	685
Total Recipients	775
Net Expenditures	$391,967
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$506

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	369
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$378

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	84
Number of Type B Providers:	20
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	29

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$38,170,521 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	11,363
Paternity Establishment Rate*	102.8%
Cases with Support Orders	10,958
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	96.4%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	75.7%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	67.6%

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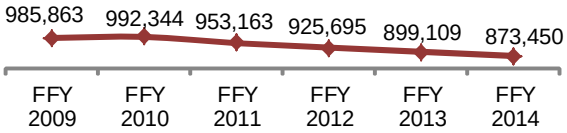

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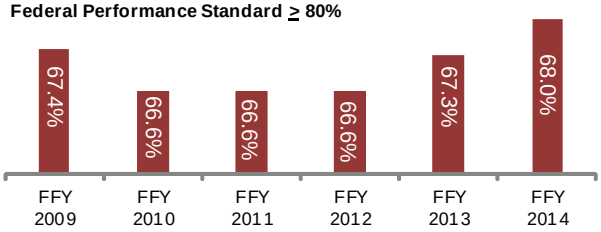

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Child Abuse/Neglect Referral	Referrals	Percent of Total
	397	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
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Indicated	35	8.82%
Unsubstantiated	212	53.40%
Other*	30	7.56%
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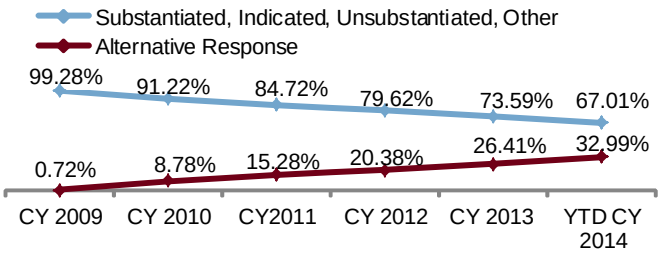

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	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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Washington County QuickView

Ohio's Population

Year	Population
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2012 Poverty and Median income Estimates, Ohio and U.S.

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau (http://www.census.gov/did/www/saipe/downloads/estmod12/) Release date December 2013

Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	31,000	31,100
Employed	29,100	29,500
Unemployed	1,900	1,500
Average Weekly Benefit	$320	$313
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.9	14.9
Unemployment Rate*	6.1%	5.0%

*Not Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, September 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	11	12
Total Exiters	14	16
Entered Employment Rate	78.6%	75.0%
Retention Rate	96.9%	87.0%
Average Earnings	$14,918	$16,363

*Blank Field = Data not available.

Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	6	5
Total Exiters	8	6
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	75.0%	83.3%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	83.3%	72.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	66.7%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,382
Child Recipients	3,515
Total Recipients	8,882
Net Expenditures	$2,537,359
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$286

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	2
Child Recipients	210
Total Recipients	212
Net Expenditures	$127,612
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$602

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	76
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$192

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	30
Number of Type B Providers:	11
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	12

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$7,783,824 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	3,468
Paternity Establishment Rate*	103.8%
Cases with Support Orders	3,308
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	95.4%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	73.0%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	72.7%

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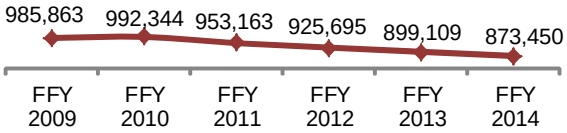

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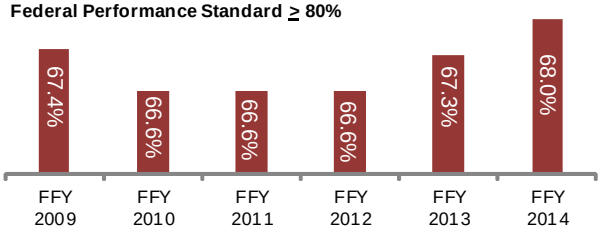

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	242	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	45	18.60%
Indicated	11	4.55%
Unsubstantiated	33	13.64%
Other*	0	0.00%
Alternative Responses	153	63.22%

