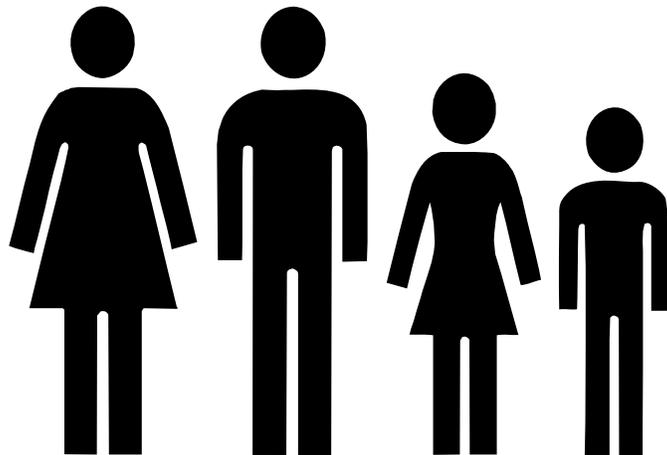


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MEMORANDUM

TO: Governor Mike Beebe

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SUBJ: **SFY 2008 DHS STATISTICAL REPORT**

In compliance with Act 414, Section 24 of 1961, we are pleased to submit the annual Arkansas Department of Human Services Statistical Report. Additionally, we are proud to present this report on the DHS main web site at <http://www.arkansas.gov/dhs>.

This report is a comprehensive statistical analysis of the Department's social programs and services that were provided to the citizens of Arkansas for state fiscal year 2008.

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John Selig, Director

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HISTORY

A growing nationwide awareness of the problems of the elderly--and the needs for services and assistance on their behalf--led to the passage of the Older Americans Act in 1965. This legislation created the Administration on Aging at the federal level and required that each state establish a state unit on aging to administer programs under the Act. Accordingly, Governor Orville Faubus established the Office on Aging in 1966 under the auspices of the Governor's office.

Since 1965, the Older Americans Act has been amended several times, each time expanding the role of state units on aging. Arkansas legislation also has changed the state unit's name, organization location, and its authority and funding responsibilities. The state unit was placed within the Department of Social Services in 1971. Act 228 of 1977 gave the agency divisional status and the responsibility for adult protective services was added by the General Assembly in 1979. Act 348 of 1985 created the Division of Aging and Adult Services (DAAS) within the reorganized Arkansas Department of Human Services.

MISSION AND OBJECTIVES

The mission of the Division of Aging and Adult Services is to promote the health, safety, and independence of older Arkansans and adults with physical disabilities. The Division serves as the focal point for all matters concerning older Arkansans; serves as an effective and visible advocate for older individuals; gives citizens a choice of how and where they receive long term care services; plans, coordinates, funds, and evaluates programs for older Americans.

THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGING NETWORK

The federal organization that makes the Older Americans Act a reality is the Administration on Aging (AoA). AoA is directly under the Department of Human Services (DHS). The administrative network reaches through the 10 regional offices of DHS to the 56 State Units on Aging (SUAs) and some 655 Area Agencies on Aging (AAAs).

PRESIDENCY

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

ADMINISTRATION ON AGING

Recommends policy, develops regulations to implement the Older Americans Act (OAA) and administers the OAA budget, grants for research, training, model projects, etc.

REGIONAL OFFICES ON AGING

(10 Regions)

Provide technical assistance to states and monitor state aging programs.

STATE UNITS ON AGING

(56 Jurisdictions)

Coordinate state level activities on behalf of older people, develop and administer the state plans on aging, serve as advocates, and provide technical assistance to Area Agencies on Aging.

AREA AGENCIES ON AGING

(655 Agencies)

Develop and implement the area plans on aging, serve as advocates for older people, coordinate with other agencies and organizations in the planning and service areas to develop comprehensive aging service systems, and administer the Older Americans Act programs within their jurisdictions.

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Senior Citizens Centers provide a wide range of services for aging adults, typically including recreational activities for adults, socialization, educational programs, and other services. **Arkansas has 197 such centers.**

Chore Services is for individuals without adequate help to perform services for them. This is a household service which may include running errands, preparing food, simple household tasks, heavy cleaning or yard and walk maintenance which the client is unable to perform alone and which do not require the services of a trained homemaker or other specialist. **There were 607 clients served in SFY 2008.**

Homemaker provides household management tasks such as menu planning, bill paying, and checking account management. Individuals must be without significant social support systems able to perform services for them. **Homemaker served 640 clients in SFY 2008.**

Legal Assistance clients must be age 60+ needing legal advice that does not involve criminal charges. **Legal Assistance provided 1,003 hours of service to 193 clients in SFY 2008.**

Congregate Meals are available for individuals over 60 years of age. The meals are served in a group setting such as a senior center or elderly housing facility and are usually associated with activities to promote social interaction and reduce social isolation. **This service provided 1,683,354 meals to 25,639 clients in SFY 2008.**

Home Delivered Meals provides meals to clients who are age 60+ (or spouse or disabled dependent of person age 60+), homebound, and unable to prepare nutritionally adequate meals, and living in an area where the meal can be delivered. **Home Delivered Meals served 2,249,912 meals to 15,765 clients in SFY 2008.**

Client Representation is provided by a knowledgeable worker who assists individuals in receiving services and benefits for which they are eligible. **Assistance was provided to 9,261 unduplicated clients in SFY 2008.**

Personal Care assists Medicaid clients in meeting daily living tasks to enable the client to remain in the community. Traditionally, personal care is provided by an agency but is available to some as a monthly cash allowance through the Independent Choices program. **Service was provided to 1,255 clients in SFY 2008.**

ElderChoices is a Medicaid home and community-based program that provides in-home services to individuals 65 and over. These in-home services are designed to delay or prevent institutionalization by maintaining, strengthening, or restoring an eligible client's functioning in his or her own home, that of a caregiver, or foster home. Services may include adult day care, adult day health care, adult foster care, chore, home delivered meals, homemaker, personal emergency response system, and respite care.

ElderChoices Clients by Gender and Ethnicity

GENDER	
Female	5,571
Male	1,582
Unknown	0
Total	7,153

ETHNICITY	
White	4,265
Black	1,725
Spanish American	12
Oriental	7
American Indian	6
Other	10
Unknown	1,128
Total	7,153

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IndependentChoices began as a consumer-directed Medicaid waiver for Medicaid eligible persons age 18 and above who have a medical need for personal care service. On April 1st the IndependentChoices program was approved by CMS to be an option in the Medicaid Personal Care Program with the approval of the State Plan Amendment. This consumer directed service offers a person a monthly cash allowance in place of traditional personal care. Each participant works with his/her counselor to establish a budget based on his/her individual assessed needs for personal assistance. Eligible persons are able to choose, supervise and pay their own personal care aide and use some of the allowance to purchase goods and services related to personal care needs. The IndependentChoices participant (or his/her designated responsible party) will be assisted by a counselor who will coordinate enrollment and provide information as questions arise. The participant receives counseling and fiscal support at no additional cost to the participant's budget.

IndependentChoices Clients by Gender and Ethnicity

GENDER	
Female	1,867
Male	620
Total	2,487

ETHNICITY	
White	899
Black	1,284
Native American	3
Asian	9
Hispanic	9
Other	20
Unknown	263
Total	2,487

Alternatives for Adults with Physical Disabilities (AAPD) provides attendant care and environmental modification services to individuals ages 21 through 64 who are determined physically disabled by either Social Security or the DHS Medical Review Team and who meet the criteria for intermediate nursing home care. The individual's income should be under 300% of the SSI Federal Benefit Rate and meet the resource limits for Medicaid. Persons who qualify will also receive regular Medicaid benefits such as doctor and hospital services. Clients choose their attendants and are responsible for training, hiring, firing, and supervising activities.

Alternatives Clients by Gender and Ethnicity

GENDER	
Female	1,133
Male	1,146
Unknown	1
Total	2,280

ETHNICITY	
White	1,362
Black	639
Native American	3
Asian	4
Hispanic	21
Other	25
Unknown	226
Total	2,280

Assisted Living Facilities provide 24-hour supervision and supportive services including limited nursing services in a congregate setting to persons aged 65 and above. Assisted Living services are also available to persons 21 years of age and above that are blind or disabled. Assisted Living is a Medicaid and community based waiver program.

Assisted Living Clients by Gender and Ethnicity

GENDER	
Female	335
Male	55
Total	390

ETHNICITY	
White	256
Black	17
Hispanic	1
Asian	1
Unknown	115
Total	390

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Adult Day Care services are community-based group programs designed to meet the needs of functionally and/or cognitively impaired adults through an individual case plan. These structured programs provide a variety of health, social and support services. Adult day centers operate programs during normal business hours with some programs offering evening and weekend services. **These programs served 67 clients in SFY 2008.**

Transportation Service transports a client from one location to another so that the client has access to needed services, care, or assistance, such as medical services, shopping, bill paying, etc. The service may include escort assistance. **This service provided 573,799 one way trips to 7,850 clients in SFY 2008.**

Federal Senior Community Service Employment Programs serves persons with low incomes who are 55 years old or over and have poor employment prospects. The program has two purposes: 1) to provide useful community services through part-time, temporary employment where program participants are engaged in community services and 2) to foster individual economic self-sufficiency where participants receive work experience and job skills that can lead to unsubsidized employment. For Program year July 01, 2007 - June 30, 2008, 331 participants were served in the Federal Senior Community Service Community Service Employment Program and 22 participants were placed in unsubsidized employment. **For this same time period, 179 participants were served in the State Older Worker Community Service Program.**

Information and Assistance is available to all older persons, their families, and friends. The service includes concrete information about services and benefits and where to obtain them. It may include assistance with referral to an agency providing the service or benefit and follow-up to see if the service was satisfactory. **There were 124,344 state referrals given to 59,642 clients during SFY 2008.**

Ombudsman Program is a statewide program that advocates for the rights of long-term care residents. It is a program of community advocates that addresses the complaints of nursing home and residential care facility residents. Its representatives provide information on facilities, work for systematic change, and monitor the activities of the regulatory system.

Program Statistics:

Facility complaints	932
Facility visits	1,521
Resident and family council meetings	256
Community education sessions	79
Telephone inquiries	1,345

Ageing Arkansas Newspaper

Participated monthly by submitting articles for statewide newspaper with circulation of nearly 32,000.

Special Events

- Arkansas Aging Conference had a record 568 participants.
- The Governor's Advisory Council on Aging (GACA) is a 24-member Advisory Council, and meets quarterly.

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ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES

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Adult Protective Services (APS):

- Acts as an advocate for adult Arkansans who are endangered and are impaired or lack capacity.
- Searches for the least restrictive living alternative for individuals who are not capable of providing self care.
- Strives to involve the adult requiring services, as well as the family, in the decision making process.

The Adult Protective Services Unit protects and assists adults, age 18 and older, who are:

- Abused, neglected, or exploited, or any combination thereof, and
- Who are endangered as a result of lack of capacity or impaired from mental or physical disease or defect as these terms are defined by Arkansas Statute.

APS statistical information for SFY 2008:

Total Referrals Received	3,966	Visits to Custody Clients	668
Total Referrals Founded	448	New Custody Clients Taken	158
Cases Pending/Open	1,048		

Referrals Received and Founded By Age, Gender, Race, Abuse Type and Place of Abuse

By Age			By Gender		
	Referrals Founded			Referrals Founded	
18 to 29	253	13	Male	1,622	214
30 to 39	123	6	Female	2,344	234
40 to 49	253	20	Total	3,966	448
50 to 59	399	42			
60 to 69	624	81			
70 to 79	929	106			
80 to 89	967	129			
90+	418	51			
Total	3,966	448			

By Abuse Type			By Race		
	Referrals Founded			Referrals Founded	
Physical Abuse	248	16	White	3,161	368
Verbal Abuse	83	8	Black	733	73
Sexual Abuse	68	4	Oriental	9	2
Caregiver Neglect	1,018	65	Hispanic	12	1
Self Neglect	1,712	326	Native American	9	1
Exploitation	256	17	Unknown	42	3
Tech Assist	12	2	Total	3,966	448
Other	569	10			
Total	3,966	448			

Place of Abuse		
	Referrals Founded	
Private Residence	3,907	436
DDS Provider	19	4
Other	40	8
Total	3,966	448

This page is not reflective of abuse that has occurred in Nursing Homes, Human Development Centers, or Development Disabilities Licensed Providers. Adult Protective Services investigated those cases as incidents of abuse.

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REFERRALS BY COUNTY
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County	Referrals	County	Referrals
Arkansas	21	Lee	15
Ashley	24	Lincoln	11
Baxter	90	Little River	13
Benton	198	Logan	59
Boone	51	Lonoke	60
Bradley	19	Madison	13
Calhoun	6	Marion	36
Carroll	23	Miller	84
Chicot	34	Mississippi	74
Clark	40	Monroe	20
Clay	48	Montgomery	20
Cleburne	44	Nevada	15
Cleveland	8	Newton	11
Columbia	26	Ouachita	53
Conway	41	Perry	24
Craighead	112	Phillips	42
Crawford	68	Pike	37
Crittenden	71	Poinsett	39
Cross	32	Polk	35
Dallas	12	Pope	69
Desha	28	Prairie	13
Drew	22	Pulaski	413
Faulkner	90	Randolph	46
Franklin	20	Saline	101
Fulton	25	Scott	16
Garland	237	Searcy	13
Grant	7	Sebastian	237
Greene	56	Sevier	27
Hempstead	32	Sharp	46
Hot Spring	36	St. Francis	34
Howard	25	Stone	25
Independence	58	Union	56
Izard	20	Van Buren	26
Jackson	24	Washington	206
Jefferson	114	White	82
Johnson	33	Woodruff	12
Lafayette	14	Yell	24
Lawrence	50	Total	3,966

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ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES
REFERRALS BY COUNTY
STATE MAP
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Source: Division of Aging and Adult Services

**DIVISION OF
BEHAVIORAL
HEALTH
SERVICES**

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INTRODUCTION
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Division Overview

The Division of Behavioral Health Services (DBHS), within the Department of Human Services, is responsible for ensuring the provision of public mental health and substance abuse treatment/prevention services throughout the state of Arkansas.

Mental Health Services

The Division of Behavioral Health Services discharges its responsibility for the provision of public mental health services by operating the 234 bed Arkansas State Hospital and the 310 bed Arkansas Health Center (a skilled long-term nursing home facility), by contracting with fifteen local, private non-profit Community Mental Health Centers (CMHCs), and certifying three private non-profit specialty Community Mental Health Clinics. Priority populations for DBHS mental health services are individuals found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect, individuals assessed as potentially violent, other forensic clients, adults with a serious mental illness, and children and adolescents with a serious emotional disturbance.

The Arkansas State Hospital includes 90 adult acute care beds, 88 forensic beds, and 56 adolescent beds. Admission to acute care beds is through a referral from the state's CMHCs. Admission to forensic beds, for either evaluation and/or treatment, is by a circuit court order. The Arkansas Health Center provides skilled nursing home services for individuals with mental health problems that cannot be effectively managed in other nursing homes. The Center also provides some other specialized nursing

The state's fifteen CMHCs each provides services in one of 15 designated geographic catchment areas that encompass the entire state. All CMHCs are nationally accredited by either Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF) or the Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JACHO). CMHCs operate out of 155 sites located in 68 of the state's 75 counties. Services are provided in all counties of the state through off-site outreach. CMHCs provide screenings for all persons referred for publicly supported inpatient care, including at the Arkansas State Hospital and in local psychiatric hospital beds paid for through funds provided to the CMHCs.

Additionally CMHCs provide a comprehensive array of clinical and rehabilitative mental health services including: crisis intervention and stabilization; mental health, psychiatric, psychological and forensic assessment; treatment planning; individual, family, and group therapy; medication management; case management; day treatment/partial hospitalization programs; psychiatric rehabilitation day programs; specialized services for children with serious emotional disturbance, including interagency service coordination and wrap-around; prevention, consultation, and education; and other supportive services such as housing, vocational, and foster care services. The state's three certified Community Mental Health Clinics (Birch, GAIN, and Small Group Therapy) provide specialized services for adults with severe and persistent mental illness.

Substance Abuse Services

The Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention (ADAP) within the Division of Behavioral Health Services is the single state agency responsible for funding of alcohol and drug prevention and treatment services, providing court ordered treatment, licensing of alcohol and drug treatment programs, the State Methadone Authority, administering the Drug and Alcohol Safety Educational Programs and providing training to the field of substance abuse.

ADAP distributes federal funds from the Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant to provide alcohol and drug prevention and treatment services in the state.

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Substance Abuse Services (continued)

Prevention services are funded through 36 grants to local programs, communities and other organizations to provide prevention services, most of which are replicating evidence-based prevention programs. In addition to these local grants, ADAP funds 13 Prevention Resource Centers (PRC) in the state that are designed to respond to the needs of a particular geographical area to support its prevention initiatives. PRCs also work with businesses to provide prevention activities in the workplace to help businesses deal with substance abuse.

ADAP licenses 50 alcohol and drug treatment programs in the state and approves Opioid Treatment Programs. The office is responsible for overseeing the provision that persons court ordered to treatment meet the requirements of the Substance Abuse Commitment Law. Alcohol and drug treatment services are provided through various funding sources. ADAP funds the following treatment services:

- Thirteen Regional Alcohol and Drug Detoxification Centers that provide detoxification services to persons needing supervised withdrawal from some type of substance abuse;
- Fifteen residential/outpatient treatment centers that provide alcohol and drug counseling service coupled with room and board when necessary;
- Court Ordered Referral and Treatment Program providing court ordered treatment for clients committed to treatment under the Substance Abuse Commitment Law from Central Arkansas;
- Five secure treatment beds that provide secure treatment for court committed clients from outside of the Central Arkansas Area;
- Eight outpatient programs that provide alcohol and drug counseling service;
- Seven Special Women's Services programs which allows a parent to bring up to two children into treatment with her. Other services include alcohol and drug counseling, parenting skills, room and board, transportation, referral for medical services, job readiness and child care;
- Three residential adolescent treatment programs that provide residential alcohol and drug treatment;
- One Opioid Treatment Program (methadone maintenance treatment) providing medication and outpatient drug counseling to opiate abusing clients.

ADAP administers and funds 14 Drug and Alcohol Safety Educational Programs (DASEP). DASEP is responsible for providing the court with a Pre-sentence Screening Report on all persons adjudicated for Driving While Intoxicated/Driving Under the Influence of alcohol or other drugs. Educational services are also provided by the DASEP for those offenders required to take an educational course to get their drivers license reinstated.

ADAP funds the Arkansas Prevention Certification Board and the Arkansas Substance Abuse Counselor Certification Board. Both boards oversee the quality of persons providing alcohol and drug counseling and prevention services. ADAP also administers two major data collection efforts that include the Arkansas Prevention Needs Assessment Student Survey conducted and published annually, and the Risk Factors for Adolescent Drug and Alcohol Abuse in Arkansas, an archival data report compiled from various state data sources.

Training services for the field of alcohol and drug services are funded by ADAP through contract and grants with Mid-South Addiction Training Network, Mid-South Summer School, and the Prevention Institute. These organizations provide training throughout the state for persons working in the field of substance abuse.

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Number of Clients Served

During SFY 2008, 72,896 persons received mental health services through DBHS mental health programs, 17,870 received substance abuse treatment services, and 83,525 received drug abuse prevention services. The accompanying tables provide detail only on the persons receiving mental health services. Future year reports will also provide this detail for those receiving substance abuse services. Tables 7 through 10 show the unduplicated number of clients served by each provider. The total served in these tables (75,124) represents the duplication across providers in the system. Thus there were 2,228 instances (75,124 - 72,896) during the year of a person who had received services from one provider, also receiving services from another provider.

UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS

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TABLE 1. UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED SYSTEM-WIDE
BY COUNTY AND AGE
SFY 2008

County	0 - 17	18 - 59	60 - 64	65 +	Total	County	0 - 17	18 - 59	60 - 64	65 +	Total
Arkansas	243	621	16	37	917	Lincoln	161	219	11	29	420
Ashley	382	505	27	20	934	Little River	135	288	11	17	451
Baxter	132	665	48	36	881	Logan	128	265	9	15	417
Benton	1,493	2,454	99	93	4,139	Lonoke	344	614	20	16	994
Boone	67	401	23	30	521	Madison	198	239	12	6	455
Bradley	101	196	12	12	321	Marion	114	353	11	12	490
Calhoun	35	85	5	5	130	Miller	291	1,105	46	36	1,478
Carroll	275	457	39	26	797	Mississippi	555	885	39	38	1,517
Chicot	149	237	13	20	419	Monroe	120	198	11	21	350
Clark	86	243	21	17	367	Montgomery	27	58	4	5	94
Clay	202	403	16	20	641	Nevada	42	321	17	18	398
Cleburne	238	622	26	22	908	Newton	16	97	5	2	120
Cleveland	63	136	4	5	208	Ouachita	150	544	33	44	771
Columbia	243	586	37	45	911	Perry	69	156	3	10	238
Conway	193	440	20	29	682	Phillips	251	591	26	40	908
Craighead	1,109	1,655	57	69	2,890	Pike	85	145	6	5	241
Crawford	449	578	26	25	1,078	Poinsett	110	365	26	16	517
Crittenden	393	825	34	40	1,292	Polk	31	126	7	7	171
Cross	183	317	16	15	531	Pope	362	1,098	39	44	1,543
Dallas	20	74	9	8	111	Prairie	64	105	5	6	180
Desha	152	254	16	27	449	Pulaski	1,239	3,776	174	153	5,342
Drew	229	390	19	25	663	Randolph	174	399	24	36	633
Faulkner	981	1,769	93	163	3,006	Saline	284	1,064	51	69	1,468
Franklin	65	153	8	29	255	Scott	67	144	9	4	224
Fulton	18	153	7		178	Searcy	43	149	6	7	205
Garland	1,076	1,788	90	163	3,117	Sebastian	399	1,414	56	85	1,954
Grant	145	276	13	14	448	Sevier	125	410	25	29	589
Greene	321	955	41	66	1,383	Sharp	72	429	24	34	559
Hempstead	219	599	40	35	893	St. Francis	233	501	20	20	774
Hot Spring	315	493	28	20	856	Stone	76	357	23	13	469
Howard	95	309	17	39	460	Union	544	1,684	95	116	2,439
Independence	317	732	29	23	1,101	Van Buren	155	493	33	18	699
Izard	63	281	8	8	360	Washington	2,048	2,952	105	100	5,205
Jackson	80	284	9	4	377	White	468	1,232	49	34	1,783
Jefferson	900	1,986	97	151	3,134	Woodruff	74	212	14	3	303
Johnson	107	459	14	23	603	Yell	105	284	19	8	416
Lafayette	62	138	8	10	218	Out of State	55	343	22	21	441
Lawrence	198	377	26	43	644	Unknown	119	307	8	10	444
Lee	122	215	12	24	373						
TOTALS	21,054	47,033	2,221	2,588	72,896						

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TABLE 2. UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED SYSTEM-WIDE
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County	Asian	Black	Hawaiian/PI	American Indian/Ak.	Multiracial	Unknown	White	Total
Arkansas	0	242	0	0	0	14	661	917
Ashley	1	326	0	2	0	15	590	934
Baxter	1	4	0	3	0	63	810	881
Benton	26	72	2	32	1	8	3,998	4,139
Boone	1	0	0	2	0	5	513	521
Bradley	0	139	0	0	1	14	167	321
Calhoun	0	39	0	0	0	1	90	130
Carroll	0	11	0	1	0	1	784	797
Chicot	0	270	0	1	0	4	144	419
Clark	0	77	0	1	5	4	280	367
Clay	0	23	1	0	3	60	554	641
Cleburne	1	5	1	5	0	329	567	908
Cleveland	0	39	0	1	0	2	166	208
Columbia	3	399	0	0	0	1	508	911
Conway	1	115	3	4	6	17	536	682
Craighead	3	417	4	0	17	224	2,225	2,890
Crawford	3	17	1	5	6	37	1,009	1,078
Crittenden	1	518	0	4	2	295	472	1,292
Cross	0	97	0	2	0	219	213	531
Dallas	0	64	0	0	1	0	46	111
Desha	0	228	0	1	2	6	212	449
Drew	2	182	0	1	2	5	471	663
Faulkner	6	271	0	21	38	51	2,619	3,006
Franklin	0	1	0	2	3	8	241	255
Fulton	2	1	0	0	0	62	113	178
Garland	7	330	4	19	66	22	2,669	3,117
Grant	0	13	1	1	0	26	407	448
Greene	0	13	0	1	4	67	1,298	1,383
Hempstead	0	345	1	1	4	31	511	893
Hot Spring	2	160	1	4	20	21	648	856
Howard	0	102	0	1	1	23	333	460
Independence	0	25	1	2	1	389	683	1,101
Izard	0	2	0	1	2	128	227	360
Jackson	0	51	0	0	1	124	201	377
Jefferson	5	2,007	1	1	6	18	1,096	3,134
Johnson	0	21	1	7	72	12	490	603
Lafayette	0	89	0	0	0	12	117	218
Lawrence	0	0	0	0	0	48	596	644
Lee	2	269	0	0	2	27	73	373

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BY COUNTY AND RACE
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County	Asian	Black	Hawaiian/PI	American Indian/Ak.	Multiracial	Unknown	White	Total
Lincoln	0	102	0	1	5	7	305	420
Little River	0	112	1	3	1	27	307	451
Logan	1	12	3	0	2	16	383	417
Lonoke	2	33	0	1	0	551	407	994
Madison	0	10	3	2	0	0	440	455
Marion	1	2	1	2	1	19	464	490
Miller	1	362	2	4	10	60	1,039	1,478
Mississippi	0	514	2	0	3	230	768	1,517
Monroe	0	201	0	0	2	20	127	350
Montgomery	0	1	0	0	2	1	90	94
Nevada	1	170	0	2	3	9	213	398
Newton	1	1	0	2	0	2	114	120
Ouachita	0	388	0	0	0	1	382	771
Perry	0	3	0	3	1	5	226	238
Phillips	0	529	1	1	1	97	279	908
Pike	1	7	0	1	1	2	229	241
Poinsett	0	47	0	0	0	29	441	517
Polk	0	0	0	0	1	12	158	171
Pope	3	55	3	17	9	37	1,419	1,543
Prairie	0	37	0	1	0	55	87	180
Pulaski	12	2,076	7	8	39	1,266	1,934	5,342
Randolph	0	2	0	1	3	156	471	633
Saline	3	81	1	1	1	393	988	1,468
Scott	2	19	0	0	4	10	189	224
Searcy	2	1	0	1	1	8	192	205
Sebastian	24	146	2	8	14	52	1,708	1,954
Sevier	0	22	1	3	5	133	425	589
Sharp	0	2	0	3	0	171	383	559
St. Francis	0	427	0	2	7	61	277	774
Stone	0	0	0	3	1	138	327	469
Union	9	1,094	0	1	0	0	1,335	2,439
Van Buren	0	15	0	0	1	194	489	699
Washington	25	311	12	21	0	11	4,825	5,205
White	1	30	0	1	5	1,181	565	1,783
Woodruff	0	85	7	0	5	98	108	303
Yell	2	14	1	4	2	18	375	416
Out of State	0	40	0	7	0	51	343	441
Unknown	1	71	1	1	2	151	217	444
TOTALS	159	14,006	70	231	398	7,665	50,367	72,896

Source: SPQM DATA SYSTEM

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TABLE 3. UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED SYSTEM-WIDE
BY COUNTY AND ETHNICITY
SFY 2008**

County	Hispanic or Latino Origin	Not Available	Not Hispanic or Latino Origin	Total	County	Hispanic or Latino Origin	Not Available	Not Hispanic or Latino Origin	Total
Arkansas	4	0	913	917	Lincoln	7	0	413	420
Ashley	12	2	920	934	Little River	9	130	312	451
Baxter	1	474	406	881	Logan	10	15	392	417
Benton	263	2	3,874	4,139	Lonoke	17	459	518	994
Boone	1	213	307	521	Madison	6	0	449	455
Bradley	9	2	310	321	Marion	1	322	167	490
Calhoun	1	0	129	130	Miller	16	223	1,239	1,478
Carroll	26	0	771	797	Mississippi	33	198	1,286	1,517
Chicot	1	3	415	419	Monroe	0	5	345	350
Clark	8	16	343	367	Montgomery	0	15	79	94
Clay	12	33	596	641	Nevada	2	82	314	398
Cleburne	12	231	665	908	Newton	0	63	57	120
Cleveland	2	1	205	208	Ouachita	4	1	766	771
Columbia	0	1	910	911	Perry	1	19	218	238
Conway	10	45	627	682	Phillips	4	60	844	908
Craighead	67	386	2,437	2,890	Pike	2	19	220	241
Crawford	30	5	1,043	1,078	Poinsett	7	86	424	517
Crittenden	10	67	1,215	1,292	Polk	2	5	164	171
Cross	6	139	386	531	Pope	42	11	1,490	1,543
Dallas	0	0	111	111	Prairie	1	51	128	180
Desha	4	0	445	449	Pulaski	80	1,304	3,958	5,342
Drew	1	2	660	663	Randolph	11	59	563	633
Faulkner	30	60	2,916	3,006	Saline	1	1,254	213	1,468
Franklin	11	2	242	255	Scott	5	3	216	224
Fulton	1	42	135	178	Searcy	1	161	43	205
Garland	86	347	2,684	3,117	Sebastian	51	5	1,898	1,954
Grant	3	28	417	448	Sevier	56	31	502	589
Greene	19	114	1,250	1,383	Sharp	2	111	446	559
Hempstead	18	139	736	893	St. Francis	7	70	697	774
Hot Spring	8	87	761	856	Stone	1	105	363	469
Howard	10	35	415	460	Union	20	1	2,418	2,439
Independence	15	372	714	1,101	Van Buren	5	390	304	699
Izard	0	229	131	360	Washington	338	4	4,863	5,205
Jackson	0	229	148	377	White	3	897	883	1,783
Jefferson	8	4	3,122	3,134	Woodruff	0	196	107	303
Johnson	11	3	589	603	Yell	22	6	388	416
Lafayette	3	50	165	218	Out of State	4	65	372	441
Lawrence	7	65	572	644	Unknown	6	120	318	444
Lee	0	12	361	373					
					TOTALS	1,487	9,986	61,423	72,896

Source: SPQM DATA SYSTEM

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DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
TABLE 4. UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED SYSTEM-WIDE
BY COUNTY AND GENDER
SFY 2008

County	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Arkansas	404	513	0	917
Ashley	405	529	0	934
Baxter	408	473	0	881
Benton	2,004	2,135	0	4,139
Boone	205	316	0	521
Bradley	145	176	0	321
Calhoun	68	62	0	130
Carroll	364	433	0	797
Chicot	195	224	0	419
Clark	171	196	0	367
Clay	338	303	0	641
Cleburne	404	503	1	908
Cleveland	91	117	0	208
Columbia	433	478	0	911
Conway	335	347	0	682
Craighead	1,446	1,444	0	2,890
Crawford	543	535	0	1,078
Crittenden	611	681	0	1,292
Cross	243	288	0	531
Dallas	50	61	0	111
Desha	211	238	0	449
Drew	319	343	1	663
Faulkner	1,329	1,677	0	3,006
Franklin	120	135	0	255
Fulton	83	95	0	178
Garland	1,461	1,656	0	3,117
Grant	218	230	0	448
Greene	615	768	0	1,383
Hempstead	422	470	1	893
Hot Spring	433	423	0	856
Howard	205	255	0	460
Independence	498	600	3	1,101
Izard	160	198	2	360
Jackson	157	219	1	377
Jefferson	1,519	1,615	0	3,134
Johnson	278	325	0	603
Lafayette	92	126	0	218
Lawrence	295	349	0	644
Lee	172	201	0	373

County	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Lincoln	203	217	0	420
Little River	213	238	0	451
Logan	190	227	0	417
Lonoke	412	551	31	994
Madison	218	237	0	455
Marion	222	268	0	490
Miller	638	840	0	1,478
Mississippi	784	733	0	1,517
Monroe	166	184	0	350
Montgomery	40	54	0	94
Nevada	225	173	0	398
Newton	57	63	0	120
Ouachita	332	439	0	771
Perry	126	112	0	238
Phillips	440	468	0	908
Pike	109	132	0	241
Poinsett	268	249	0	517
Polk	75	96	0	171
Pope	696	847	0	1,543
Prairie	89	91	0	180
Pulaski	2,450	2,820	72	5,342
Randolph	284	349	0	633
Saline	651	795	22	1,468
Scott	115	109	0	224
Searcy	93	112	0	205
Sebastian	905	1,049	0	1,954
Sevier	247	342	0	589
Sharp	238	320	1	559
St. Francis	347	427	0	774
Stone	194	274	1	469
Union	1,129	1,310	0	2,439
Van Buren	293	406	0	699
Washington	2,549	2,656	0	5,205
White	729	1,048	6	1,783
Woodruff	136	167	0	303
Yell	200	216	0	416
Out of State	187	253	1	441
Unknown	227	193	24	444
TOTALS	33,927	38,802	167	72,896

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TABLE 5. UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED SYSTEM-WIDE
BY AGE, GENDER AND RACE
SFY 2008

Age	Gender	Asian	Black	Hawaiian/PI	American Indian/Ak.	Multiracial	Unknown	White	Total
0 - 17	Male	30	2,802	21	38	109	1,376	8,181	12,557
	Female	18	1,607	8	38	77	1,055	5,684	8,487
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	6	4	10
	Total	48	4,409	29	76	186	2,437	13,869	21,054
18 - 59	Male	43	4,000	19	71	87	1,989	13,661	19,870
	Female	60	4,765	21	79	102	2,751	19,232	27,010
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	129	24	153
	Total	103	8,765	40	150	189	4,869	32,917	47,033
60 - 64	Male	0	140	0	1	6	61	523	731
	Female	4	236	0	2	6	131	1,109	1,488
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
	Total	4	376	0	3	12	194	1,632	2,221
65 +	Male	2	152	0	2	3	48	562	769
	Female	2	304	1	0	8	115	1,387	1,817
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
	Total	4	456	1	2	11	165	1,949	2,588
Unknown	Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	Male	75	7,094	40	112	205	3,474	22,927	33,927
	Female	84	6,912	30	119	193	4,052	27,412	38,802
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	139	28	167
	Total	159	14,006	70	231	398	7,665	50,367	72,896

Source: SPQM DATA SYSTEM

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TABLE 6. UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED SYSTEM-WIDE
BY AGE, ETHNICITY AND GENDER
SFY 2008

Age	Gender	Hispanic or Latino Origin	Not available	Not Hispanic or Latino Origin	Total
0 - 17	Female	318	1,049	7,120	8,487
	Male	506	1,435	10,616	12,557
	Unknown	0	7	3	10
	Total	824	2,491	17,739	21,054
18 - 59	Female	344	3,863	22,803	27,010
	Male	295	2,790	16,785	19,870
	Unknown	1	144	8	153
	Total	640	6,797	39,596	47,033
60 - 64	Female	9	231	1,248	1,488
	Male	4	119	608	731
	Unknown	0	2	0	2
	Total	13	352	1,856	2,221
65 +	Female	7	244	1,566	1,817
	Male	3	100	666	769
	Unknown	0	2	0	2
	Total	10	346	2,232	2,588
Unknown	Female	0	0	0	0
	Male	0	0	0	0
	Unknown	0	0	0	0
	Total	0	0	0	0
Totals	Female	678	5,387	32,737	38,802
	Male	808	4,444	28,675	33,927
	Unknown	1	155	11	167
	Total	1,487	9,986	61,423	72,896

BY PROVIDER

Unduplicated Within Provider

Duplicated Across Providers

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TABLE 7. TOTAL CLIENTS SERVED
BY PROVIDER AND AGE
SFY 2008**

Service Providers	0 - 17	18 - 59	60 - 64	65 +	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	99	926	31	12	1,068
Centers for Youth and Families	1,214	140	0	0	1,354
Community Counseling Services, Inc.	1,575	2,576	144	200	4,495
Counseling Associates, Inc.	1,806	4,207	180	284	6,477
Counseling Services of Eastern Arkansas	1,357	2,742	122	165	4,386
Delta Counseling Associates, Inc.	1,026	1,613	79	99	2,817
GAIN, Inc.	1	151	10	5	167
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	1,521	4,735	212	152	6,620
Little Rock Community Mental Health Center	0	2,209	104	97	2,410
Mid-South Health Systems Inc.	2,748	5,317	239	289	8,593
Ozark Counseling Services, Inc.	367	1,716	95	86	2,264
Ozark Guidance Center, Inc.	4,045	6,337	265	231	10,878
Professional Counseling Associates	754	2,222	88	69	3,133
Small Group Work Therapy	0	97	7	12	116
South Arkansas Regional Health Center	991	3,045	179	222	4,437
Southeast Arkansas Behavioral Healthcare System, Inc.	1,556	3,388	154	250	5,348
Southwest Arkansas Counseling & Mental Health Center, Inc.	982	3,292	170	187	4,631
The Birch Tree Communities, Inc.	0	391	27	9	427
The Counseling Clinic, Inc.	283	970	48	60	1,361
Western Arkansas Counseling & Guidance Center	1,153	2,701	114	174	4,142
TOTALS	21,478	48,775	2,268	2,603	75,124

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TABLE 8. TOTAL CLIENTS SERVED
BY PROVIDER AND RACE
SFY 2008**

Service Providers	Asian	Black	Hawaiian/ PI	American Indian/Ak.	Multi- racial	Unknown	White	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	2	431	1	8	0	20	606	1,068
Centers for Youth and Families	2	666	3	3	30	107	543	1,354
Community Counseling Services, Inc.	9	541	5	26	97	24	3,793	4,495
Counseling Associates, Inc.	12	453	8	58	131	122	5,693	6,477
Counseling Services of Eastern Arkansas	3	2,062	1	9	14	808	1,489	4,386
Delta Counseling Associates, Inc.	4	1,153	0	5	4	41	1,610	2,817
GAIN, Inc.	1	77	0	1	1	6	81	167
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	4	190	9	18	16	2,904	3,479	6,620
Little Rock Community Mental Health Center	9	1,169	5	2	10	68	1,147	2,410
Mid-South Health Systems Inc.	3	1,068	7	2	31	937	6,545	8,593
Ozark Counseling Services, Inc.	4	5	1	13	2	103	2,136	2,264
Ozark Guidance Center, Inc.	53	413	17	59	0	12	10,324	10,878
Professional Counseling Associates	2	302	0	6	0	1,926	897	3,133
Small Group Work Therapy		25	0	0	2	0	89	116
South Arkansas Regional Health Center	11	2,005	0	1	0	0	2,420	4,437
Southeast Arkansas Behavioral Healthcare System, Inc.	5	2,453	2	3	12	57	2,816	5,348
Southwest Arkansas Counseling & Mental Health Center, Inc.	3	1,204	5	15	23	305	3,076	4,631
The Birch Tree Communities, Inc.	6	140	1	0	0	0	280	427
The Counseling Clinic, Inc.	0	35	0	0	0	436	890	1,361
Western Arkansas Counseling & Guidance Center	28	182	6	15	30	131	3,750	4,142
TOTALS	161	14,574	71	244	403	8,007	51,664	75,124

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TABLE 9. TOTAL CLIENTS SERVED
BY PROVIDER AND ETHNICITY
SFY 2008**

Service Providers	Hispanic or Latino Origin	Not Available	Not Hispanic or Latino Origin	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	27	1	1,040	1,068
Centers for Youth and Families	41	51	1,262	1,354
Community Counseling Services, Inc.	106	447	3,942	4,495
Counseling Associates, Inc.	112	134	6,231	6,477
Counseling Services of Eastern Arkansas	29	373	3,984	4,386
Delta Counseling Associates, Inc.	27	7	2,783	2,817
GAIN, Inc.	0	47	120	167
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	39	2,894	3,687	6,620
Little Rock Community Mental Health Center	27	149	2,234	2,410
Mid-South Health Systems Inc.	160	1,001	7,432	8,593
Ozark Counseling Services, Inc.	1	1,315	948	2,264
Ozark Guidance Center, Inc.	625	0	10,253	10,878
Professional Counseling Associates	43	1,785	1,305	3,133
Small Group Work Therapy	0	10	106	116
South Arkansas Regional Health Center	24	0	4,413	4,437
Southeast Arkansas Behavioral Healthcare System, Inc.	25	1	5,322	5,348
Southwest Arkansas Counseling & Mental Health Center, Inc.	117	719	3,795	4,631
The Birch Tree Communities, Inc.	0	0	427	427
The Counseling Clinic, Inc.	1	1,353	7	1,361
Western Arkansas Counseling & Guidance Center	111	32	3,999	4,142
TOTALS	1,515	10,319	63,290	75,124

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TABLE 10. TOTAL CLIENTS SERVED
BY PROVIDER AND GENDER
SFY 2008**

Service Providers	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	709	358	1	1,068
Centers for Youth and Families	837	517	0	1,354
Community Counseling Services, Inc.	2,085	2,410	0	4,495
Counseling Associates, Inc.	2,913	3,564	0	6,477
Counseling Services of Eastern Arkansas	2,052	2,334	0	4,386
Delta Counseling Associates, Inc.	1,293	1,524	0	2,817
GAIN, Inc.	108	58	1	167
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	2,811	3,795	14	6,620
Little Rock Community Mental Health Center	1,107	1,303	0	2,410
Mid-South Health Systems Inc.	4,199	4,394	0	8,593
Ozark Counseling Services, Inc.	1,012	1,252	0	2,264
Ozark Guidance Center, Inc.	5,264	5,614	0	10,878
Professional Counseling Associates	1,174	1,787	172	3,133
Small Group Work Therapy	61	55	0	116
South Arkansas Regional Health Center	2,040	2,397	0	4,437
Southeast Arkansas Behavioral Healthcare System, Inc.	2,502	2,846	0	5,348
Southwest Arkansas Counseling & Mental Health Center, Inc.	2,104	2,527	0	4,631
The Birch Tree Communities, Inc.	264	163	0	427
The Counseling Clinic, Inc.	582	755	24	1,361
Western Arkansas Counseling & Guidance Center	1,971	2,171	0	4,142
TOTALS	35,088	39,824	212	75,124

