

Performance



FFY 2006 Performance Measurements

A portion of Ohio's Child Support Program funding includes federal dollars awarded as a result of Ohio meeting or exceeding federally established performance levels. The Child Support Performance Incentive Act of 1998 created an incentive system under which incentive payments may be made to each state based on its performance on five indicators. Ohio must compete with the other 49 states, Washington D.C., and territories to access the funds available from the federal government. The federal measurements and Ohio's performance in those five areas are listed below.

Paternity Establishment:

95.24%

55,566 children having paternity established in FFY 2006 (CPR)*
58,341 children needing paternity in FFY 2005 (Vital Statistics)*

Support Order Establishment:

73.33%

701,380 IV-D cases with orders
956,491 IV-D cases

Collections on Current Support:

69.14%

\$1,347,942,211 collected on current IV-D obligations
\$1,949,706,063 ordered on current IV-D obligations

Collections on Arrears:

67.30%

416,652 IV-D cases with collections on arrears
619,142 of IV-D cases with arrears

Cost Effectiveness:

\$6.29

\$1,733,343,753 collections distributed**
\$275,716,352 expended**

* These are the paternity numbers that will be reported on the FFY 2006 OCSE-157 annual report to the federal government. The federal methodology (current year paternities established divided by the prior year's children born out-of-wedlock) was used to calculate Paternity Establishment.

** The sum of total collections distributed, collections sent to other states, and fees retained by other states, divided by the sum of total cost claimed less non IV-D administrative cost.