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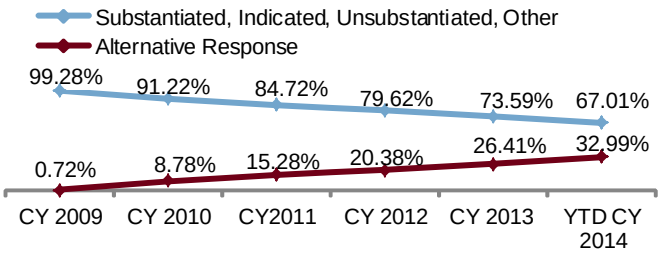

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	56,100	57,400
Employed	52,600	54,900
Unemployed	3,500	2,500
Average Weekly Benefit	$318	$316
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	15.1	14.6
Unemployment Rate*	6.2%	4.3%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	52	25
Total Exiters	72	38
Entered Employment Rate	72.2%	65.8%
Retention Rate	83.5%	87.5%
Average Earnings	$11,311	$14,989

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	25	13
Total Exiters	32	19
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	78.1%	68.4%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	65.5%	66.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate		

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	8,141
Child Recipients	5,453
Total Recipients	13,575
Net Expenditures	$4,132,195
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$304

OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	210
Child Recipients	678
Total Recipients	887
Net Expenditures	$384,872
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$434

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	291
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$257

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	37
Number of Type B Providers:	25
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	18

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$14,911,756 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	6,400
Paternity Establishment Rate*	103.3%
Cases with Support Orders	6,206
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	97.0%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	75.9%
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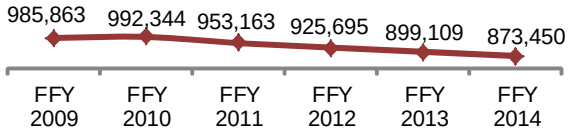

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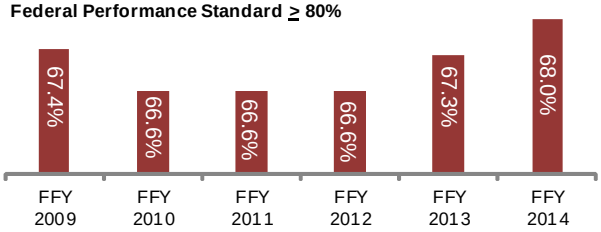

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	565	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	85	15.04%
Indicated	91	16.11%
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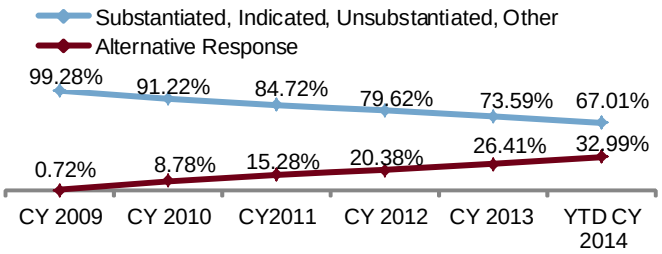

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Total Participants	10	12
Total Exiters	11	16
Entered Employment Rate	90.9%	75.0%
Retention Rate	83.3%	77.8%
Average Earnings	$18,588	$14,443

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	5	13
Total Exiters	7	17
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	71.4%	76.5%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	85.0%	61.1%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	66.7%	100.0%

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	3,203
Child Recipients	2,548
Total Recipients	5,741
Net Expenditures	$1,638,244
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$285

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Cash Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	25
Child Recipients	164
Total Recipients	189
Net Expenditures	$85,418
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$452

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August, 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	31
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$235

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	10
Number of Type B Providers:	9
Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	2

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$5,850,556 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	2,541
Paternity Establishment Rate*	104.5%
Cases with Support Orders	2,447
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Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	76.3%

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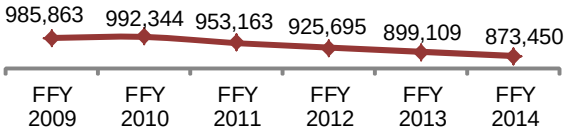

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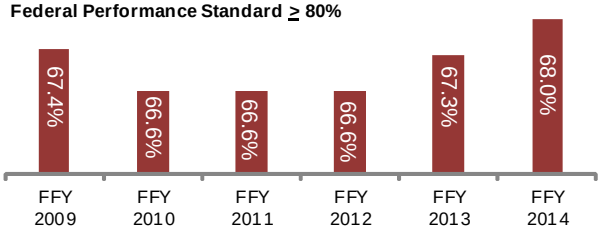