ARKANSAS STATE HOSPITAL

Clients Served

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TABLE 11. ARKANSAS STATE HOSPITAL
UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED BY COUNTY AND AGE
SFY 2008

County	0 - 17	18 - 59	60 - 64	65 +	Total
Arkansas	0	5	0	0	5
Ashley	0	9	1	0	10
Baxter	1	13	0	0	14
Benton	5	24	1	0	30
Boone	0	22	0	0	22
Bradley	0	4	0	0	4
Calhoun	0	0	0	0	0
Carroll	0	7	1	0	8
Chicot	1	4	0	0	5
Clark	0	10	0	0	10
Clay	0	5	0	1	6
Cleburne	0	7	0	0	7
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	0	3	0	0	3
Conway	1	4	1	0	6
Craighead	0	22	0	0	22
Crawford	1	12	0	0	13
Crittenden	2	14	0	0	16
Cross	1	4	0	0	5
Dallas	0	1	0	0	1
Desha	1	2	0	0	3
Drew	0	2	0	1	3
Faulkner	4	35	1	1	41
Franklin	1	2	0	0	3
Fulton	0	0	1	0	1
Garland	3	31	1	0	35
Grant	2	0	1	0	3
Greene	2	1	0	0	3
Hempstead	0	9	1	0	10
Hot Spring	1	11	2	0	14
Howard	0	3	0	0	3
Independence	1	5	0	0	6
Izard	0	4	0	0	4
Jackson	0	6	0	0	6
Jefferson	2	14	0	0	16
Johnson	0	8	0	1	9
Lafayette	0	3	0	0	3
Lawrence	0	2	0	0	2
Lee	0	3	0	0	3
TOTALS	99	926	31	12	1,068

Source: SPQM DATA SYSTEM

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TABLE 12. ARKANSAS STATE HOSPITAL
UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED BY COUNTY AND RACE
SFY 2008

County	Asian	Black	Hawaiian/PI	American Indian/Ak.	Multiracial	Unknown	White	Total
Arkansas	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5
Ashley	0	5	0	0	0	0	5	10
Baxter	0	1	0	0	0	0	13	14
Benton	0	2	0	0	0	1	27	30
Boone	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	22
Bradley	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	4
Calhoun	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carroll	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	8
Chicot	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5
Clark	0	8	0	0	0	0	2	10
Clay	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	6
Cleburne	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	7
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3
Conway	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	6
Craighead	0	9	0	0	0	1	12	22
Crawford	0	1	0	0	0	0	12	13
Crittenden	0	11	0	0	0	0	5	16
Cross	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	5
Dallas	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Desha	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3
Drew	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3
Faulkner	0	14	0	0	0	1	26	41
Franklin	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3
Fulton	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Garland	0	7	0	0	0	0	28	35
Grant	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Greene	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Hempstead	0	3	0	0	0	0	7	10
Hot Spring	0	1	0	0	0	0	13	14
Howard	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	3
Independence	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	6
Izard	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
Jackson	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	6
Jefferson	0	14	0	0	0	0	2	16
Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	9
Lafayette	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Lawrence	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Lee	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	3

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County	Asian	Black	Hawaiian/PI	American Indian/Ak.	Multiracial	Unknown	White	Total
Lincoln	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	5
Little River	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	4
Logan	0	2	0	0	0	0	5	7
Lonoke	0	3	0	0	0	0	25	28
Madison	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Marion	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	4
Miller	0	9	0	0	0	0	10	19
Mississippi	0	12	0	0	0	2	1	15
Monroe	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nevada	0	9	0	0	0	0	5	14
Newton	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Ouachita	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Perry	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Phillips	0	24	0	0	0	1	7	32
Pike	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Poinsett	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3
Polk	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Pope	0	1	0	0	0	0	18	19
Prairie	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	4
Pulaski	0	171	0	4	0	4	100	279
Randolph	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Saline	0	6	0	0	0	0	1	7
Scott	2	28	0	0	0	3	43	76
Searcy	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Sebastian	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Sevier	0	7	0	0	0	2	24	33
Sharp	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
St. Francis	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
Stone	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	5
Union	0	10	0	0	0	0	5	15
Van Buren	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Washington	0	11	0	2	0	3	42	58
White	0	4	0	0	0	0	23	27
Woodruff	0	3	0	0	0	0	5	8
Yell	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	7
Out of State	0	2	0	0	0	0	8	10
Unknown	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
TOTALS	2	431	1	8	0	20	606	1,068

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TABLE 13. ARKANSAS STATE HOSPITAL
UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED BY COUNTY AND GENDER
SFY 2008

County	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Arkansas	3	2	0	5
Ashley	7	3	0	10
Baxter	7	7	0	14
Benton	21	9	0	30
Boone	8	14	0	22
Bradley	2	2	0	4
Calhoun	6	2	0	8
Carroll	0	0	0	0
Chicot	4	1	0	5
Clark	7	3	0	10
Clay	3	3	0	6
Cleburne	3	4	0	7
Cleveland	0	0	0	0
Columbia	3	0	0	3
Conway	5	1	0	6
Craighead	15	7	0	22
Crawford	6	7	0	13
Crittenden	10	6	0	16
Cross	3	2	0	5
Dallas	1	0	0	1
Desha	1	2	0	3
Drew	1	2	0	3
Faulkner	27	14	0	41
Franklin	3	0	0	3
Fulton	0	1	0	1
Garland	19	16	0	35
Grant	3	0	0	3
Greene	3	0	0	3
Hempstead	6	4	0	10
Hot Spring	11	3	0	14
Howard	3	0	0	3
Independence	5	1	0	6
Izard	4	0	0	4
Jackson	3	3	0	6
Jefferson	14	2	0	16
Johnson	5	4	0	9
Lafayette	1	2	0	3
Lawrence	2	0	0	2
Lee	2	1	0	3

County	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Lincoln	5	0	0	5
Little River	3	1	0	4
Logan	4	3	0	7
Lonoke	15	13	0	28
Madison	2	1	0	3
Marion	1	3	0	4
Miller	12	7	0	19
Mississippi	12	3	0	15
Monroe	1	1	0	2
Montgomery	0	0	0	0
Nevada	12	2	0	14
Newton	2	3	0	5
Ouachita	2	1	0	3
Perry	1	0	0	1
Phillips	25	7	0	32
Pike	1	0	0	1
Poinsett	3	0	0	3
Polk	1	1	0	2
Pope	13	6	0	19
Prairie	4	0	0	4
Pulaski	187	92	0	279
Randolph	2	0	0	2
Saline	6	1	0	7
Scott	50	25	0	76
Searcy	1	0	1	1
Sebastian	1	0	0	1
Sevier	20	13	0	33
Sharp	1	2	0	3
St. Francis	4	0	0	4
Stone	0	5	0	5
Union	12	3	0	15
Van Buren	3	2	0	5
Washington	44	14	0	58
White	17	10	0	27
Woodruff	3	5	0	8
Yell	6	1	0	7
Out of State	5	5	0	10
Unknown	1	0	0	1
TOTALS	709	358	1	1,068

Source: SPQM DATA SYSTEM

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TABLE 14. ARKANSAS STATE HOSPITAL
AVERAGE DAILY CENSUS BY MONTH
SFY 2008**

**Adult Units
Monthly Average Daily Census**

Month	Monthly Average
July-07	88
August-07	88
September-07	88
October-07	89
November-07	87
December-07	83
January-08	86
February-08	87
March-08	88
April-08	86
May-08	86
June-08	81

The annual average daily census for SFY 2008 was 86.4.

These figures are for the ninety (90) acute beds on Units Two Lower, Two Upper and Three Upper.
Sixteen (16) beds are for 911 patients on Unit Two Lower.

UNDUPLICATED Children Served

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TABLE 15. UNDUPLICATED CHILDREN SERVED*
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County	Female							Male							Unknown		Total
	As.	Bl.	Hai/ P.I.	Ind./ Ak.	Mult R	Unk.	Wht.	As.	Bl.	Hai/ P.I.	Ind./ Ak.	Mult R	Unk.	Wht.	Unk.	Wht.	
Arkansas	0	20	0	0	0	1	74	0	50	0	0	0	5	93	0	0	243
Ashley	0	64	0	2	0	2	111	0	77	0	0	0	6	120	0	0	382
Baxter	0	1	0	0	0	4	45	1	2	0	1	0	4	74	0	0	132
Benton	2	13	0	6	0	1	560	6	20	1	10	1	4	869	0	0	1,493
Boone	0	0	0	1	0	0	30	0	0	0	1	0	1	34	0	0	67
Bradley	0	17	0	0	0	4	21	0	23	0	0	1	6	29	0	0	101
Calhoun	0	3	0	0	0	0	9	0	6	0	0	0	1	16	0	0	35
Carroll	0	1	0	1	0	1	115	0	4	0	0	0	0	153	0	0	275
Chicot	0	30	0	1	0	1	24	0	57	0	0	0	1	35	0	0	149
Clark	0	9	0	0	1	0	24	0	12	0	0	0	1	39	0	0	86
Clay	0	1	0	0	0	9	74	0	2	0	0	2	11	103	0	0	202
Cleburne	0	2	0	1	0	32	68	0	1	0	0	0	54	79	0	1	238
Cleveland	0	4	0	0	0	1	25	0	8	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	63
Columbia	0	38	0	0	0	0	44	0	90	0	0	0	0	71	0	0	243
Conway	0	12	0	0	1	2	57	1	21	0	1	1	9	88	0	0	193
Craighead	1	74	1	0	6	41	281	0	146	3	0	9	61	486	0	0	1,109
Crawford	1	0	0	0	3	5	165	1	3	0	2	1	12	256	0	0	449
Crittenden	0	59	0	0	1	69	46	0	93	0	0	0	68	57	0	0	393
Cross	0	18	0	1	0	35	25	0	20	0	1	0	47	36	0	0	183
Dallas	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	9	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	20
Desha	0	36	0	0	0	1	34	0	41	0	0	1	3	36	0	0	152
Drew	0	33	0	0	1	0	68	0	27	0	0	1	3	96	0	0	229
Faulkner	0	38	0	2	4	8	375	1	62	0	0	4	16	471	0	0	981
Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	1	29	0	0	0	0	0	1	34	0	0	65
Fulton	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	7	6	0	0	18
Garland	1	54	1	3	19	4	331	5	79	1	4	29	11	534	0	0	1,076
Grant	0	4	0	0	0	11	42	0	0	0	0	0	8	80	0	0	145
Greene	0	2	0	0	1	7	128	0	1	0	0	0	9	173	0	0	321
Hempstead	0	42	0	0	0	7	44	0	58	0	0	2	10	56	0	0	219
Hot Spring	0	35	0	0	10	0	86	0	47	0	1	5	12	119	0	0	315
Howard	0	13	0	0	0	2	25	0	15	0	0	1	4	35	0	0	95
Independence	0	2	0	0	1	41	99	0	5	0	0	0	55	111	2	1	317
Izard	0	0	0	0	0	8	14	0	0	0	0	0	18	22	0	1	63
Jackson	0	4	0	0	0	12	17	0	10	0	0	1	12	24	0	0	80
Jefferson	1	232	0	0	2	2	87	1	419	1	0	1	3	151	0	0	900
Johnson	0	0	0	0	1	2	43	0	0	0	0	6	2	53	0	0	107
Lafayette	0	8	0	0	0	6	16	0	14	0	0	0	2	16	0	0	62
Lawrence	0	0	0	0	0	3	77	0	0	0	0	0	8	110	0	0	198
Lee	1	38	0	0	0	7	14	0	50	0	0	1	2	9	0	0	122

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County	Female							Male							Unknown		Total
	As.	Bl.	Hai/ P.I.	Ind./ Ak.	Mult R	Unk.	Wht.	As.	Bl.	Hai/ P.I.	Ind./ Ak.	Mult R	Unk.	Wht.	Unk.	Wht.	
Lincoln	0	13	0	0	3	1	48	0	14	0	0	0	2	80	0	0	161
Little River	0	11	0	3	0	5	25	0	19	1	0	1	7	63	0	0	135
Logan	0	0	1	0	0	1	44	1	3	0	0	0	1	77	0	0	128
Lonoke	0	1	0	0	0	121	42	0	8	0	0	0	114	58	0	0	344
Madison	0	6	1	0	0	0	77	0	3	1	1	0	0	109	0	0	198
Marion	0	1	0	0	0	4	42	0	0	0	1	0	2	64	0	0	114
Miller	0	30	0	0	0	4	72	0	73	0	0	3	13	96	0	0	291
Mississippi	0	72	0	0	0	31	97	0	152	2	0	1	60	140	0	0	555
Monroe	0	24	0	0	1	2	12	0	51	0	0	0	6	24	0	0	120
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	1	0	0	1	0	12	0	0	27
Nevada	0	4	0	0	0	1	12	0	7	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	42
Newton	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	0	0	16
Ouachita	0	27	0	0	0	1	26	0	55	0	0	0	0	41	0	0	150
Perry	0	1	0	0	0	0	20	0	1	0	0	0	2	45	0	0	69
Phillips	0	61	0	0	0	13	34	0	96	0	0	0	9	38	0	0	251
Pike	0	1	0	1	0	0	32	1	3	0	0	1	1	45	0	0	85
Poinsett	0	1	0	0	0	2	30	0	8	0	0	0	8	61	0	0	110
Polk	0	0	0	0	1	2	13	0	0	0	0	0	1	14	0	0	31
Pope	0	2	0	2	3	9	135	0	7	0	2	3	13	186	0	0	362
Prairie	0	1	0	0	0	19	8	0	9	0	0	0	11	16	0	0	64
Pulaski	1	182	0	1	10	143	119	1	378	2	1	16	221	164	0	0	1,239
Randolph	0	0	0	0	0	30	45	0	1	0	0	1	26	71	0	0	174
Saline	0	5	0	0	0	47	40	1	6	0	0	0	95	89	0	1	284
Scott	0	1	0	0	1	1	20	0	6	0	0	0	3	35	0	0	67
Searcy	0	0	0	0	0	2	19	0	0	0	0	1	1	20	0	0	43
Sebastian	4	14	0	3	3	8	133	1	20	0	2	6	14	191	0	0	399
Sevier	0	3	0	0	0	24	35	0	4	1	0	2	21	35	0	0	125
Sharp	0	0	0	0	0	10	27	0	0	0	2	0	8	25	0	0	72
St. Francis	0	50	0	1	2	13	29	0	82	0	0	3	10	43	0	0	233
Stone	0	0	0	0	0	9	35	0	0	0	0	0	7	25	0	0	76
Union	0	98	0	1	0	0	96	3	180	0	0	0	0	166	0	0	544
Van Buren	0	1	0	0	0	11	59	0	1	0	0	0	14	69	0	0	155
Washington	6	61	4	7	0	0	756	6	111	6	7	0	3	1,081	0	0	2,048
White	0	4	0	0	2	168	60	0	2	0	0	0	164	65	3	0	468
Woodruff	0	8	0	0	0	16	11	0	12	1	0	1	16	9	0	0	74
Yell	0	3	0	0	0	1	43	0	2	0	0	1	6	49	0	0	105
Out of State	0	1	0	1	0	3	18	0	3	0	1	0	4	24	0	0	55
Unknown	0	9	0	0	0	22	19	0	12	1	0	0	35	20	1	0	119
TOTALS	18	1,607	8	38	77	1,055	5,684	30	2,802	21	38	109	1,376	8,181	6	4	21,054

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Service Providers	Gender	As.	Bl.	Hai/P.I.	Ind./Ak.	MultR.	Unk.	Wht.	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	Female	0	10	0	1	0	0	3	14
	Male	0	38	0	1	0	2	44	85
	Total	0	48	0	2	0	2	47	99
Centers for Youth and Families, Inc.	Female	1	208		1	12	29	200	451
	Male	1	388	3	1	16	70	284	763
	Total	2	596	3	2	28	99	484	1,214
Community Counseling Services, Inc.	Female	1	100	1	4	31	4	492	633
	Male	7	145	1	5	38	8	738	942
	Total	8	245	2	9	69	12	1,230	1,575
Counseling Associates, Inc.	Female	0	56	0	5	9	19	685	774
	Male	2	91	0	3	14	41	881	1,032
	Total	2	147	0	8	23	60	1,566	1,806
Counseling Services of Eastern Arkansas	Female	1	250	0	2	4	158	167	582
	Male	0	396	0	1	4	161	213	775
	Total	1	646	0	3	8	319	380	1,357
Delta Counseling Associates	Female	0	184	0	3	1	10	269	467
	Male	0	222	0	0	2	16	319	559
	Total	0	406	0	3	3	26	588	1,026
GAIN (Greater Assistance for those In Need)	Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Male	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
	Total	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	Female	0	20	0	1	3	319	371	714
	Male	0	30	1	2	2	361	403	799
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	8
	Total	0	50	1	3	5	685	777	1,521
Mid-South Health Systems Inc.	Female	1	156	1	0	7	127	756	1,048
	Male	0	315	5	0	13	201	1,166	1,700
	Total	1	471	6	0	20	328	1,922	2,748
Ozark Counseling Services, Inc.	Female	0	0	0	1	0	9	141	151
	Male	1	1	0	3	1	10	200	216
	Total	1	1	0	4	1	19	341	367
Ozark Guidance Center, Inc.	Female	8	80	5	15	0	2	1,523	1,633
	Male	12	142	8	19	0	4	2,227	2,412
	Total	20	222	13	34	0	6	3,750	4,045

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*Unduplicated within Provider, Duplicated across Providers.

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Service Providers	Gender	As.	Bl.	Hai/P.I.	Ind./Ak.	MultR.	Unk.	Wht.	Total
Professional Counseling Associates	Female	0	7	0	0	0	280	35	322
	Male	0	27	0	0	0	345	59	431
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	Total	0	34	0	0	0	626	94	754
South Arkansas Regional Health Center	Female	0	167	0	1	0	0	188	356
	Male	3	334	0	0	0	0	298	635
	Total	3	501	0	1	0	0	486	991
Southeast Arkansas Behavioral Healthcare System, Inc.	Female	1	275	0	0	5	11	296	588
	Male	1	503	1	0	2	13	448	968
	Total	2	778	1	0	7	24	744	1,556
Southwest Arkansas Counseling & MHC, Inc.	Female	0	114	0	3	0	49	227	393
	Male	0	187	2	0	9	56	335	589
	Total	0	301	2	3	9	105	562	982
The Counseling Clinic, Inc.	Female	0	3	0	0	0	53	36	92
	Male	0	8	0	0	0	107	75	190
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	Total	0	11	0	0	0	160	112	283
Western Arkansas Counseling & Guidance	Female	5	15	1	2	7	16	414	460
	Male	3	29	0	3	8	26	624	693
	Total	8	44	1	5	15	42	1,038	1,153
TOTALS	Female	18	1,645	8	39	79	1,086	5,803	8,678
	Male	30	2,857	21	38	109	1,421	8,314	12,790
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	6	4	10
	Total	48	4,502	29	77	188	2,513	14,121	21,478

Asian = As., Black = Bl., Hawaiian. Pacific Island = P.I., Indian/Alaskan = Ind./Ak., Multi-racial = MultR, Unknown = Unk., White = Wht.

*Unduplicated within Provider, Duplicated across Providers

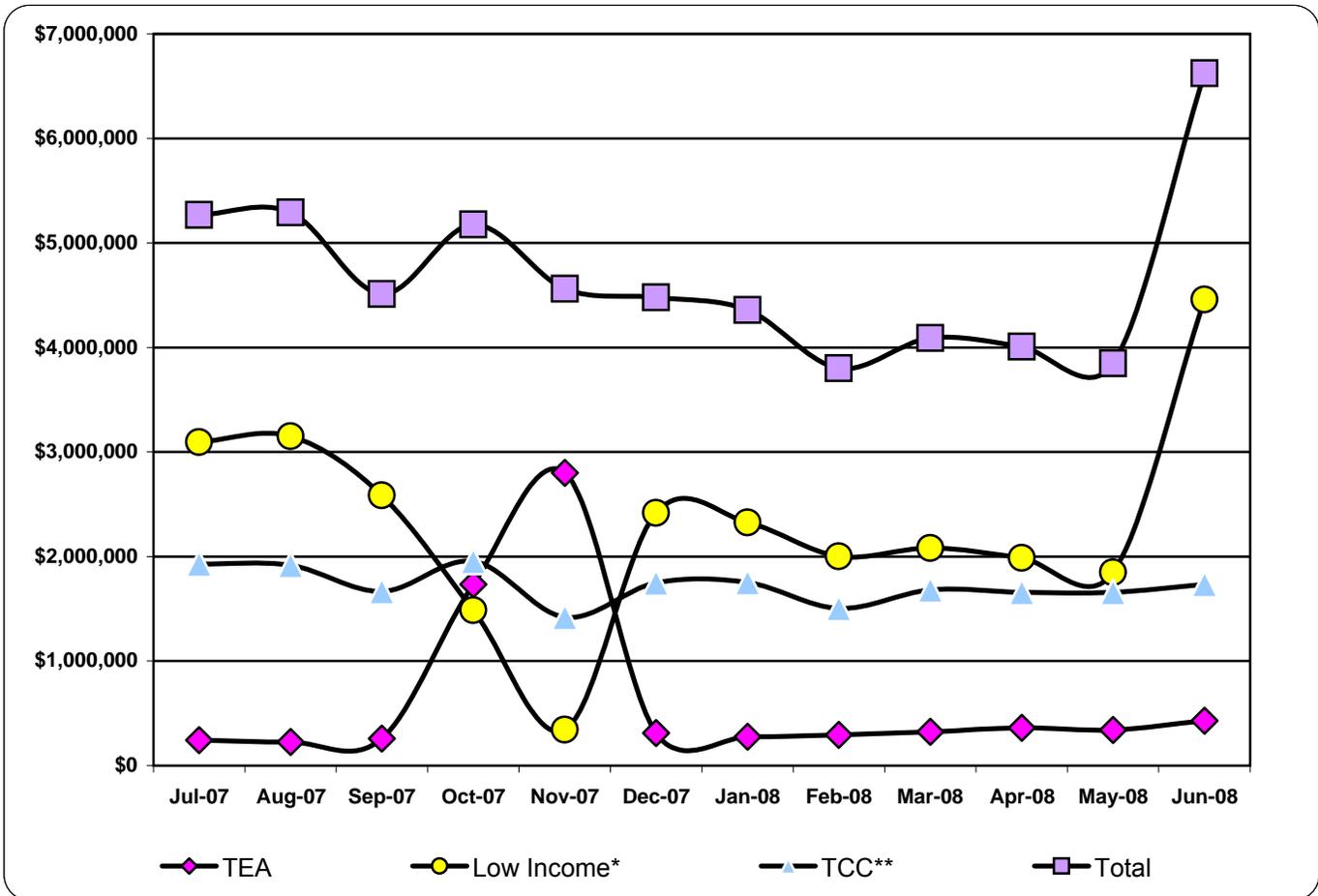
**DIVISION OF
CHILDCARE AND
EARLY CHILDHOOD
EDUCATION**

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INTRODUCTION
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Highlights and Accomplishments During the Past Year Include:

- The USDA program expenditures grew from \$35.6 million to \$39.7 million to meet the increasing demand to serve nutritious meals to children in Arkansas. The program expenditures increase was due to the growth in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP). CACFP had 481 contracts in 2007 and 510 contracts in 2008. The Special Nutrition Programs are continuing to identify and target counties with low participation or no participation. Over 30.3 million nutritious meals were served to eligible children.
- The licensed capacity for all centers and homes in Arkansas has been expanded from 117,507 in 2001 to 171,618 in 2008. This represents a growth of 46% over the past seven years. The number of Quality Approved facilities in Arkansas has increased from 425 in 2004 to 577 in 2008, an increase of 36% during this four-year period. Currently, approximately 26% of all licensed child care centers are Quality Approved.
- The Arkansas Better Chance (ABC) program expanded to serve 24,532 preschool children in high quality early childhood settings in 2008.
- The State Pre-K program, Arkansas Better Chance for School Success (ABCSS), received a score of 9/10 by the National Institute of Early Education Research Annual State of Preschool Yearbook. The yearbook evaluation addressed three areas of programming: access, quality standards and resources.
- The 86th General Assembly appropriated an additional \$40 million to Arkansas Better Chance for School Success State Pre-K program to serve additional children. The total funding for ABC and ABCSS is now \$111 million.
- State Maternal and Child Health Early Childhood Comprehensive Systems Grant – The Arkansas Department of Health applied for the above-mentioned grant, with DCC&ECE (Division of Child Care & Early Childhood Education) named as the sub-grantee and lead convener. This is a two-year planning grant that will develop with a 10-year plan to fundamentally integrate child development, educational, and medical efforts to support at-risk young children and their families so that children can enter school in optimum social-emotional health and ready to learn.

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ACTUAL EXPENDITURES FOR CHILD CARE SERVICES
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<u>Month</u>	<u>TEA</u>	<u>Low-Income*</u>	<u>TCC**</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Jul-07	\$243,970	\$3,094,980	\$1,929,101	\$5,268,051
Aug-07	226,043	3,150,161	1,915,802	5,292,006
Sep-07	258,370	2,586,086	1,668,271	4,512,727
Oct-07	1,733,679	1,488,488	1,954,117	5,176,284
Nov-07	2,800,401	343,774	1,418,771	4,562,947
Dec-07	311,754	2,418,167	1,748,978	4,478,899
Jan-08	277,798	2,327,381	1,752,158	4,357,337
Feb-08	294,305	2,003,155	1,504,956	3,802,416
Mar-08	324,872	2,082,948	1,681,613	4,089,434
Apr-08	361,962	1,988,310	1,659,033	4,009,305
May-08	341,313	1,850,855	1,656,846	3,849,014
Jun-08	430,077	4,459,596	1,734,238	6,623,911

* Includes one-time TEA coalition monies.

**Transitional Child Care

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The Child Care Development Fund (CCDF) has assisted many families in achieving and maintaining self sufficiency by assisting families in achieving and maintaining economic independence. The CCD Funding is not only assisting the state and Nation's economy but also provides a stable environment for children to flourish and grow. In 2008 the Child Care Assistance Program assisted in providing child care in a quality setting for 28,083 children (15,086 families). Of these families over 1,500 were able to attend school and over 10,000 were able to continue employment; enabling them to become self sufficient. Over 3,000 of the children received a voucher due to being placed in foster care and protective service.

Source:

SFY 2008

Child Care Development Fund (CCDF)	\$53,120,183.66
Foster Care (FC)	\$2,858,692.71
Protective Services	\$309,102.31
Total	\$56,287,978.68

<i>DISCRETIONARY FC NON IV-E</i>
\$959,212.32
<i>IVB2 DAYCARE-DCFS FAMILY PRESERVATION</i>
\$474,722.00
<i>FOSTER CARE</i>
\$1,424,758.39

Children:

All Data

Extended Support Services (ESS)	WORKING	9,467
ESS		9,467
FOSTER CARE	FOSTER CARE	2,888
FOSTER CARE		2,888
LOW-INCOME	SCHOOL	1,079
	SUPPORTIVE SERVICES	37
	TEEN EDUCATION	2
	TEEN EMPLOYMENT	3
	WORKING	8,777
	WORKING STUDENT	957
LOW-INCOME		10,855
PROTECTIVE SERVICES		289
PROTECTIVE SERVICES		289
TEA	JOB SEARCH	1,368
	SCHOOL	1,371
	WORK EXPERIENCE	1,845
TEA		4,584
Total Children Served		28,083

A child may be counted in each category.
<i>DISCRETIONARY FC NON IV-E</i>
1,097
<i>IVB2 DAYCARE-DCFS - FAMILY PRESERVATION</i>
659
<i>FOSTER CARE</i>
1,132

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Families:		All Data
ESS	WORKING	4,752
ESS		4,752
FOSTER CARE	FOSTER CARE	1,615
FOSTER CARE		1,615
LOW-INCOME	SCHOOL	612
	SUPPORTIVE SERVICES	17
	TEEN EDUCATION	2
	TEEN EMPLOYMENT	2
	WORKING	4,541
	WORKING STUDENT	554
LOW-INCOME		5,728
PROTECTIVE SERVICES		171
PROTECTIVE SERVICES		171
TEA	JOB SEARCH	805
	SCHOOL	948
	WORK EXPERIENCE	1,067
TEA		2,820
Total Families Served		15,086

A family may be counted in each category.
<i>DISCRETIONARY FC NON IV-E</i>
591
<i>IVB2 DAYCARE-DCFS FAMILY PRESERVATION</i>
393
<i>FOSTER CARE</i>
631

Child Care Providers:

Number of licensed child care centers or homes and registered homes:	2,919
Number of licensed or registered providers approved to participate in the voucher system:	2,045
Number of providers who provided subsidized services:	1,518

OVERALL COUNT TABLE			
Number of Unduplicated Clients Served By DCC&ECE	Number of Cases Served By DCC&ECE	Number of Cases Only Served By DCC&ECE	Number of Children Served (excluding FC) by DCC&ECE
24,162	12,705	11,798	22,213

Source: Child Care System

PROGRAM SUPPORT

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THE QUALITY PERSPECTIVE

The Program Support Unit within the Division is in a unique position of providing supportive services to child care providers, families and Division staff. The unit provides development services to child care programs, staff and parents through several methods. Developing and implementing new programs for young children includes expanding current operating programs and improving all early care and education child care programs. The professional development activities include training and technical assistance services that encourage and ensure quality child care services for young children. The professional and program development activities are inherent to supporting expansion of quality child care for Arkansas children. Specific program activities include:

BASIC ORIENTATION COURSE FOR CHILD CARE STAFF/CHILD CARE ORIENTATION TRAINING (CCOT)

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
CHILD CARE ORIENTATION TRAINING	Number of Persons Enrolled	1,394	1,585	2,069	2,028
	Percentage of Persons Completing the 10 Modules	61%	74%	77%	75%
	Number of Sites Providing Training	57	57	57	57
	Number of Classes	85	93	110	120

ENHANCEMENT/IMPROVEMENT GRANTS

Grants are made available to providers for the purchase of equipment, materials, and supplies to enhance program quality and assist with maintaining licensing standards. Providers must demonstrate age-appropriate immunizations for all children in care to qualify for grants.

In 2007-2008, total grants awarded of \$465,720 affected the care of 15,556 children in licensed child care settings.

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07*	2007-08
ENHANCEMENT GRANTS	Percentage of Grants approved	81%	83%	88%	80%
	Applications Approved	474	527	402	297
	Percentage of Grants Denied	19%	17%	12%	20%
	Applications Denied	109	105	50	73
	Percentage of Denied Applications Which Are Due to Incomplete Immunization Audits	83%	82%	84%	64%
	Percentage of Approved Grants Which Are Used to Correct Licensing Deficiencies (Outdoor, Indoor, e.g.)	91	86	42	47
		62%	61%	60%	38%
	297	324	242	115	

*Grants were placed on hold from March '07 - June '07

TRAINING GRANTS*

Training grants are available to assist providers in accessing training for CPR and Red Cross Health and Safety training. CPR training is required for licensure and this grant assists providers in paying for this required training. There were five hundred five (505) programs with nine hundred forty four (944) staff participants who accessed CPR/Red Cross training through support from the DCC&ECE.

*Training grants for fiscal year '07 - '08 were limited to two (2) participants per licensed program.

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CHILD DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATE (CDA) SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are made available to individuals working in child care programs to assist in training which leads to certification under the Child Development Associate Credential. This nationally recognized credential provides a practicum for child care workers and assists them in improving the learning environment for children in care.

In 2000, Arkansas implemented an approval procedure for institutions and instructors of CDA coursework. Institutions submit verification of specific criteria to ensure that CDA courses offer high quality instruction for CDA students. Currently, there are 30 approved institutions with 92 approved instructors. The approved CDA institutions have adopted three CDA common courses to ensure consistency and to encourage articulation agreements throughout the higher education system.

Arkansas currently has a total of 7,408 persons with the Child Development Associate Credential. This total includes all persons in Arkansas that hold the CDA Credential and not just those in receipt of scholarship assistance. Previous years have not reflected the entire count.

PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS		2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
CDA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM	Number of Scholarships Awarded	640	641	595	379
	Number of New CDA's in State (Assessments)	617	376	376	559
	Total CDA's in State	4,297	4,673	5,211	7,408
	Approved CDA Institutions	29	29	29	30
	Approved CDA Instructors	82	93	89	92

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The Arkansas Early Childhood Professional Development System (AECPPDS) was developed and guidelines were promulgated in 2004. The purpose of the system is to create a coordinated system of professional development for early care and education providers in Arkansas. The implementation of the system was made possible through five working committees with the oversight of a steering committee. An evaluation of the system was completed September 2007 with recommendations for improving the competency areas, the three registries, the career lattice and to include on-going work with higher education. The Practitioner Register now has 13,817 participants and the Trainer Registry has 976 verified trainers. (Website: <http://professionalregistry.astate.edu/>)

The Arkansas Early Childhood Professional Development Registry tracks practitioners and trainers in an effort to increase training and education levels and to ensure quality educational opportunities.

Training / Educational	Training / Educational Levels	June 2006	April 2007	June 2008
ADVANCED	Associate	52	73	92
	Baccalaureate	177	223	264
	Masters	84	100	123
	Doctorate	5	2	5
INTERMEDIATE	Credential	366	428	482
	Certificate	20	28	33
	Endorsement	137	204	267
	Technical	14	22	34
BASIC	Awareness	384	463	3,867
	Orientation	5,591	7,065	8,246
TOTAL PRACTITIONERS		6,830	8,608	13,817
TOTAL TRAINERS		735	860	976

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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING ACTIVITIES

Development and Training Activities include:

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| 4H After School | ABC Monitoring/Evaluation |
| Adventures for Toddlers | AR Early Childhood Prof Dev Registry |
| Basic Computer Classes | Best Care/Best Care Connected |
| Business/Small Business | Caregiver Certificate |
| CCOT | Child Care Curriculum Endorsement |
| Child Care Specialist Certificate | Directors Mentor Quality Initiative |
| Directors Orientation | Early Care and Education |
| Early Care Professionals | Early Childhood Health Initiative |
| Family Day Care Home Prof Dev | Family Friendly Employer Initiative |
| Fit Kids | Frameworks |
| Grant Writing | Guiding Children Successfully |
| Healthy Hearts | Making 1st Experiences Count |
| Math/Science | Mental Health-Early Intervention |
| Mentor Endorsement | NAP SACC |
| Nutrition | Parenting Classes |
| Program Administrator Orientation/Credential | PreK Early Learning Literacy in Arkansas (ELLA) |
| School-age Child Care Credential | School-age Quality Awareness |
| Social/Emotional Development | Training & Technical Assistance Program |
| Welcome the Children | |

PRE-K EARLY LEARNING LITERACY IN ARKANSAS (ELLA) /FRAMEWORK/INDEX

Pre-K ELLA is designed to provide guidance to early childhood educators with strategies and techniques in delivering balanced literacy opportunities that provide a strong foundation for school and life success to young children in Arkansas. DCC&ECE contracts with 14 other agencies, including the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville that coordinates the training.

Pre-K Ella Classes from March 1, 2004 - June 30, 2008				
	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Enrolled	888	1,437	1,195	1,545
Graduates	49	1,066	688	1,295
% Completion	6%	74%	58%	84%
Classes	26	63	65	86

Framework classes provide a foundation for early care providers in the early care framework, benchmarks, strategies, activities, and development of curriculum related to the Framework and Kindergarten Readiness. This training also addresses observation and assessment of young children.

Framework Classes from July 1, 2007 - June 30, 2008	
	2007-08
Enrolled	1,188
Graduates	1,081
% Completion	91%
Classes	66

INDEX (Investigation, Discovery, and Exploration) is a newly developed professional development opportunity focusing on math and science benchmarks.

INDEX Classes from July 1, 2007 - June 30, 2008	
	2007-08
Enrolled	3,435
Graduates	2,256
% Completion	66%
Classes	229

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ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR ORIENTATION (NEW DIRECTOR'S ORIENTATION)

The Orientation provides a comprehensive (18) eighteen hour training program for all new directors of child care centers and is a licensure requirement. The topics in this series of trainings assist center directors in fulfilling his/her administrative duties. Topics (which are divided into three (3) days of training) include: effective organizational management; effective supervision; family and community relations; basics of legal and financial management; staffing for success; program development; professional development; and effective communication. During the past year, eighty-six (86) classes at eighteen (18) different sites were held with 426 directors attending.

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT

Technical assistance is available by self-referral or referral from the licensing office to all child care programs in the state. Childhood Services, affiliated with Arkansas State University, has established a group of early childhood professionals to offer this assistance at no charge to providers.

TYPE OF T/TA VISITS	2004-2005	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Training / Training Assistance (TA)	412	522	515	523
Arkansas Better Chance / Even Start Monitoring / TA	412	522	515	415
Quality Approval / Quality Initiative Monitoring / TA	379	380	1010	690
Technical Assistance Workshops	46	55	105	501
GRAND TOTAL	1,249	1,479	2,145	2,129

ARKANSAS CHILD CARE FACILITIES LOAN GUARANTEE FUND

Loan grantees are made to assist with the development of new facilities or expansion of existing facilities, particularly in low-income, rural areas that demonstrate a need for additional quality child care. Guarantees are available to a maximum of \$25,000 and may be used for operating capital, as well as capital outlay.

PROGRAM	Oct. 1, 2005	Oct. 1, 2006	July 1, 2007	July 1, 2008
Guarantee Fund Investment	\$433,943.85	\$441,441.90	\$433,920.22	\$425,430.14
Current Total Guarantees in Place (Fund Exposure)	\$65,000.00	\$70,000.00	\$70,000.00	\$90,000.00
Current Total of Loans Guaranteed	\$57,000.00	\$198,000.00	\$198,000.00	\$223,000.00
Participating Financial Institutions	3	3	3	4
Total Defaults	none	none	none	none
Capital Reduction (Accrued Interest Applied Before Capital is Accessed)	\$-0-	\$-0-	\$-0-	\$-0-
Total Guarantee Applications	\$43,810.00	\$90,000.00	\$90,000.00	\$205,000.00

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PARTNERSHIP WITH ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

DCC&ECE and Arkansas Economic Development Commission(AEDC) have a working partnership to assist in the development of quality child care programs in Arkansas. DCC&ECE provides the pre-application review for AEDC to determine the viability of potential child care projects. AEDC provides grant funding for construction or renovation of child care facilities which will serve a majority of low to moderate-income children. These grants are available only to city or county governments. Funding available to support these construction/renovation grants was decreased during the 07-08 SFY to \$720,000 and with increased construction costs, the number of projects recommended has decreased.

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
AEDC	Number of Projects Approved/Funded	5	4	4	2
	Number of Projects Completed	5	4	4	3

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CHILD CARE RESOURCE CENTER

The Child Care Resource Center is a lending library and resource center for child care providers throughout the state. All licensed and registered child care providers may apply for a user card and will receive a catalog of resources available. The resource center is available for use by providers for training and staff development activities.

PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Visitors to Arkansas Child Care Resource Center (ACCRC)	478	500	515	547

CHILD CARE RESOURCE AND REFERRAL CENTER

Parents can access information on all licensed/registered child care homes and centers by accessing the DCC&ECE web site at: <http://www.arkansas.gov/childcare/> or through the 1-800-445-3316 line. All licensed and registered homes and centers are included in the referral database. This web site also includes information on all services available throughout the division, including information for parents on selecting child care programs. Local Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies (CCR&R) continue to operate and support parental access and business involvement in early care issues both locally and on a statewide basis.

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
CHILD CARE RESOURCE AND REFERRAL	Number of Requests State-wide	640	45	23	54
	North Central	341	370	337	1,705
	North West	1,479	1,872	1,595	3,513
	North East	1,139	272	232	693
	Central Arkansas	170	229	299	1,277
	South East	N/A	12*	25	1095
	Internet Usage for R & R	1,569,712	2,398,967	2,766,860	11,107**
	New Provider Kits Inquiries	600	739	247	388

* R&R established in 2006.

**Report covers March 14, 2008 through June 30, 2008

ARKANSAS BETTER CHANCE PROGRAMS

DCC&ECE, in cooperation with the Arkansas Department of Education and the Arkansas State Board of Education, administers the Arkansas Better Chance (ABC) Programs. Previously, funded through the Educational Excellence Trust Fund and a dedicated excise tax on beer, ABC programs are intended to serve educationally deprived children. Children's ages range from birth through five years of age. Children are placed in developmentally appropriate programs, including HIPPY (Home Instruction Program for Preschool Youngsters). Eligible students must have at least one of the following characteristics: low-income family, parents with low educational level, low birth weight, child to a teen mother, a family with a history of substance abuse/addiction, eligibility for services under Public Law 99-457, (a family with a history of abuse or neglect, a victim of abuse or neglect, or have demonstrable developmental delays as identified through an appropriate screening). ABC programs are operated by local school districts, Educational Service Cooperatives, community-based non-profit centers, for-profit, Head Start and University programs.

Services may be home-based, such as the HIPPY program or Parents as Teachers (PAT), center-based programs, or licensed family home programs. In 2004, the Arkansas General Assembly expanded this program by \$40 Million for the Arkansas Better Chance for School Success program. This component of ABC targeted three and four-year old children from families with gross income of less than 200% of the Federal Poverty Level. This program has essentially become the state funded pre-K program in Arkansas, giving funding priority to school districts in academic distress, districts with schools listed as being in school improvement status for two years and districts with elementary schools where more than 75% of fourth-grade students score below proficient on math and literacy benchmark exams. In 2007, the 86th General Assembly appropriated an additional \$40 million which brings total funding to \$111 million. This fulfills the commitment made to state pre-k.

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ARKANSAS BETTER CHANCE PROGRAMS (CONTINUED)

	TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
			\$51,166,500	\$71,166,500	\$71,166,500
ARKANSAS BETTER CHANCE	Granted to ABC Programs	\$48,663,236	\$66,905,146	\$67,203,507	\$108,780,000
	Administration Cost	\$800,000 1.56%	\$1,399,330 1.97%	\$1,399,330 1.97%	\$2,220,000 2.00%
ABC CLASSROOMS	Number of Classrooms	533	714	726	928
	Number of Children Served	9,316	12,922	13,219	18,557
ABC HIPPIY/PAT	Number of Sites	51	72	68	40
	Number of Children Served	5,242	5,396	5,351	5,689
ABC Family Day Homes	Number of Sites	0	17	20	19
	Number of Children Served	0	140	161	286

INITIATIVES

NGA GOVERNOR'S SUMMIT ON EXTRA LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

The Arkansas Out of School Network (AOSN) continues to expand and increase collaboration and partnerships agreements with programs and agencies involved in school age care and youth development activities. Grant funding from Mott Foundation continues and the network has submitted an Innovations project to support local community development work modeling a case study completed by students at the Clinton School for Public Service. The Division actively supports the work of the AOSN and serves as fiscal agent for the National Governors Association Center for Best Practices (NGA) grant to support a Governors Summit on School-Age Issues. With the appointment of a Governor's Task Force on Best Practices for School-age and Summer Programs an increased focus is placed on ensuring high quality programs for children and youth during out of school hours.

SCHOOL READINESS INDICATORS

The University of Arkansas in Little Rock (UALR) Children's Data Center/Institute for Economic Advancement continues to gather and track school readiness indicators and provides trend data for policy planning. The ability to establish trend data that informs our policy decisions occurs through use of the indicators data reports. Additional child health indicators not originally included are being incorporated into future reports. The Division is working with UALR/Institute for Economic Advancement in preparation of an Economic Study of the impact of early care and education programs in Arkansas. This report will be released in Fall of 2008.

SPECIAL NUTRITION PROGRAM

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The Special Nutrition Programs provide reimbursement for well-balanced, nutritious meals served to individuals enrolled in participating programs. Total grants for these programs were **\$39,791,903.26**. All programs' funds must be added together to capture the grand total.

Child and Adult Care Food Program

This program provides reimbursement to organizations providing licensed nonresidential day-care services. Adult day-care centers may participate. Organizations may be reimbursed for two meals and one supplement or one meal and two supplements per day.

	<u>SFY 2007</u>	<u>SFY 2008</u>
Number of Contracts	481	498
Program Funds (Approximate)	\$30,760,561	\$34,306,184
Total Number of <u>Free Meals</u>	19,592,088	20,216,145
Total Number of <u>Reduced Meals</u>	1,524,785	1,511,760
Total Number of <u>Paid Meals</u>	5,064,889	5,567,321
Total Meals	26,181,762	27,295,226

National School Lunch and Breakfast Programs

These programs provide reimbursement to an educational unit of high school grade or under, operating under public or non-profit private ownership in a single building or complex of buildings. Organizations that are licensed to provide residential child care. The Department of Correction and DDS programs were not eligible to participate in 2007.

	<u>SFY 2007</u>	<u>SFY 2008</u>
Number of Contracts	91	81
Number of Facilities/Sites	84	115
Program Funds (Approximate)	\$2,736,385.66	\$2,960,235.08
Total Number of <u>Free Lunches</u>	648,471	658,286
Total Number of <u>Reduced Lunches</u>	41,294	41,059
Total Number of <u>Paid Lunches</u>	624,838	581,444
Total Lunches	1,314,603	1,280,789
Total Number of <u>Free Breakfasts</u>	609,552	580,025
Total Number of <u>Reduced Breakfasts</u>	6,084	6,546
Total Number of <u>Paid Breakfasts</u>	20,210	29,010
Total Breakfasts	635,846	615,581
Total Number of <u>Free Snacks</u>	140,707	155,841
Total Number of <u>Reduced Snacks</u>	734	1,894
Total Number of <u>Paid Snacks</u>	15,275	10,762
Total Snacks	156,716	168,497
Total Number of <u>Free Meals</u>	1,398,730	1,394,152
Total Number of <u>Reduced Meals</u>	48,112	49,499
Total Number of <u>Paid Meals</u>	660,323	621,216
Total Meals	2,107,165	2,064,867

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Summer Food Service Program

This program provides reimbursement to summer camps and migrant centers for up to three (3) meals per day. Other sites may be reimbursed for two (2) meals per day.

	<u>SFY 2007</u>	<u>SFY 2008</u>
Number of Contracts	94	105
Number of Facilities/Sites	207	249
Program Funds (Approximate)	\$2,147,893.94 *	\$2,525,484.18 **
Total Number of <u>Breakfasts</u>	297,984	359,691
Total Number of <u>Lunches</u>	479,598	582,246
Total Number of <u>Suppers</u>	11,298	12,107
Total Number of <u>Supplements</u>	6,138	13,310 ***
Total Meals	795,018	967,354

* Actual amount paid to sites for the year. Instead of approximate amount paid to sites. (Jul, Aug 2006 & May, Jun 2007)

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*** New Summer Participants

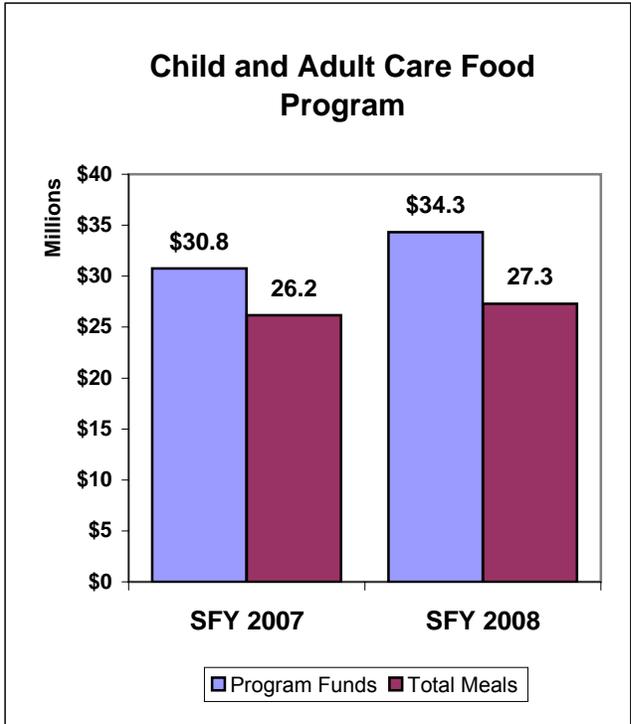
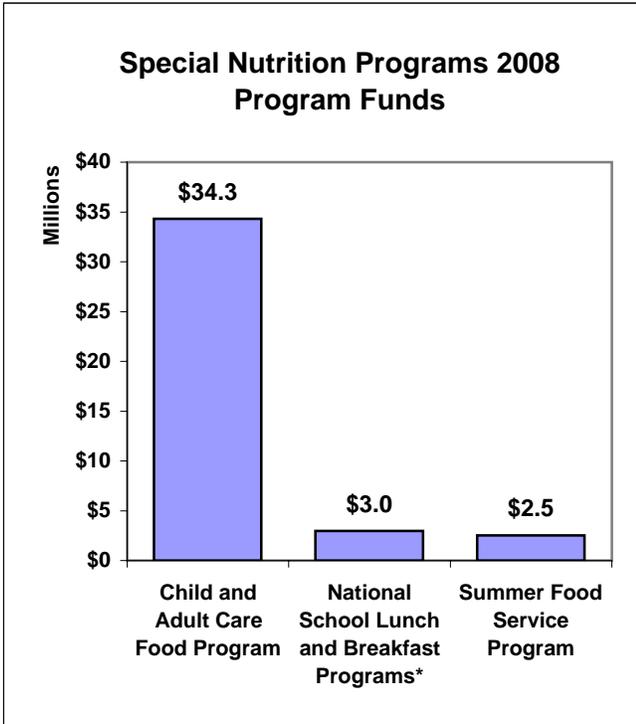
Special Milk Program

This program provides reimbursement to any school or non-profit institution based on the number of half-pints of milk served to participating children.

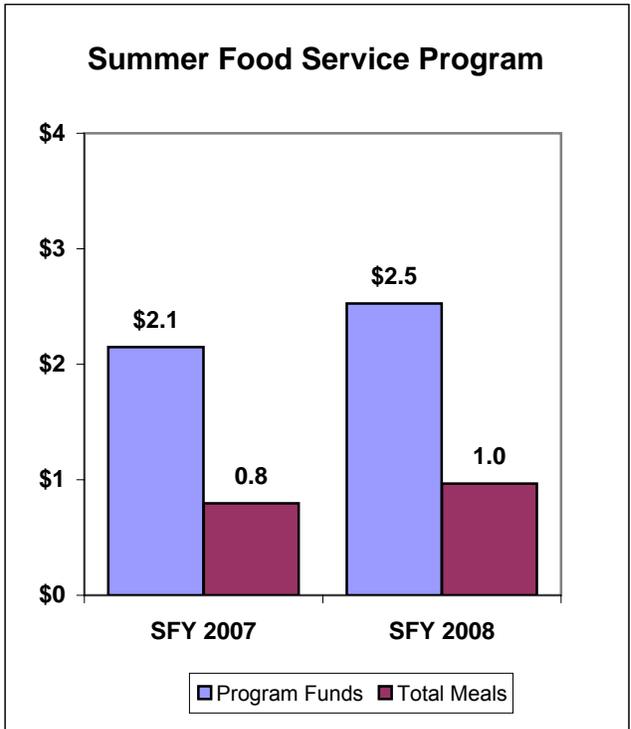
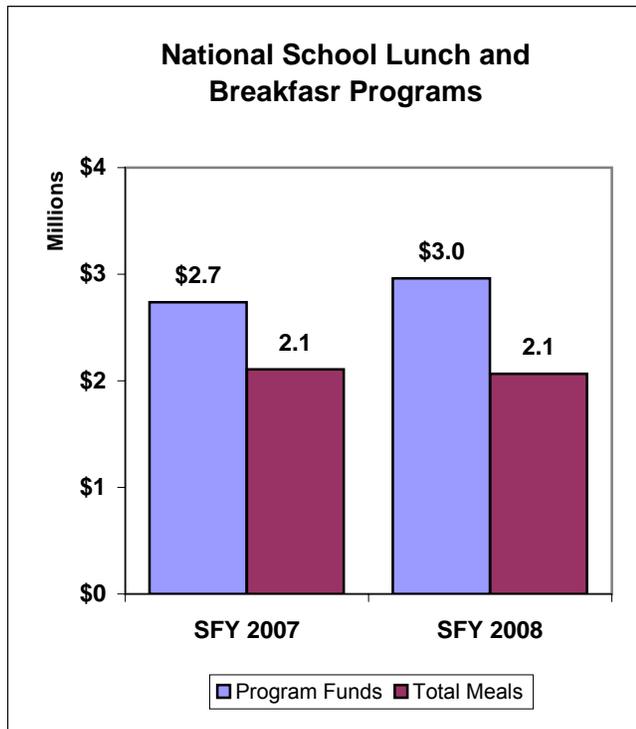
	<u>SFY 2007</u>	<u>SFY 2008</u>
Number of Contracts	6	8
Number of Facilities/Sites	6	8
Program Funds (Approximate)	\$26,774.95	\$13,866.62 *
Total Milk Served	112,348	58,291

*Included in the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) program funds

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SPECIAL NUTRITION PROGRAMS
SFY 2008**



* Program Funds for special Milk Program were \$13,866.62.



Source: Special Nutrition Program Unit

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SPECIAL NUTRITION PROGRAMS
PAYMENTS BY COUNTY*
SFY 2008**

County	Payments
Arkansas	\$98,057.06
Ashley	136,416.12
Baxter	175,291.66
Benton	932,550.08
Boone	515,068.05
Bradley	330,277.70
Calhoun	0.00
Carroll	108,201.89
Chicot	179,205.47
Clark	1,080,031.26
Clay	0.00
Cleburne	97,248.50
Cleveland	83,504.04
Columbia	396,066.14
Conway	127,598.87
Craighead	1,939,332.96
Crawford	1,007,004.49
Crittenden	613,244.08
Cross	49,422.59
Dallas	0.00
Desha	293,070.57
Drew	360,446.52
Faulkner	2,478,494.50
Franklin	292,564.41
Fulton	54,110.32
Garland	1,465,537.39
Grant	25,879.20
Greene	199,188.52
Hempstead	177,309.14
Hot Spring	380,146.63
Howard	121,445.62
Independence	1,045,535.03
Izard	38,821.68
Jackson	94,361.93
Jefferson	1,400,355.20
Johnson	187,250.50
Lafayette	76,598.44

County	Payments
Lawrence	\$87,902.58
Lee	44,574.62
Lincoln	49,603.26
Little River	54,447.55
Logan	76,952.52
Lonoke	643,730.89
Madison	62,778.13
Marion	6,695.48
Miller	1,498,472.71
Mississippi	699,828.07
Monroe	77,525.60
Montgomery	0.00
Nevada	94,445.08
Newton	748,491.74
Ouachita	110,552.84
Perry	1,842,564.31
Phillips	449,658.46
Pike	113,305.43
Poinsett	180,391.30
Polk	79,350.56
Pope	1,664,522.67
Prairie	476.55
Pulaski	8,488,175.41
Randolph	323,895.46
Saint Francis	78,066.10
Saline	364,880.65
Scott	27,424.39
Searcy	23,584.47
Sebastian	1,518,902.16
Sevier	306,227.58
Sharp	111,027.70
Stone	31,006.03
Union	718,335.01
Van Buren	106,448.76
Washington	1,892,135.76
White	509,314.69
Woodruff	4,722.36
Yell	126,143.98

Total	\$39,776,197.42
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* Due to a one month timing difference in this report, the total differs from the total on page DCCECE-11

Source: Special Nutrition Program Unit

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
SPECIAL NUTRITION PROGRAMS
CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM
SFY 2008**

County	Day Care Centers	Licensed Capacity Centers	Adult Centers	Head Start Sites	Licensed Capacity Head Starts	Day Care Homes	Licensed Capacity Homes
Arkansas	2	191	0	0	0	14	172
Ashley	4	166	0	0	0	6	56
Baxter	5	679	0	0	0	11	124
Benton	33	5,490	0	13	504	31	376
Boone	27	1,352	2	21	711	13	166
Bradley	4	447	1	18	554	1	10
Calhoun	0	0	0	0	0	1	10
Carroll	3	227	1	0	0	13	142
Chicot	5	372	0	0	0	17	170
Clark	23	902	0	0	0	8	94
Clay	0	0	0	0	0	4	46
Cleburne	3	349	1	0	0	6	66
Cleveland	0	0	0	4	153	7	77
Columbia	3	248	1	0	0	5	67
Conway	5	207	1	0	0	11	142
Craighead	26	1,959	2	35	1,358	28	283
Crawford	18	1,862	1	17	614	18	179
Crittenden	11	1,024	1	0	0	17	217
Cross	3	136	0	0	0	12	145
Dallas	0	0	0	0	0	5	57
Desha	5	377	1	0	0	6	72
Drew	6	414	5	0	0	10	122
Faulkner	80	4,315	3	0	0	24	312
Franklin	2	152	2	13	478	8	94
Fulton	2	231	0	0	0	4	30
Garland	18	1,979	7	4	286	14	132
Grant	2	95	0	0	0	1	5
Greene	9	709	0	0	0	7	93
Hempstead	6	367	1	0	0	8	93
Hot Spring	3	228	0	17	686	3	36
Howard	3	159	2	0	0	10	135
Independence	11	849	5	15	428	8	87
Izard	3	128	0	0	0	1	10
Jackson	3	274	0	0	0	0	0
Jefferson	21	2,409	4	12	633	36	355
Johnson	4	345	1	0	0	6	61
Lafayette	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lawrence	5	84	1	0	0	4	52
Lee	1	12	1	0	0	11	111

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SPECIAL NUTRITION PROGRAMS
CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM
SFY 2008**

County	Day Care Centers	Licensed Capacity Centers	Adult Centers	Head Start Sites	Licensed Capacity Head Starts	Day Care Homes	Licensed Capacity Homes
Lincoln	1	122	0	0	0	2	32
Little River	2	150	0	0	0	5	61
Logan	1	60	1	0	0	15	180
Lonoke	11	880	1	0	0	9	96
Madison	2	207	0	0	0	7	71
Marion	0	0	0	0	0	9	121
Miller	4	1,168	0	19	621	15	174
Mississippi	13	1,674	0	20	1,071	18	197
Monroe	3	156	1	0	0	8	74
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	0	2	26
Nevada	2	140	1	0	0	0	0
Newton	40	1,627	1	0	0	2	26
Ouachita	4	402	0	0	0	25	260
Perry	113	5,886	1	0	0	3	19
Phillips	8	529	1	11	399	15	152
Pike	2	118	0	0	0	5	68
Poinsett	3	309	0	0	0	6	67
Polk	2	176	1	0	0	3	42
Pope	17	1,325	6	43	2,336	5	56
Prairie	1	30	0	0	0	0	0
Pulaski	177	18,976	11	23	1,509	99	895
Randolph	2	142	1	8	492	5	66
Saline	5	574	10	0	0	4	46
Scott	2	88	0	0	0	6	64
Searcy	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Sebastian	30	1,742	2	0	0	20	217
Sevier	17	735	1	0	0	3	36
Sharp	5	299	0	0	0	14	171
St. Francis	4	120	1	0	0	15	156
Stone	1	75	0	0	0	1	16
Union	4	1,528	3	28	1,397	12	110
Van Buren	8	192	1	0	0	1	16
Washington	32	2,539	3	11	440	54	594
White	9	927	2	0	0	15	179
Woodruff	2	181	0	0	0	6	78
Yell	2	99	1	0	0	4	52
Total	888	71,914	96	332	14,670	802	8,817

Source: Special Nutrition Program Unit

LICENSING & ACCREDITATION

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
LICENSING AND ACCREDITATION
SFY 2008**

The Licensing and Accreditation Unit is responsible for licensing all child care situations where more than five (5) children are cared for, for maintaining the Voluntary Registry for persons providing care to five (5) or fewer children who choose to be registered, and for administering the Quality Approval System. The Unit inspects most licensed centers and all licensed and registered homes a minimum of three (3) times per year. Some licensed centers such as those with quality accreditation and high levels of compliance are monitored two times per year. Technical assistance and consultative services are provided to licensed and registered programs, applicants and parents and to programs who have applied for Quality Approval or are already Quality Approved sites.

The Unit investigates complaints of non-compliance on licensed and registered child care facilities. The Unit also assists the Crimes Against Children Division, of the Arkansas State Police and the Division of Children and Family Services, in the investigation of child maltreatment complaints in these facilities. The Licensing Unit is responsible for processing and tracking background checks on all child care owners/operators and employees through the FBI, the State Police, and the Arkansas Child Maltreatment Central Registry. Licensing staff members insure that appropriate corrective action is taken on any persons found to have a record of child maltreatment and that persons who have a conviction of a prohibited offense are removed from child care.

The Child Care Licensing Unit was placed with the Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education following passage of Act 1132 in 1997. The Residential Placement Unit, previously a part of the Licensing Unit, remained with the Division of Children and Family Services.

The Child Care Licensing Unit has converted to the collection of all field data by hand-held "tablet" computers to further streamline the data collection process. The Licensing Unit recently began work with Northrop Grumman to redesign the central licensing computer system (CLEAN). The new system will be a web based system and should be in full operation by February 2010.

In August of 2005 the Division began work on a Quality Rating System (QRS) for licensed center and home child care providers. This system will consist initially of three tiers above the current level of the minimum licensing requirements. Providers qualifying for the levels above minimum licensing will be entitled to incentives such as grants and higher levels of reimbursement through the Child Care Voucher Program. Implementation of the QRS is tentatively scheduled to occur beginning in July 2009 with full implementation by January 2010. The Unit continues to strive for the reduction in duplication of efforts to improve the safety of children in child care and to increase the number of quality accredited programs.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD CARE FACILITIES
SFY 2008**

County	<u>Licensed Facilities</u>				<u>Registered Facilities</u>		
	Child Care Centers ¹	Capacity	Child Care Family Homes	Capacity	Total Capacity Licensed	Voluntary Homes ²	Total Capacity Registered
Arkansas	13	1,058	14	194	1,252	0	0
Ashley	23	1,421	8	84	1,505	0	0
Baxter	26	1,918	11	118	2,036	1	5
Benton	137	13,463	31	393	13,856	2	10
Boone	22	1,452	11	140	1,592	0	0
Bradley	12	966	1	10	976	0	0
Calhoun	3	109	1	10	119	0	0
Carroll	14	688	11	116	804	0	0
Chicot	16	1,085	18	192	1,277	0	0
Clark	25	1,606	7	94	1,700	0	0
Clay	11	575	4	46	621	0	0
Cleburne	8	663	6	66	729	0	0
Cleveland	3	148	6	72	220	1	5
Columbia	22	1,371	3	36	1,407	0	0
Conway	17	900	9	126	1,026	3	15
Craighead	71	5,844	26	282	6,126	1	5
Crawford	22	1,869	17	180	2,049	2	10
Crittenden	55	4,076	21	252	4,328	0	0
Cross	18	956	11	136	1,092	1	5
Dallas	8	495	4	52	547	1	5
Desha	15	1,873	7	81	1,954	0	0
Drew	19	1,497	11	126	1,623	0	0
Faulkner	59	5,305	25	326	5,631	2	10
Franklin	9	525	7	100	625	2	10
Fulton	8	414	4	40	454	0	0
Garland	51	4,375	11	128	4,503	5	25
Grant	6	460	0	0	460	1	5
Greene	26	2,131	7	87	2,218	0	0
Hempstead	14	753	7	88	841	1	5
Hot Spring	20	1,301	4	52	1,353	0	0
Howard	16	798	10	135	933	0	0
Independence	24	1,952	8	92	2,044	1	5
Izard	7	242	1	10	252	0	0
Jackson	11	1,164	2	26	1,190	0	0
Jefferson	68	5,389	33	328	5,717	5	22
Johnson	10	755	5	56	811	1	5
Lafayette	7	303	2	31	334	0	0
Lawrence	18	1,040	4	52	1,092	0	0
Lee	10	468	9	101	569	3	15

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CHILD CARE FACILITIES
SFY 2008**

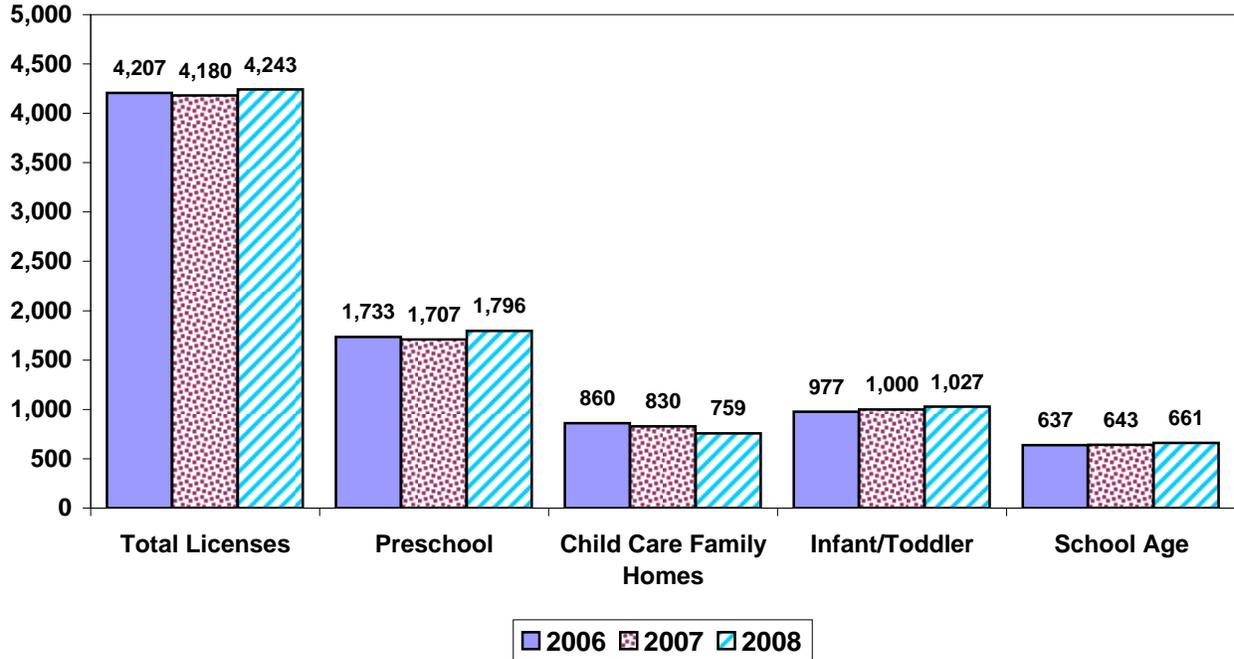
County	<u>Licensed Facilities</u>				<u>Registered Facilities</u>		
	Child Care Centers ¹	Capacity	Child Care Family Homes	Capacity	Total Capacity Licensed	Voluntary Homes ²	Total Capacity Registered
Lincoln	7	365	2	32	397	0	0
Little River	11	548	5	61	609	0	0
Logan	12	733	13	160	893	1	5
Lonoke	36	3,604	9	107	3,711	2	10
Madison	6	402	5	56	458	2	10
Marion	7	344	9	121	465	0	0
Miller	29	1,401	12	159	1,560	3	15
Mississippi	49	2,915	16	182	3,097	2	10
Monroe	10	474	9	89	563	1	5
Montgomery	5	169	2	26	195	0	0
Nevada	7	346	0	0	346	0	0
Newton	9	165	2	26	191	0	0
Ouachita	16	842	26	278	1,120	0	0
Perry	6	243	1	10	253	1	5
Phillips	29	1,699	13	140	1,839	3	15
Pike	12	815	5	68	883	0	0
Poinsett	16	967	6	67	1,034	0	0
Polk	13	746	2	32	778	0	0
Pope	36	2,793	5	50	2,843	0	0
Prairie	6	197	1	10	207	0	0
Pulaski	424	39,423	88	888	40,311	23	119
Randolph	12	617	5	66	683	0	0
Saint Francis	22	1,344	13	151	1,495	3	15
Saline	36	3,571	4	52	3,623	0	0
Scott	5	831	4	48	879	0	0
Searcy	7	331	0	0	331	0	0
Sebastian	84	6,814	20	236	7,050	2	10
Sevier	10	473	3	36	509	0	0
Sharp	12	603	10	136	739	1	5
Stone	5	218	2	26	244	0	0
Union	29	1,981	10	96	2,077	1	5
Van Buren	10	599	1	10	609	0	0
Washington	126	10,302	56	637	10,939	3	15
White	31	2,943	13	166	3,109	1	5
Woodruff	7	375	6	78	453	0	0
Yell	12	1,207	4	52	1,259	0	0
Total	2,078	162,808	759	8,810	171,618	82	411

1. Includes: Licensed Infant/Toddler and School Age Facilities

2. Includes: Registered Relative Family Homes

Source: Child Care Licensing

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CHILD CARE LICENSES
SFY 2006 - 2008**

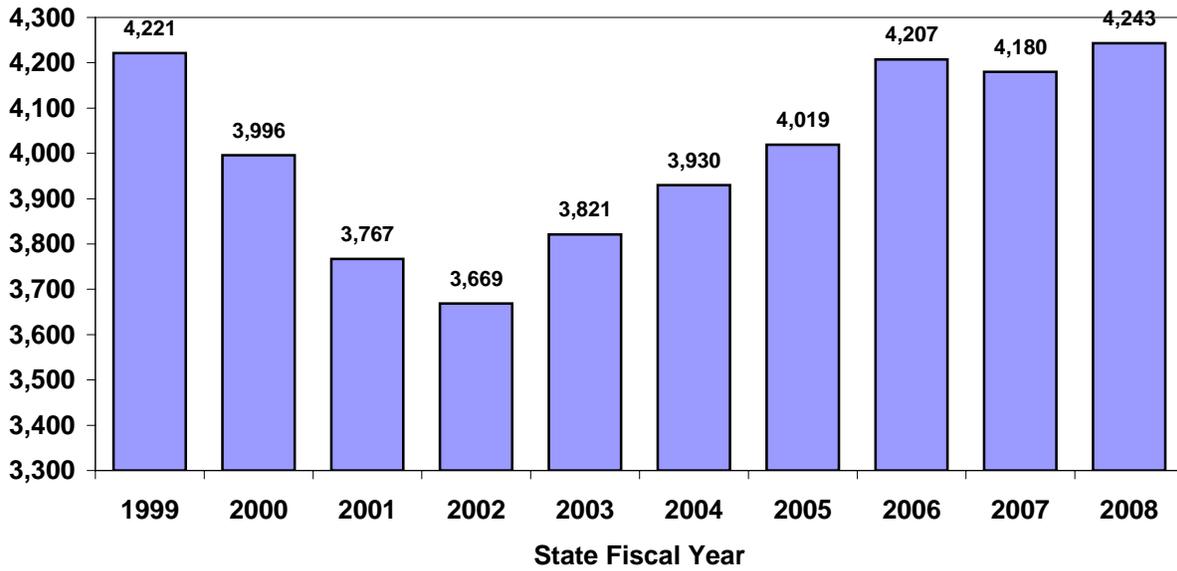


CHILD CARE LICENSES

State Fiscal Year	Total Licenses	Preschool	Child Care Family Homes	Infant/Toddler	School Age
2006	4,207	1,733	860	977	637
2007	4,180	1,707	830	1,000	643
2008	4,243	1,796	759	1,027	661

Source: Child Care Licensing

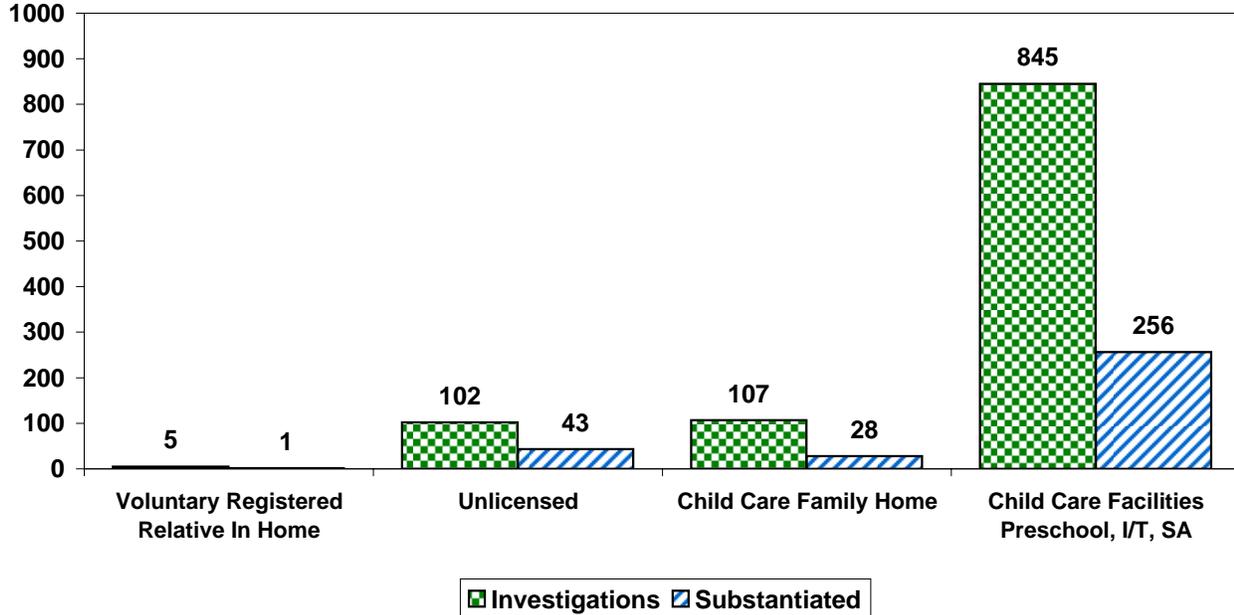
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CHILD CARE LICENSES
SFY 2008**



CHILD CARE LICENSES GROWTH PATTERN

State Fiscal Year	Child Care License Growth Pattern
1999	4,221
2000	3,996
2001	3,767
2002	3,669
2003	3,821
2004	3,930
2005	4,019
2006	4,207
2007	4,180
2008	4,243

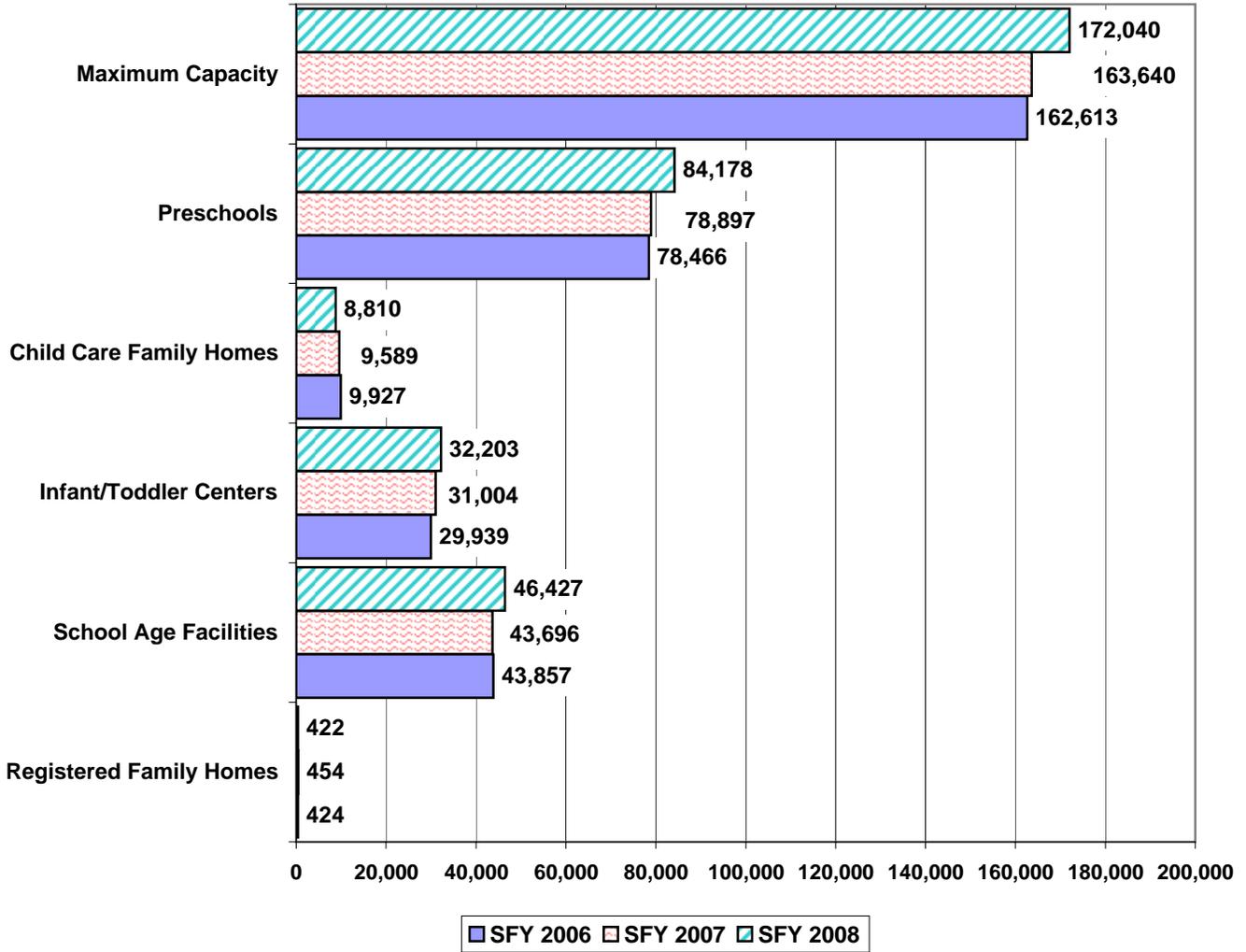
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LICENSING COMPLAINTS
SFY 2008**



Type	Investigations	Substantiated	Percentage Substantiated
Voluntary Registered/ Relative In Home	5	1	20.0%
Unlicensed	102	43	42.2%
Child Care Family Home	107	28	26.2%
Child Care Facilities Preschool, I/T, SA	845	256	30.3%
TOTAL	1,059	328	31.0%*

*This procedure is necessary since all child maltreatment complaints also involve potential licensing violations. For example, allegations of child maltreatment involving physical abuse would also be investigated as a possible violation of licensing requirements in the behavior guidance section.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
MAXIMUM CAPACITY
OF FACILITIES
SFY 2008**



Facilities	SFY 2006	SFY 2007	SFY 2008
Registered Family Homes	424	454	422
School Age Facilities	43,857	43,696	46,427
Infant/Toddler Centers	29,939	31,004	32,203
Child Care Family Homes	9,927	9,589	8,810
Preschools	78,466	78,897	84,178
Maximum Capacity	162,613	163,640	172,040

Source: Child Care Licensing

**DIVISION OF
CHILDREN AND
FAMILY SERVICES**

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
THE DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2008**

The Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS)

DCFS is committed to protecting children and preserving families. Every child deserves to grow up in a permanent family. The primary and preferred way of achieving this goal is to provide families experiencing turmoil with services to prevent the need to place children outside their home. When a child must be separated from his/her family, DCFS will provide a safe environment and will make efforts to provide services to reunite the family or to find the child a permanent home.

In State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2008, 27,672 reports of abuse and neglect were investigated. Of these reports of abuse and neglect, 6,288 (23%) were determined to be true, 21,384 (77%) were unsubstantiated. Of the reports accepted for investigation, 21,319 (77%) were assigned to DCFS.

Arkansas State Police (Crimes Against Children Division)

In 1997, DHS and the Arkansas State Police entered into a contractual agreement that formed the Family Protection Unit now known as the Crimes Against Children Division (CACD). The CACD is composed of two sections: 1) the Child Abuse Hotline, and 2) civilian employees who assess child maltreatment reports. The CACD maintains an around-the-clock statewide intake process (The Child Abuse Hotline) for accepting reports of alleged child maltreatment. The CACD's civilian employees are responsible for assessing Priority I allegations of severe maltreatment, involving severe physical and sexual abuse. They also conduct investigations of maltreatment in DCFS foster homes and pre-adoptive homes. CACD completed 6,353 (23%) investigations in SFY 2008.

DCFS County Staff

DCFS staff housed in DHS county offices assesses allegations of child maltreatment in which the perpetrator is in the home and not the specific responsibility of CACD. DCFS staff in the county office has primary responsibility for assessing an allegation of child maltreatment and seeks to ascertain the existence, cause, nature and extent of child maltreatment, the existence of previous injuries, and the names and conditions of other children in the home. DCFS remains primarily responsible for ensuring the health and safety of the children, even if the primary responsibility for the investigation belongs to the CACD. DCFS has the responsibility for the assessment of Priority II reports.

In addition, DCFS investigates Priority I reports of abandonment, failure to protect, medical neglect of disabled infants, failure to thrive, malnutrition, and substantial possibility of severe maltreatment.

The Child Maltreatment Assessment Protocol (PUB-357) is used for screening and prioritizing all allegations of child maltreatment. This protocol is used when a DCFS Family Service Worker (FSW) or the CACD conducts a Child Maltreatment Assessment. It identifies and defines the various types of child maltreatment a FSW/CACD worker may encounter during an assessment. The protocol also identifies when and from whom an allegation of child maltreatment may be taken. Finally, it identifies those conditions, which must be met before an allegation of abuse or neglect can be founded (determined to be true).

Protective Services

When an investigation is determined to be true, DCFS opens a protective service case and works with the child(ren) and family in the home or, if the abuse is severe, DCFS places the child in a safe and home-like setting. In SFY 2008, DCFS served 22,469 children in 10,305 families in this capacity. The purpose of the services is to provide the child with a continuous, safe and stable living environment, promote family autonomy, strengthen family life where possible, and promote the reunification of the child with the parent, guardian or custodian, when applicable.

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THE DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2008**

Preventive and Support Services

The Family Resource Centers (FRC) are community-based and family focused and offer services directed toward prevention, intervention, and alleviation of community identified problems. Each facility provides educational and support services to assist parents and is open to all families in its targeted community. The centers are designed to work with the Division of Children and Family Services county offices to address the needs of DCFS clients.

The school based Human Services Worker program was not funded in SFY 2008.

When there is no abuse or neglect present, but a family requests services, DCFS opens a Supportive Services case. In SFY 2008, DCFS served 1,282 children in 642 families.

Central Registry

This unit serves as the repository of all child maltreatment reports. The Child Maltreatment Reporting Act requires that a statewide central registry be established within the Department of Human Services (DHS) for the collection of information relative to the child maltreatment reports. The registry contains identifying data, dates and circumstances of any persons requesting or receiving information from the registry. There were 55,896 registry checks made in SFY 2008.

Foster Care Services

There are a limited number of situations when children cannot safely remain at home and must be separated from their family. When a child must be separated from the family, DCFS will provide a healthy and safe environment and will make appropriate and timely efforts to provide services to reunite the family. In 2008, DCFS placed 6,974 in substitute care settings: Kinship Care, Foster Care, Therapeutic Foster Care, Residential Care, Shelters, etc.

Adoption Services

All children deserve a permanent home. One option is to terminate parental rights to free a child for adoptive placement when it has been determined to be in the best interest of the child. In SFY 2008, there were 273 children placed in adoptive homes.