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Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	40	31.75%
Indicated	16	12.70%
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Other*	5	3.97%
Alternative Responses	42	33.33%

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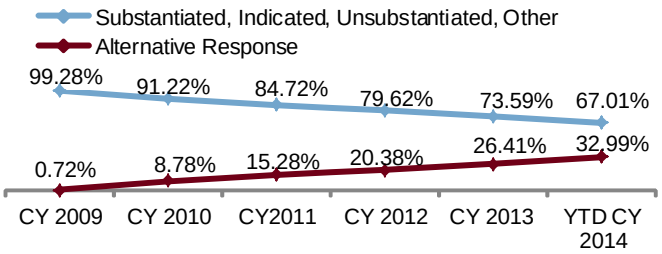

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Labor Force and Employment

	Aug. 2013	Aug. 2014
Labor Force	66,000	66,400
Employed	61,500	63,200
Unemployed	4,600	3,200
Average Weekly Benefit	$334	$335
Average UC Duration (# weeks)	16.1	15.2
Unemployment Rate*	6.9%	4.8%

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Adult Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	34	27
Total Exiters	34	34
Entered Employment Rate	100.0%	79.4%
Retention Rate	90.2%	84.8%
Average Earnings	$14,728	$16,749

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	36	42
Total Exiters	48	57
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	75.0%	73.7%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	83.0%	52.7%
Literacy/Numeracy Gains Rate	51.9%	100.0%

SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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SNAP Assistance	(Unduplicated Number of Recipients)
Adult Recipients	5,153
Child Recipients	4,182
Total Recipients	9,329
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OWF, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Child Recipients	432
Total Recipients	470
Net Expenditures	$251,098
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$534

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

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Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count):	316
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):	$329

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers:	39
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Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings:	16

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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$16,423,470 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	6,335
Paternity Establishment Rate*	100.1%
Cases with Support Orders	6,091
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	96.1%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	76.6%
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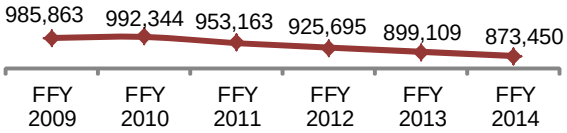

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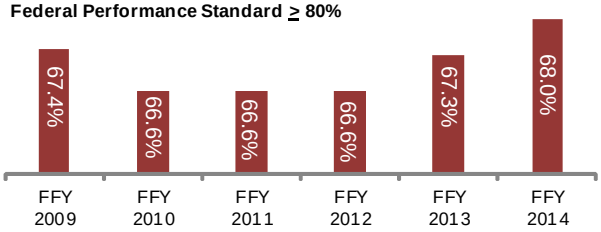

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	501	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
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Indicated	63	12.57%
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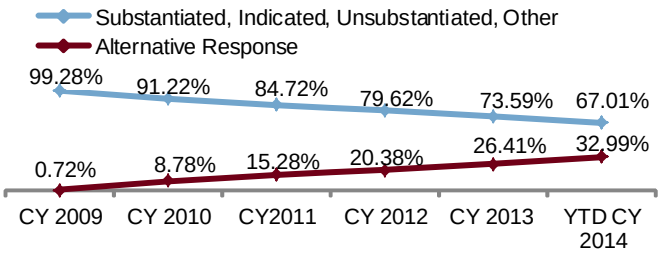

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Total Exiters	15	10
Entered Employment Rate	80.0%	70.0%
Retention Rate	88.2%	75.0%
Average Earnings	$13,874	$14,627

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Youth Programs	PY 2012*	PY 2013*
Total Participants	8	6
Total Exiters	13	10
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	61.5%	60.0%
Attainment of Certificate or Diplomacy Rate	33.3%	85.7%
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Child Recipients	828
Total Recipients	1,996
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Total Recipients	82
Net Expenditures	$44,847
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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child):

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

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Number of Type B Providers: 11

Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings: 0

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$3,381,170 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

Child Support Cases	1,275
Paternity Establishment Rate*	99.9%
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Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	94.4%
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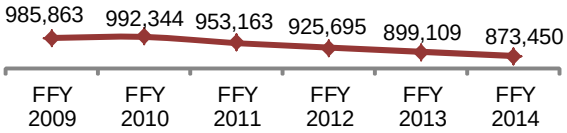