Foster Homes

When a child has been removed and needs a foster home placement, DCFS places the child in an approved foster home. The approval process ensures that a potential foster parent attends training and meets health, safety, and physical requirements and satisfies other standards outlined in the Standards for Approval of Foster Family Homes. In SFY 2008, there were 302 new foster homes approved, resulting in a total of 1,045 foster homes in Arkansas.

The Children's Reporting System used the following methodology to identify a foster child:

- Open Case at any time during the SFY 2008 period
- Open Removal at any time during the SFY 2008 period
- Open Removal later than adoption legalized date (this captures a child, when he/she goes back into Foster Care after the adoption has been dissolved).

Children's Reporting and Information System (CHRIS)

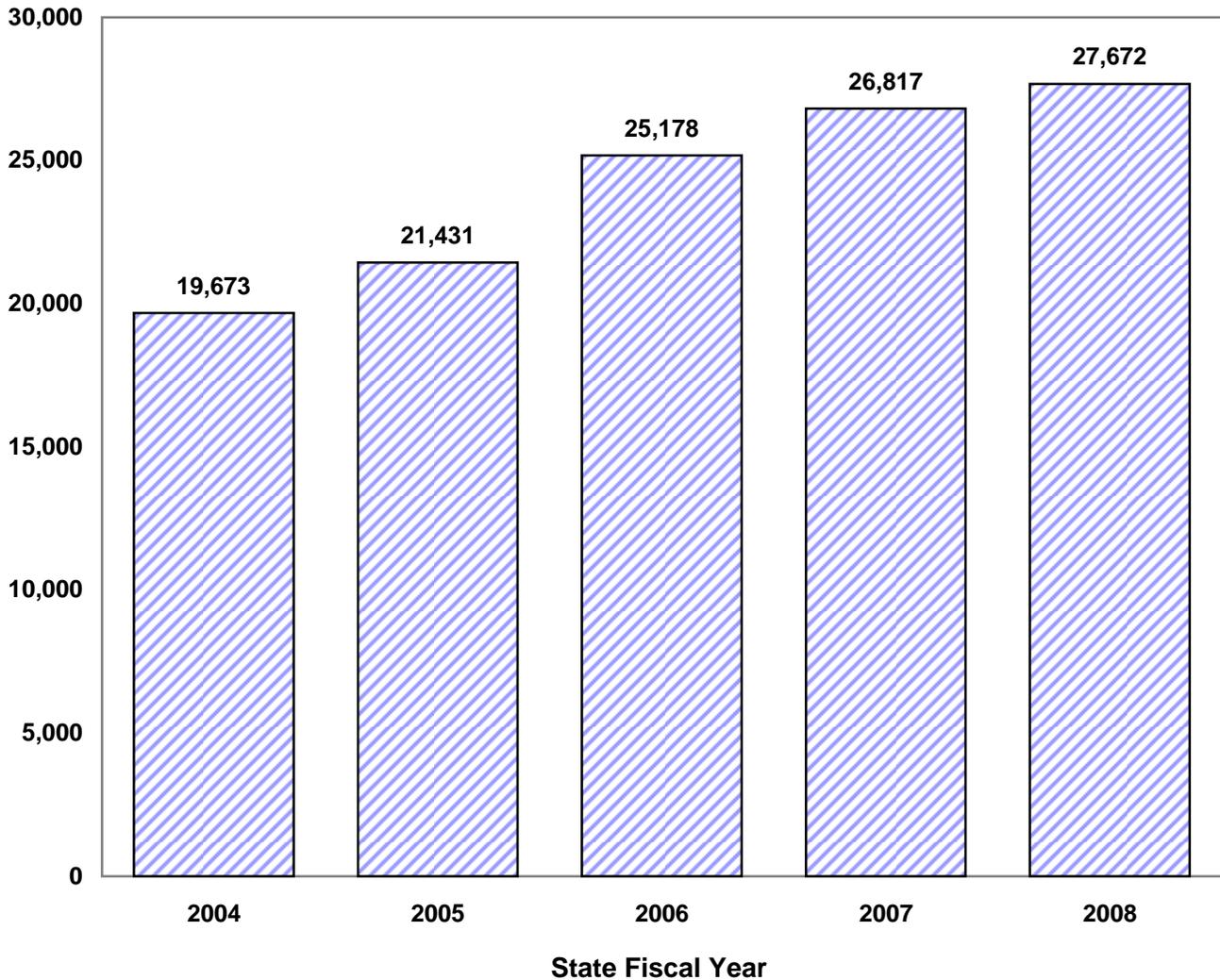
CHRIS was implemented in December 1997 as DCFS' worker-based information system and source of data for state, federal and management reports. Data described in this report was pulled from the CHRIS system.

**CHILD
MALTREATMENT
ASSESSMENT
SERVICES**

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD MALTREATMENT ASSESSMENT SERVICES
SFY 2008**

The Division of Children and Family Services maintains, via an interagency agreement with the Arkansas State Police an around-the-clock statewide intake process for accepting reports of alleged child maltreatment. During state fiscal year 2008, a total of 27,672 maltreatment reports were received, assessed and completed. Of these abuse and neglect reports, 21,384 were unsubstantiated.

**Child Maltreatment Reports Assessed/Completed
SFY 2004-2008**



**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD MALTREATMENT ASSESSMENTS*
BY FINDINGS
SFY 2008**

County	Percent		Unsubstantiated Assessments	Exempt**	Unable to		Assessments Completed
	True Assessments	Determined to be True			Locate	Unknown	
Arkansas	45	23.44%	144	1	2	0	192
Ashley	37	19.07%	149	1	4	1	194
Baxter	90	22.28%	295	2	10	1	404
Benton	370	22.92%	1,108	13	62	56	1,614
Boone	117	24.89%	319	2	24	5	470
Bradley	28	28.00%	63	4	4	0	100
Calhoun	5	14.29%	29	0	0	0	35
Carroll	69	24.13%	209	0	7	1	286
Chicot	17	15.74%	88	0	1	1	108
Clark	33	19.08%	128	1	3	6	173
Clay	41	25.00%	117	0	4	2	164
Cleburne	62	24.31%	189	0	2	1	255
Cleveland	19	34.55%	34	0	0	1	55
Columbia	37	22.29%	117	0	6	5	166
Conway	70	25.74%	176	3	18	2	272
Craighead	184	17.54%	802	4	28	9	1,049
Crawford	124	20.43%	446	7	17	10	607
Crittenden	96	17.11%	310	1	33	95	561
Cross	47	22.71%	144	0	12	0	207
Dallas	26	21.85%	88	1	1	0	119
Desha	22	17.60%	101	0	1	0	125
Drew	59	29.95%	130	2	0	0	197
Faulkner	178	22.19%	569	10	29	5	802
Franklin	35	23.33%	111	1	1	1	150
Fulton	30	28.57%	66	0	1	8	105
Garland	192	21.38%	599	13	57	13	898
Grant	40	22.35%	128	0	9	1	179
Greene	102	16.69%	464	3	30	9	611
Hempstead	37	20.44%	107	0	14	19	181
Hot Spring	80	23.19%	238	2	19	5	345
Howard	16	13.22%	92	0	7	4	121
Independence	55	14.75%	310	1	0	6	373
Izard	27	20.00%	97	0	3	7	135
Jackson	46	25.70%	133	0	0	0	179
Jefferson	166	24.06%	450	4	45	0	690
Johnson	87	32.10%	174	2	4	2	271
Lafayette	27	38.03%	44	0	0	0	71
Lawrence	43	19.55%	154	1	3	14	220
Lee	13	19.70%	48	0	1	0	66

* Includes assessments completed by DCFS, CACD and Law Enforcement.

** Includes Religious and Underage Juvenile Aggressor Exemptions

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD MALTREATMENT ASSESSMENTS*
BY FINDINGS
SFY 2008**

County	True Assessments	Percent Determined to be True	Unsubstantiated Assessments	Exempt**	Unable to Locate	Unknown	Assessments Completed
Lincoln	25	22.52%	80	0	2	3	111
Little River	35	27.34%	82	0	6	5	128
Logan	72	25.35%	196	3	9	0	284
Lonoke	167	27.38%	404	7	27	2	610
Madison	46	29.30%	97	3	3	6	157
Marion	32	19.16%	124	2	8	0	167
Miller	100	20.88%	233	1	57	81	479
Mississippi	125	20.46%	437	2	16	21	611
Monroe	13	19.70%	45	0	3	3	66
Montgomery	11	15.71%	50	0	6	1	70
Nevada	16	17.58%	59	0	8	7	91
Newton	18	24.00%	49	1	0	7	75
Ouachita	69	27.06%	163	0	18	1	255
Perry	27	28.72%	62	0	1	1	94
Phillips	73	29.20%	149	3	22	1	250
Pike	11	12.94%	69	0	3	1	85
Poinsett	64	15.02%	334	2	16	0	426
Polk	57	25.22%	160	5	4	0	226
Pope	177	29.45%	390	11	15	3	601
Prairie	21	27.63%	45	2	3	3	76
Pulaski	630	19.98%	2,184	31	216	16	3,153
Randolph	51	25.25%	142	2	2	5	202
Saline	204	22.05%	632	4	45	34	925
Scott	26	22.41%	73	1	14	0	116
Searcy	22	28.95%	53	1	0	0	76
Sebastian	290	21.35%	926	19	72	26	1,358
Sevier	34	24.11%	78	0	21	6	141
Sharp	49	26.78%	123	2	3	5	183
St. Francis	93	29.43%	200	1	9	3	316
Stone	19	18.81%	81	0	0	0	101
Union	110	30.90%	227	1	7	1	356
Van Buren	50	29.41%	113	0	3	2	170
Washington	525	27.96%	1,082	12	59	191	1,878
White	171	21.87%	530	8	34	37	782
Woodruff	30	34.48%	52	0	2	1	87
Yell	50	24.63%	134	1	6	8	203
State Office	3	23.08%	7	0	2	1	13
State Total	6,288	22.72%	18,835	204	1,184	772	27,672

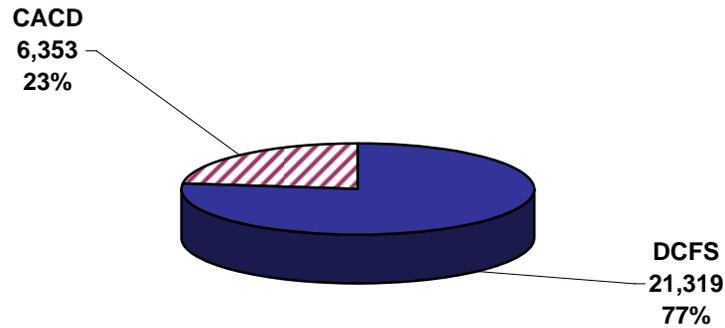
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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD MALTREATMENT ASSESSMENTS (CMA)
BY FINDINGS
SFY 2008**

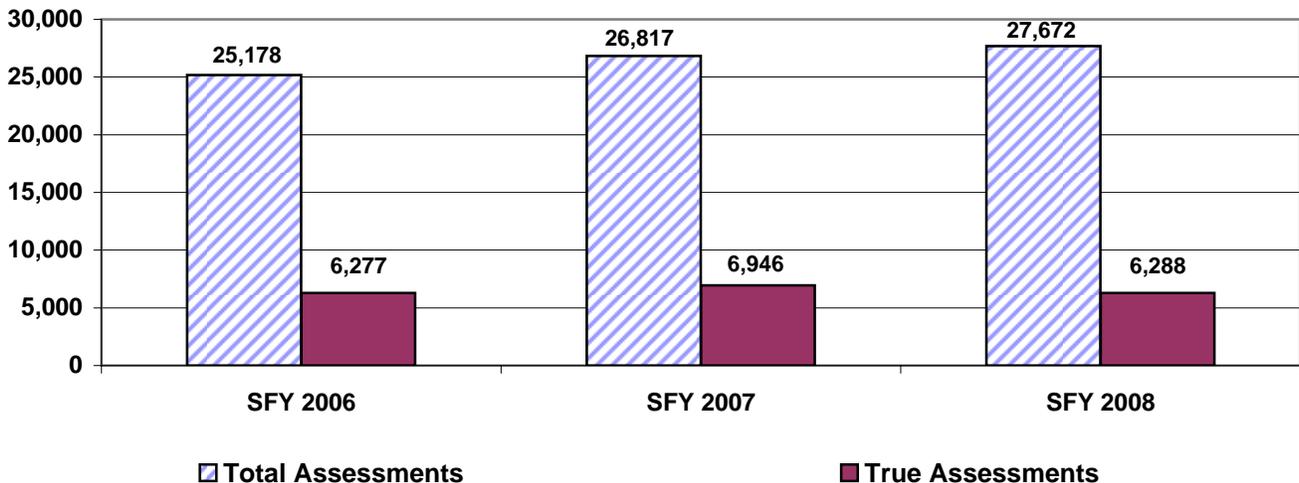
DIVISION	CMA	PERCENTAGE
DCFS	21,319	77%
CACD	6,353	23%
Total:	27,672	100%

**CHILD MALTREATMENT ASSESSMENTS BY FINDINGS
SFY 2008**



SFY	Total Assessments	True Assessments	Percent True
SFY 2006	25,178	6,277	25%
SFY 2007	26,817	6,946	26%
SFY 2008	27,672	6,288	23%

**CHILD MALTREATMENT TRUE ASSESSMENTS
SFY 2006-2008**



Source: Division of Children and Family Services

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
MALTREATMENT DEFINITIONS
SFY 2008**

ABUSE

Any of the following acts or omissions by a parent, guardian, custodian, foster parent, person eighteen (18) years of age or older living in the home with a child whether related or unrelated to the child, or any person who is entrusted with the juvenile's care by a parent, guardian, custodian, or foster parent, including, but not limited to, an agent or employee of a public or private residential home, child care facility, public or private school, or any person legally responsible for the juvenile's welfare, but excluding the spouse of a minor:

- Extreme or repeated cruelty to a juvenile;
- Engaging in conduct creating a realistic and serious threat of death, permanent or temporary disfigurement, or impairment of any bodily organ.
- Injury to a juvenile's intellectual, emotional or psychological development as evidenced by observable and substantial impairment of the juvenile's ability to function within the juvenile's normal range of performance and behavior.
- Any history that is at variance with the history given.
- Any non-accidental physical injury.
- Any of the following intentional or knowing acts, with physical injury and without justifiable cause:
 1. Throwing, kicking, burning, biting or cutting a child.
 2. Striking a child with a closed fist.
 3. Shaking a child.
 4. Striking a child age seven or older on the face or head.
- Any of the following intentional or knowing acts, with or without injury:
 1. Striking a child age six or younger on the face or head.
 2. Shaking a child age three or younger.
 3. Interfering with a child's breathing.
 4. Pinching or striking a child in the genital area.

NOTE: The prior list of unreasonable actions is considered illustrative and not exclusive.

- No unreasonable action shall be construed to permit a finding of abuse without having established the elements of abuse.
- Abuse shall not include physical discipline of a child when it is reasonable and moderate and is inflicted by a parent or guardian for purposes of restraining or correcting the child.
- Abuse shall not include when a child suffers transient pain or minor temporary marks as the result of a reasonable restraint if:
 1. The person exercising the restraint is an employee of an agency licensed or exempted from licensure under the Child Welfare Agency Licensing Act;
 2. The agency has policy and procedures regarding restraints;
 3. No other alternative exists to control the child except for a restraint;
 4. The child is in danger of hurting himself or others;
 5. The person exercising the restraint has been trained in properly restraining children, de-escalation, and conflict resolution techniques; and
 6. The restraint is for a reasonable period of time.
- Reasonable and moderate physical discipline inflicted by a parent or guardian shall not include any act that is likely to cause and which does cause injury more serious than transient pain or minor temporary marks.
- The age, size and condition of the child and the location of the injury and the frequency of recurrence of injuries shall be considered when determining whether the physical discipline is reasonable or moderate.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
MALTREATMENT DEFINITIONS
SFY 2008
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SEXUAL ABUSE

- By a person ten (10) years of age or older to a person younger than eighteen (18) years of age:
 1. Actual or attempted sexual intercourse, deviate sexual activity, or sexual contact by forcible compulsion;
 2. Indecent exposure, or forcing, the watching of pornography or live sexual activity
- By a person eighteen (18) years of age or older to a person not his or her spouse who is younger than sixteen (16) years of age:
 1. Actual or attempted sexual intercourse, deviate sexual activity, or sexual contact or solicitation;
- By a sibling or caretaker to a person younger than eighteen (18) years of age:
 1. Actual or attempted sexual intercourse, deviate sexual activity, or sexual contact or solicitation;
- By a caretaker to a person younger than eighteen (18) years of age:
 1. Forcing or encouraging the watching of pornography;
 2. Forcing, permitting, or encouraging the watching of live sexual activity;
- By a person younger than ten (10) years of age to a person younger than eighteen (18) years of age:
 1. Actual or attempted sexual intercourse, deviate sexual activity, or sexual contact by forcible compulsion.

NEGLECT

Acts or omissions of a parent, guardian, custodian, foster parent, or any person who is entrusted with the juvenile's care by a parent, custodian, guardian, or foster parent, including, but not limited to, an agent or employee of a public or private residential home, child care facility, public or private school, or any person legally responsible under state law for the juvenile's welfare, but excluding the spouse of a minor and the parents of a married minor, which constitute:

- Failure or refusal to prevent the abuse of the juvenile when the person knows or has reasonable cause to know the juvenile is or has been abused.
- Failure to take reasonable action to protect the juvenile from abandonment, abuse, sexual abuse, sexual exploitation, neglect, or parental unfitness where the existence of such condition was known or should have been known;
- Failure or irremediable inability to provide for the essential and necessary physical, mental, or emotional, needs of the juvenile;
- Failure to provide for the juvenile's care and maintenance, proper or necessary support, or medical, surgical, or other necessary care;
- Failure, although able, to assume responsibility for the care and custody of the juvenile or participate in a plan to assume such responsibility;
- Failure to appropriately supervise the juvenile that results in the juvenile's being left alone at an inappropriate age or in inappropriate circumstances that put the juvenile in danger; or
- Failure or refusal to provide the necessary food, clothing, or shelter, and education required by law, or medical treatment necessary for the juvenile's well-being, except when the failure or refusal is caused primarily by the financial inability of the person legally responsible and no services for relief have been offered or rejected.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
MALTREATMENT DEFINITIONS
SFY 2008
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EXEMPTED FROM TRUE DUE TO RELIGIOUS EXEMPTION

Determination will be entered when the parent's decision to withhold medical treatment is based solely upon a religious belief, and the child is treated by spiritual means alone, through prayer, in accordance with a recognized religious method of healing by an accredited practitioner. Such prohibition shall not limit the administrative or judicial authority of the State to ensure that medical services are provided to the child when the child's health requires it.

PREPONDERANCE OF THE EVIDENCE

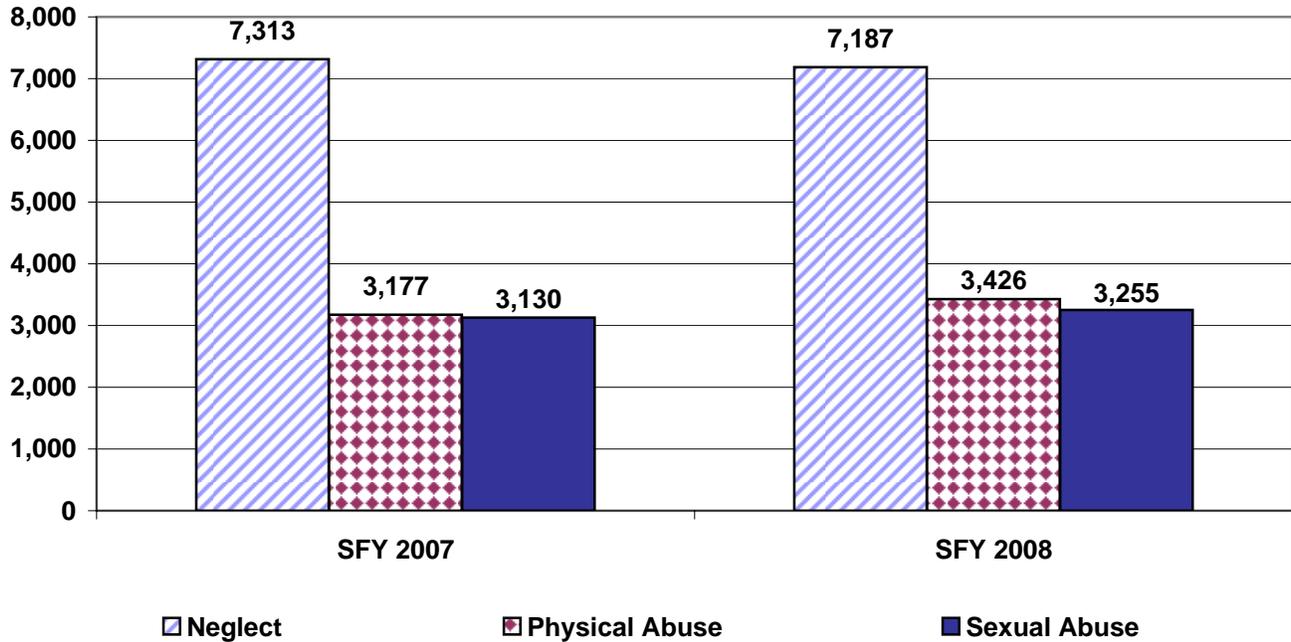
Evidence which is of greater weight or more convincing than the evidence which is offered in opposition to it; that is, evidence which, as a whole, shows that the fact to be proved is more probable than not.

A protocol is used when a DCFS Family Service Worker (FSW) or the Arkansas State Police conducts a Child Maltreatment Assessment. It identifies and defines the various types of child maltreatment a FSW/CACD may encounter during an assessment. The protocol also identifies when and from whom an allegation of child maltreatment may be taken. Finally it identifies those conditions, which must be met before an allegation of abuse or neglect can be founded (determined to be true).

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ASSESSMENT STATUS AND BREAKDOWN*
BY TYPE OF ABUSE
SFY 2008**

Type of Abuse*	SFY 2007		SFY 2008	
Neglect	7,313	75%	7,187	81%
Physical Abuse	3,177	32%	3,426	39%
Sexual Abuse	3,130	32%	3,255	37%

**ASSESSMENT STATUS AND BREAKDOWN
BY TYPE OF ABUSE
SFY 2007 - SFY 2008**



* The total number represented will outnumber the total children involved in true maltreatment reports because a child can be involved in more than one allegation.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
VICTIMS OF CHILD MALTREATMENT***

**Characteristics of Children involved in True Maltreatment Reports
SFY 2008**

Age	Gender	White	Black	Asian ¹	Aian ²	Napi ³	Hispanic	More Than 1 Race	Total
0 to 1	Female	254	88	0	3	0	22	25	392
	Male	259	95	0	2	2	37	35	430
2 to 5	Female	667	174	4	3	0	63	51	962
	Male	724	190	5	0	5	94	72	1,090
6 to 11	Female	1,097	258	1	4	8	111	77	1,556
	Male	946	256	6	2	7	74	72	1,363
12 to 15	Female	840	235	5	0	3	97	59	1,239
	Male	463	116	3	0	1	24	34	641
16 to 18	Female	484	154	5	1	2	54	37	737
	Male	206	70	1	0	0	14	13	304
18+	Female	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
	Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Total*		5,942	1,636	30	15	28	591	476	8,718

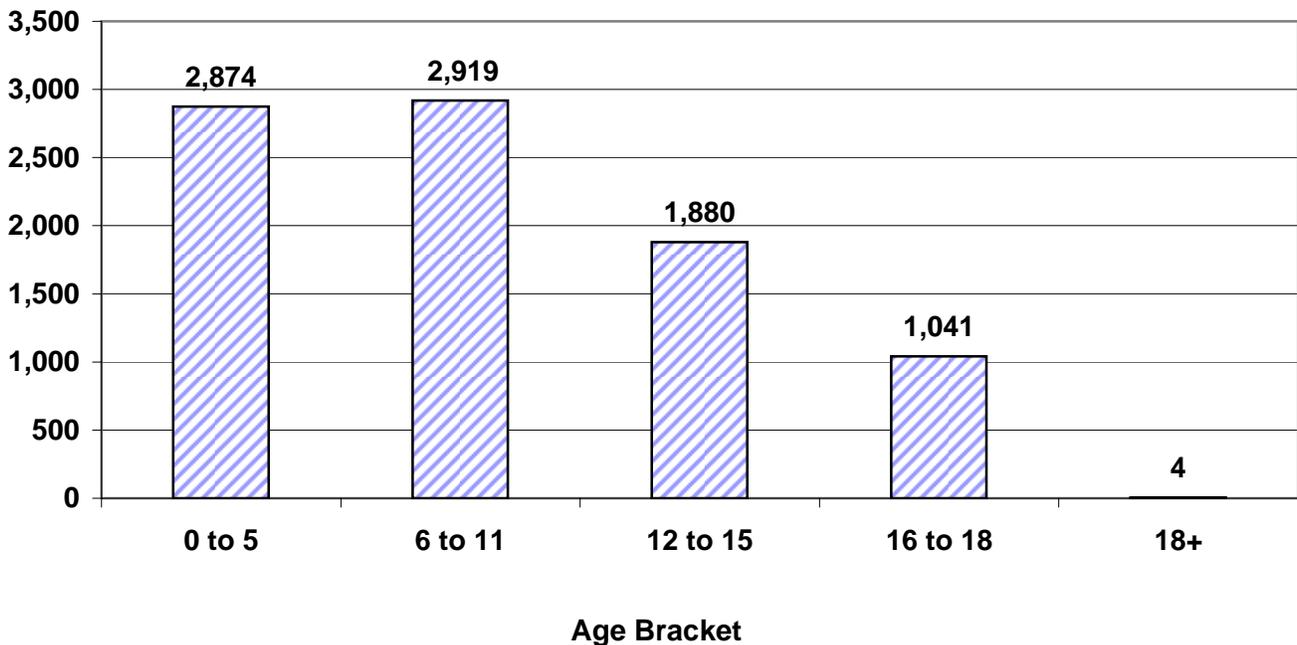
*Demographic information was not entered into CHRIS for 116 children.

¹Includes Indochinese, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, Vietnamese.

²Includes American Indian and Alaskan Native.

³Includes Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.

**Child Maltreatment True Reports
SFY 2008**



Source: Division of Children and Family Services

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ASSESSMENTS DETERMINED TO BE TRUE*
SFY 2008**



State Total:*

6,288

* State Office = 3

Source: Division of Children and Family Services

FOSTER CARE

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TOTAL FOSTER CARE CHILDREN SERVED
SFY 2008**

When it has been determined that a child is at risk and cannot remain in the home of parents/caregivers, the Division of Children and Family Services provides substitute care services for the child. Foster care provides selective placement in a foster and therapeutic foster home or residential facility for a planned period of time for a child who has been separated from his birth or legal parents.

Age	Number of Children	Percent
00 - 05 years	2,768	39.69%
06 - 11 years	1,767	25.34%
12 - 15 years	1,233	17.68%
16 Years & Older	1,189	17.05%
Unknown	17	0.24%
TOTAL	6,974	100.00%

Gender	Number of Children	Percent
Male	3,430	49.18%
Female	3,544	50.82%
TOTAL	6,974	100.00%

Ethnicity	Total Ethnicity	Percent
White	4,044	57.99%
Black	1,899	27.23%
ASIAN ¹	21	0.30%
AIAN ²	14	0.20%
NAPI ³	4	0.06%
Hispanic	429	6.15%
Multiple	546	7.83%
Unknown	17	0.24%
TOTAL	6,974	100.00%

Permanency Goal*	Number of Children	Percent
Adoption	1,181	16.93%
Emancipation	5	0.07%
Guardianship	48	0.69%
Independent Living	764	10.95%
Maintain Children in Own Home	1,101	15.79%
Relative Placement	313	4.49%
Return To Parent	3,063	43.92%
No Case Plan	499	7.16%
TOTAL	6,974	100.00%

*This report only reflects clients that have been in care for 30 days or more.

Length of Stay	Number of Children	Percent
Less than 30 Days	1,242	17.81%
30 - 90 Days	1,101	15.79%
3 - 6 Months	752	10.78%
6 - 12 Months	1,092	15.66%
12 - 24 Months	1,299	18.63%
24 - 36 Months	642	9.21%
36+ Months	846	12.13%
TOTAL	6,974	100.00%

¹ Includes Indochinese, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, Vietnamese.

² Includes American Indian and Alaskan Native.

³ Includes Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE

Characteristics of Children in Foster Care During the Year SFY 2008

Age	Gender	White	Black	Asian ¹	Aian ²	Napi ³	Hispanic	More Than 1 Race	Total
0 to 1	Female	294	157	0	3	1	43	29	527
	Male	276	135	1	3	1	44	57	517
2 to 5	Female	479	219	2	0	0	48	70	818
	Male	514	217	0	3	1	80	91	906
6 to 11	Female	513	228	2	0	0	55	57	855
	Male	544	241	3	2	0	57	65	912
12 to 15	Female	375	191	1	0	0	37	44	648
	Male	350	159	3	1	0	17	55	585
16 to 17	Female	310	134	5	1	0	21	38	509
	Male	214	103	1	1	0	15	20	354
17+	Female	100	61	1	0	0	7	12	181
	Male	75	54	2	0	1	5	8	145
Total*		4,044	1,899	21	14	4	429	546	6,957

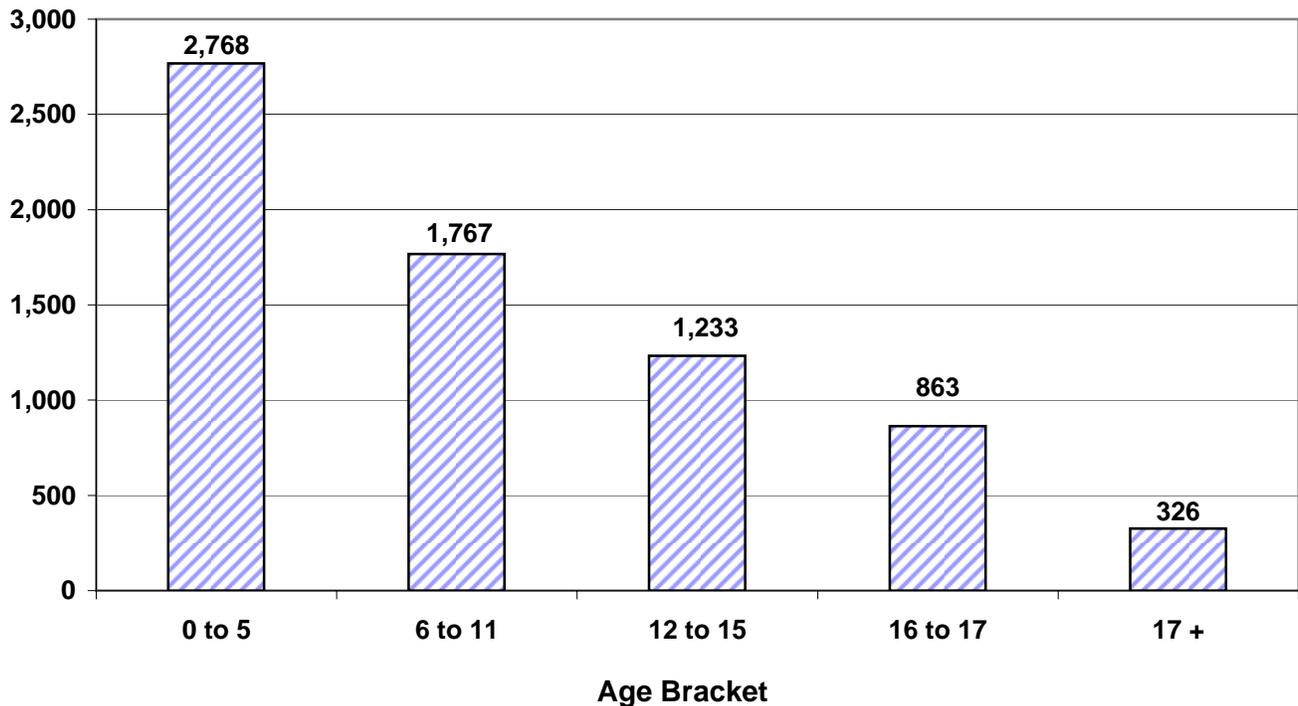
*Demographic information had not been entered into CHRIS for 17 children.

¹Includes Indochinese, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, Vietnamese.

²Includes American Indian and Alaskan Native.

³Includes Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.

Children in Foster Care SFY 2008



Source: Division of Children and Family Services

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY ETHNICITY
SFY 2008**

County	White	Black	Asian ¹	American Indian or Alaskan Native	Native Hawaiian And Other Pacific Islander	Hispanic	Multiple	Unable to Determine	Total Ethnicity
Arkansas	21	22	0	0	0	0	2	0	45
Ashley	18	21	0	0	0	3	2	0	44
Baxter	73	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	79
Benton	210	9	1	6	1	48	11	0	286
Boone	67	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	74
Bradley	21	23	0	0	0	12	1	1	58
Calhoun	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Carroll	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35
Chicot	2	17	0	0	0	1	6	0	26
Clark	11	17	0	0	0	4	4	0	36
Clay	42	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	43
Cleburne	83	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	87
Cleveland	8	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	13
Columbia	7	30	1	0	0	1	1	0	40
Conway	73	4	0	0	0	9	8	0	94
Craighead	142	70	0	0	0	18	23	0	253
Crawford	110	1	1	0	0	8	9	0	129
Crittenden	53	96	4	0	0	7	6	0	166
Cross	18	15	0	0	0	1	1	3	38
Dallas	12	19	0	0	0	0	3	0	34
Desha	18	18	0	0	0	3	2	0	41
Drew	47	26	0	0	0	7	7	0	87
Faulkner	65	22	0	0	0	6	4	2	99
Franklin	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Fulton	39	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	43
Garland	241	70	1	0	0	13	45	0	370
Grant	30	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	34
Greene	86	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	91
Hempstead	14	19	0	0	0	0	1	1	35
Hot Spring	51	9	0	0	0	11	6	0	77
Howard	6	15	0	0	0	4	2	0	27
Independence	67	1	0	0	0	9	5	0	82
Izard	38	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	41
Jackson	32	33	0	0	0	1	1	0	67
Jefferson	40	229	2	0	0	2	21	0	294
Johnson	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
Lafayette	8	16	0	0	0	0	3	0	27
Lawrence	63	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	65
Lee	2	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	10

¹ Includes Indochinese, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, and Vietnamese.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY ETHNICITY
SFY 2008**

County	White	Black	Asian ¹	American Indian or Alaskan Native	Native Hawaiian And Other Pacific Islander	Hispanic	Multiple	Unable to Determine	Total Ethnicity
Lincoln	6	9	0	0	0	2	4	0	21
Little River	24	5	0	0	0	2	9	0	40
Logan	43	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	45
Lonoke	104	11	0	0	0	4	6	0	125
Madison	25	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	29
Marion	44	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	46
Miller	87	56	0	0	0	10	21	0	174
Mississippi	54	54	0	0	0	0	15	1	124
Monroe	2	11	0	0	0	0	2	0	15
Montgomery	17	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	20
Nevada	8	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Newton	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Ouachita	18	40	0	0	0	0	7	0	65
Perry	12	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	15
Phillips	8	44	0	0	0	1	5	0	58
Pike	8	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	11
Poinsett	79	0	0	1	0	0	9	0	89
Polk	67	0	0	0	0	4	5	0	76
Pope	133	11	2	0	0	20	13	0	179
Prairie	7	7	0	0	0	3	0	0	17
Pulaski	256	590	4	0	0	38	70	2	960
Randolph	52	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	56
Saline	72	6	0	0	0	0	11	0	89
Scott	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Searcy	23	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	25
Sebastian	401	86	4	3	0	69	93	4	660
Sevier	23	1	0	0	0	8	1	0	33
Sharp	71	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	79
St. Francis	10	57	0	0	0	12	8	0	87
Stone	15	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	17
Union	42	38	0	0	0	2	5	0	87
Van Buren	50	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	51
Washington	184	25	0	3	2	44	23	0	281
White	134	7	0	0	0	12	17	1	171
Woodruff	14	8	0	0	0	1	5	0	28
Yell	18	2	0	1	0	7	4	0	32
State Office	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
State Total*	4,044	1,899	21	14	4	429	546	17	6,974

¹ Includes Indochinese, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, and Vietnamese.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY GENDER
SFY 2008**

County	Male	Female	Total Children
Arkansas	20	25	45
Ashley	23	21	44
Baxter	41	38	79
Benton	143	143	286
Boone	39	35	74
Bradley	30	28	58
Calhoun	7	6	13
Carroll	17	18	35
Chicot	15	11	26
Clark	16	20	36
Clay	18	25	43
Cleburne	43	44	87
Cleveland	7	6	13
Columbia	18	22	40
Conway	51	43	94
Craighead	137	116	253
Crawford	70	59	129
Crittenden	72	94	166
Cross	17	21	38
Dallas	18	16	34
Desha	17	24	41
Drew	46	41	87
Faulkner	60	39	99
Franklin	5	9	14
Fulton	19	24	43
Garland	187	183	370
Grant	13	21	34
Greene	35	56	91
Hempstead	17	18	35
Hot Spring	31	46	77
Howard	18	9	27
Independence	49	33	82
Izard	15	26	41
Jackson	22	45	67
Jefferson	133	161	294
Johnson	14	15	29
Lafayette	13	14	27
Lawrence	27	38	65
Lee	5	5	10

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY GENDER
SFY 2008**

County	Male	Female	Total Children
Lincoln	8	13	21
Little River	15	25	40
Logan	25	20	45
Lonoke	56	69	125
Madison	12	17	29
Marion	18	28	46
Miller	99	75	174
Mississippi	59	65	124
Monroe	8	7	15
Montgomery	15	5	20
Nevada	4	9	13
Newton	11	8	19
Ouachita	38	27	65
Perry	9	6	15
Phillips	24	34	58
Pike	4	7	11
Poinsett	36	53	89
Polk	34	42	76
Pope	92	87	179
Prairie	7	10	17
Pulaski	502	458	960
Randolph	25	31	56
Saline	40	49	89
Scott	4	6	10
Searcy	10	15	25
Sebastian	322	338	660
Sevier	16	17	33
Sharp	39	40	79
St. Francis	39	48	87
Stone	12	5	17
Union	41	46	87
Van Buren	19	32	51
Washington	132	149	281
White	96	75	171
Woodruff	12	16	28
Yell	19	13	32
State Office	0	1	1
State Total	3,430	3,544	6,974

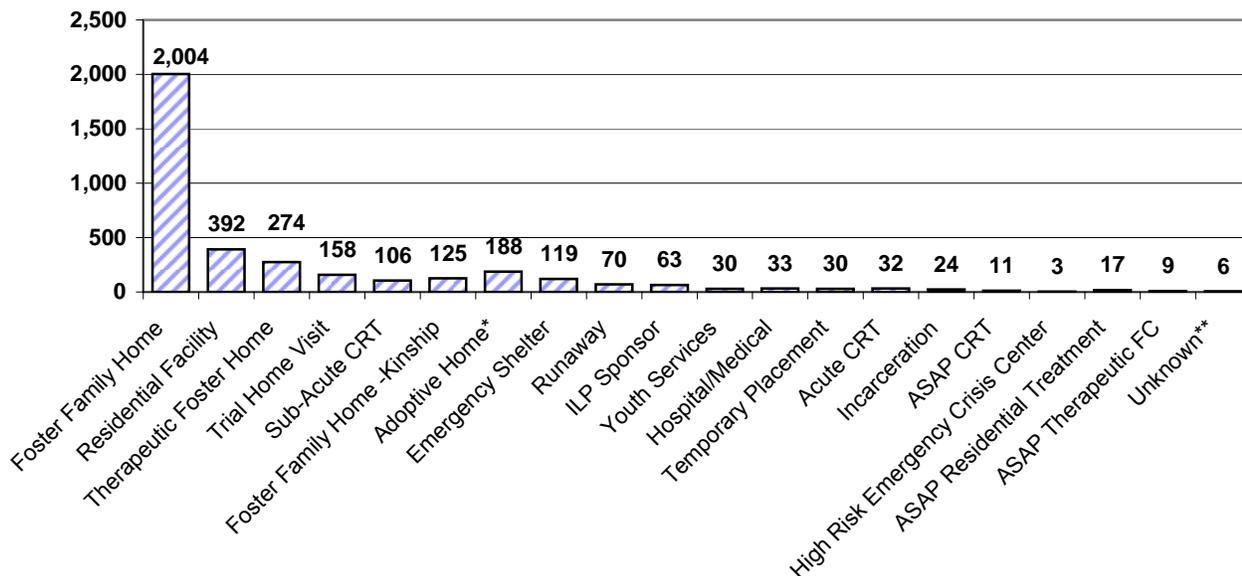
**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY PLACEMENT TYPE
SFY 2008**

Placement	Age						Total
	0 to 1	2 to 5	6 to 11	12 to 15	16 to 17	Over 17	
Foster Family Home	436	590	453	260	211	54	2,004
Residential Facility	20	20	68	137	118	29	392
Therapeutic Foster Home	2	30	132	73	33	4	274
Trial Home Visit	29	44	46	19	18	2	158
Sub-Acute CRT	0	1	27	51	27	0	106
Foster Family Home -Kinship	22	32	33	29	8	1	125
Adoptive Home*	25	81	65	16	1	0	188
Emergency Shelter	8	5	39	40	25	2	119
Runaway	1	0	3	7	58	1	70
ILP Sponsor	0	0	0	1	9	53	63
Youth Services	0	0	0	9	19	2	30
Hospital/Medical	3	4	3	17	6	0	33
Temporary Placement	1	9	8	8	3	1	30
Acute CRT	0	1	10	15	6	0	32
Incarceration	0	0	0	5	15	4	24
ASAP CRT	0	0	3	6	2	0	11
High Risk Emergency Crisis Center	0	0	2	0	1	0	3
ASAP Residential Treatment	0	0	0	4	12	1	17
ASAP Therapeutic FC	0	0	0	4	4	1	9
Unknown**	3	2	1	0	0	0	6
Total	550	819	893	701	576	155	3,694

*Non-finalized adoptions.

**Unknown due to data entry after report completion.

**Children in Foster Care By Placement Type
SFY 2008**



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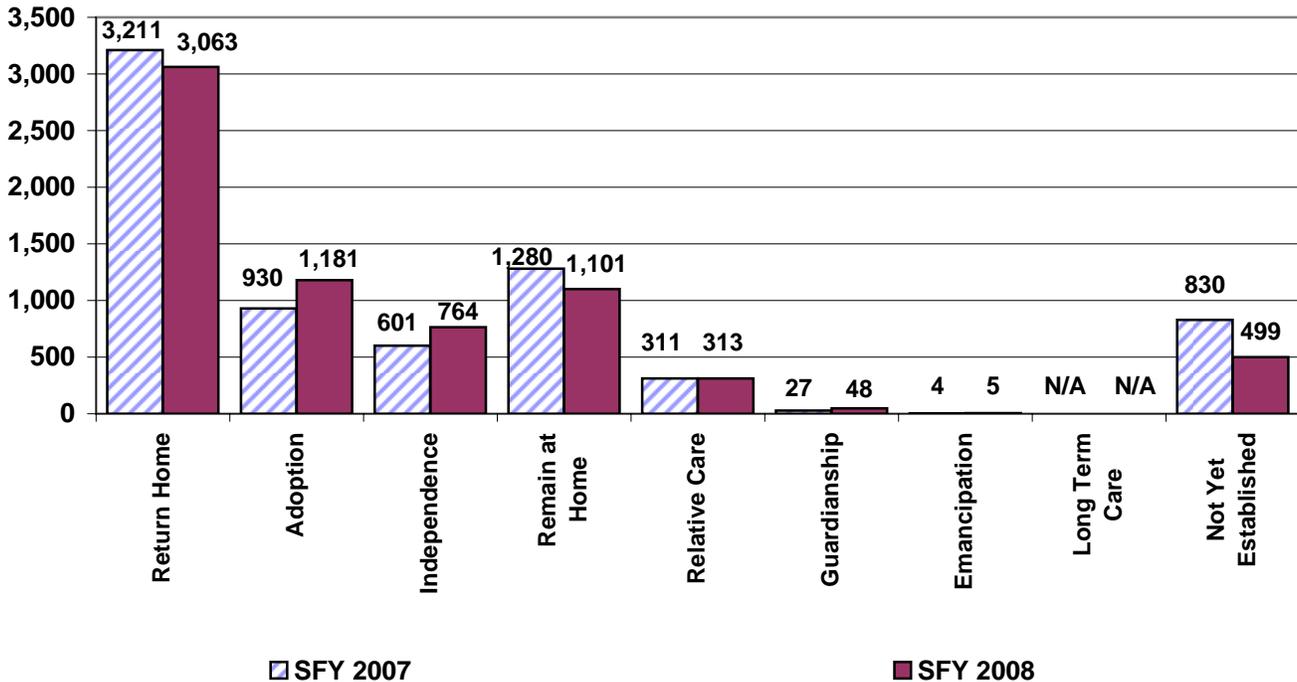
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CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY PERMANENCY GOAL
SFY 2007 – SFY 2008**

Permanency Goal	SFY 2007		SFY 2008		National**
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage	
Return Home	3,211	46.04%	3,063	43.92%	44%
Adoption	930	13.34%	1,181	16.93%	22%
Independence	601	8.62%	764	10.95%	N/A
Remain at Home	1,280	18.35%	1,101	15.79%	N/A
Relative Care	311	4.46%	313	4.49%	5%
Guardianship	27	0.39%	48	0.69%	3%
Emancipation	4	0.06%	5	0.07%	6%
Long Term Care	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	8%
Not Yet Established	830	11.90%	499	7.16%	11%
Total*	7,194	103%	6,974	100%	100%

*Sum of individual percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding.

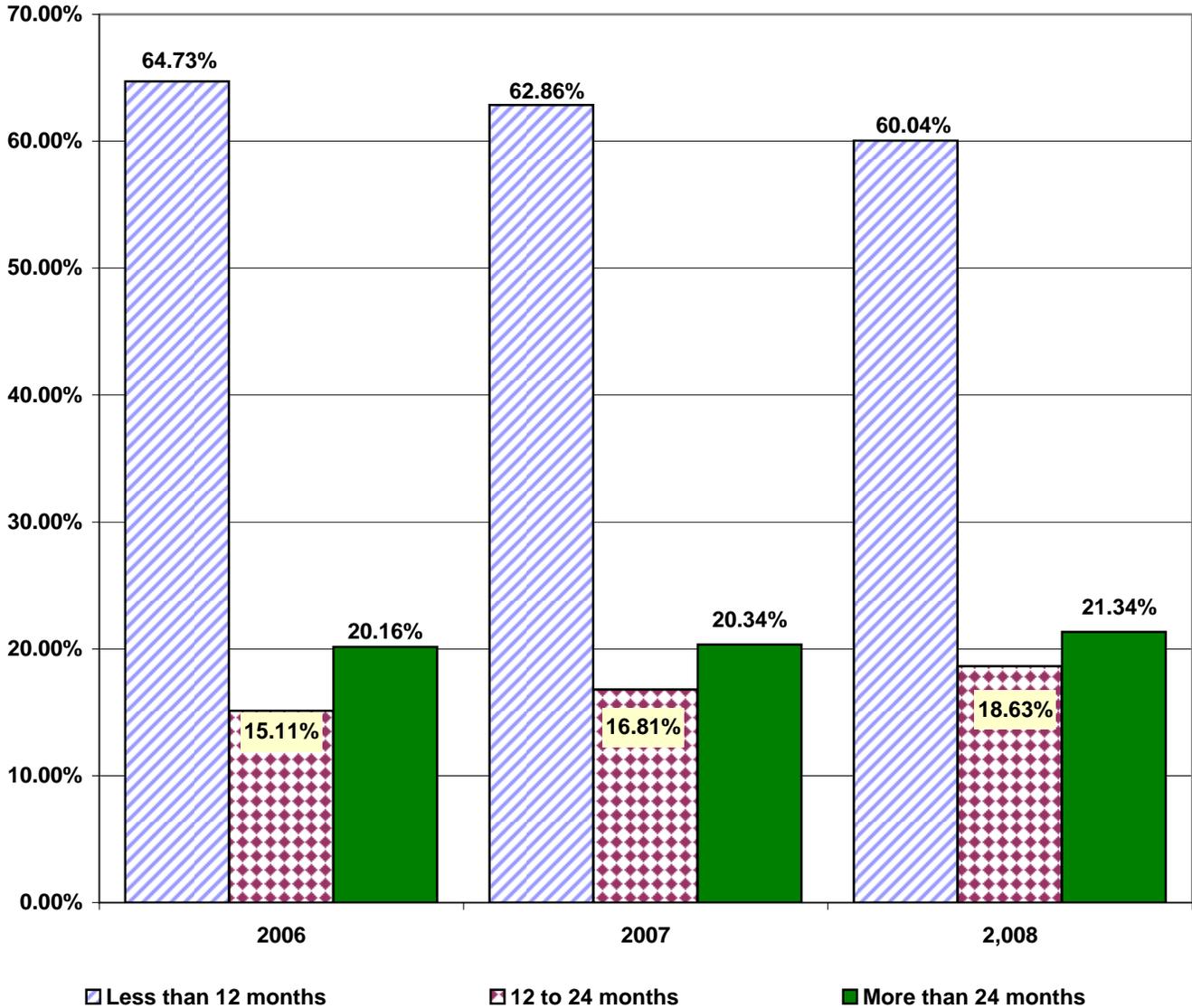
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**Children in Foster Care Permanency Goal
SFY 2007 - SFY 2008**



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CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY LENGTH OF STAY UPON ENTERING CARE
SFY 2006 - SFY 2008**

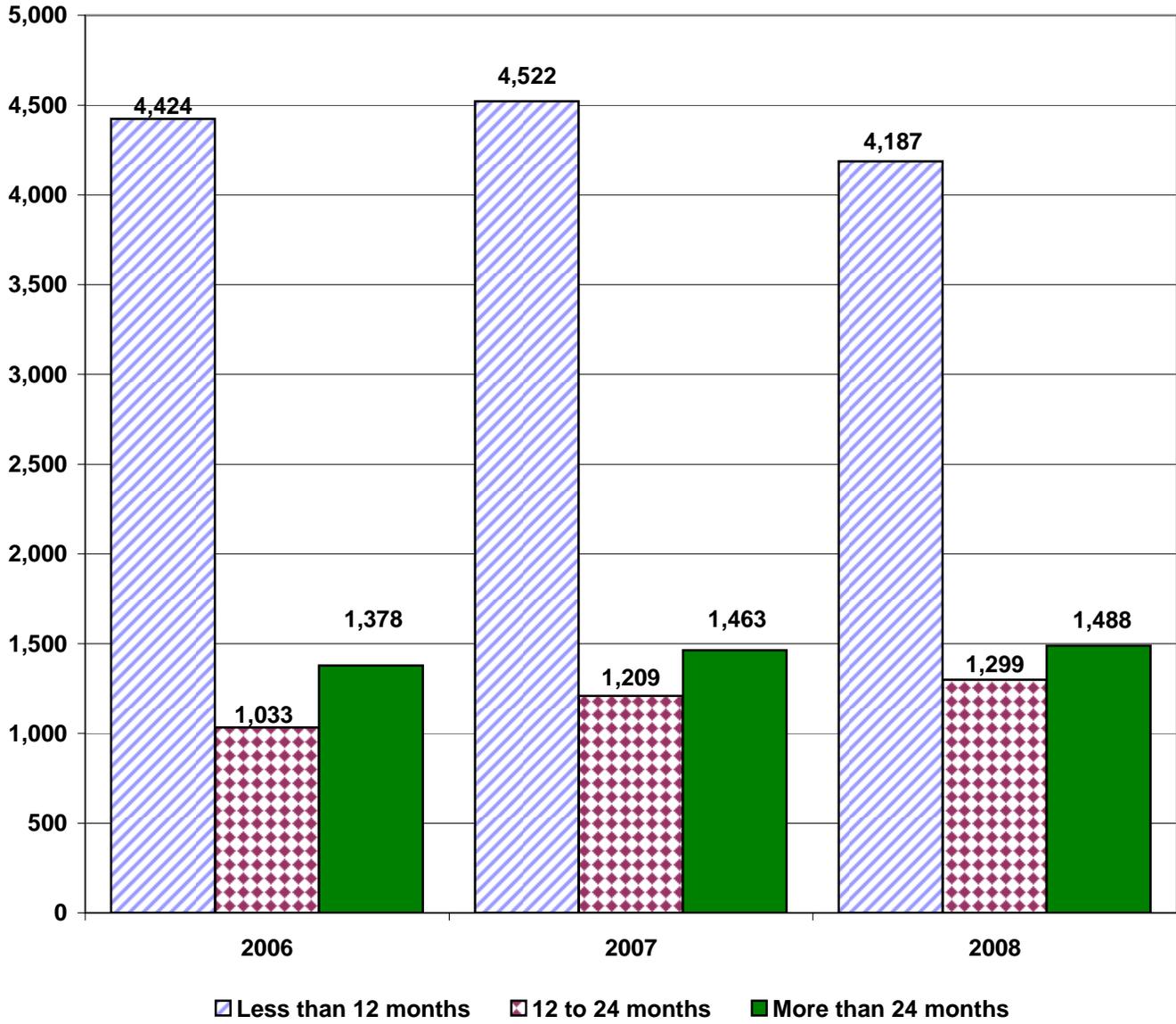
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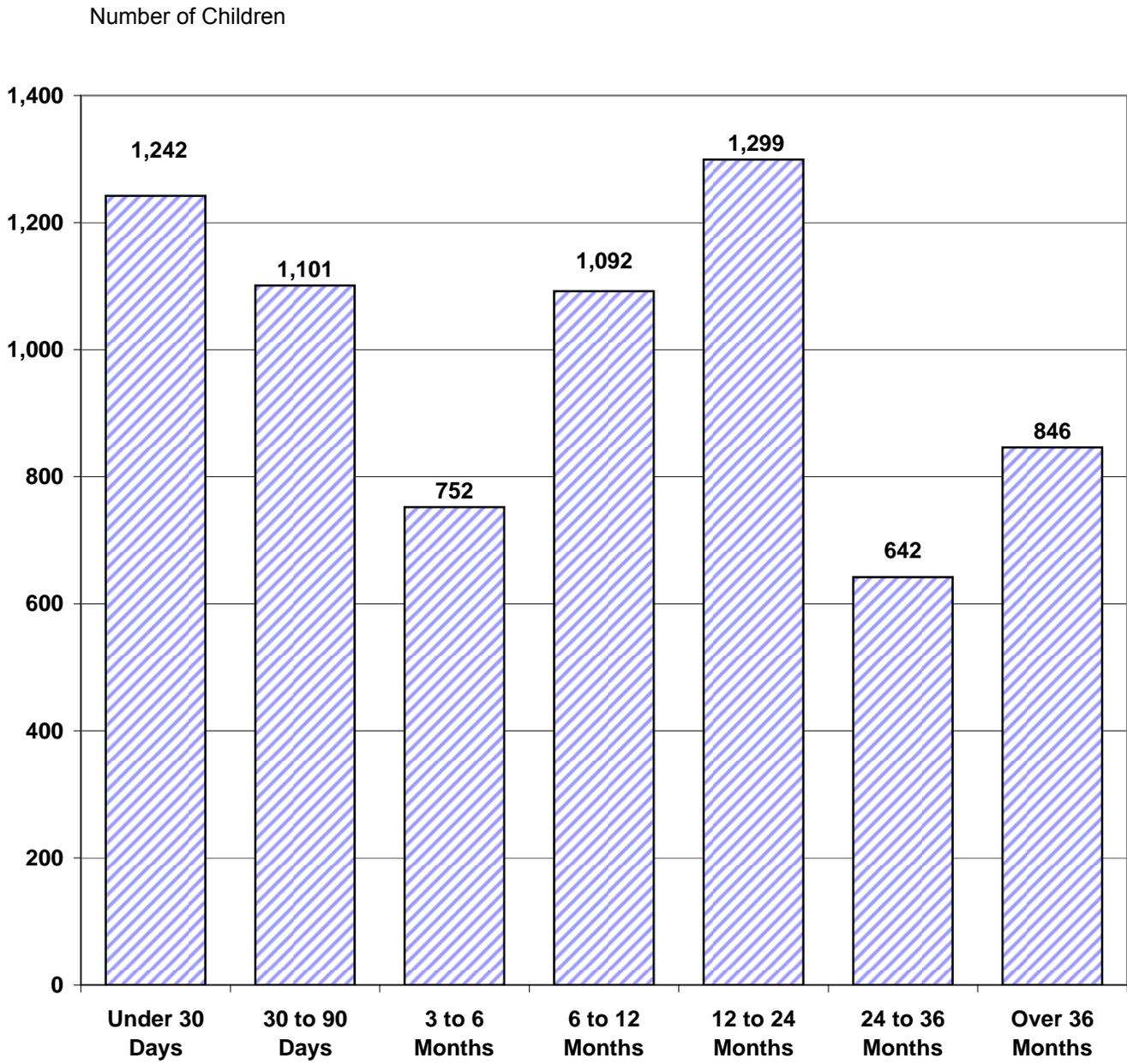
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SFY 2006 - SFY 2008**

Number of Children



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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY LENGTH OF STAY UPON ENTERING CARE
SFY 2008**



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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY LENGTH OF STAY UPON ENTERING CARE*
SFY 2008**

County	Under 30 Days	1 to 3 Months	4 to 6 Months	7 to 12 Months	13 to 24 Months	25 to 36 Months	Over 36 Months	Total Children
Arkansas	9	3	3	5	8	14	3	45
Ashley	15	9	5	4	5	3	3	44
Baxter	12	8	4	19	15	8	13	79
Benton	63	57	45	32	59	19	11	286
Boone	18	17	5	14	13	3	4	74
Bradley	12	4	8	4	19	2	9	58
Calhoun	6	3	1	1	1	0	1	13
Carroll	5	8	3	4	10	3	2	35
Chicot	1	6	2	4	6	4	3	26
Clark	7	7	9	7	1	0	5	36
Clay	1	17	3	8	3	9	2	43
Cleburne	18	9	6	17	22	10	5	87
Cleveland	3	5	4	0	1	0	0	13
Columbia	34	2	0	1	2	0	1	40
Conway	11	26	16	11	16	5	9	94
Craighead	32	21	41	47	66	26	20	253
Crawford	31	29	15	17	21	6	10	129
Crittenden	13	29	30	23	26	27	18	166
Cross	2	10	4	7	2	8	5	38
Dallas	13	2	7	6	4	1	1	34
Desha	7	1	3	9	12	4	5	41
Drew	11	9	3	13	14	5	32	87
Faulkner	15	18	10	25	13	9	9	99
Franklin	0	3	1	5	3	1	1	14
Fulton	2	8	3	9	8	6	7	43
Garland	54	96	61	67	46	25	21	370
Grant	16	7	0	6	4	0	1	34
Greene	8	21	16	15	20	4	7	91
Hempstead	10	5	6	4	5	0	5	35
Hot Spring	40	14	9	8	4	0	2	77
Howard	1	2	0	4	3	0	17	27
Independence	10	12	11	8	19	10	12	82
Izard	1	3	2	9	14	4	8	41
Jackson	3	6	6	21	21	7	3	67
Jefferson	74	48	37	39	45	16	35	294
Johnson	6	6	7	4	0	1	5	29
Lafayette	11	6	6	0	0	1	3	27
Lawrence	6	13	11	9	17	8	1	65
Lee	2	1	1	2	2	0	2	10

*Children who have exited care or how long children have been in care at the end of the state fiscal year.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY LENGTH OF STAY UPON ENTERING CARE*
SFY 2008**

County	Under 30 Days	1 to 3 Months	4 to 6 Months	7 to 12 Months	13 to 24 Months	25 to 36 Months	Over 36 Months	Total Children
Lincoln	2	6	6	2	1	2	2	21
Little River	5	8	3	5	3	12	4	40
Logan	12	13	2	5	4	1	8	45
Lonoke	39	22	14	25	12	8	5	125
Madison	4	4	5	9	4	0	3	29
Marion	2	12	3	5	14	2	8	46
Miller	22	24	15	35	50	11	17	174
Mississippi	47	23	9	25	8	7	5	124
Monroe	4	2	3	1	0	3	2	15
Montgomery	8	5	1	1	1	3	1	20
Nevada	2	6	1	1	1	0	2	13
Newton	4	8	1	4	1	0	1	19
Ouachita	21	13	5	3	9	4	10	65
Perry	8	0	1	1	5	0	0	15
Phillips	6	8	2	12	8	10	12	58
Pike	2	2	0	3	1	2	1	11
Poinsett	6	20	17	27	5	7	7	89
Polk	9	12	8	23	11	4	9	76
Pope	51	25	21	34	29	10	9	179
Prairie	3	7	1	2	4	0	0	17
Pulaski	91	85	67	135	255	124	203	960
Randolph	8	7	3	11	9	12	6	56
Saline	41	6	10	7	17	3	5	89
Scott	4	0	3	1	0	0	2	10
Searcy	4	4	1	5	6	1	4	25
Sebastian	80	102	52	81	123	79	143	660
Sevier	3	14	3	2	6	4	1	33
Sharp	14	9	1	14	25	6	10	79
St. Francis	11	18	14	15	14	3	12	87
Stone	0	0	0	6	5	2	4	17
Union	28	15	10	7	10	9	8	87
Van Buren	5	4	9	12	14	3	4	51
Washington	75	37	35	37	41	36	20	281
White	35	29	18	29	32	13	15	171
Woodruff	0	0	0	15	9	3	1	28
Yell	3	0	3	4	12	9	1	32
State Office	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
State Total	1,242	1,101	752	1,092	1,299	642	846	6,974

*Children who have exited care or how long children have been in care at the end of the state fiscal year.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
CHACTERISTICS OF CHILDREN WHO ENTERED FOSTER CARE DURING THE YEAR
SFY 2008**

Age	Gender	White	Black	Asian ¹	AIAN ²	NAPI ³	Hispanic	More Than 1 Race	Total
0 to 1	Female	242	125	0	3	1	38	21	430
	Male	244	95	0	3	1	43	46	432
2 to 5	Female	251	98	1	0	0	30	36	416
	Male	287	112	0	0	1	50	46	496
6 to 11	Female	297	116	1	0	0	32	26	472
	Male	284	128	3	0	0	25	28	468
12 to 15	Female	218	115	2	0	0	24	21	380
	Male	184	69	3	1	0	8	23	288
16 to 18	Female	148	55	2	0	0	7	18	230
	Male	79	37	1	0	0	9	3	129
Total*		2,234	950	13	7	3	266	268	3,741

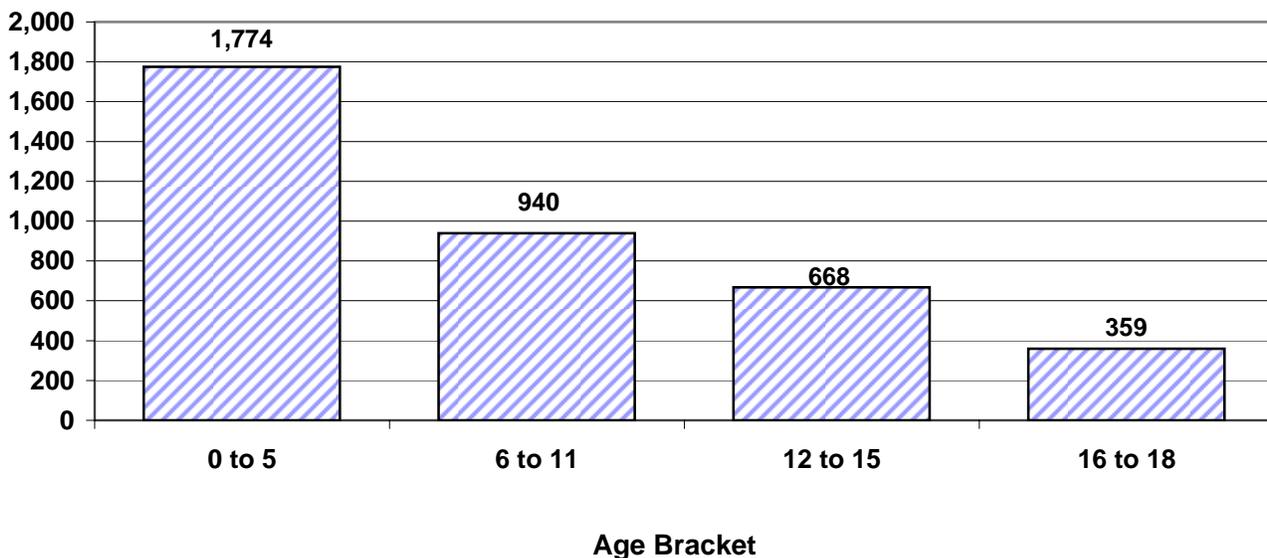
*Demographic information had not been entered into CHRIS for 13 children.

¹Includes Indochinese, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, Vietnamese.

²Includes American Indian and Alaskan Native.

³Includes Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.

**Children who Entered Foster Care by Age
SFY 2008**

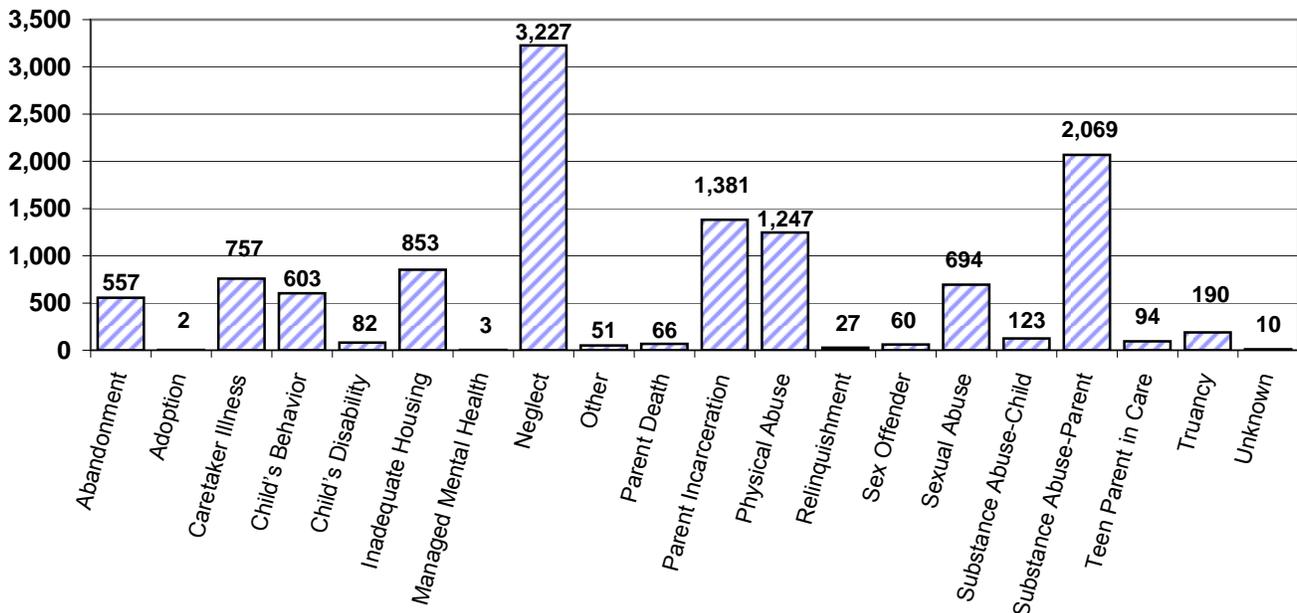


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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
REASONS CHILDREN PLACED IN FOSTER CARE BY AGE DURING THE YEAR
SFY 2008**

Reasons	0 to 1	2 to 5	6 to 11	12 to 15	16 to 18	18+	Total
Abandonment	69	96	139	149	103	1	557
Adoption	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Caretaker Illness	138	157	185	196	78	3	757
Child's Behavior	0	0	110	312	178	3	603
Child's Disability	18	18	24	18	2	2	82
Inadequate Housing	169	207	273	156	47	1	853
Managed Mental Health	0	0	1	1	1	0	3
Neglect	652	863	933	575	200	4	3,227
Other	2	3	28	13	5	0	51
Parent Death	8	9	19	18	12	0	66
Parent Incarceration	277	400	414	223	66	1	1,381
Physical Abuse	238	295	323	275	116	0	1,247
Relinquishment	3	5	8	9	2	0	27
Sex Offender	0	0	18	32	9	1	60
Sexual Abuse	38	130	244	225	57	0	694
Substance Abuse-Child	0	0	25	56	42	0	123
Substance Abuse-Parent	578	531	541	330	88	1	2,069
Teen Parent in Care	82	12	0	0	0	0	94
Truancy	0	0	55	85	48	2	190
Unknown	0	0	6	4	0	0	10
Total	2,272	2,726	3,346	2,679	1,054	19	12,096

**Reasons Children Placed in Foster Care
SFY 2008**



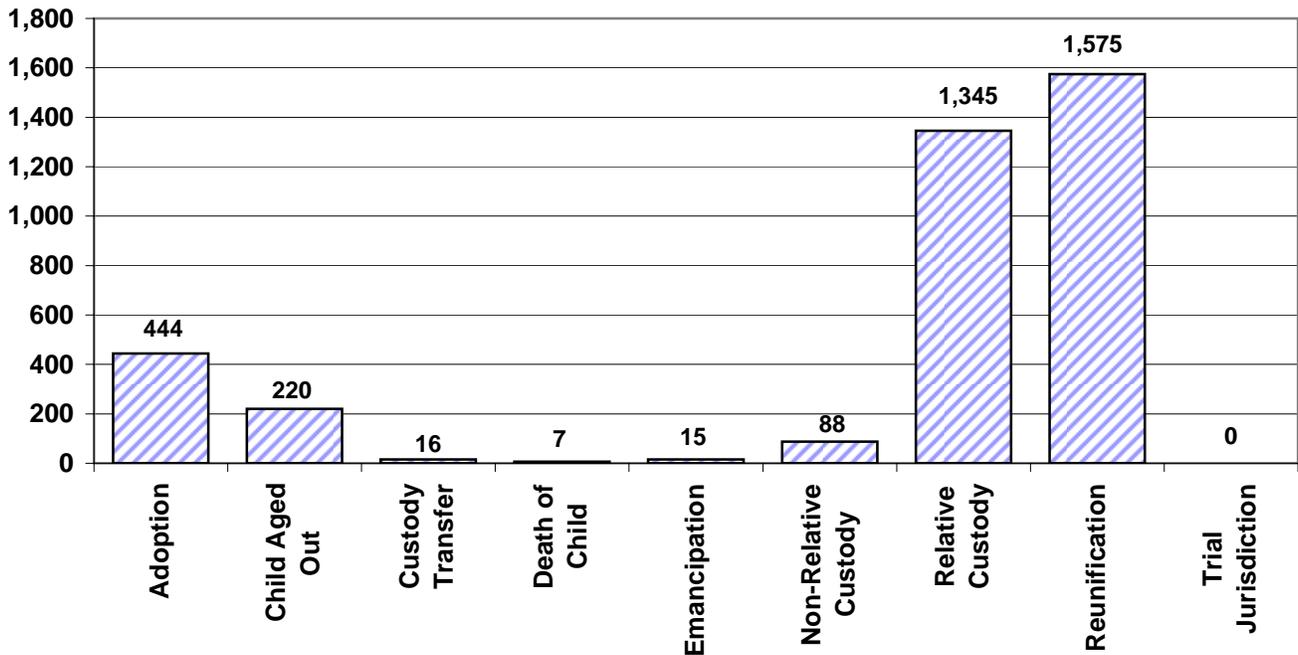
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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
REASON CHILDREN EXITED CARE BY AGE
SFY 2008**

Reasons	Age						Total
	0 to 1	2 to 5	6 to 11	12 to 15	16 to 18	Over 18	
Adoption	48	217	136	38	5	0	444
Child Aged Out	0	0	0	0	163	57	220
Custody Transfer	4	3	3	1	4	1	16
Death of Child	3	1	0	2	0	1	7
Emancipation	0	0	0	0	11	4	15
Non-Relative Custody	11	17	18	23	17	2	88
Relative Custody	231	341	385	249	139	0	1,345
Reunification	250	433	431	293	168	0	1,575
Trial Jurisdiction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Total	547	1,012	973	606	507	65	3,710

*Demographic information had not been entered into CHRIS for 11 children.

**Reasons Children Exited Care
SFY 2008**



FOSTER FAMILY HOMES STATISTICAL DATA SFY 2008**

There were **302** new foster homes recruited during SFY 2008. Additionally, there were 1,045 approved foster homes at the end of June, 2008.

**Information taken from DCFS Annual Report Card

Source: Division of Children and Family Services

SERVICES PROVIDED

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
SERVICES PROVIDED
SFY 2008**

County	Foster Care Cases ⁽¹⁾	Child Protective Service Cases ⁽²⁾	Child Protective Service Children	Supportive Service Cases	Supportive Service Children	Total Cases
Arkansas	45	68	159	4	6	117
Ashley	44	76	145	9	17	129
Baxter	79	138	280	2	2	219
Benton	286	394	854	2	3	682
Boone	74	139	288	7	15	220
Bradley	58	53	96	3	5	114
Calhoun	13	9	19	2	4	24
Carroll	35	82	168	1	4	118
Chicot	26	44	78	9	17	79
Clark	36	38	79	1	2	75
Clay	43	66	132	9	20	118
Cleburne	87	96	202	2	4	185
Cleveland	13	17	33	4	7	34
Columbia	40	60	143	5	10	105
Conway	94	123	243	1	1	218
Craighead	253	386	909	8	12	647
Crawford	129	247	522	51	152	427
Crittenden	166	177	442	6	15	349
Cross	38	95	204	6	8	139
Dallas	34	33	67	3	3	70
Desha	41	53	107	16	21	110
Drew	87	109	211	12	20	208
Faulkner	99	228	479	4	4	331
Franklin	14	66	141	4	9	84
Fulton	43	74	155	5	11	122
Garland	370	415	835	50	94	835
Grant	34	43	80	18	31	95
Greene	91	167	395	13	30	271
Hempstead	35	81	161	14	30	130
Hot Spring	77	96	210	11	17	184
Howard	27	26	43	2	3	55
Independence	82	90	189	15	21	187
Izard	41	67	128	3	5	111
Jackson	67	88	194	6	12	161
Jefferson	294	317	780	7	17	618
Johnson	29	85	182	2	3	116
Lafayette	27	31	67	0	0	58
Lawrence	65	77	179	5	8	147
Lee	10	26	56	3	12	39

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
SERVICES PROVIDED
SFY 2008**

County	Foster Care Cases ⁽¹⁾	Child Protective Service Cases ⁽²⁾	Child Protective Service Children	Supportive Service Cases	Supportive Service Children	Total Cases
Lincoln	21	24	47	10	18	55
Little River	40	50	110	2	5	92
Logan	45	107	208	0	0	152
Lonoke	125	197	377	2	5	324
Madison	29	67	141	2	5	98
Marion	46	64	125	3	3	113
Miller	174	169	342	5	12	348
Mississippi	124	168	443	14	32	306
Monroe	15	43	103	16	46	74
Montgomery	20	23	52	1	3	44
Nevada	13	42	109	2	2	57
Newton	19	18	40	3	8	40
Ouachita	65	117	220	4	8	186
Perry	15	39	76	5	4	59
Phillips	58	110	288	8	28	176
Pike	11	24	44	0	0	35
Poinsett	89	131	342	4	7	224
Polk	76	101	205	4	8	181
Pope	179	267	540	24	45	470
Prairie	17	35	60	1	1	53
Pulaski	960	1,207	2,787	105	198	2,272
Randolph	56	107	244	2	4	165
Saline	89	296	601	8	14	393
Scott	10	27	54	9	11	46
Searcy	25	35	71	6	11	66
Sebastian	660	746	1,620	13	27	1,419
Sevier	33	51	112	1	1	85
Sharp	79	105	221	7	18	191
St. Francis	87	183	462	23	50	293
Stone	17	20	39	3	7	40
Union	87	153	364	7	13	247
Van Buren	51	70	140	2	3	123
Washington	281	629	1,438	12	18	922
White	171	273	535	8	10	452
Woodruff	28	46	97	0	0	74
Yell	32	79	153	1	2	112
State Office	1	2	4	0	0	3
State Total*	6,974	10,305	22,469	642	1,282	17,921

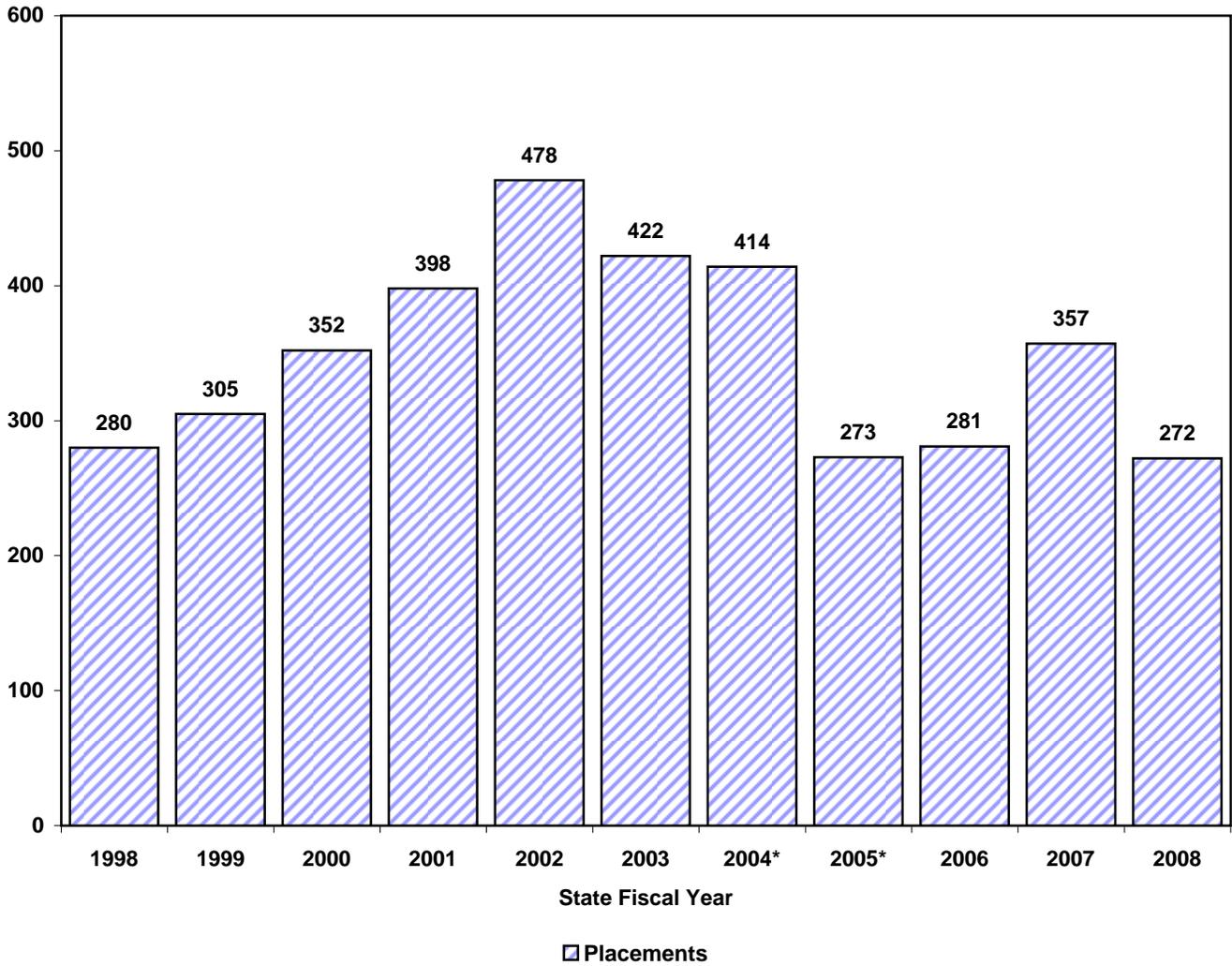
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*Demographic information had not been entered into CHRIS for 26 children.

ADOPTIONS

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADOPTIONS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN PLACED
SFY 1998 - SFY 2008**



* Adjusted from previous fiscal year to show those children placed in adoptive homes. A home does not become adoptive until the adoption is finalized

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADOPTION SERVICES
SFY 2008**

Services are provided to birth parents, children, and adoptive families to establish and maintain permanent homes for children. This unit is also responsible for the adoption subsidy program, the Arkansas Mutual Consent Voluntary Adoption Registry, and the Interstate Compact on Adoptions and Medical Assistance (ICAMA) program.

Characteristics of Children Placed in Adoptive Homes

There were 273 children placed in adoptive homes during SFY 2008, down from 357 in SFY 2007. The following tables show the breakdowns of these children by age, gender and race.

Age	Number of Children	Percentage
0 to 5 years	152	55.88%
6 to 11 years	94	34.56%
12 to 18 years	26	9.56%
TOTAL*	272	100.00%

Gender	Number of Children	Percentage
Male	138	50.74%
Female	134	49.26%
TOTAL*	272	100.00%

Ethnicity	Number of Children	Percentage
White	163	59.93%
Black	65	23.90%
Asian	2	0.74%
Aian	0	0.00%
Hispanic	15	5.51%
NAPI**	0	0.00%
Multiple***	27	9.93%
TOTAL*	272	100.00%

* Demographic information was not entered into CHRIS for 1 child.

** Native Hawaiian And Other Pacific Islander

*** More than one race was indicated in CHRIS.

Special Needs

There were 164 children with special needs who were placed in pre-adoptive homes during SFY 2008.¹ Children with special needs are defined as children who have severe medical or psychological needs that require ongoing treatment. Other children may be considered special needs if they are a Caucasian child over the age of nine, an African American child who is two years old or older, or a child who is a member of a sibling group of three or more that is being placed together with his or her sibling.

Special Needs Condition	Number of Children*
Ethnicity	164
Age	151
Member of Sibling Group	82

*A child may have more than one condition.

¹ This number does not take into account children with severe medical and psychological needs because this data is not available in CHRIS (AR Children's Reporting and Information System). As enhancements are made to the data system to capture this information, the data will be provided in future reports.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADOPTION SERVICES
SFY 2008**

Subsidized Adoptions

There were 382 new subsidized adoptions approved in SFY 2008, with 319 federally funded and 63 state funded.

Disruptions

A disruption of an adoptive placement occurs when a family who had accepted a child for adoption decides not to proceed with finalization and the child is removed from the home. Twenty-four disruptions occurred in SFY 2008, compared to twenty-two disruptions in the previous fiscal year.

Non-Foster Parent Adoptive Homes

Homes Awaiting Children at the Beginning of the Year	169
New Homes Approved During the Year	192
Total During the Year	361
Homes in Which Children Were Placed During the Year	119
Approved Adoptive Homes Closed at the End of the Year	53
Homes That Experienced a Disruption	19
Number of Homes Awaiting Children	208

Children Waiting for Adoption

There are currently 527 children waiting for adoption. The following table describes the demographics of these children.