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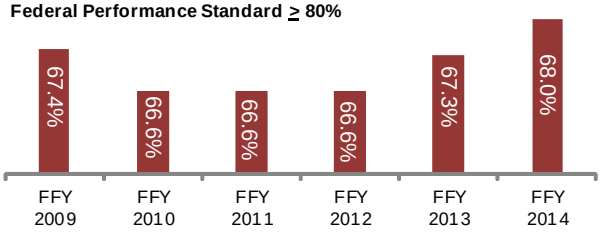

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	62	100.00%
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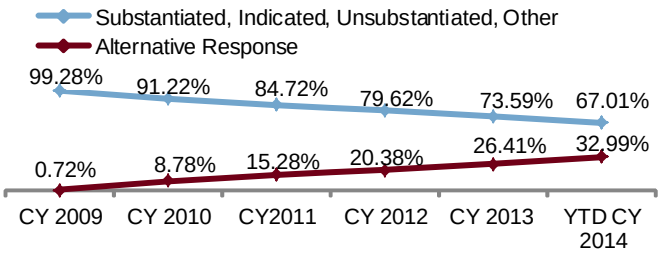

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Labor Force	5,765,000	5,727,000
Employed	5,336,000	5,408,000
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Average UC Duration (# weeks)	17.1	16.4
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Total Participants	12,912	12,813
Total Exiters	7,781	7,061
Entered Employment Rate	82.3%	82.2%
Retention Rate	90.2%	89.3%
Average Earnings	$15,629	$15,597

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Youth Programs	PY 2012	PY 2013
Total Participants	8,228	7,999
Total Exiters	3,535	2,703
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	67.2%	70.3%
Attainment of Certificate or Diploma Rate	63.8%	64.9%
Literacy/ Numeracy Gains Rate	57.6%	100.0%

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Child Recipients	820,110
Total Recipients	1,933,293
Net Expenditures	$630,988,660
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$326

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Child Recipients	114,619
Total Recipients	140,405
Net Expenditures	$69,839,473
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	$497

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Child Care, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated Count)	35,400
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg.Monthly Cost/Child)	$364

Step Up To Quality Program, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

Licensed Child Care Centers in Ohio	4,319
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Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

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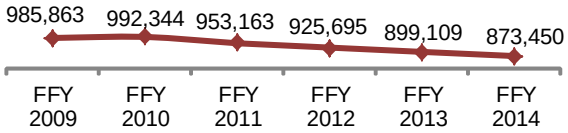

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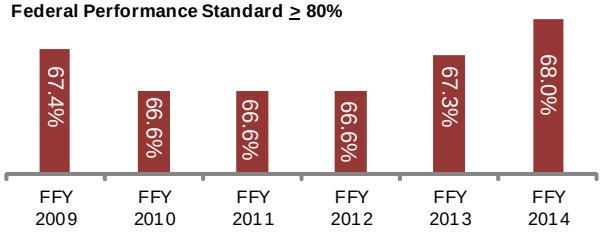

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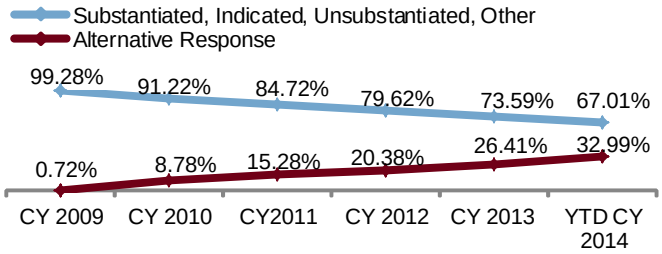

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South Central Ohio (SCO) QuickView

On January 1, 2013 the new South Central Ohio Job and Family Services (SCOJFS) agency began operations. The multi-county agency resulted from the merger of Hocking, Ross, and Vinton counties. Staff and commissioners from all three counties worked together for two and a half years to make the merger possible. The new shared service agency provides all the same services as any other county agency, while maximizing resources to more efficiently use Ohio's taxpayers dollars.

For some data categories, datasets for each county in the SCO agency will be displayed. Their combined totals, where mathematically possible, are shown in the 'SCO' column of the data category.

Population - 2012

	Hocking County	Ross County	Vinton County	SCO	State	% of Total Population SCO	% of Total Population State
Census Population	29,273	77,429	13,239	119,941	11,544,225	N/A	N/A
Age 0-17	6,815	17,168	3,117	27,100	2,663,674	22.6%	23.1%
Age 65 and Older	4,802	11,093	1,986	17,881	1,705,122	14.9%	14.8%

Poverty Levels as a Percentage of the Federal Poverty Level - 2012

	Hocking County	Ross County	Vinton County	SCO	State
<18 Years of Age in Poverty:	32.5%	28.0%	34.9%	N/A	23.6%
All Ages in Poverty:	20.1%	19.6%	21.9%	N/A	16.2%
Per Capita Income - 2012	$30,303	$32,101	$27,042	N/A	$40,057

Labor Force and Employment, August 2014

	Hocking County	Ross County	Vinton County	SCO*	State**
Labor Force	13,300	34,100	5,300	52,700	5,715,000
Employed	12,660	32,200	5,000	49,860	5,392,000
Unemployed	700	1,900	400	3,000	323,000
Avg. Weekly Benefit	$319	$298	$273	N/A	$318
UC Duration (# weeks)	14.2	17.2	13.6	N/A	16.4
Unemployment Rate	5.4%	5.5%	6.8%	N/A	5.7%

*County unemployment rates not seasonally adjusted **Seasonally Adjusted

Statewide Veterans Program Participation, Sept. 2014

Number of Veterans Served by Program	Oct-Dec 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Apr-Jun 2014	Jul-Sep 2014
Workforce Investment Act	1,630	1,556	1,485	*
Labor Exchange (LE)	76,855	76,523	76,998	*
Jobs for Veterans State	7,696	7,407	7,095	*
Intensive Services				
New Enrollments	1,095	934	813	875
Entered	838	619	630	647
Other Successful	100	63	88	92
W/O Successful	133	107	139	168

*Data Not Yet Available

Workforce Investment Act, Program Year (PY) 2013*

The federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) is a federally funded program that helps employers find a skilled workforce; provides training and employment opportunities for individuals to match their skills to current job opportunities; and measures program achievements in terms of customer outcomes and increased local accountability.

	Hocking County	Ross County	Vinton County	SCO	State
Adult Programs					
Total Participants	5	15	3	23	12,813
Total Exiters	6	19	5	30	7,061
Entered Employment Rate	83.3%	78.9%	60.0%	N/A	82.2%
Retention Rate	100.0%	81.8%	100.0%	N/A	89.3%
Average Earnings	$11,908	$10,496	$8,999	N/A	$15,597
Youth Programs					
Total Participants	12	0	2	14	7,999
Total Exiters	18	0	4	22	2,703
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	66.7%	N/A	50.0%	N/A	70.3%
Attainment of Certificate or Diploma Rate	72.2%	N/A	25.0%	N/A	64.9%
Literacy/ Numeracy Gains Rate	N/A	50.0%	100.0%	N/A	51.8%

*N/A = Data not available.

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SNAP, State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2015 (1st Qtr.)*

The Supplemental Assistance Program (SNAP) is designed to raise nutritional levels, expand buying power and safeguard the health and well-being of individuals and families whose gross monthly income is within 130 percent of the federal poverty guideline.

SNAP Assistance (Unduplicated Number of Recipients)	SCO*	State
Adult Recipients	18,419	1,116,930
Child Recipients	11,152	820,110
Total Recipients	29,515	1,933,293
Net Expenditures	$9,495,977	$630,988,660
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	N/A	$326

Ohio Works First (OWF), SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)*

Ohio Works First (OWF) is the financial assistance portion of the state's Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program, which provides cash benefits to needy families for up to 36 months.

Cash Assistance (CA) (Unduplicated Number of Recipients)	SCO*	State
Adult Recipients	870	25,841
Child Recipients	2,458	114,619
Total Recipients	3,327	140,405
Net Expenditures	$1,655,598	$69,839,473
Avg. Qtrly. Payment per Recipient	NA	$497

*The Unduplicated Number of Recipients for the SCO counties is reported as the combined total of the three SCO counties, shown on the Ross County QuickView. No values for SNAP and OWF are recorded on the Hocking County and Vinton County QuickViews. The same calculations apply to SNAP and OWF Net Expenditures.