Demographics of Children Waiting for Adoption by Non-Foster Parents*

Age	Gender	White	Black	Asian	Aian	Napi	Hispanic	Multiple**	Total
0-1	Female	13	5	0	0	0	0	3	21
	Male	9	8	0	0	0	0	3	20
2-5	Female	42	21	0	0	0	3	6	72
	Male	34	19	0	1	0	4	5	63
6-11	Female	57	17	0	0	0	7	3	84
	Male	71	19	0	0	0	6	14	110
12-15	Female	26	16	0	0	0	4	7	53
	Male	43	18	0	0	0	1	8	70
16-18	Female	12	2	0	0	0	0	2	16
	Male	10	6	0	0	0	0	1	17
TOTAL		317	131	0	1	0	25	52	526

* Demographic information had not been entered into CHRIS for one child.

** More than one race indicated in CHRIS.

**INDEPENDENT
LIVING
PROGRAM**

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM
FFY 2008
(October 1, 2007 to September 30, 2008)**

YOUTH SERVED

Demographics

Age	Total
Twenty Plus	51
Nineteen	82
Eighteen	213
Seventeen	338
Sixteen	284
Fifteen-Fourteen	332
Total	1,300

Ethnicity	Total
White	817
Black	418
Hispanic	38
Asian	10
Native American	10
Other Ethnicity	7
Total	1,300

Gender	Total
Male	618
Female	682
Total	1,300

General Statistics

Length of Time in Foster Care	Total
Less than 6 months	181
6 months to 1 Year	163
Between 1 and 2 Years	271
Between 2 and 3 Years	189
Between 3 and 4 Years	132
Between 4 and 5 Years	94
Between 5 and 7 Years	132
Between 7 and 10 Years	64
Between 10 and 12 Years	40
Between 12 and 15 Years	26
More than 15 Years	8
Unknown	0
Total	1,300

Youth Who Were	Total
Living in a Foster Home	529
Living in a Group Home	374
Living Independently	144
Institutionalized	113
Other Living Arrangements	95
Special Needs Children	133
Married	5
Parents	77

Other Characteristics	Total
Employed	254
Obtained High School Diploma/GED	147
Obtained Housing/ Other Community Service	96
Living Independently	120

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM (ILP)
FFY 2007**

(October 1, 2006 to September 30, 2007)

YOUTH SERVED(CONTINUED)

1. Life-skills topics covered in workshops – <u>Credit Counseling, Housing, Post-Secondary Finance, Finance and Money Management, Vocational Planning, Parenting, Health and Hygiene, Personal Appearance, Nutrition, Team Building, Self-esteem, Legal Issues, Job Search, Drugs, Sex/STD's, Community Resources, Conflict Resolution, Moving Planning, Anger Management, Cultural Diversity, Voting 101, Purchasing, Handling and Cooking Food, Internet Safety, Gangs vs. School.</u>		
	Number of life-skills workshops presented during the year.	383
	Total number of teens attending the workshops. (duplicated count)	2,722
	Total number of foster parents attending the workshops. (duplicated count)	447
	Total number of staff attending the workshops. (duplicated count)	348
2.	Total number of teens given initial assessment during the year.	386
3.	Number of reassessments during the year.	734
4.	Number of ILP staffings attended during the year.	431
5.	Number of ILP home/apartment/school, etc, startups during the year.	87
6.	Number of OJT placements during the year.	9
7.	Total number of teens that completed the ILP program plan during the year.	19
8.	Total number of teens that withdrew before completing transitional/educational plan.	182
9.	Total number of teens (age 14-15) that were provided ILP information.	382
10.	Number of video presentations that were made during the year.	93
11.	Total number of people that attended video presentations:	762
	Teens	553
	Foster Parents	90
	Staff	119
	Total	762
12.	Total number of teens from other states that were provided assessments/services.	6
13.	Youth receiving "After-Care" services during the year.	78

BEHAVIORAL

TREATMENT SERVICES

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL TREATMENT SERVICES
SFY 2008**

The Behavioral Treatment Unit provides technical and financial assistance to local county offices requiring help in locating and/or funding out-of-home placements for children with emotional and/or behavioral problems. The Division of Children and Family Services provides these placements through contracts with private providers or Medicaid providers. Services purchased are as follows: therapeutic foster care, residential treatment, comprehensive residential treatment, emergency shelter, case management and specialized foster care placements for developmentally delayed children and sexual offender treatment programs.

The following services were provided through contracts during SFY 2008:

Type of Contract Service	Number of Programs
Therapeutic Foster Care	14
Community Based Comprehensive Residential Treatment (Inpatient Psychiatric Treatment)	6
Emergency Shelter	15
Specialized Foster Care Services for Developmentally Delayed Children	3
Residential Treatment	14
Sexual Offenders Treatment Programs	4
Inpatient Psychiatric Treatment (Hospital setting)	6
Independent Living Programs	1

INTENSIVE FAMILY SERVICES

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
INTENSIVE FAMILY SERVICES
SFY 2008**

The Division of Children and Family Services seeks to ensure the health and safety of children and to preserve families through the provision of Intensive Family Services (IFS). The goals are to prevent unnecessary out-of-home placements of children and to promote reunification of families with children in placement. IFS is a combination of counseling and support services aimed at ensuring the health and safety of all family members while helping the family learn how to stay together successfully. Services are immediate, time-limited, and home-based. The IFS practitioner concentrates on the most serious issues affecting the family and provides tailored services to meet the unique needs of the family. **IFS was provided through contractors and DCFS staff. There were 151 families with 407 children who received these services in SFY 2008.**

DIVISION

OF

COUNTY OPERATIONS

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS (DCO)
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2008**

Mission:

The mission of the Division of County Operations is to ensure the delivery of quality human services that strengthen the health and well being of Arkansas' children, families, and adults.

Executive Staff:

Joni Jones, Director
Melissa Dean, Assistant Director, Administrative Support
Gwen Williams, Assistant Director, Field Operations
Linda Greer, Assistant Director, Program Planning and Development
Thomas Green, Assistant Director, Community Services

Fast Facts:

People Served Annually:	1,081,385
Facilities Regulated:	None
Division Established:	1985
Budget:	\$163.8 Million (\$111.2 Million Fed, \$44.3 Million State, \$8.3 Million Other)
Staff:	1,804 Budgeted Positions (includes 61 Tobacco positions)
Institutions Operated:	83 DHS County Offices

Programs:

- Medicaid – The Division of County Operations enrolls eligible individuals in the Medicaid Program to assist with payment of medical services, prescription drugs, long-term care, and other related services. Approximately 794,331 Arkansas children and adults were eligible for medical care through the Medicaid program during State Fiscal Year 2008. Clients counted as receiving this service may have also received additional services shown on this page.
- Transitional Employment Assistance (TEA) – This program provides time-limited cash assistance each month to low-income families with dependent children. Approximately 33,892 people were provided this service during State Fiscal Year 2008. Clients counted as receiving this service may have also received additional services shown on this page.
- Work Pays - The Work Pays Program is an incentive program designed to encourage working TEA clients to remain employed after closure of the TEA case while increasing their hours of work and/or hourly wage. Families participating in Arkansas Work Pays will receive a monthly cash assistance payment in the amount of \$204 for up to 24 months, provided they meet the Work Pays eligibility requirements. This work incentive program may be limited to 3,000 families. Clients counted as receiving this service may have also received additional services shown on this page.
- Food Stamps – This program provides a nutrition safety net for low-income children, families and adults. Over \$427 million in benefits were provided to 556,735 people during State Fiscal Year 2008. Clients counted as receiving this service may have also received additional services shown on this page.
- Commodity Distribution/Emergency Food – This program provides more than 19.3 million pounds of USDA-donated food to needy and unemployed people through school lunch programs, charitable and correctional institutions, child feeding programs, disaster organizations, soup kitchens and food banks.
- Refugee Resettlement – This program provides temporary cash and medical assistance to eligible refugees and entrants to help them become self-sufficient.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS (DCO)
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2008**

Programs: (continued)

- Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Program – This program provides more than \$8.8 million in funding to the 16 Community Action Agencies in the state to support services and activities that assist low-income families to become self-sufficient.
- Home Energy Assistance Program – This program provides financial assistance to approximately 110,000 households each year to help them meet home energy costs. Case management activities designed to encourage and enable households to reduce their energy costs and thereby, their need for financial assistance, are also provided.
- Weatherization Assistance Program – This program provides Weatherization services and case management activities designed to encourage and enable households to reduce their energy costs, and thereby their need for financial assistance. There were 1,225 homes weatherized in SFY 2008.
- Shelter Plus Care Program – This program provides grants to community shelters that provide housing and supportive shelters for homeless persons with disabilities (primarily serious mental illness, chronic problems with alcohol and/or drugs, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS), or related diseases). There were 302 people provided with rental assistance in SFY 2008 through this program.
- Emergency Shelter Program – This program provides more than \$1.1 million in grant funds to 71 local community homeless shelters.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS
EXPENDITURES
SFY 2008**

	Expenditures*
<u>DCO Administration:</u>	
00 - Regular Salaries	\$ 53,805,227
01 - Extra Help	223,939
02 - Maintenance & Operations	19,384,062
03 - Fringe Benefits	17,440,137
06 - Overtime	170
09 - Conference Fees & Travel	74,904
10 - Professional Fees & Services	7,913,920
11 - Capital Outlay	105,128
44 - Data Processing Services	2,106,737
Sub-Total	\$ 101,054,224
<u>Tobacco Settlement - Medicaid Expansion Program:</u>	
00 - Regular Salaries	\$ 483,469
02 - Maintenance & Operations	297
03 - Fringe Benefits	341,345
44 - Data Processing Services	8,022
Sub-Total	\$ 833,133
<u>DCO Programs:</u>	
Shelter Plus Care	\$ 1,475,736
AABD (State)	-
Weatherization (Federal)	3,982,906
Emergency Food (Federal)	481,062
Low-Income Energy Assistance (Federal)	14,987,490
Refugee Resettlement (Federal)	162
Emergency Shelter (Homeless Assistance) (Federal)	1,095,462
TEA Employment Services	2,384,147
TEA/Work Pays Cash Assistance, Relocation, Diversions	15,915,801
Food Stamp Employment & Training	84,898
Community Services Block Grant (Federal)	8,968,581
Commodity Distribution - SAC** Fund - Operating Exp	9,514
Commodity Distribution - SAC** Fund - Capital Outlay	40,195
Sub-Total	\$ 49,425,954
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 151,313,311

*This table does not reflect \$3.9 billion in public assistance benefits authorized by DCO eligibility workers in SFY 2008 as these payments are not reflected in the DCO budget. The adjusted administrative rate is 2.54%.

**Salvage and Container

Source: AASIS Y_DEV_80000046 Budget Reconciliation Report

TEA

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
CASES, PERSONS AND GRANT AMOUNT
SFY 2008**

County	Cases ⁽¹⁾	Adults ⁽¹⁾	Children ⁽¹⁾	Grant Amount ⁽²⁾	County	Cases ⁽¹⁾	Adults ⁽¹⁾	Children ⁽¹⁾	Grant Amount ⁽²⁾
Arkansas	113	65	187	\$108,746	Lincoln	111	87	184	\$126,110
Ashley	186	128	295	181,945	Little River	60	40	103	56,744
Baxter	90	72	141	80,670	Logan	158	126	286	166,068
Benton	169	67	309	166,280	Lonoke	161	120	281	175,557
Boone	115	91	184	99,665	Madison	21	8	34	23,990
Bradley	92	59	152	81,181	Marion	52	32	88	54,216
Calhoun	38	24	64	37,126	Miller	388	296	637	366,603
Carroll	38	29	77	45,002	Mississippi	415	213	729	416,597
Chicot	156	112	251	149,463	Monroe	75	47	122	80,585
Clark	69	52	115	59,942	Montgomery	28	20	47	30,892
Clay	96	67	174	98,619	Nevada	57	41	102	51,729
Cleburne	54	27	87	56,607	Newton	28	16	51	29,041
Cleveland	65	59	99	67,347	Ouachita	223	155	362	238,687
Columbia	201	130	367	192,345	Perry	35	24	60	29,987
Conway	59	34	113	48,433	Phillips	470	315	780	517,489
Craighead	398	273	704	393,183	Pike	12	1	23	18,374
Crawford	182	132	333	171,074	Poinsett	248	186	419	235,591
Crittenden	544	364	966	531,910	Polk	72	65	125	67,643
Cross	114	69	179	122,398	Pope	122	83	228	123,600
Dallas	63	43	95	68,418	Prairie	22	13	33	21,724
Desha	131	103	208	142,410	Pulaski-East	356	262	556	336,382
Drew	119	91	184	102,823	Pulaski-Jax	468	393	854	488,499
Faulkner	264	188	445	227,188	Pulaski-North	531	335	949	613,164
Franklin	55	37	107	56,761	Pulaski-South	556	406	909	1,030,686
Fulton	94	80	169	78,308	Pulaski-SW	980	733	1,700	560,232
Garland	327	231	565	317,901	Randolph	104	77	187	94,828
Grant	49	37	80	49,950	Saline	151	89	274	130,337
Greene	225	184	386	204,357	Scott	69	43	126	73,923
Hempstead	144	100	250	139,916	Searcy	20	6	35	21,997
Hot Spring	53	11	87	53,063	Sebastian	256	145	477	273,855
Howard	54	42	91	53,768	Sevier	77	42	137	73,289
Independence	150	111	287	144,988	Sharp	113	87	193	116,400
Izard	25	13	36	20,249	St. Francis	439	328	750	465,307
Jackson	118	76	209	131,570	Stone	38	19	64	37,891
Jefferson	939	714	1,585	985,091	Union	301	173	508	262,903
Johnson	54	39	95	55,522	Van Buren	44	19	88	41,300
Lafayette	83	58	154	66,585	Washington	410	187	806	421,330
Lawrence	90	60	151	81,593	White	219	153	384	187,660
Lee	194	143	342	218,948	Woodruff	86	71	155	99,813
					Yell	24	13	39	29,868
State Total					14,010	9,684	24,208	\$14,082,236	

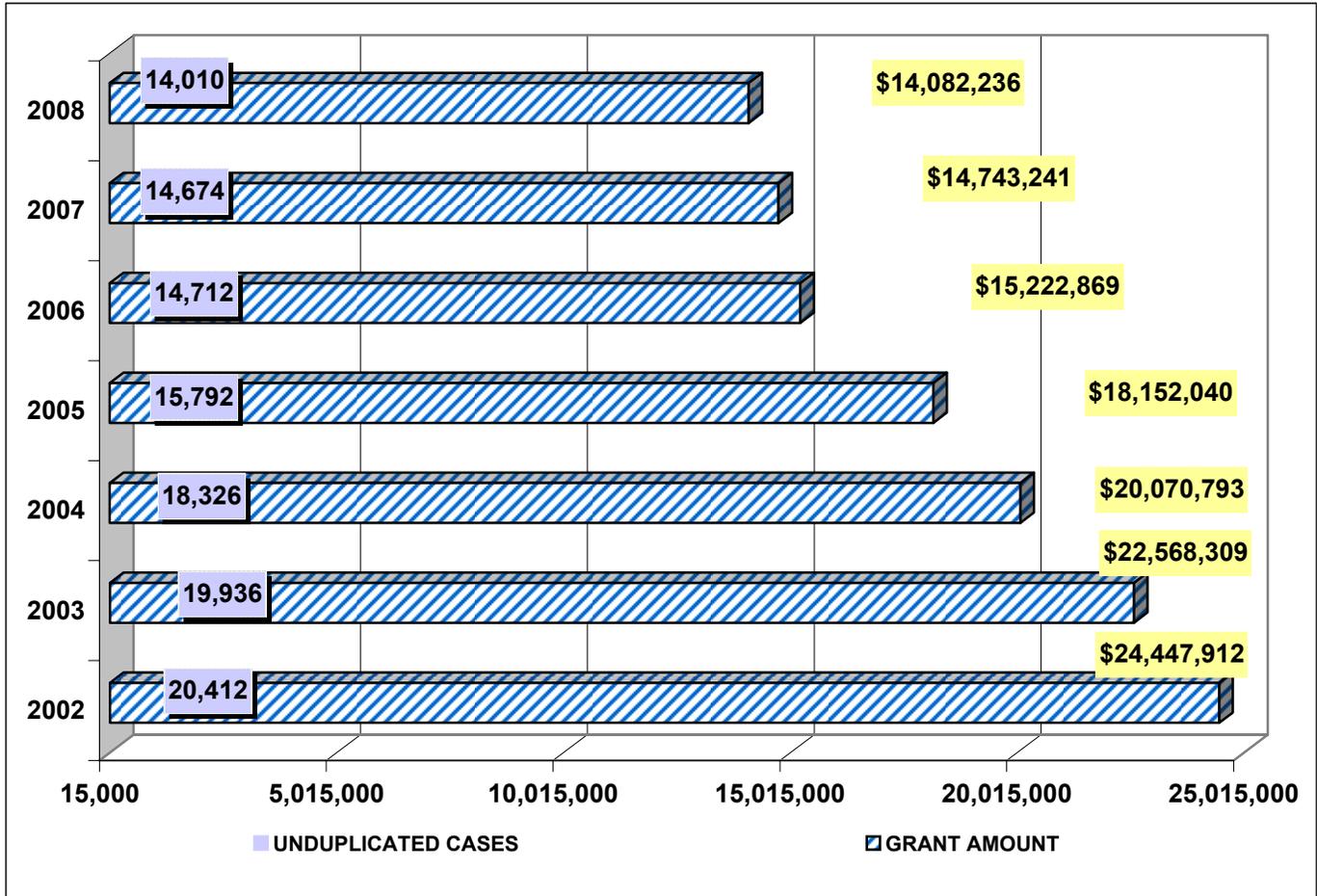
(1) Unduplicated count for TEA Category 20.

(2) Does not reflect cancellations and/or adjustments.

Source: Cases Column - Extract From ACES Data Base
Adults Column - Extract From ACES Data Base

Children Column - Extract From ACES Data Base
Grant Amount Column - Monthly TEA Payroll Reports

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA CASES AND GRANT AMOUNT
SFY 2002 - 2008**



SFY	UNDUPLICATED CASES	GRANT AMOUNT
2002	20,412	\$24,447,912
2003	19,936	\$22,568,309
2004	18,326	\$20,070,793
2005	15,792	\$18,152,040
2006	14,712	\$15,222,869
2007	14,674	\$14,743,241
2008	14,010	\$14,082,236

Sources: Cases Column - Extract From ACES Data Base; Grant Amount Column - Monthly TEA Payroll Reports

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN RECEIVING TEA
BY AGE GROUP
SFY 2008**

County	5 & Under			6 - 12			13 - 17			Total			Grand
	Male	Female	Ukn	Male	Female	Ukn	Male	Female	Ukn	Male	Female	Ukn	Total
Arkansas	43	40	0	28	27	0	19	30	0	90	97	0	187
Ashley	67	64	0	52	50	0	29	33	0	148	147	0	295
Baxter	49	24	0	23	23	0	7	15	0	79	62	0	141
Benton	66	79	0	45	46	0	30	43	0	141	168	0	309
Boone	46	42	0	29	19	0	30	18	0	105	79	0	184
Bradley	41	32	0	11	28	0	17	23	0	69	83	0	152
Calhoun	14	14	0	5	11	0	10	10	0	29	35	0	64
Carroll	19	19	0	14	13	0	8	4	0	41	36	0	77
Chicot	77	67	0	27	36	0	16	28	0	120	131	0	251
Clark	36	28	0	12	17	0	12	10	0	60	55	0	115
Clay	42	36	0	30	26	0	21	19	0	93	81	0	174
Cleburne	12	16	0	21	16	0	8	14	0	41	46	0	87
Cleveland	22	23	0	18	19	0	8	9	0	48	51	0	99
Columbia	74	87	0	64	78	0	22	42	0	160	207	0	367
Conway	30	23	0	23	20	0	11	6	0	64	49	0	113
Craighead	168	155	0	112	103	0	75	91	0	355	349	0	704
Crawford	69	86	0	60	62	0	26	30	0	155	178	0	333
Crittenden	246	245	0	132	150	0	84	109	0	462	504	0	966
Cross	56	38	0	19	20	0	21	25	0	96	83	0	179
Dallas	24	23	0	12	14	0	10	12	0	46	49	0	95
Desha	44	59	0	32	33	0	19	21	0	95	113	0	208
Drew	53	46	0	36	21	0	7	21	0	96	88	0	184
Faulkner	120	91	0	83	69	0	37	45	0	240	205	0	445
Franklin	17	19	0	16	20	0	19	16	0	52	55	0	107
Fulton	42	28	0	26	30	0	20	23	0	88	81	0	169
Garland	127	144	0	86	90	0	57	61	0	270	295	0	565
Grant	22	21	0	13	10	0	8	6	0	43	37	0	80
Greene	104	92	0	59	75	0	28	28	0	191	195	0	386
Hempstead	61	59	0	41	43	0	13	33	0	115	135	0	250
Hot Spring	10	14	0	19	16	0	10	18	0	39	48	0	87
Howard	27	24	0	11	15	0	6	8	0	44	47	0	91
Independence	60	55	0	55	59	0	28	30	0	143	144	0	287
Izard	9	5	0	5	7	0	6	4	0	20	16	0	36
Jackson	48	49	0	37	32	0	17	26	0	102	107	0	209
Jefferson	435	452	0	199	220	0	104	175	0	738	847	0	1,585
Johnson	27	26	0	13	16	0	7	6	0	47	48	0	95
Lafayette	38	33	0	25	31	0	6	21	0	69	85	0	154
Lawrence	27	40	0	18	25	0	20	21	0	65	86	0	151
Lee	94	77	0	43	51	0	28	49	0	165	177	0	342

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN RECEIVING TEA
BY AGE GROUP
SFY 2008**

County	<u>5 & Under</u>			<u>6 - 12</u>			<u>13 - 17</u>			<u>Total</u>			Grand Total
	Male	Female	Ukn	Male	Female	Ukn	Male	Female	Ukn	Male	Female	Ukn	
Lincoln	43	49	0	32	25	0	18	17	0	93	91	0	184
Little River	30	19	0	13	18	0	13	10	0	56	47	0	103
Logan	63	69	0	34	54	0	39	27	0	136	150	0	286
Lonoke	66	63	0	55	42	0	27	28	0	148	133	0	281
Madison	11	1	0	10	5	0	1	6	0	22	12	0	34
Marion	16	14	0	20	20	0	8	10	0	44	44	0	88
Miller	160	156	0	88	105	0	57	71	0	305	332	0	637
Mississippi	163	166	0	100	141	0	70	89	0	333	396	0	729
Monroe	32	20	0	20	28	0	12	10	0	64	58	0	122
Montgomery	11	7	0	7	7	0	4	11	0	22	25	0	47
Nevada	21	29	0	14	24	0	5	9	0	40	62	0	102
Newton	10	6	0	10	11	0	4	10	0	24	27	0	51
Ouachita	95	90	0	40	58	0	36	43	0	171	191	0	362
Perry	13	14	0	9	8	0	5	11	0	27	33	0	60
Phillips	200	216	0	92	101	0	61	110	0	353	427	0	780
Pike	5	3	0	0	5	0	6	4	0	11	12	0	23
Poinsett	72	102	0	80	72	0	49	44	0	201	218	0	419
Polk	29	20	0	28	27	0	8	13	0	65	60	0	125
Pope	53	57	0	38	44	0	19	17	0	110	118	0	228
Prairie	5	4	0	7	4	0	5	8	0	17	16	0	33
Pulaski-East	159	145	0	66	76	0	57	53	0	282	274	0	556
Pulaski-Jax	247	208	0	117	147	0	60	75	0	424	430	0	854
Pulaski-North	229	243	0	137	155	1	72	112	0	438	510	1	949
Pulaski-South	259	220	0	129	108	0	86	107	0	474	435	0	909
Pulaski-SW	439	424	0	276	253	0	123	185	0	838	862	0	1,700
Randolph	41	41	0	30	25	0	26	24	0	97	90	0	187
Saline	64	68	0	47	45	0	17	33	0	128	146	0	274
Scott	23	25	0	29	27	0	13	9	0	65	61	0	126
Searcy	4	5	0	8	6	0	4	8	0	16	19	0	35
Sebastian	104	124	0	89	78	0	34	48	0	227	250	0	477
Sevier	30	24	0	32	31	0	10	10	0	72	65	0	137
Sharp	38	40	0	38	35	0	23	19	0	99	94	0	193
St. Francis	200	172	0	90	124	0	66	98	0	356	394	0	750
Stone	12	14	0	12	11	0	9	6	0	33	31	0	64
Union	136	110	0	86	79	0	37	60	0	259	249	0	508
Van Buren	19	19	0	14	19	0	10	7	0	43	45	0	88
Washington	206	163	0	128	152	0	56	101	0	390	416	0	806
White	96	83	0	73	66	0	32	34	0	201	183	0	384
Woodruff	36	46	0	21	26	0	15	11	0	72	83	0	155
Yell	6	8	0	6	3	0	9	7	0	21	18	0	39
State Total	6,012	5,762	0	3,679	3,906	1	2,110	2,738	0	11,801	12,406	1	24,208

Source: Extract From ACES Data Base

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADULTS RECEIVING TEA
BY AGE GROUP
SFY 2008**

County	<u>19 & Under</u>			<u>20 - 29</u>			<u>30 - 39</u>			<u>40 - 44</u>			<u>45 & Over</u>			<u>Total</u>			Grand Total
	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	
Arkansas	1	4	0	2	40	0	1	11	0	1	1	0	0	4	0	5	60	0	65
Ashley	0	9	0	3	71	0	1	34	0	1	5	0	1	3	0	6	122	0	128
Baxter	0	6	0	4	35	0	3	16	0	0	5	0	2	1	0	9	63	0	72
Benton	0	4	0	2	38	0	0	15	0	1	3	0	0	4	0	3	64	0	67
Boone	0	3	0	5	42	0	9	18	0	1	5	0	4	4	0	19	72	0	91
Bradley	0	4	0	1	31	0	1	10	0	1	4	0	2	5	0	5	54	0	59
Calhoun	0	2	0	1	12	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	22	0	24
Carroll	0	1	0	1	15	0	1	5	0	1	2	0	0	3	0	3	26	0	29
Chicot	0	14	0	5	64	0	3	17	0	0	7	0	1	1	0	9	103	0	112
Clark	0	2	0	3	28	0	1	10	0	1	2	0	2	3	0	7	45	0	52
Clay	0	1	0	5	31	0	4	14	0	4	6	0	1	1	0	14	53	0	67
Cleburne	0	1	0	0	10	0	2	10	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	2	25	0	27
Cleveland	0	3	0	3	28	0	1	13	0	1	6	0	3	1	0	8	51	0	59
Columbia	0	13	0	2	82	0	3	20	0	1	6	0	0	3	0	6	124	0	130
Conway	0	3	0	0	21	0	3	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	30	0	34
Craighead	0	18	0	10	159	0	6	56	0	4	11	0	5	4	0	25	248	0	273
Crawford	0	6	0	3	67	0	7	26	0	5	8	0	3	7	0	18	114	0	132
Crittenden	0	47	0	5	214	0	6	66	0	3	8	0	4	11	0	18	346	0	364
Cross	0	6	0	2	37	0	2	18	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	5	64	0	69
Dallas	0	4	0	0	24	0	0	9	0	0	2	0	3	1	0	3	40	0	43
Desha	0	11	0	3	58	0	2	19	0	0	4	0	3	3	0	8	95	0	103
Drew	0	12	0	5	53	0	1	13	0	1	3	0	1	2	0	8	83	0	91
Faulkner	0	8	0	4	114	0	5	38	0	5	8	0	4	2	0	18	170	0	188
Franklin	0	0	0	3	16	0	2	10	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	5	32	0	37
Fulton	0	3	0	9	29	0	6	22	0	3	3	0	2	3	0	20	60	0	80
Garland	0	12	0	5	130	0	6	54	0	1	13	0	5	5	0	17	214	0	231
Grant	0	1	0	2	23	0	0	8	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	34	0	37
Greene	1	8	0	16	99	0	10	30	0	4	6	0	5	5	0	36	148	0	184
Hempstead	0	9	0	3	53	0	5	20	0	1	4	0	3	2	0	12	88	0	100
Hot Spring	0	2	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	11	0	11
Howard	0	2	0	1	27	0	2	8	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	38	0	42
Independence	0	6	0	4	57	0	9	27	0	0	2	0	2	4	0	15	96	0	111
Izard	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	12	0	13
Jackson	0	2	0	2	42	0	4	18	0	3	2	0	0	3	0	9	67	0	76
Jefferson	1	67	0	11	459	0	15	101	0	5	29	0	7	19	0	39	675	0	714
Johnson	0	3	0	1	20	0	2	8	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	4	35	0	39
Lafayette	0	6	0	4	32	0	0	13	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	6	52	0	58
Lawrence	1	4	0	6	25	0	6	14	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	15	45	0	60
Lee	0	15	0	11	76	0	3	26	0	1	5	0	1	5	0	16	127	0	143

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADULTS RECEIVING TEA
BY AGE GROUP
SFY 2008**

County	<u>19 & Under</u>			<u>20 - 29</u>			<u>30 - 39</u>			<u>40 - 44</u>			<u>45 & Over</u>			<u>Total</u>			Grand Total
	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	
Lincoln	1	2	0	3	51	0	2	17	0	1	5	0	3	2	0	10	77	0	87
Little River	0	3	0	1	18	0	3	10	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	5	35	0	40
Logan	1	4	0	12	59	0	8	26	0	3	4	0	5	4	0	29	97	0	126
Lonoke	0	6	0	3	63	0	1	29	0	3	8	0	1	6	0	8	112	0	120
Madison	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	7	0	8
Marion	1	2	0	1	10	0	3	9	0	1	3	0	1	1	0	7	25	0	32
Miller	0	22	0	10	158	0	7	68	0	4	14	0	5	8	0	26	270	0	296
Mississippi	0	23	0	5	129	0	2	41	0	3	7	0	2	1	0	12	201	0	213
Monroe	0	4	0	0	33	0	1	5	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	46	0	47
Montgomery	0	0	0	2	10	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	3	17	0	20
Nevada	0	2	0	0	24	0	1	9	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	3	38	0	41
Newton	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	1	15	0	16
Ouachita	0	16	0	6	78	0	2	31	0	3	9	0	5	5	0	16	139	0	155
Perry	0	1	0	1	13	0	1	5	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	3	21	0	24
Phillips	2	36	0	7	210	0	7	34	0	3	5	0	2	9	0	21	294	0	315
Pike	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
Poinsett	2	7	0	10	90	0	10	48	0	4	7	0	1	7	0	27	159	0	186
Polk	0	3	0	1	30	0	8	15	0	0	3	0	1	4	0	10	55	0	65
Pope	0	4	0	0	47	0	3	23	0	1	2	0	0	3	0	4	79	0	83
Prairie	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	7	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	13	0	13
Pulaski-East	0	13	0	4	169	0	9	38	0	4	11	0	5	9	0	22	240	0	262
Pulaski-Jax	1	15	0	17	222	0	14	83	0	6	13	0	8	14	0	46	347	0	393
Pulaski-North	0	30	0	11	203	0	4	61	0	1	11	1	1	12	0	17	317	1	335
Pulaski-South	0	34	0	7	223	0	12	98	0	4	15	0	1	12	0	24	382	0	406
Pulaski-SW	0	50	0	16	424	0	30	152	0	3	26	0	4	28	0	53	680	0	733
Randolph	0	0	0	2	35	0	7	22	0	3	3	0	2	3	0	14	63	0	77
Saline	0	4	0	2	42	0	6	27	0	0	4	0	1	3	0	9	80	0	89
Scott	0	3	0	1	23	0	1	8	0	1	4	0	1	1	0	4	39	0	43
Searcy	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	5	0	6
Sebastian	0	6	0	2	91	0	2	32	0	1	4	0	3	4	0	8	137	0	145
Sevier	0	2	0	4	20	0	1	14	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	36	0	42
Sharp	0	2	0	8	34	0	9	25	0	3	2	0	2	2	0	22	65	0	87
St. Francis	0	30	0	13	184	0	10	57	0	4	15	0	3	12	0	30	298	0	328
Stone	0	0	0	0	10	0	1	2	0	2	1	0	2	1	0	5	14	0	19
Union	0	12	0	3	108	0	4	34	0	0	6	0	1	5	0	8	165	0	173
Van Buren	0	2	0	1	8	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	3	16	0	19
Washington	0	9	0	3	107	0	4	41	0	3	10	0	2	8	0	12	175	0	187
White	0	6	0	5	86	0	11	36	0	1	5	0	1	2	0	18	135	0	153
Woodruff	0	6	0	5	36	0	5	12	0	2	2	0	1	2	0	13	58	0	71
Yell	0	0	0	0	8	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	11	0	13
State Total	12	681	0	314	5,450	0	323	1,951	0	120	382	1	142	308	0	911	8,772	1	9,684

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
MONTHLY AVERAGE OF CASES, PERSONS AND PAYMENTS
SFY 2008**

Month	Cases	Persons	Adults	Children	Payments ⁽¹⁾
July 2007	7,683	16,606	4,013	12,593	\$1,178,462
August	7,904	17,252	4,250	13,002	\$1,218,965
September	7,876	17,231	4,252	12,979	\$1,226,386
October	8,017	17,561	4,372	13,189	\$1,251,081
November	7,835	17,108	4,198	12,910	\$1,244,068
December	7,684	16,605	4,030	12,575	\$1,197,816
January 2008	7,628	16,419	3,990	12,429	\$1,181,189
February	7,575	16,175	3,949	12,226	\$1,158,580
March	7,339	15,516	3,712	11,804	\$1,118,914
April	7,363	15,567	3,744	11,823	\$1,121,770
May	7,229	15,270	3,632	11,638	\$1,104,469
June 2008	7,094	15,004	3,555	11,449	\$1,080,536
Monthly Average	7,602	16,360	3,975	12,385	\$1,173,520

(1) Total expenditures, as written, do not reflect cancellations and/or adjustments.

Monthly Average Amount Per Case	\$154.37
Monthly Average Amount Per Person	\$71.73
Average Number of Children Per Case	1.63
Average Number of Adults Per Case	0.52

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
MONTHLY AVERAGE OF AFDC/TEA CASES
AND MONEY PAYMENT PER CASE
SFY 1938 - 2008**

State Fiscal Year	Cases	Average Grant	State Fiscal Year	Cases	Average Grant
1938	4,861	\$10.45	1974	26,417	\$107.00
1939	4,030	8.34	1975	30,532	112.00
1940	4,051	8.44	1976	34,922	124.88
1941	6,025	13.17	1977	31,605	119.96
1942	6,113	13.84	1978	29,963	130.12
1943	5,423	19.53	1979	29,321	141.46
1944	4,884	24.87	1980	29,335	142.97
1945	4,373	28.28	1981	29,573	143.22
1946	6,258	26.77	1982	25,501	144.34
1947	5,552	34.03	1983	22,281	126.46
1948	8,254	35.52	1984	22,383	131.12
1949	10,374	36.87	1985	21,990	141.73
1950	14,040	41.46	1986	22,488	152.05
1951	17,731	40.27	1987	22,804	179.71
1952	13,797	37.80	1988	23,155	182.67
1953	12,542	52.39	1989	23,778	191.88
1954	7,204	53.60	1990	24,443	195.31
1955	8,163	54.45	1991	25,573	196.39
1956	7,742	55.60	1992	26,621	195.46
1957	7,915	56.20	1993	26,602	193.71
1958	8,062	56.65	1994	26,134	187.94
1959	7,884	56.52	1995	24,758	186.58
1960	7,214	59.97	1996	22,998	182.94
1961	7,027	61.18	1997	21,537	181.75
1962	6,799	60.55	1998	15,502	178.07
1963	6,581	60.52	1999	12,448	175.97
1964	6,869	62.25	2000	12,302	170.43
1965	7,210	63.38	2001	11,972	170.08
1966	7,433	64.89	2002	12,057	169.01
1967	8,146	78.68	2003	11,407	164.87
1968	9,292	80.45	2004	10,326	161.98
1969	9,780	80.45	2005	8,980	156.83
1970	11,378	78.42	2006	8,262	153.65
1971	16,169	87.07	2007	8,029	153.02
1972	20,365	92.46	2008	7,602	154.37
1973	22,819	95.94			

Source: Monthly AFDC/TEA Payroll Reports

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
TOTAL CASES, PAYMENT & RECOUPMENT
JUNE 2008**

County	Total			Net Total Amount	County	Total			Net Total Amount
	Cases	Adults	Children			Cases	Adults	Children	
Arkansas	65	30	105	\$9,431	Lincoln	57	38	98	\$9,862
Ashley	92	48	141	14,545	Little River	25	14	42	4,262
Baxter	39	17	49	5,546	Logan	69	38	114	11,334
Benton	99	25	165	14,593	Lonoke	85	52	150	14,122
Boone	42	22	71	6,904	Madison	16	5	26	2,274
Bradley	43	23	65	6,899	Marion	26	11	39	3,687
Calhoun	21	10	31	3,051	Miller	178	103	276	27,693
Carroll	18	7	30	2,562	Mississippi	218	66	364	31,757
Chicot	99	59	142	14,769	Monroe	45	19	73	6,430
Clark	31	12	54	4,614	Montgomery	13	5	19	1,832
Clay	41	19	71	6,877	Nevada	25	13	37	3,618
Cleburne	33	9	51	4,659	Newton	11	4	12	1,419
Cleveland	32	23	53	5,081	Ouachita	139	83	219	21,383
Columbia	103	45	171	15,281	Perry	16	5	25	2,645
Conway	32	14	54	4,712	Phillips	264	143	389	39,141
Craighead	207	109	347	32,132	Pike	10	0	20	1,516
Crawford	69	28	109	9,758	Poinsett	128	72	201	19,944
Crittenden	271	125	450	43,131	Polk	32	23	54	5,397
Cross	65	25	98	9,227	Pope	51	26	86	8,079
Dallas	35	16	48	4,970	Prairie	11	4	17	1,533
Desha	66	37	104	10,194	Pulaski-East	148	67	205	19,160
Drew	54	30	86	8,467	Pulaski-Jax	223	163	354	36,106
Faulkner	112	55	182	19,389	Pulaski-North	320	152	526	47,050
Franklin	31	14	47	4,363	Pulaski-S. W.	498	254	782	72,762
Fulton	29	12	47	4,336	Pulaski-South	283	176	431	42,380
Garland	159	85	271	25,868	Randolph	52	26	93	8,555
Grant	23	13	35	3,607	Saline	69	19	101	9,195
Greene	98	56	158	15,081	Scott	27	9	46	3,902
Hempstead	79	46	122	11,976	Searcy	8	0	15	1,137
Hot Spring	38	8	61	5,199	Sebastian	135	47	236	20,021
Howard	26	15	42	3,999	Sevier	33	14	59	5,214
Independence	66	29	126	10,877	Sharp	55	25	96	8,735
Izard	16	6	20	1,948	St. Francis	231	133	389	36,903
Jackson	63	26	116	10,573	Stone	19	1	32	2,556
Jefferson	513	331	800	77,871	Union	130	39	207	17,924
Johnson	32	19	52	4,984	Van Buren	14	1	22	1,705
Lafayette	35	21	62	5,562	Washington	227	65	426	35,976
Lawrence	41	20	63	6,251	White	100	46	165	15,288
Lee	114	71	188	18,130	Woodruff	46	24	77	7,038
					Yell	19	9	29	2,771
State Total						7,088	3,554	11,439	\$1,079,723

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
DISTRIBUTION OF MONEY GRANT PAYMENTS
June 30, 2008

Grant Amount	No Adults		One Adult		Two Adults		Percent of Cases
	Cases	Children	Cases	Children	Cases	Children	
\$ 1 - 10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
11 - 20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
21 - 30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
31 - 40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
41 - 50	3	3	2	2	0	0	0.07%
51 - 60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
61 - 70	311	312	15	14	0	0	4.60%
71 - 80	0	0	6	12	0	0	0.09%
81 - 90	1,770	1,773	88	88	0	0	26.21%
91 - 100	0	0	6	18	0	0	0.09%
101 - 110	2	6	30	60	4	6	0.51%
111 - 120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
121 - 130	173	348	362	375	2	4	7.58%
131 - 140	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
141 - 150	0	0	4	16	0	0	0.06%
151 - 160	77	231	174	348	4	4	3.60%
161 - 170	920	1,839	1,509	1,513	2	4	34.30%
171 - 180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
181 - 190	28	112	62	186	11	25	1.42%
191 - 200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
201 - 210	292	876	613	1,226	61	62	13.63%
211 - 220	8	40	22	88	2	6	0.45%
221 - 230	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
231 - 240	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
241 - 250	93	372	232	705	53	108	5.33%
251 - 260	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
261 - 270	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
271 - 280	0	0	5	30	0	0	0.07%
281 - 290	16	80	65	260	22	66	1.45%
291 - 300	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
301 - 310	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
311 - 320	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
321 - 330	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
331 - 340	4	24	17	85	4	16	0.35%
341 - 350	0	0	1	9	0	0	0.01%
351 - 360	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
361 - 370	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
371 - 380	3	21	5	30	1	5	0.13%
381 - 390	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
391 - 400	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
401 - 410	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
411 - 420	1	8	0	0	0	0	0.01%
421 - 430	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
431 - 440	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
441 - 450	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
451 - 460	0	0	2	16	1	7	0.04%
Total	3,701	6,045	3,220	5,081	167	313	100.00%

	Number of Children in Case						
	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six	Seven+
Cases	4,117	1,983	698	220	48	14	8
Percent	58.08%	27.98%	9.85%	3.10%	0.68%	0.20%	0.11%
Cumulative	58.08%	86.06%	95.91%	99.01%	99.69%	99.89%	100.00%

Total percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
REASONS FOR DENIALS
SFY 2008**

<u>Descriptions</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Descriptions</u>	<u>Total</u>
Age requirement	42	No relationship verification	73
Already active	86	No resource verification	41
Application registered in error	541	Not categorically eligible	82
Approved in another category	2	Not deprived of parental support	44
Death of applicant	1	Not disabled SSI defined	1
Duplicate application	74	Not verified citizenship	32
Earnings exceed federal poverty level	54	Other	653
Eligible for SSI	10	Registered in wrong category	1
Excess resources	46	Relationship not met	68
Failed citizenship requirement	5	Residency not met	48
Failed to comply w/ project success	166	TEA denied - approve diversion asst	171
Failed to meet participation	78	TEA denied - federal time limit of 60 mo	16
Failed to provide information	2,296	TEA denied - job activity incomplete	15
Failed to verify age	2	TEA denied - lifetime limit	210
Failed to verify child in home	37	TEA denied - not adult supervised	2
Failed to verify residency	89	TEA denied - refuse sign personal resp agree	8
Inadequate information	318	Transfer to another city	58
Income exceeds 185% of standard	60	Transferred property/resources	1
Income exceeds standard	3,909	Unable to locate	12
Missed application interview	6,620	Unable to locate by mail	31
Moved to another state	15	Withdrawal of application - other	2,069
MRT denied - future use	2	Withdrawal with no reason	788
No eligible child in home	577	Withdrawal/child support related	738
No income verification	177	Withdrew application for employment	484
No medical information furnished	4		
		TOTAL	20,857

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
REASONS FOR CLOSURES
SFY 2008**

Descriptions	Total	Descriptions	Total
Absent parent returned or not disabled	49	Other, needs related	101
Change in eligibles	11	Other, non-need related	230
Child reached age limit	18	Reached 60 months, no extension, not employed	7
Child support income	68	Refused other procedural requirement	5
Citizenship not verified	1	Reinstate, closed in error	1
Contributions from within home	1	Requested closure, no reason given	1,310
Countable resources	3	Social Security Benefits	104
Death	25	SSI benefits	10
Disability not met	2	Standard filing unit	3
Earnings exceed Federal Poverty Level	41	Stepparent deemed income	5
Eligible in another category	3	TEA case closed due to progressive sanction-work activities	402
Employed at end of extension period, no additional extension given	2	TEA closed at client's request due to earnings	1,618
Employed, reached 24-month Limit, no extension given	6	TEA closed due to earnings	2,519
Extended, found employment during extension of period, requested closure	7	TEA closed at client's request to preserve lifetime benefits	7
Extended, found employment during extension of 60 month limit, requested case closure	3	TEA did not attend classes	2
Failed to cooperate, Child Support	2	TEA income exceeds \$223	166
Failed to keep appointment	35	TEA lifetime limit	253
Failed to meet initial eligibility	8	TEA non-comply with employment plan	21
Failed to meet participation requirements	13	TEA non-comply with PRA	5
Failed to provide information	461	TEA progressive sanction 25-50%, system generated	3
Failed to verify income	68	TEA quit employment	1
Institutionalized	2	TEA refused employment	2
No extension given or continued - not employed	7	TEA, teen not living under adult supervision	3
No longer eligible child in home	641	Unable to locate	214
No longer resident of state	377	Unable to locate, mail returned	247
		Unemployment benefits, ESD Reported	91
		Unemployment benefits, non-ESD Reported	28
		TOTAL	9,212

Source: Extract From ACES Data Base

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
APPLICATIONS FOR ASSISTANCE
SFY 2008**

County	Applications		Total Disposals		County	Applications		Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied	Received		Approved	Denied		
Arkansas	145	61	89	Lincoln	135	66	68		
Ashley	245	126	130	Little River	114	37	76		
Baxter	259	67	185	Logan	290	107	185		
Benton	762	97	664	Lonoke	536	104	449		
Boone	362	92	268	Madison	85	11	74		
Bradley	150	64	84	Marion	98	34	63		
Calhoun	58	24	34	Miller	861	278	589		
Carroll	110	27	85	Mississippi	965	289	681		
Chicot	239	115	128	Monroe	115	43	68		
Clark	211	52	162	Montgomery	69	12	60		
Clay	153	64	86	Nevada	159	43	116		
Cleburne	168	42	135	Newton	28	18	12		
Cleveland	76	40	38	Ouachita	532	149	379		
Columbia	370	153	217	Perry	41	23	20		
Conway	189	49	150	Phillips	506	269	233		
Craighead	946	281	647	Pike	71	3	69		
Crawford	453	126	309	Poinsett	467	177	291		
Crittenden	1,040	424	588	Polk	151	72	84		
Cross	204	89	116	Pope	441	81	365		
Dallas	94	36	49	Prairie	53	13	37		
Desha	241	104	149	Pulaski-East	599	175	427		
Drew	294	89	203	Pulaski-Jax	907	274	628		
Faulkner	713	207	500	Pulaski-North	1,385	268	1,122		
Franklin	102	30	72	Pulaski-South	1,242	384	879		
Fulton	125	73	52	Pulaski-SW	1,541	548	961		
Garland	1,042	224	836	Randolph	188	83	116		
Grant	100	39	56	Saline	725	122	597		
Greene	604	208	402	Scott	131	50	80		
Hempstead	403	106	299	Searcy	23	7	15		
Hot Spring	268	24	235	Sebastian	964	155	809		
Howard	165	35	128	Sevier	156	54	97		
Independence	443	124	319	Sharp	244	72	163		
Izard	98	17	86	St. Francis	554	271	272		
Jackson	337	75	268	Stone	60	19	42		
Jefferson	1,101	648	421	Union	716	242	455		
Johnson	111	42	71	Van Buren	79	25	57		
Lafayette	153	58	99	Washington	1,275	258	1,041		
Lawrence	194	63	132	White	662	187	471		
Lee	208	123	91	Woodruff	117	59	60		
				Yell	79	14	65		
State Total					30,300	9,414	20,859		

Note: Disposals may not equal applications received due to carry-over to next month.