In addition, there are requirements for SNAP and OWF participants to meet the Federal Work Participation Rates.*

*As of August 2014

	All-Parent:	Two-Parent:
Federal Standard	50.0%	90.0%
Ohio	56.0%	60.2%

Child Care and Step Up to Quality Programs, SFY 2015 (1st Qtr.)

	Hocking County	Ross County	Vinton County	SCO	State
Licensed Child Care Centers	5	11	1	17	4,319
Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Rating	3	9	2	14	1,429
Number of Type B Providers	15	13	7	35	3,756
Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Child Care (Unduplicated)	13	85	8	106	35,400
Public Child Care Fund Expenditures (Avg. Monthly Cost/Child	$167	$224	$235	NA	$364

Child Support, Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2014

$16,763,701 in IV-D child support was collected and allocated.

	Hocking County	Ross County	Vinton County	SCO	State
Child Support Cases	2,476	6,229	1,154	9,859	873,450
Paternity Establishment Rate*	101.5%	101.3%	101.2%	101.3%	96.4%
Cases with Support Orders	2,192	5,399	956	8,547	771,610
Percentage of Cases with Support Orders	88.5%	86.7%	82.8%	86.7%	88.3%
Collection Rate on Current Support Due	67.6%	67.0%	64.4%	66.8%	68.0%
Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears	66.2%	66.4%	64.0%	66.1%	65.1%

*The Paternity Establishment Rate is the total number of children born out-of-wedlock, who had active child support cases, for whom paternity was established or acknowledged as of the end of the reporting period, divided by the total number of children born out-of-wedlock, who had active child support cases, as reported 12 months prior to the reporting period. In some cases, the rate can exceed 100%.

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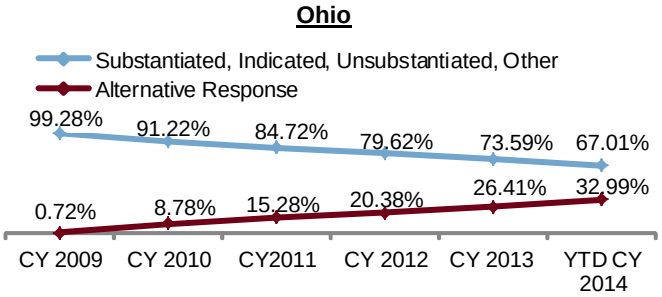
Child Welfare: Ohio's Differential Response System, September 2014

Differential Response offers child welfare agencies options for responding to reports of child abuse and neglect. Caseworkers partner with families and connect them with the services and supports they need to keep their children safe.

Child Abuse/Neglect Referrals - SCO	Total	Percent of Total
	799	100.00%
Traditional Response Status:		
Substantiated	167	20.90%
Indicated	79	9.89%
Unsubstantiated	231	28.91%
Other*	41	5.13%
Alternative Responses	281	35.17%

*Other refers to cases that were closed without findings or were lacking information that prevented follow-up.



Foster Care Placements in Ohio, September 2014

Ohio values keeping a child with family and those with whom he or she has a connection. Ohio's public children services agencies strive to work with relatives who are willing and able to assume custody of a child and any siblings to explore this option first in order to prevent a child from coming into an agency's care.

Foster Child Placement Types — **Total Placements: 12,677**

Adoptive Placement	393	Certified Group Home	554
Certified Approved Non Relative	327	Detention Facility	43
Certified Approved Relative	2,077	Independent Living	175
Certified Children's Residential Center	1,124	Licensed Medical/Educational Facility	27
Certified Emergency Shelter Care Facility	10	Own Home	3
Certified Foster Home	7,940	Residential Parenting Facility	4

Wendy's Wonderful Kids (WWK) Adoption Placement Program Status, September 2014

Dave Thomas Foundation Partnership

ODJFS continues the partnership with the Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption (DTFA) which, through its signature Wendy's Wonderful Kids (WWK) program, has increased the number of adoptions of children aged 9 to 17 in the permanent custody of children service agencies. Under the WWK model, children are 1.7 times more likely to be adopted than those not served. Many of these children have been in foster care for more than two years.