WORK PAYS

Arkansas Act 1705 established the Work Pays Program. Work Pays is an incentive program designed to encourage working TEA clients to remain employed after closure of the TEA case while increasing their hours of work and/or hourly wage. Families participating in Arkansas Work Pays will receive a monthly cash assistance payment in the amount of \$204 for up to 24 months, provided they meet the Work Pays eligibility requirements. The twenty-four months will count toward the federal 60 month time limit but not the state's TEA 24 month limit. This work incentive program may be limited to 3,000 families. This program was implemented in July 2006.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
WORK PAYS
CASES, PERSONS AND GRANT AMOUNT
SFY 2008**

County	Cases ⁽¹⁾	Adults ⁽¹⁾	Children ⁽¹⁾	Grant Amount ⁽²⁾	County	Cases ⁽¹⁾	Adults ⁽¹⁾	Children ⁽¹⁾	Grant Amount ⁽²⁾
Arkansas	9	9	23	\$17,194	Lincoln	18	18	40	\$27,946
Ashley	31	31	60	37,980	Little River	3	4	8	5,974
Baxter	28	32	51	41,243	Logan	18	21	30	29,298
Benton	8	8	14	10,552	Lonoke	12	12	21	22,940
Boone	32	36	60	57,915	Madison	0	0	0	0
Bradley	11	11	21	15,569	Marion	2	2	4	4,162
Calhoun	2	2	4	1,624	Miller	39	44	88	48,116
Carroll	7	7	20	11,093	Mississippi	57	58	121	74,290
Chicot	31	31	61	59,852	Monroe	16	16	29	22,956
Clark	7	7	17	10,517	Montgomery	4	4	5	3,656
Clay	11	15	24	11,996	Nevada	6	7	12	10,697
Cleburne	0	0	0	0	Newton	6	7	16	13,588
Cleveland	7	8	11	12,588	Ouachita	37	37	77	63,756
Columbia	50	51	103	67,087	Perry	2	2	5	5,284
Conway	4	5	8	9,081	Phillips	104	106	216	169,927
Craighead	70	76	172	95,911	Pike	0	0	0	0
Crawford	15	17	34	22,120	Poinsett	19	25	35	22,889
Crittenden	94	98	214	141,177	Polk	18	20	37	29,040
Cross	9	9	18	11,800	Pope	15	15	28	27,812
Dallas	7	7	11	6,477	Prairie	0	0	0	0
Desha	29	30	49	28,895	Pulaski-East	81	84	175	105,664
Drew	29	30	51	45,304	Pulaski-Jax	69	75	144	89,669
Faulkner	54	56	110	91,379	Pulaski-North	96	98	198	123,022
Franklin	1	1	1	0	Pulaski-South	153	161	322	332,740
Fulton	13	17	28	21,347	Pulaski-SW	258	269	553	221,395
Garland	82	91	173	132,093	Randolph	5	7	9	7,622
Grant	2	2	2	4,417	Saline	26	30	57	36,802
Greene	13	17	27	15,840	Scott	16	19	36	26,372
Hempstead	28	32	60	38,968	Searcy	2	2	4	3,154
Hot Spring	2	2	3	1,824	Sebastian	25	26	56	38,512
Howard	12	14	24	10,226	Sevier	4	4	7	3,099
Independence	25	30	49	33,421	Sharp	7	8	9	7,041
Izard	0	0	0	0	St. Francis	76	81	149	98,688
Jackson	9	10	15	11,203	Stone	1	2	2	714
Jefferson	209	218	438	340,058	Union	54	56	130	71,683
Johnson	1	1	1	1,624	Van Buren	2	2	5	4,072
Lafayette	19	19	37	27,228	Washington	18	19	40	28,976
Lawrence	3	4	7	3,660	White	14	14	26	19,583
Lee	48	52	96	66,207	Woodruff	13	17	24	15,095
					Yell	4	4	7	4,982
State Total					2,312	2,462	4,822	\$3,336,686	

(1) Unduplicated count for Work Pays Category 84.

(2) Does not reflect cancellations and/or adjustments.

Source: Cases Column - Extract From ACES Data Base
Adults Column - Extract From ACES Data Base

Children Column - Extract From ACES Data Base
Grant Amount Column - Monthly TEA Payroll Reports

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN RECEIVING WORK PAYS
SFY 2008**

County	Male	Female	Unknown	Grand Total	County	Male	Female	Unknown	Grand Total
Arkansas	13	10	0	23	Lincoln	19	21	0	40
Ashley	27	33	0	60	Little River	3	5	0	8
Baxter	25	26	0	51	Logan	11	19	0	30
Benton	7	7	0	14	Lonoke	10	11	0	21
Boone	37	23	0	60	Madison	0	0	0	0
Bradley	7	14	0	21	Marion	3	1	0	4
Calhoun	2	2	0	4	Miller	36	52	0	88
Carroll	10	10	0	20	Mississippi	67	54	0	121
Chicot	28	33	0	61	Monroe	14	15	0	29
Clark	8	9	0	17	Montgomery	2	3	0	5
Clay	13	11	0	24	Nevada	4	8	0	12
Cleburne	0	0	0	0	Newton	12	4	0	16
Cleveland	8	3	0	11	Ouachita	31	46	0	77
Columbia	47	56	0	103	Perry	2	3	0	5
Conway	4	4	0	8	Phillips	103	113	0	216
Craighead	87	85	0	172	Pike	0	0	0	0
Crawford	22	12	0	34	Poinsett	19	16	0	35
Crittenden	116	98	0	214	Polk	17	20	0	37
Cross	8	10	0	18	Pope	17	11	0	28
Dallas	6	5	0	11	Prairie	0	0	0	0
Desha	28	21	0	49	Pulaski-East	90	85	0	175
Drew	24	27	0	51	Pulaski-Jax	76	68	0	144
Faulkner	58	52	0	110	Pulaski-North	79	119	0	198
Franklin	0	1	0	1	Pulaski-South	171	151	0	322
Fulton	18	10	0	28	Pulaski-SW	276	277	0	553
Garland	90	83	0	173	Randolph	4	5	0	9
Grant	2	0	0	2	Saline	18	39	0	57
Greene	13	14	0	27	Scott	26	10	0	36
Hempstead	32	28	0	60	Searcy	2	2	0	4
Hot Spring	2	1	0	3	Sebastian	24	32	0	56
Howard	13	11	0	24	Sevier	2	5	0	7
Independence	24	25	0	49	Sharp	4	5	0	9
Izard	0	0	0	0	St. Francis	72	77	0	149
Jackson	5	10	0	15	Stone	1	1	0	2
Jefferson	216	222	0	438	Union	63	67	0	130
Johnson	0	1	0	1	Van Buren	1	4	0	5
Lafayette	19	18	0	37	Washington	24	16	0	40
Lawrence	5	2	0	7	White	10	16	0	26
Lee	51	45	0	96	Woodruff	9	15	0	24
					Yell	4	3	0	7
State Total					2,401	2,421	0	4,822	

Source: Extract From ACES Data Base

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADULTS RECEIVING WORK PAYS
BY AGE GROUP
SFY 2008**

County	<u>19 & Under</u>			<u>20 - 29</u>			<u>30 - 39</u>			<u>40 - 44</u>			<u>45 & Over</u>			<u>Total</u>			Grand
	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	Total
Arkansas	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	9	0	9	
Ashley	0	1	0	0	21	0	0	8	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	31	0	31	
Baxter	0	1	0	2	17	0	3	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	6	26	0	32	
Benton	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	8	
Boone	0	2	0	2	16	0	3	9	0	1	2	0	0	1	6	30	0	36	
Bradley	0	0	0	1	8	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	0	11	
Calhoun	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	
Carroll	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	6	0	7	
Chicot	0	1	0	0	15	0	0	11	0	1	2	0	0	1	1	30	0	31	
Clark	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	0	7	
Clay	0	0	0	2	7	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	11	0	15	
Cleburne	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	7	0	8	
Columbia	0	0	0	0	33	0	1	13	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	50	0	51	
Conway	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	5	
Craighead	0	1	0	5	46	0	2	19	0	0	2	0	1	0	8	68	0	76	
Crawford	0	0	0	1	9	0	1	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	15	0	17	
Crittenden	0	2	0	2	71	0	1	19	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	94	0	98	
Cross	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	9	
Dallas	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	7	
Desha	0	0	0	1	25	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	29	0	30	
Drew	0	2	0	1	22	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	29	0	30	
Faulkner	0	2	0	2	36	0	0	12	0	0	3	0	0	1	2	54	0	56	
Franklin	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	
Fulton	0	1	0	2	6	0	0	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	13	0	17	
Garland	0	1	0	3	50	0	5	24	0	1	4	0	0	3	9	82	0	91	
Grant	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	
Greene	1	1	0	1	10	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	4	13	0	17	
Hempstead	0	1	0	2	12	0	2	10	0	0	4	0	1	0	5	27	0	32	
Hot Spring	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	
Howard	0	0	0	1	10	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	12	0	14	
Independence	0	0	0	1	17	0	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	24	0	30	
Izard	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jackson	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	9	0	10	
Jefferson	0	7	0	5	147	0	4	45	0	0	6	0	1	3	10	208	0	218	
Johnson	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	
Lafayette	0	1	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	19	0	19	
Lawrence	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	4	
Lee	0	3	0	1	29	0	2	14	0	1	1	0	0	1	4	48	0	52	

M=Male, F = Female, and Ukn = Unknown

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADULTS RECEIVING WORK PAYS
BY AGE GROUP
SFY 2008**

County	<u>19 & Under</u>			<u>20 - 29</u>			<u>30 - 39</u>			<u>40 - 44</u>			<u>45 & Over</u>			<u>Total</u>			Grand Total
	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	M	F	Ukn	
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	18
Little River	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	4
Logan	0	0	0	2	12	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	3	18	0	21
Lonoke	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	11	0	12
Madison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marion	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Miller	0	2	0	2	26	0	1	10	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	3	41	0	44
Mississippi	0	4	0	1	43	0	0	8	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	57	0	58
Monroe	0	1	0	0	13	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	16
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
Nevada	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	7
Newton	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	7
Ouachita	0	1	0	0	21	0	0	12	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	36	0	37
Perry	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
Phillips	1	3	0	1	83	0	1	13	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	3	103	0	106
Pike	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poinsett	0	1	0	2	12	0	1	4	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	6	19	0	25
Polk	0	0	0	1	8	0	1	7	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	2	18	0	20
Pope	0	0	0	1	11	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	14	0	15
Prairie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pulaski-East	0	2	0	1	53	0	4	19	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	7	77	0	84
Pulaski-Jax	0	1	0	2	42	0	2	18	0	1	3	0	1	5	0	6	69	0	75
Pulaski-North	0	3	0	3	72	0	1	17	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	94	0	98
Pulaski-South	0	2	0	4	101	0	3	41	0	2	5	0	1	2	0	10	151	0	161
Pulaski-SW	0	14	0	6	164	0	3	65	0	2	7	0	1	7	0	12	257	0	269
Randolph	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	5	0	7
Saline	0	0	0	1	17	0	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	25	0	30
Scott	0	0	0	0	8	0	2	6	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	16	0	19
Searcy	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Sebastian	0	0	0	1	14	0	0	9	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	25	0	26
Sevier	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
Sharp	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	0	8
St. Francis	0	5	0	5	52	0	0	14	0	0	3	0	1	1	0	6	75	0	81
Stone	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	2
Union	0	3	0	1	38	0	1	10	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	2	54	0	56
Van Buren	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Washington	0	0	0	0	10	0	1	6	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	18	0	19
White	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	14	0	14
Woodruff	0	0	0	3	9	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	4	13	0	17
Yell	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
State Total	2	72	0	79	1,535	0	64	548	0	19	84	0	13	46	0	177	2,285	0	2,462

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
WORK PAYS
MONTHLY AVERAGE OF CASES, PERSONS AND PAYMENTS
SFY 2008**

Month	Cases	Persons	Adults	Children	Payments ⁽¹⁾
July 2007	947	2,992	1,006	1,986	\$233,053
August	1,022	3,206	1,079	2,127	\$241,472
September	1,071	3,403	1,135	2,268	\$264,970
October	1,114	3,514	1,178	2,336	\$278,793
November	1,127	3,546	1,191	2,355	\$280,113
December	1,180	3,677	1,249	2,428	\$227,827
January 2008	1,207	3,750	1,276	2,474	\$300,699
February	1,190	3,692	1,262	2,430	\$289,132
March	1,172	3,648	1,242	2,406	\$242,570
April	1,187	3,696	1,261	2,435	\$326,070
May	1,202	3,753	1,275	2,478	\$301,542
June 2008	1,211	3,759	1,276	2,483	\$300,445
Monthly Average	1,136	3,553	1,203	2,351	\$273,891

(1) Total expenditures, as written, do not reflect cancellations and/or adjustments.

Monthly Average Amount Per Case	\$241.14
Monthly Average Amount Per Person	\$77.09
Average Number of Children Per Case	2.07
Average Number of Adults Per Case	1.06

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
WORK PAYS
TOTAL CASES, ADULTS, CHILDREN & CHECK AMOUNT
JUNE 2008**

County	Cases	Total Adults	Children	Total Check Amount	County	Cases	Total Adults	Children	Total Check Amount
Arkansas	7	7	17	\$1,428	Lincoln	11	11	24	\$2,193
Ashley	9	9	14	2,185	Little River	1	1	3	204
Baxter	11	12	19	2,644	Logan	9	10	14	2,985
Benton	4	4	9	1,616	Lonoke	7	7	13	1,071
Boone	20	22	44	4,378	Madison	0	0	0	0
Bradley	6	6	12	1,722	Marion	1	1	2	204
Calhoun	1	1	3	604	Miller	19	19	41	4,672
Carroll	4	4	12	765	Mississippi	17	17	43	3,711
Chicot	20	20	39	7,386	Monroe	6	6	15	1,573
Clark	3	3	4	561	Montgomery	2	2	3	306
Clay	3	4	9	510	Nevada	5	6	10	1,369
Cleburne	0	0	0	0	Newton	4	5	11	816
Cleveland	5	5	9	918	Ouachita	25	25	48	5,692
Columbia	30	31	59	5,704	Perry	2	2	5	357
Conway	3	4	6	1,012	Phillips	62	64	127	16,083
Craighead	39	40	96	8,344	Pike	0	0	0	0
Crawford	5	6	10	1,020	Poinsett	9	10	13	1,734
Crittenden	51	55	113	11,443	Polk	10	10	16	3,138
Cross	6	6	12	1,471	Pope	8	8	15	1,581
Dallas	3	3	5	510	Prairie	0	0	0	0
Desha	13	13	18	3,299	Pulaski-East	41	42	85	11,697
Drew	12	12	18	3,797	Pulaski-Jax	33	34	63	7,167
Faulkner	33	35	65	8,924	Pulaski-North	56	59	105	14,306
Franklin	0	0	0	0	Pulaski-S. W.	123	128	248	31,958
Fulton	9	11	18	2,236	Pulaski-South	103	108	221	24,819
Garland	57	61	114	14,859	Randolph	2	2	5	408
Grant	1	1	1	153	Saline	14	16	31	4,754
Greene	7	9	15	1,675	Scott	8	9	19	2,032
Hempstead	18	22	40	3,919	Searcy	1	1	1	204
Hot Spring	0	0	0	0	Sebastian	16	17	34	4,158
Howard	4	4	10	1,416	Sevier	1	1	2	153
Independence	11	13	20	3,844	Sharp	2	2	2	808
Izard	0	0	0	0	St. Francis	40	40	71	9,293
Jackson	3	3	6	910	Stone	0	0	0	0
Jefferson	105	111	222	24,635	Union	23	23	53	6,684
Johnson	1	1	1	204	Van Buren	1	1	4	204
Lafayette	6	6	11	1,122	Washington	8	8	17	2,032
Lawrence	1	2	2	204	White	3	3	5	612
Lee	18	21	43	3,966	Woodruff	7	9	14	1,275
					Yell	2	2	4	808
State Total						1,211	1,276	2,483	\$300,445

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 WORK PAYS
 REASONS FOR DENIALS
 SFY 2008**

<u>Descriptions</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Descriptions</u>	<u>Total</u>
3 months TEA not received	160	Failed to provide information	4
Already active	2	Inadequate information	3
Application registered in error	3	Income exceeds standard	3
Duplicate application	16	No eligible child in home	8
Earnings exceed federal poverty level	48	Other	82
Failed to comply w/ project success	1	Registered in wrong category	7
Failed to meet participation	578	Withdrawal with no reason	1
		<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>916</u>

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 WORK PAYS
 REASONS FOR CLOSURES
 SFY 2008**

Descriptions	Total	Descriptions	Total
Earnings exceeds Federal Poverty Level	85	No longer resident of state	49
Failed to meet initial eligibility	356	Other, non-need related	4
Failed to meet participation requirements	460	Refused other procedural requirement	1
Failed to provide information	27	Requested closure, no reason given	311
No longer eligible child in home	15	SSI benefits	3
		TOTAL	1,311

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
WORK PAYS
APPLICATIONS FOR ASSISTANCE
SFY 2008**

County	Applications		Total Disposals		County	Applications		Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied	Received		Approved	Denied		
Arkansas	7	3	4	Lincoln	24	17	7		
Ashley	43	28	14	Little River	6	3	3		
Baxter	24	20	4	Logan	19	14	5		
Benton	14	10	4	Lonoke	13	5	8		
Boone	22	19	4	Madison	0	0	0		
Bradley	12	9	3	Marion	6	0	6		
Calhoun	5	3	2	Miller	42	27	14		
Carroll	7	6	1	Mississippi	58	40	18		
Chicot	50	27	22	Monroe	15	11	4		
Clark	4	3	1	Montgomery	8	6	2		
Clay	16	8	8	Nevada	14	8	6		
Cleburne	1	0	1	Newton	5	3	2		
Cleveland	9	4	5	Ouachita	38	25	13		
Columbia	59	36	21	Perry	1	1	0		
Conway	7	4	3	Phillips	102	73	30		
Craighead	72	50	22	Pike	0	0	0		
Crawford	20	13	7	Poinsett	25	15	10		
Crittenden	114	73	41	Polk	16	10	6		
Cross	16	8	8	Pope	21	14	7		
Dallas	6	5	1	Prairie	0	0	0		
Desha	54	30	25	Pulaski-East	94	57	37		
Drew	39	28	11	Pulaski-Jax	97	61	36		
Faulkner	52	37	15	Pulaski-North	104	71	32		
Franklin	2	2	0	Pulaski-South	138	83	55		
Fulton	18	15	3	Pulaski-SW	281	193	88		
Garland	83	64	18	Randolph	5	2	3		
Grant	3	2	1	Saline	32	21	11		
Greene	14	10	4	Scott	13	9	3		
Hempstead	43	24	20	Searcy	2	2	0		
Hot Spring	2	1	1	Sebastian	31	19	11		
Howard	19	11	8	Sevier	4	2	2		
Independence	33	23	10	Sharp	15	8	7		
Izard	1	0	1	St. Francis	101	59	43		
Jackson	20	10	10	Stone	2	1	1		
Jefferson	219	151	66	Union	84	54	29		
Johnson	3	1	2	Van Buren	1	1	0		
Lafayette	24	13	11	Washington	23	13	10		
Lawrence	2	1	1	White	7	5	2		
Lee	47	34	13	Woodruff	20	12	8		
				Yell	5	4	1		
State Total					2,658	1,735	916		

Note: Disposals may not equal applications received due to carry-over to next month.

FOOD STAMPS

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
SFY 2008**

County	Unduplicated Cases	Unduplicated Persons*	Total Coupons Issued**	County	Unduplicated Cases	Unduplicated Persons*	Total Coupons Issued**
ACPU ***	4,616	5,201	\$2,491,460	Lincoln	1,261	3,130	\$2,498,656
ACPU ****	1,724	1,865	1,097,992	Little River	1,102	2,697	1,969,710
Arkansas	2,033	4,645	3,843,178	Logan	1,959	5,237	3,786,995
Ashley	2,743	6,413	5,253,775	Lonoke	3,015	8,477	6,266,511
Baxter	2,613	6,384	4,395,464	Madison	938	2,736	1,861,358
Benton	6,893	20,727	14,186,703	Marion	1,255	3,209	2,242,803
Boone	2,365	6,416	4,561,909	Miller	3,983	9,871	7,361,144
Bradley	1,493	3,311	2,566,012	Mississippi	4,981	14,361	10,722,470
Calhoun	372	845	599,476	Monroe	1,252	2,799	2,171,287
Carroll	1,506	4,037	2,760,758	Montgomery	670	1,720	1,195,382
Chicot	2,070	4,632	3,781,361	Nevada	894	2,229	1,649,842
Clark	1,875	4,289	3,214,754	Newton	799	1,958	1,360,854
Clay	1,004	2,846	1,872,786	Ouachita	3,063	7,033	5,815,353
Cleburne	1,453	3,794	2,443,185	Perry	733	1,938	1,457,428
Cleveland	815	2,042	1,635,802	Phillips	4,473	10,902	10,507,420
Columbia	3,259	7,148	6,038,908	Pike	722	2,030	1,321,493
Conway	1,906	4,677	3,563,509	Poinsett	2,673	7,403	6,048,220
Craighead	5,962	17,032	14,021,312	Polk	1,608	4,333	3,123,258
Crawford	3,751	10,847	7,918,731	Pope	3,616	9,631	6,515,962
Crittenden	6,112	16,833	14,376,618	Prairie	674	1,701	1,253,647
Cross	1,455	4,071	3,057,963	Pulaski	27,699	67,720	56,027,073
Dallas	896	1,979	1,466,156	Randolph	1,516	4,002	2,763,166
Desha	1,947	4,664	4,018,167	Saline	4,198	11,157	8,288,021
Drew	2,303	5,172	4,328,985	Scott	1,094	3,044	2,223,569
Faulkner	5,153	13,440	9,928,006	Searcy	706	1,755	1,202,883
Franklin	1,443	3,774	2,978,606	Sebastian	8,795	23,293	18,013,657
Fulton	908	2,471	1,799,175	Sevier	1,460	4,211	2,729,531
Garland	6,546	16,315	12,320,998	Sharp	1,332	3,675	2,588,625
Grant	1,005	2,491	1,807,241	St. Francis	3,977	9,715	8,501,663
Greene	3,035	8,623	6,272,357	Stone	928	2,344	1,607,753
Hempstead	2,227	5,706	4,290,667	Union	4,694	11,005	8,791,526
Hot Spring	2,419	6,198	4,394,740	Van Buren	1,398	3,525	2,485,188
Howard	1,036	2,642	1,876,137	Washington	8,549	25,090	17,172,729
Independence	2,381	6,889	4,893,027	White	4,793	12,669	9,482,101
Izard	842	2,371	1,733,497	Woodruff	1,103	2,412	1,856,019
Jackson	1,686	4,424	3,493,659	Yell	1,237	3,514	2,253,111
Jefferson	10,802	24,104	21,487,920				
Johnson	1,735	4,740	3,311,403				
Lafayette	988	2,334	1,776,690				
Lawrence	1,361	3,839	2,788,999				
Lee	1,828	3,978	3,387,427				
				State Total	219,711	556,735	\$427,151,921

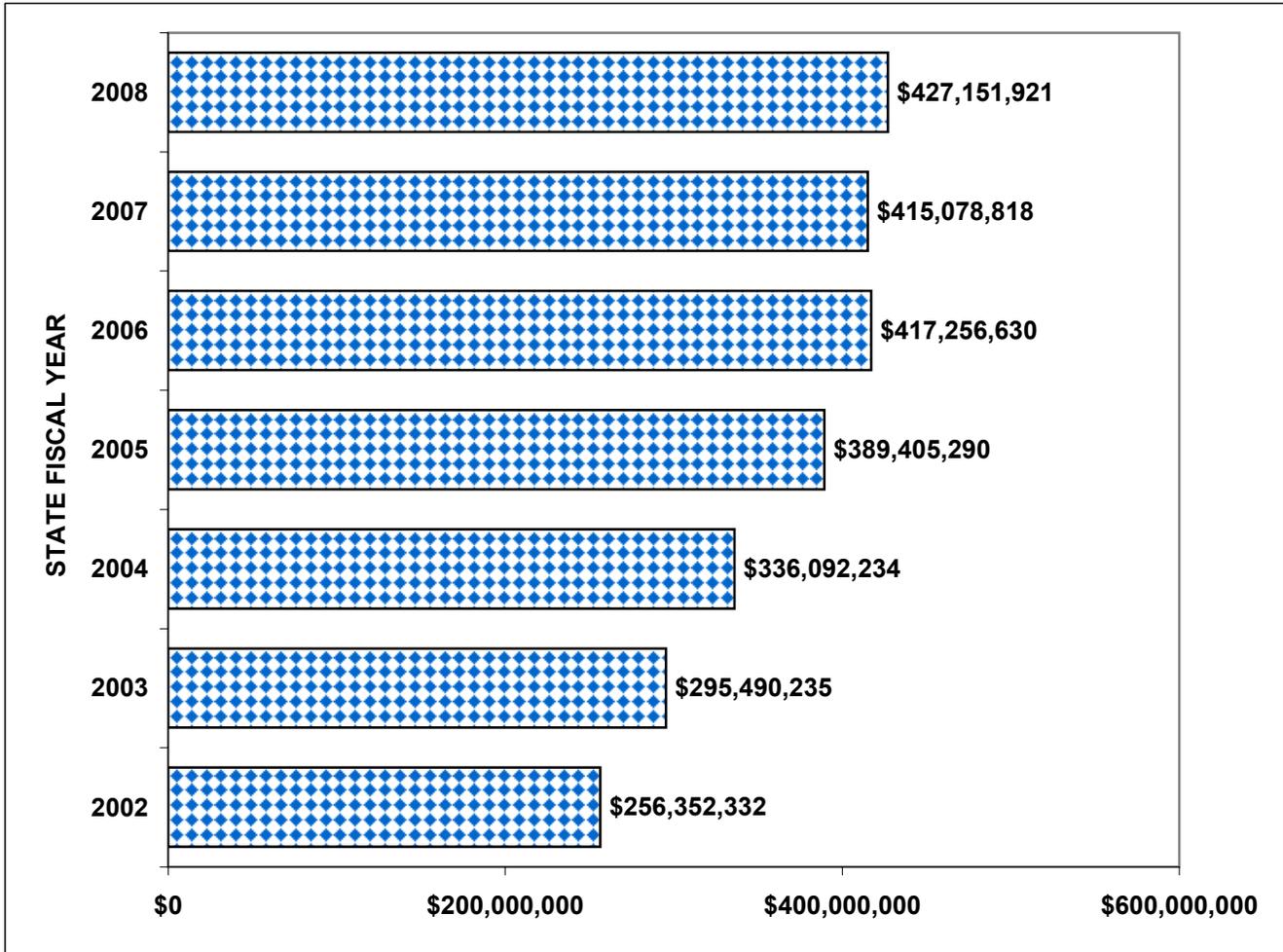
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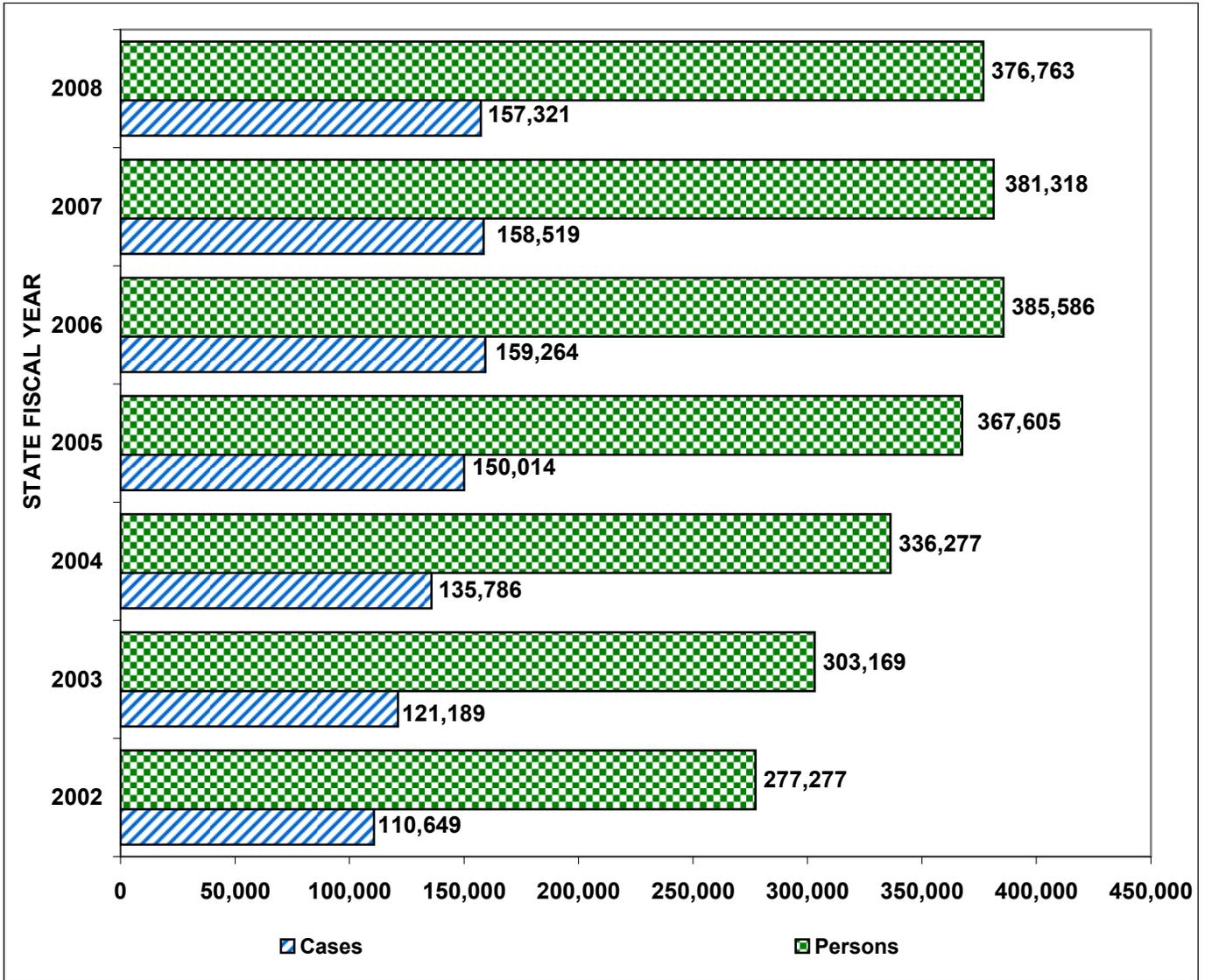
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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
COUPONS ISSUED
SFY 2002 - 2008**



State Fiscal Year	Food Stamp Coupon Issued
2002	\$256,352,332
2003	\$295,490,235
2004	\$336,092,234
2005	\$389,405,290
2006	\$417,256,630
2007	\$415,078,818
2008	\$427,151,921

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
MONTHLY AVERAGE OF PERSONS AND CASES
SFY 2002 - 2008**



State Fiscal Year	Persons	Cases
2002	277,277	110,649
2003	303,169	121,189
2004	336,277	135,786
2005	367,605	150,014
2006	385,586	159,264
2007	381,318	158,519
2008	376,763	157,321

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP RECIPIENTS
BREAKDOWN BY AGE *
SFY 2008**

County	0 - 6	7 - 18	19 - 30	31 - 45	46 - 64	65 & Over	Total Recipients
ACPU**	26	56	327	831	2,153	1,808	5,201
ACPU***	20	25	186	316	852	466	1,865
Arkansas	925	1,157	966	774	593	230	4,645
Ashley	1,224	1,653	1,286	1,193	754	303	6,413
Baxter	1,258	1,489	1,191	1,228	930	288	6,384
Benton	5,526	5,547	3,960	3,486	1,704	504	20,727
Boone	1,461	1,573	1,272	1,141	695	274	6,416
Bradley	700	751	672	585	398	205	3,311
Calhoun	165	203	151	144	134	48	845
Carroll	956	986	723	710	492	170	4,037
Chicot	919	1,100	889	734	644	346	4,632
Clark	951	1,005	1,023	685	455	170	4,289
Clay	604	749	543	529	316	105	2,846
Cleburne	760	926	713	698	493	204	3,794
Cleveland	424	508	385	365	251	109	2,042
Columbia	1,397	1,804	1,593	1,196	842	316	7,148
Conway	1,023	1,067	955	817	578	237	4,677
Craighead	4,414	4,580	3,639	2,741	1,379	279	17,032
Crawford	2,488	2,956	1,961	1,947	1,132	363	10,847
Crittenden	4,126	4,994	3,165	2,600	1,646	302	16,833
Cross	876	1,125	793	694	443	140	4,071
Dallas	422	439	389	339	296	94	1,979
Desha	1,028	1,147	942	719	593	235	4,664
Drew	1,047	1,231	1,297	833	546	218	5,172
Faulkner	3,224	3,434	3,045	2,230	1,194	313	13,440
Franklin	791	945	674	715	488	161	3,774
Fulton	474	625	435	456	352	129	2,471
Garland	3,662	3,929	3,197	2,939	2,059	529	16,315
Grant	532	590	512	483	280	94	2,491
Greene	2,034	2,153	1,765	1,627	812	232	8,623
Hempstead	1,332	1,463	1,095	912	658	246	5,706
Hot Spring	1,387	1,502	1,221	1,060	802	226	6,198
Howard	639	639	509	469	262	124	2,642
Independence	1,619	1,687	1,400	1,305	661	217	6,889
Izard	501	558	496	436	297	83	2,371
Jackson	967	1,134	877	769	527	150	4,424
Jefferson	5,380	6,057	5,263	3,887	2,738	779	24,104
Johnson	1,048	1,207	933	837	533	182	4,740
Lafayette	438	599	403	363	369	162	2,334
Lawrence	794	997	710	746	425	167	3,839
Lee	763	964	752	619	595	285	3,978

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FOOD STAMP RECIPIENTS
BREAKDOWN BY AGE *
SFY 2008**

County	0 - 6	7 - 18	19 - 30	31 - 45	46 - 64	65 & Over	Total Recipients
Lincoln	636	824	604	512	372	182	3,130
Little River	584	653	505	473	317	165	2,697
Logan	1,114	1,317	975	945	640	246	5,237
Lonoke	1,993	2,271	1,668	1,425	815	305	8,477
Madison	574	755	465	499	311	132	2,736
Marion	561	770	547	636	535	160	3,209
Miller	2,298	2,437	1,980	1,644	1,138	374	9,871
Mississippi	3,595	4,062	2,814	2,129	1,380	381	14,361
Monroe	509	685	531	416	429	229	2,799
Montgomery	309	479	286	303	263	80	1,720
Nevada	499	555	390	343	288	154	2,229
Newton	345	442	317	358	326	170	1,958
Ouachita	1,567	1,631	1,474	1,120	947	294	7,033
Perry	378	474	385	391	239	71	1,938
Phillips	2,330	3,098	2,065	1,553	1,327	529	10,902
Pike	410	545	357	381	241	96	2,030
Poinsett	1,576	1,945	1,338	1,434	811	299	7,403
Polk	857	1,055	827	781	616	197	4,333
Pope	2,201	2,362	2,069	1,721	968	310	9,631
Prairie	343	432	308	315	204	99	1,701
Pulaski-East	1,914	1,728	1,576	1,123	806	159	7,306
Pulaski-Jax	3,072	2,898	2,239	1,763	847	169	10,988
Pulaski-North	4,200	4,508	3,134	2,686	1,765	241	16,534
Pulaski-South	3,221	3,782	2,946	2,748	1,917	221	14,835
Pulaski-SW	4,912	5,073	3,684	2,856	1,339	193	18,057
Randolph	785	976	801	775	462	203	4,002
Saline	2,696	2,798	2,183	2,064	1,158	258	11,157
Scott	635	801	561	547	356	144	3,044
Searcy	313	401	293	347	270	131	1,755
Sebastian	5,712	5,771	4,533	4,178	2,456	643	23,293
Sevier	1,076	1,014	896	706	388	131	4,211
Sharp	752	918	655	705	494	151	3,675
St. Francis	2,195	2,523	1,974	1,489	1,147	387	9,715
Stone	441	541	385	435	371	171	2,344
Union	2,364	2,725	2,270	1,864	1,427	355	11,005
Van Buren	715	776	698	629	512	195	3,525
Washington	6,808	6,337	4,969	4,246	2,144	586	25,090
White	2,858	3,108	2,557	2,281	1,375	490	12,669
Woodruff	441	522	436	414	402	197	2,412
Yell	883	854	659	562	379	177	3,514
State Total	126,997	140,400	109,662	94,955	63,553	21,168	556,735

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP RECIPIENTS
BREAKDOWN BY RACE
SFY 2008**

County	White	Black	Hispanic	AIAN*	ASIAN**	Other or Unknown	Total***
ACPU****	3,790	1,310	19	19	25	38	5,201
ACPU*****	586	1,223	12	2	33	9	1,865
Arkansas	2,313	2,265	34	8	12	13	4,645
Ashley	3,054	3,116	183	6	18	36	6,413
Baxter	6,220	15	66	36	8	39	6,384
Benton	15,493	284	4,144	316	326	164	20,727
Boone	6,227	10	84	62	13	20	6,416
Bradley	1,169	1,671	374	5	15	77	3,311
Calhoun	429	408	8	0	0	0	845
Carroll	3,478	5	471	39	22	22	4,037
Chicot	724	3,772	119	3	7	7	4,632
Clark	2,100	1,874	260	18	21	16	4,289
Clay	2,782	5	36	10	0	13	2,846
Cleburne	3,676	12	46	36	10	14	3,794
Cleveland	1,437	559	29	5	1	11	2,042
Columbia	1,942	5,082	65	16	9	34	7,148
Conway	3,577	902	127	18	27	26	4,677
Craighead	10,302	5,848	659	40	45	138	17,032
Crawford	9,811	221	507	133	112	63	10,847
Crittenden	3,051	13,543	149	25	14	51	16,833
Cross	2,229	1,806	22	3	0	11	4,071
Dallas	648	1,301	25	4	0	1	1,979
Desha	1,193	3,310	134	0	6	21	4,664
Drew	2,481	2,569	74	9	19	20	5,172
Faulkner	8,903	3,788	529	56	47	117	13,440
Franklin	3,686	16	22	23	13	14	3,774
Fulton	2,421	6	14	19	9	2	2,471
Garland	12,017	3,201	793	90	80	134	16,315
Grant	2,367	87	26	2	1	8	2,491
Greene	8,209	66	251	39	14	44	8,623
Hempstead	2,052	3,019	540	18	45	32	5,706
Hot Spring	4,819	1,083	232	15	24	25	6,198
Howard	1,306	1,053	179	20	64	20	2,642
Independence	6,147	296	346	36	45	19	6,889
Izard	2,310	11	14	21	0	15	2,371
Jackson	2,986	1,296	109	22	0	11	4,424
Jefferson	4,633	19,195	133	15	36	92	24,104
Johnson	4,226	122	295	24	34	39	4,740
Lafayette	744	1,545	34	11	0	0	2,334
Lawrence	3,783	9	13	22	0	12	3,839
Lee	812	3,097	48	5	5	11	3,978

* Includes Native American, Alaskan Native, and American Indian.