	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2	2014 Q3
Children on Active Caseloads	51	176	258	291	367	469	544	590	601
Children Matched	N/A	6	29	64	43	78	114	233	292
Children in Pre-Adoptive Placements	N/A	5	3	20	39	42	50	62	72
Adoptions	N/A	N/A	3	4	3	18	29	51	69

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OHIO COUNTY QUICKVIEWS DATA SOURCES

OHIO'S POPULATION
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division
(http://www.census.gov/popest/estimates.html) Release date: December 2013

2012 POVERTY AND MEDIAN INCOME ESTIMATES – OHIO & US
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates (SAIPE) Program Release date: December 2013

PER CAPITA INCOME
U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis
(http://www.bea.gov/iTable/iTable.cfm?reqid=70&step=1#reqid=70&step=29&isuri=1&7023=0&7024=non-industry&7001=421&7090=70&7022=21)

LABOR FORCE & EMPLOYMENT

- Labor Force – Employed – Unemployed:
  ODJFS Office of Workforce Development, Labor Market Information Bureau - RS 200, http://ohiolmi.com
- Average Weekly Benefit, http://ohiolmi.com/UC/Annual/UC200
- Average UC Duration (# weeks) - http://ohiolmi.com
  ODJFS Office of Workforce Development, Labor Market Information Bureau - RS 201
  http://ohiolmi.com/uc/Annual/UC201
- Unemployment Rate - Employment Situation Indicators for Ohio - http://ohiolmi.com

VETERAN'S ACTIVITY PARTICIPATION
U.S. Department of Labor

WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT (WIA)
Ohio's Annual WIA Report on the following DOL website:
http://www.doleta.gov/Performance/results/Reports.cfm?#wiastann
Source: ODJFS/OWD, based on SCOTI (Sharing Career Opportunities and Training Information) data

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP) ADULT/CHILD RECIPIENTS
Office of Families and Children, CRIS-E Program. Annual & Quarterly Unduplicated Recipient Eligibility Summary. Report Period: State Fiscal Year 2014 2nd Qtr, unduplicated counts of individuals for Food Assistance (CRIS-E Program ID FA by County and Adult/Child Status. Each individual is counted in the most recent County and Adult/Child Status for the individual in the Fiscal Year. If a person received more than one type of assistance during the fiscal year, that person is counted once for each assistance type.

NET EXPENDITURES
Source: ODJFS Business Intelligence Channel (BIC); OWF & FS Benefit Issuance – BICCUB1004

OHIO WORKS FIRST (OWF) ADULT/CHILD RECIPIENTS
Office of Families and Children, CRIS-E Program. Annual & Quarterly Unduplicated Recipient Eligibility Summary. Report Period: STATE FISCAL YEAR 2014 2nd Qtr, unduplicated counts of individuals for OWF (CRIS-E Program ID ADC) by County and Adult/Child Status. Each individual is counted in the most recent County and Adult/Child Status for the individual in the Fiscal Year. If a person received more than one type of assistance during the fiscal year, that person is counted once for each assistance type.

NET EXPENDITURES
Source: ODJFS Business Intelligence Channel (BIC); OWF & FS Benefit Issuance – BICCUB1004

OHIO COUNTY QUICKVIEWS DATA SOURCES

TANF WORK PARTICIPATION PROGRAM
Source: Business Intelligence Channel (BIC): Office of Family Assistance: Work Participation Reports, Federal 2-Parent and Federal All-Family

PUBLICLY FUNDED CHILD CARE

- Number of Children Using Publicly Funded Day Care
- Public Child Care Fund Expenditures

Source: Office of Children and Families, CCIDS Reporting System

STEP UP TO QUALITY (SUTQ) PROGRAM

- Number of Licensed Child Care Centers (Providers)
- Number of Licensed Child Care Centers Earning Quality Ratings

Source: Office of Children and Families, CCIDS Reporting System

CHILD SUPPORT

- IV-D Child Support Collections
- Number of Child Support Cases
- Paternity Establishment Rate
- Cases With Support Orders/ Percentage of Cases With Support Orders
- Collection Rate on Current Support Due
- Rate of Cases Paying on Arrears

Source: ODJFS Business Intelligence Channel (BIC), Office of Child Support, R157 Reports

OHIO'S DIFFERENTIAL RESPONSE SYSTEM
Source: ODJFS ROM Report

FOSTER CARE PLACEMENTS
Source: ODJFS Business Intelligence Channel (BIC), OFC-Office of Families & Children: Adult/Child Protection, Intake, Placement & Visitation

WENDY'S WONDERFUL KIDS (WWK) ADOPTION PLACEMENT PROGRAM
Source: Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption: DaveThomasFoundation.org