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FOOD STAMP RECIPIENTS
BREAKDOWN BY RACE
SFY 2008**

County	White	Black	Hispanic	AIAN *	ASIAN **	Other or Unknown	Total***
Lincoln	1,634	1,380	90	25	0	1	3,130
Little River	1,722	893	45	30	1	6	2,697
Logan	4,963	87	64	25	80	18	5,237
Lonoke	6,854	1,295	166	52	39	71	8,477
Madison	2,589	9	82	22	27	7	2,736
Marion	3,132	6	32	21	6	12	3,209
Miller	4,846	4,767	158	30	14	56	9,871
Mississippi	5,461	8,296	517	20	14	53	14,361
Monroe	884	1,895	17	0	1	2	2,799
Montgomery	1,545	5	129	18	16	7	1,720
Nevada	1,052	1,104	68	3	1	1	2,229
Newton	1,918	0	7	23	5	5	1,958
Ouachita	2,302	4,608	63	9	4	47	7,033
Perry	1,866	40	18	10	2	2	1,938
Phillips	1,624	9,163	73	8	6	28	10,902
Pike	1,652	98	206	14	24	36	2,030
Poinsett	6,137	1,040	168	5	4	49	7,403
Polk	4,069	9	137	91	16	11	4,333
Pope	8,424	661	382	61	25	78	9,631
Prairie	1,161	523	9	2	1	5	1,701
Pulaski-East	1,472	5,564	145	13	51	61	7,306
Pulaski-Jax	5,193	5,180	343	30	117	125	10,988
Pulaski-North	3,692	12,277	282	38	101	144	16,534
Pulaski-South	1,394	13,001	233	21	59	127	14,835
Pulaski-SW	3,479	13,438	878	25	86	151	18,057
Randolph	3,882	47	46	12	0	15	4,002
Saline	9,757	952	299	36	61	52	11,157
Scott	2,645	9	228	37	89	36	3,044
Searcy	1,727	0	20	6	2	0	1,755
Sebastian	15,708	3,702	2,740	306	562	275	23,293
Sevier	2,554	238	1,310	75	15	19	4,211
Sharp	3,598	35	12	13	2	15	3,675
St. Francis	2,224	7,382	79	9	5	16	9,715
Stone	2,277	0	31	23	7	6	2,344
Union	3,732	6,922	210	41	29	71	11,005
Van Buren	3,395	13	68	20	11	18	3,525
Washington	16,423	1,703	5,104	268	1,363	229	25,090
White	10,987	1,102	319	99	42	120	12,669
Woodruff	1,249	1,140	12	1	0	10	2,412
Yell	2,864	96	440	26	62	26	3,514
State Total	322,220	197,681	26,455	2,819	4,110	3,450	556,735

* Includes Native American, Alaskan Native, and American Indian.

** Includes Asian, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, Vietnamese, and Oriental.

*** The unduplicated count of recipients is based on the household size and may include household members who are not receiving benefits.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP
APPLICATIONS
SFY 2008**

<u>County</u>	<u>No. Rec'd</u>	<u>No. Approved</u>	<u>No. Denied</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>No. Rec'd</u>	<u>No. Approved</u>	<u>No. Denied</u>
ACPU *	1,809	1,726	86	Lincoln	1,449	1,120	327
ACPU **	724	654	74	Little River	1,355	966	402
Arkansas	2,581	1,986	620	Logan	2,788	2,034	777
Ashley	3,510	2,539	920	Lonoke	5,309	3,341	1,954
Baxter	3,570	2,398	1,126	Madison	1,385	949	429
Benton	11,512	6,784	4,659	Marion	1,658	1,167	484
Boone	3,351	2,341	1,009	Miller	6,851	4,542	2,214
Bradley	1,842	1,450	381	Mississippi	7,426	5,276	2,143
Calhoun	464	332	125	Monroe	1,402	1,101	292
Carroll	2,163	1,406	732	Montgomery	945	742	224
Chicot	2,261	1,783	472	Nevada	1,167	798	371
Clark	2,825	1,889	881	Newton	761	626	120
Clay	1,443	1,032	412	Ouachita	4,118	2,852	1,252
Cleburne	2,195	1,444	713	Perry	967	738	219
Cleveland	946	728	212	Phillips	6,652	5,433	1,199
Columbia	4,231	3,100	1,143	Pike	1,014	664	355
Conway	2,419	1,849	592	Poinsett	3,532	2,661	922
Craighead	10,268	6,414	3,708	Polk	2,083	1,565	559
Crawford	5,305	3,706	1,484	Pope	5,575	3,631	1,930
Crittenden	8,998	6,256	2,665	Prairie	884	657	229
Cross	2,120	1,487	603	Pulaski-East	5,687	3,361	2,316
Dallas	1,197	904	303	Pulaski-Jax	7,492	3,951	3,478
Desha	2,226	1,730	496	Pulaski-North	11,771	7,371	4,382
Drew	3,051	2,197	817	Pulaski-S.W.	12,218	7,258	4,873
Faulkner	10,471	5,678	4,715	Pulaski-South	12,745	8,417	4,287
Franklin	1,695	1,307	402	Randolph	2,092	1,485	621
Fulton	1,095	887	199	Saline	6,342	4,130	2,113
Garland	10,609	7,152	3,437	Scott	1,304	988	323
Grant	1,484	1,068	424	Searcy	822	626	184
Greene	5,134	3,672	1,498	Sebastian	15,318	10,031	5,044
Hempstead	3,220	2,176	1,042	Sevier	2,101	1,446	618
Hot Spring	4,454	2,999	1,382	Sharp	2,040	1,469	544
Howard	1,683	1,059	603	St. Francis	5,154	3,805	1,331
Independence	3,687	2,384	1,209	Stone	1,549	1,163	396
Izard	1,290	835	421	Union	7,197	5,114	2,040
Jackson	2,658	1,907	755	Van Buren	1,846	1,353	476
Jefferson	14,609	10,725	3,897	Washington	15,013	8,312	6,825
Johnson	2,365	1,666	729	White	7,233	4,806	2,465
Lafayette	1,227	983	268	Woodruff	1,377	1,046	319
Lawrence	2,196	1,463	728	Yell	1,823	1,291	532
Lee	2,024	1,642	394				
State Total					329,357	222,024	105,905

*Area Central Processing Unit - This unit, located in Craighead County, processes Food Stamp applications for SSI recipients living in 14 surrounding counties (Area II).

**Area Central Processing Unit - This unit processes Food Stamp applications for SSI recipients living in Pulaski County (Area 6)

MEDICAID

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
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County	Medicaid Eligibles	Population	Percent Eligible	County	Medicaid Eligibles	Population	Percent Eligible
Arkansas	5,652	19,392	29.15%	Lincoln	3,668	13,729	26.72%
Ashley	7,677	22,326	34.39%	Little River	3,591	12,812	28.03%
Baxter	9,763	41,950	23.27%	Logan	7,104	22,599	31.44%
Benton	42,296	203,107	20.82%	Lonoke	13,332	63,562	20.97%
Boone	9,245	36,672	25.21%	Madison	4,072	15,420	26.41%
Bradley	3,924	11,979	32.76%	Marion	4,314	16,629	25.94%
Calhoun	1,389	5,535	25.09%	Miller	13,250	42,662	31.06%
Carroll	6,506	27,429	23.72%	Mississippi	18,369	46,664	39.36%
Chicot	5,294	12,305	43.02%	Monroe	3,369	8,712	38.67%
Clark	5,859	23,585	24.84%	Montgomery	2,621	9,048	28.97%
Clay	4,580	16,134	28.39%	Nevada	3,013	9,376	32.14%
Cleburne	5,936	25,407	23.36%	Newton	2,655	8,339	31.84%
Cleveland	2,374	8,769	27.07%	Ouachita	8,774	26,068	33.66%
Columbia	8,029	24,351	32.97%	Perry	2,691	10,391	25.90%
Conway	6,212	20,740	29.95%	Phillips	12,041	22,035	54.64%
Craighead	27,181	91,552	29.69%	Pike	3,367	10,791	31.20%
Crawford	15,595	59,031	26.42%	Poinsett	9,697	24,850	39.02%
Crittenden	20,160	52,103	38.69%	Polk	6,261	20,197	31.00%
Cross	5,785	18,685	30.96%	Pope	15,989	58,961	27.12%
Dallas	2,785	8,249	33.76%	Prairie	2,513	8,739	28.76%
Desha	5,323	13,799	38.58%	Pulaski*	107,344	373,911	28.71%
Drew	5,858	18,745	31.25%	Randolph	5,908	18,089	32.66%
Faulkner	20,405	104,865	19.46%	Saline	17,772	96,212	18.47%
Franklin	5,021	18,157	27.65%	Scott	3,901	11,304	34.51%
Fulton	3,646	11,752	31.02%	Searcy	2,900	8,087	35.86%
Garland	24,609	96,371	25.54%	Sebastian	33,800	121,766	27.76%
Grant	3,555	17,460	20.36%	Sevier	5,760	16,325	35.28%
Greene	11,631	40,397	28.79%	Sharp	5,576	17,848	31.24%
Hempstead	7,901	23,226	34.02%	St. Francis	11,088	26,900	41.22%
Hot Spring	8,662	31,850	27.20%	Stone	3,671	11,971	30.67%
Howard	4,571	13,997	32.66%	Union	14,323	43,230	33.13%
Independence	10,205	34,566	29.52%	Van Buren	4,693	16,507	28.43%
Izard	3,709	12,978	28.58%	Washington	45,083	194,292	23.20%
Jackson	5,785	17,219	33.60%	White	18,349	73,441	24.98%
Jefferson	25,446	78,986	32.22%	Woodruff	2,979	7,649	38.95%
Johnson	7,814	24,747	31.58%	Yell	7,073	21,786	32.47%
Lafayette	2,797	7,760	36.04%				
Lawrence	5,785	16,860	34.31%				
Lee	4,455	10,859	41.03%				
State Total					794,331	2,834,797	28.02%

* Eligibles figures for Pulaski South, North, Southwest, East and Jacksonville were combined because there was no population estimate breakdown.

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 MEDICAID ELIGIBLES
 BY CATEGORY AND RACE
 SFY 2008**

County	Aid to the Aged					Aid to the Disabled				
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total
Arkansas	297	166	0	16	479	436	306	3	141	886
Ashley	299	202	4	32	537	411	609	9	171	1,200
Baxter	579	0	0	29	608	1,226	6	7	232	1,471
Benton	1,224	7	116	86	1,433	2,688	50	163	784	3,685
Boone	621	0	1	19	641	1,192	4	7	261	1,464
Bradley	173	113	2	3	291	250	314	11	93	668
Calhoun	47	26	0	2	75	86	115	1	30	232
Carroll	322	0	7	16	345	616	3	24	133	776
Chicot	136	303	0	23	462	167	743	5	169	1,084
Clark	244	129	0	20	393	489	279	5	175	948
Clay	389	0	0	18	407	705	28	4	172	909
Cleburne	430	0	0	27	457	722	0	3	166	891
Cleveland	146	23	1	7	177	174	103	2	44	323
Columbia	247	304	2	22	575	336	874	4	230	1,444
Conway	377	86	0	12	475	831	205	7	216	1,259
Craighead	1,115	77	7	55	1,254	2,557	693	24	885	4,159
Crawford	718	14	10	38	780	2,039	73	21	482	2,615
Crittenden	290	533	4	63	890	632	2,457	12	623	3,724
Cross	286	135	0	11	432	428	380	2	170	980
Dallas	101	118	0	3	222	159	332	0	126	617
Desha	148	246	0	10	404	252	493	6	155	906
Drew	225	169	1	10	405	330	309	4	150	793
Faulkner	737	80	9	48	874	2,018	462	14	627	3,121
Franklin	378	1	3	11	393	646	4	7	109	766
Fulton	372	3	0	14	389	582	1	3	103	689
Garland	1,112	144	12	69	1,337	2,665	670	45	750	4,130
Grant	172	14	0	10	196	343	28	4	82	457
Greene	589	1	5	28	623	1,588	21	10	356	1,975
Hempstead	232	206	5	16	459	403	467	8	230	1,108
Hot Spring	359	69	0	13	441	879	223	8	229	1,339
Howard	229	82	3	15	329	277	200	4	109	590
Independence	683	13	4	32	732	1,335	52	9	251	1,647
Izard	291	0	0	11	302	516	0	3	72	591
Jackson	335	78	0	10	423	694	222	2	154	1,072
Jefferson	458	975	3	87	1,523	876	2,828	15	844	4,563
Johnson	347	1	14	19	381	993	30	16	175	1,214
Lafayette	71	135	0	10	216	128	328	0	137	593
Lawrence	506	3	1	18	528	906	4	2	177	1,089
Lee	115	258	1	16	390	151	654	3	165	973

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County	Aid to the Aged					Aid to the Disabled				
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total
Lincoln	220	102	1	6	329	263	231	1	99	594
Little River	184	85	2	12	283	261	186	4	93	544
Logan	457	5	2	16	480	995	52	6	169	1,222
Lonoke	654	127	3	20	804	1,247	277	12	393	1,929
Madison	245	0	3	15	263	418	2	11	104	535
Marion	311	0	1	13	325	644	4	1	143	792
Miller	419	197	3	29	648	996	826	7	514	2,343
Mississippi	514	316	5	56	891	1,225	1,584	28	993	3,830
Monroe	158	157	0	18	333	171	382	0	114	667
Montgomery	207	0	1	11	219	267	2	1	49	319
Nevada	145	103	0	12	260	255	287	3	106	651
Newton	224	0	1	9	234	447	1	1	71	520
Ouachita	307	321	0	21	649	471	955	6	247	1,679
Perry	175	1	0	7	183	389	9	1	71	470
Phillips	161	514	2	34	711	380	1,633	10	450	2,473
Pike	210	14	0	9	233	318	15	2	77	412
Poinsett	594	62	1	26	683	1,254	213	6	346	1,819
Polk	397	1	3	25	426	684	3	10	164	861
Pope	796	17	7	32	852	1,938	138	30	316	2,422
Prairie	184	50	1	5	240	236	135	1	70	442
Pulaski-East	304	364	6	67	741	745	1,159	15	408	2,327
Pulaski-Jax	358	91	2	42	493	1,155	590	18	517	2,280
Pulaski-North	591	416	3	94	1,104	1,143	2,120	31	932	4,226
Pulaski-South	248	546	8	55	857	976	2,133	22	1,035	4,166
Pulaski-SW	298	289	8	52	647	999	1,962	29	929	3,919
Randolph	445	6	0	13	464	739	11	3	159	912
Saline	793	45	7	18	863	1,674	255	19	335	2,283
Scott	254	0	1	11	266	476	3	11	113	603
Searcy	280	0	0	12	292	465	1	0	89	555
Sebastian	1,237	137	37	180	1,591	3,297	708	91	1,014	5,110
Sevier	217	26	9	9	261	384	44	19	116	563
Sharp	439	4	0	10	453	876	9	8	170	1,063
St. Francis	219	389	2	32	642	459	1,385	8	347	2,199
Stone	269	0	1	17	287	596	2	5	102	705
Union	472	441	4	29	946	782	1,508	12	381	2,683
Van Buren	354	2	0	11	367	595	1	3	120	719
Washington	1,311	20	56	102	1,489	3,570	223	137	969	4,899
White	985	37	2	76	1,100	2,196	186	19	473	2,874
Woodruff	195	112	0	12	319	275	239	0	70	584
Yell	474	9	5	18	506	804	23	32	184	1,043
State Total	31,705	9,720	402	2,185	44,012	66,791	34,067	1,100	23,230	125,188

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County	Aid to the Blind					ARKids				
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total
Arkansas	1	4	0	1	6	1,403	1,152	81	22	2,658
Ashley	4	4	0	1	9	1,822	1,351	300	31	3,504
Baxter	9	0	0	2	11	4,735	11	93	67	4,906
Benton	14	1	2	7	24	16,042	327	10,827	1,128	28,324
Boone	7	0	0	1	8	4,434	18	74	91	4,617
Bradley	1	4	0	1	6	721	694	389	65	1,869
Calhoun	1	0	0	0	1	386	233	28	6	653
Carroll	4	0	0	1	5	2,901	12	953	64	3,930
Chicot	4	5	0	1	10	453	1,548	138	23	2,162
Clark	8	1	0	1	10	1,401	896	283	48	2,628
Clay	3	0	0	0	3	2,198	14	37	22	2,271
Cleburne	4	0	0	0	4	2,908	18	93	45	3,064
Cleveland	2	1	0	1	4	818	266	27	14	1,125
Columbia	1	10	0	2	13	1,079	1,920	82	43	3,124
Conway	7	2	0	0	9	2,222	523	129	64	2,938
Craighead	22	13	0	3	38	8,587	3,496	1,011	293	13,387
Crawford	7	1	0	1	9	6,751	189	859	436	8,235
Crittenden	5	18	0	2	25	2,157	7,205	150	83	9,595
Cross	3	4	0	0	7	1,674	986	22	24	2,706
Dallas	1	2	0	1	4	392	717	28	24	1,161
Desha	3	2	0	0	5	725	1,442	166	30	2,363
Drew	2	1	0	0	3	1,412	1,146	73	48	2,679
Faulkner	15	4	0	1	20	7,578	2,224	721	294	10,817
Franklin	2	0	0	0	2	2,331	18	35	73	2,457
Fulton	2	0	0	0	2	1,439	17	18	16	1,490
Garland	23	3	1	2	29	9,258	1,967	1,218	298	12,741
Grant	2	0	0	0	2	1,770	43	45	18	1,876
Greene	9	0	0	1	10	5,465	60	183	65	5,773
Hempstead	2	6	4	1	13	1,416	1,499	959	78	3,952
Hot Spring	9	2	0	0	11	3,679	678	229	57	4,643
Howard	0	1	0	0	1	1,148	627	464	78	2,317
Independence	7	2	0	4	13	3,979	169	603	135	4,886
Izard	4	0	0	0	4	1,716	7	17	29	1,769
Jackson	3	2	0	0	5	1,848	603	90	30	2,571
Jefferson	8	26	0	6	40	2,537	8,409	142	169	11,257
Johnson	4	0	0	0	4	3,075	96	874	121	4,166
Lafayette	1	4	0	1	6	474	631	29	11	1,145
Lawrence	2	0	0	0	2	2,501	11	20	19	2,551
Lee	0	5	0	1	6	472	1,179	24	10	1,685

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County	Aid to the Blind					ARKids				
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total
Lincoln	2	4	0	0	6	929	623	73	25	1,650
Little River	2	0	0	0	2	1,037	484	50	49	1,620
Logan	6	0	0	0	6	2,960	60	61	167	3,248
Lonoke	12	5	0	7	24	6,080	841	291	132	7,344
Madison	5	0	0	0	5	2,017	8	225	65	2,315
Marion	6	0	0	0	6	1,993	7	31	30	2,061
Miller	2	5	1	4	12	3,430	2,388	202	103	6,123
Mississippi	8	11	1	1	21	3,553	4,065	418	63	8,099
Monroe	0	2	0	0	2	602	817	27	15	1,461
Montgomery	1	0	0	0	1	1,255	3	107	35	1,400
Nevada	2	0	0	0	2	692	510	69	21	1,292
Newton	4	0	0	0	4	1,203	0	1	11	1,215
Ouachita	5	12	1	3	21	1,523	2,182	72	36	3,813
Perry	2	0	0	1	3	1,300	26	18	5	1,349
Phillips	2	15	0	5	22	975	3,867	32	26	4,900
Pike	3	0	0	0	3	1,551	54	240	27	1,872
Poinsett	7	2	0	0	9	3,517	479	143	41	4,180
Polk	4	0	0	4	8	2,925	8	340	85	3,358
Pope	17	0	2	1	20	6,386	425	922	331	8,064
Prairie	3	1	0	0	4	815	268	13	12	1,108
Pulaski-East	10	11	0	2	23	1,787	3,700	508	357	6,352
Pulaski-Jax	11	5	0	0	16	5,031	3,897	566	362	9,856
Pulaski-North	8	24	0	2	34	3,049	7,210	968	315	11,542
Pulaski-South	23	24	1	10	58	867	7,481	808	228	9,384
Pulaski-SW	11	23	0	6	40	3,052	8,958	2,913	559	15,482
Randolph	4	0	0	0	4	2,792	42	43	21	2,898
Saline	15	0	0	4	19	8,329	673	669	205	9,876
Scott	3	0	0	1	4	1,623	18	232	164	2,037
Searcy	2	0	0	1	3	1,284	2	17	6	1,309
Sebastian	26	1	1	4	32	10,127	2,163	4,900	921	18,111
Sevier	0	0	1	0	1	1,489	124	1,979	100	3,692
Sharp	4	0	0	0	4	2,551	23	24	13	2,611
St. Francis	6	7	0	5	18	1,251	3,073	73	45	4,442
Stone	4	0	1	0	5	1,761	5	37	18	1,821
Union	4	5	0	3	12	2,631	3,690	351	113	6,785
Van Buren	7	0	0	0	7	2,220	23	58	27	2,328
Washington	25	0	2	9	36	13,800	1,265	11,896	2,303	29,264
White	18	1	0	4	23	8,094	673	521	378	9,666
Woodruff	1	2	0	0	3	779	425	13	10	1,227
Yell	6	0	0	1	7	2,191	73	1,463	139	3,866
State Total	487	288	18	121	914	235,358	103,035	52,888	11,735	403,016

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County	Family Planning					Other				
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total
Arkansas	342	251	1	6	600	201	102	4	1	308
Ashley	484	321	20	6	831	265	202	3	3	473
Baxter	1,218	0	14	12	1,244	562	7	7	11	587
Benton	3,597	44	578	114	4,333	1,240	24	112	50	1,426
Boone	848	0	9	5	862	578	0	5	10	593
Bradley	150	164	23	3	340	126	114	5	2	247
Calhoun	93	57	1	1	152	62	37	0	0	99
Carroll	487	0	30	6	523	352	3	9	6	370
Chicot	145	315	15	2	477	90	303	2	2	397
Clark	532	374	16	7	929	148	125	2	6	281
Clay	278	0	4	2	284	281	2	2	3	288
Cleburne	551	0	6	4	561	371	3	1	7	382
Cleveland	169	55	1	1	226	145	32	1	2	180
Columbia	462	669	7	19	1,157	148	320	2	4	474
Conway	393	101	5	6	505	246	48	6	4	304
Craighead	2,486	1,028	64	46	3,624	1,050	207	16	27	1,300
Crawford	1,311	25	62	49	1,447	752	24	9	28	813
Crittenden	524	1,498	12	11	2,045	221	511	6	8	746
Cross	321	200	4	4	529	197	93	0	1	291
Dallas	100	225	0	2	327	64	71	0	1	136
Desha	132	278	10	4	424	120	164	0	3	287
Drew	340	284	6	2	632	218	169	4	5	396
Faulkner	1,565	669	40	38	2,312	649	177	16	21	863
Franklin	534	17	2	7	560	297	2	2	10	311
Fulton	343	0	1	2	346	287	2	1	5	295
Garland	1,813	349	82	41	2,285	1,019	260	20	39	1,338
Grant	360	9	4	1	374	191	9	1	3	204
Greene	957	1	14	13	985	700	11	2	15	728
Hempstead	447	459	40	8	954	217	269	14	13	513
Hot Spring	663	130	7	4	804	425	94	3	9	531
Howard	441	272	13	16	742	109	80	0	2	191
Independence	960	29	18	17	1,024	536	18	11	16	581
Izard	397	1	3	3	404	261	0	2	1	264
Jackson	382	115	4	3	504	315	143	6	7	471
Jefferson	434	1,728	13	10	2,185	369	993	6	17	1,385
Johnson	702	24	50	9	785	383	11	12	6	412
Lafayette	121	170	1	1	293	94	118	0	2	214
Lawrence	505	1	2	5	513	366	5	0	5	376
Lee	114	281	5	2	402	68	195	12	1	276

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County	Family Planning					Other				
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total
Lincoln	196	130	4	5	335	133	98	1	3	235
Little River	312	174	13	7	506	166	60	1	6	233
Logan	695	14	11	16	736	434	7	4	16	461
Lonoke	1,114	163	22	29	1,328	468	74	9	11	562
Madison	327	2	7	9	345	264	1	4	4	273
Marion	422	0	4	4	430	340	0	2	4	346
Miller	901	551	15	10	1,477	436	307	9	10	762
Mississippi	792	826	50	16	1,684	436	463	7	6	912
Monroe	139	205	0	4	348	98	104	0	1	203
Montgomery	275	1	4	6	286	135	1	3	3	142
Nevada	152	177	1	2	332	84	59	3	0	146
Newton	255	0	2	2	259	218	1	1	1	221
Ouachita	353	499	6	16	874	206	331	2	11	550
Perry	245	3	2	1	251	154	8	1	1	164
Phillips	226	714	6	0	946	130	376	2	4	512
Pike	447	25	5	0	477	182	10	1	5	198
Poinsett	727	104	13	1	845	548	44	1	4	597
Polk	600	0	17	9	626	341	0	5	4	350
Pope	1,711	90	60	37	1,898	766	33	12	20	831
Prairie	220	62	4	0	286	132	34	0	4	170
Pulaski-East	684	959	27	51	1,721	228	547	5	13	793
Pulaski-Jax	1,402	896	39	89	2,426	579	329	16	20	944
Pulaski-North	872	1,740	33	49	2,694	564	1,008	10	44	1,626
Pulaski-South	363	2,426	40	36	2,865	371	1,107	15	25	1,518
Pulaski-SW	651	2,152	74	53	2,930	403	953	37	14	1,407
Randolph	579	3	5	1	588	413	7	3	7	430
Saline	1,639	110	34	25	1,808	695	54	8	11	768
Scott	340	2	12	11	365	269	4	4	10	287
Searcy	298	0	4	2	304	195	1	1	2	199
Sebastian	2,568	416	158	157	3,299	1,379	258	78	81	1,796
Sevier	390	28	83	19	520	157	21	5	4	187
Sharp	464	2	0	2	468	399	8	3	5	415
St. Francis	279	648	3	2	932	205	420	4	18	647
Stone	363	0	2	1	366	245	3	0	1	249
Union	534	682	21	15	1,252	358	493	4	9	864
Van Buren	412	0	5	10	427	388	0	3	4	395
Washington	3,486	343	350	154	4,333	1,376	77	102	53	1,608
White	1,414	115	27	54	1,610	872	48	14	25	959
Woodruff	133	82	1	0	216	150	107	0	2	259
Yell	464	11	47	9	531	325	11	14	9	359
State Total	53,145	24,499	2,398	1,406	81,448	28,965	12,415	698	831	42,909

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County	Pregnant Women					TEA				
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total
Arkansas	278	183	14	1	476	107	132	0	0	239
Ashley	337	218	56	11	622	186	307	8	0	501
Baxter	628	0	12	5	645	281	0	7	3	291
Benton	1,887	20	620	75	2,602	401	13	40	13	467
Boone	641	4	14	3	662	387	0	3	8	398
Bradley	132	140	39	10	321	65	110	5	2	182
Calhoun	70	33	0	1	104	26	47	0	0	73
Carroll	384	0	65	3	452	94	0	10	1	105
Chicot	59	270	30	24	383	39	275	3	2	319
Clark	248	164	16	14	442	95	125	4	4	228
Clay	248	2	4	2	256	155	3	3	1	162
Cleburne	453	3	10	6	472	102	0	1	2	105
Cleveland	123	39	0	3	165	115	50	6	3	174
Columbia	230	404	30	8	672	120	444	3	3	570
Conway	456	67	32	10	565	125	30	0	2	157
Craighead	1,457	561	106	63	2,187	705	496	22	9	1,232
Crawford	651	8	61	529	1,249	417	12	9	9	447
Crittenden	409	1,195	37	16	1,657	206	1,262	8	2	1,478
Cross	261	163	5	48	477	172	190	1	0	363
Dallas	70	114	7	0	191	35	92	0	0	127
Desha	141	325	21	5	492	72	363	4	3	442
Drew	280	193	15	18	506	171	267	3	3	444
Faulkner	1,151	305	38	258	1,752	419	194	14	17	644
Franklin	395	1	3	7	406	121	3	1	1	126
Fulton	203	3	1	2	209	223	2	0	1	226
Garland	1,421	264	139	26	1,850	584	272	21	18	895
Grant	306	5	5	4	320	116	6	2	2	126
Greene	902	4	30	7	943	565	11	10	8	594
Hempstead	247	298	54	14	613	62	202	15	10	289
Hot Spring	581	120	29	11	741	124	27	0	1	152
Howard	162	109	15	11	297	33	62	8	1	104
Independence	659	22	45	79	805	464	28	16	9	517
Izard	227	0	0	1	228	142	0	0	5	147
Jackson	277	107	11	4	399	170	163	4	3	340
Jefferson	387	1,291	21	26	1,725	315	2,428	7	17	2,767
Johnson	598	12	60	18	688	153	3	3	5	164
Lafayette	71	114	1	1	187	44	96	2	1	143
Lawrence	416	0	4	3	423	300	0	1	2	303
Lee	35	133	2	2	172	75	475	1	0	551

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County	Pregnant Women					TEA				
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total
Lincoln	148	87	9	3	247	152	113	0	7	272
Little River	191	78	8	7	284	47	66	2	4	119
Logan	505	3	14	30	552	382	4	9	4	399
Lonoke	860	117	25	23	1,025	231	75	7	3	316
Madison	230	1	17	8	256	80	0	0	0	80
Marion	215	0	1	9	225	125	2	1	1	129
Miller	604	352	18	14	988	337	528	22	9	896
Mississippi	623	749	57	33	1,462	405	1,013	43	8	1,469
Monroe	64	66	0	3	133	33	189	0	0	222
Montgomery	170	0	2	3	175	77	0	1	1	79
Nevada	148	103	12	0	263	25	41	1	0	67
Newton	145	0	0	0	145	56	0	1	0	57
Ouachita	307	382	15	20	724	113	338	7	6	464
Perry	207	6	3	4	220	46	0	1	4	51
Phillips	121	404	4	5	534	188	1,744	4	7	1,943
Pike	118	8	3	2	131	41	0	0	0	41
Poinsett	635	119	18	11	783	629	130	11	11	781
Polk	352	0	10	69	431	191	0	7	3	201
Pope	1,126	63	172	196	1,557	281	37	12	13	343
Prairie	128	45	3	1	177	43	42	1	0	86
Pulaski-East	274	512	21	29	836	182	865	10	15	1,072
Pulaski-Jax	842	565	28	67	1,502	396	507	40	16	959
Pulaski-North	525	1,016	40	50	1,631	250	1,226	16	15	1,507
Pulaski-South	147	947	14	17	1,125	148	1,400	25	20	1,593
Pulaski-SW	454	1,211	85	22	1,772	513	2,187	143	31	2,874
Randolph	392	4	2	3	401	197	9	1	3	210
Saline	1,416	91	45	27	1,579	497	61	9	8	575
Scott	176	0	17	40	233	86	0	9	11	106
Searcy	185	0	2	1	188	49	0	0	1	50
Sebastian	1,941	318	433	116	2,808	688	275	43	46	1,052
Sevier	198	18	120	37	373	119	31	10	3	163
Sharp	329	1	5	3	338	220	0	4	0	224
St. Francis	216	546	15	8	785	204	1,209	10	0	1,423
Stone	188	0	3	1	192	44	0	2	0	46
Union	391	548	73	34	1,046	198	527	9	1	735
Van Buren	353	4	11	3	371	74	5	0	0	79
Washington	1,931	113	521	137	2,702	583	96	56	17	752
White	1,398	112	36	94	1,640	379	73	9	14	475
Woodruff	85	48	4	6	143	73	146	5	4	228
Yell	397	6	200	22	625	114	8	11	3	136
State Total	36,216	15,537	3,718	2,487	57,958	16,482	21,137	787	460	38,866

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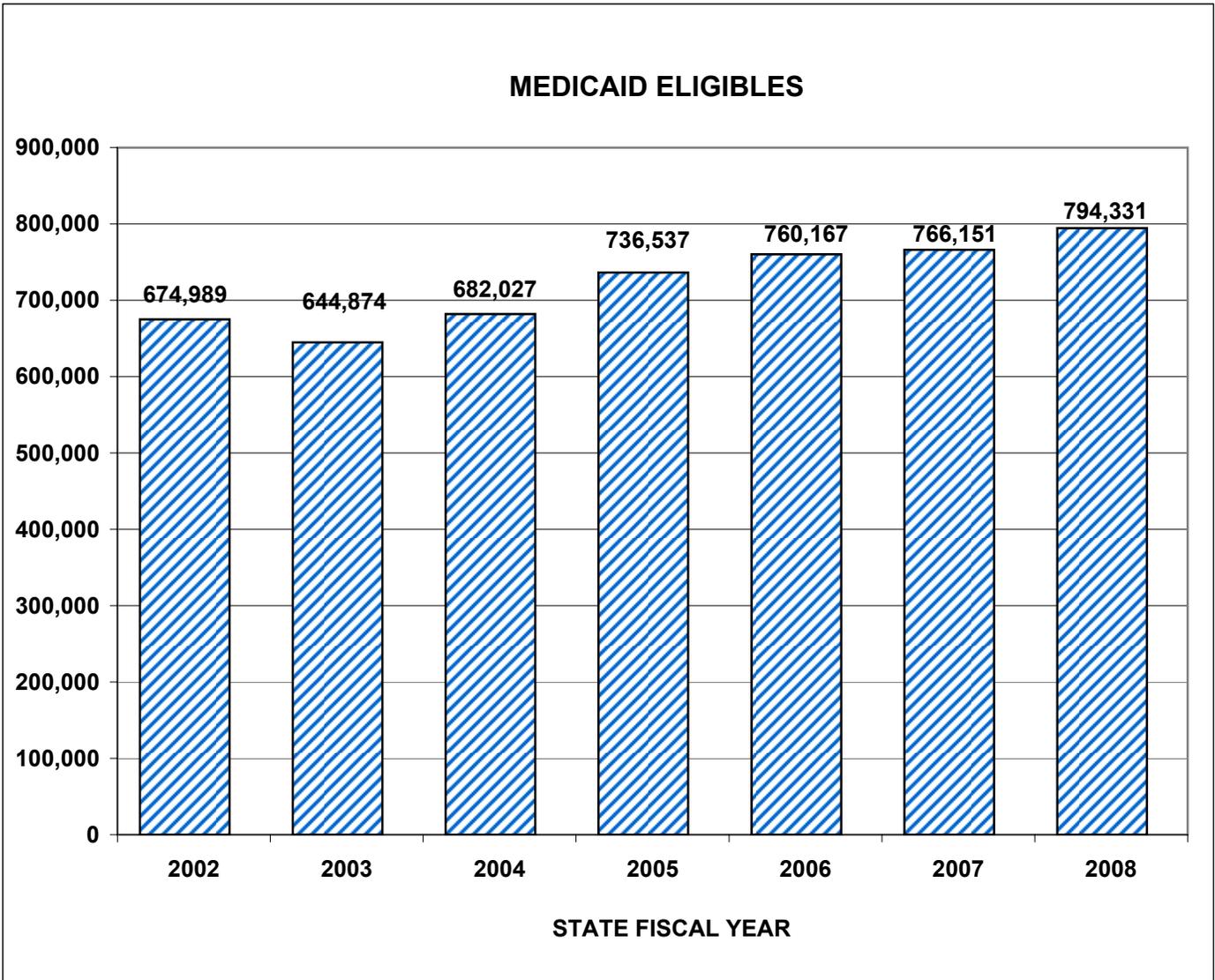
County	U-18					Total				
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total
Arkansas	0	0	0	0	0	3,065	2,296	103	188	5,652
Ashley	0	0	0	0	0	3,808	3,214	400	255	7,677
Baxter	0	0	0	0	0	9,238	24	140	361	9,763
Benton	2	0	0	0	2	27,095	486	12,458	2,257	42,296
Boone	0	0	0	0	0	8,708	26	113	398	9,245
Bradley	0	0	0	0	0	1,618	1,653	474	179	3,924
Calhoun	0	0	0	0	0	771	548	30	40	1,389
Carroll	0	0	0	0	0	5,160	18	1,098	230	6,506
Chicot	0	0	0	0	0	1,093	3,762	193	246	5,294
Clark	0	0	0	0	0	3,165	2,093	326	275	5,859
Clay	0	0	0	0	0	4,257	49	54	220	4,580
Cleburne	0	0	0	0	0	5,541	24	114	257	5,936
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	1,692	569	38	75	2,374
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	2,623	4,945	130	331	8,029
Conway	0	0	0	0	0	4,657	1,062	179	314	6,212
Craighead	0	0	0	0	0	17,979	6,571	1,250	1,381	27,181
Crawford	0	0	0	0	0	12,646	346	1,031	1,572	15,595
Crittenden	0	0	0	0	0	4,444	14,679	229	808	20,160
Cross	0	0	0	0	0	3,342	2,151	34	258	5,785
Dallas	0	0	0	0	0	922	1,671	35	157	2,785
Desha	0	0	0	0	0	1,593	3,313	207	210	5,323
Drew	0	0	0	0	0	2,978	2,538	106	236	5,858
Faulkner	0	1	1	0	2	14,132	4,116	853	1,304	20,405
Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	4,704	46	53	218	5,021
Fulton	0	0	0	0	0	3,451	28	24	143	3,646
Garland	3	1	0	0	4	17,898	3,930	1,538	1,243	24,609
Grant	0	0	0	0	0	3,260	114	61	120	3,555
Greene	0	0	0	0	0	10,775	109	254	493	11,631
Hempstead	0	0	0	0	0	3,026	3,406	1,099	370	7,901
Hot Spring	0	0	0	0	0	6,719	1,343	276	324	8,662
Howard	0	0	0	0	0	2,399	1,433	507	232	4,571
Independence	0	0	0	0	0	8,623	333	706	543	10,205
Izard	0	0	0	0	0	3,554	8	25	122	3,709
Jackson	0	0	0	0	0	4,024	1,433	117	211	5,785
Jefferson	1	0	0	0	1	5,385	18,678	207	1,176	25,446
Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	6,255	177	1,029	353	7,814
Lafayette	0	0	0	0	0	1,004	1,596	33	164	2,797
Lawrence	0	0	0	0	0	5,502	24	30	229	5,785
Lee	0	0	0	0	0	1,030	3,180	48	197	4,455

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County	U-18					Total				
	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Other or Unknown	Total
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	0	2,043	1,388	89	148	3,668
Little River	0	0	0	0	0	2,200	1,133	80	178	3,591
Logan	0	0	0	0	0	6,434	145	107	418	7,104
Lonoke	0	0	0	0	0	10,666	1,679	369	618	13,332
Madison	0	0	0	0	0	3,586	14	267	205	4,072
Marion	0	0	0	0	0	4,056	13	41	204	4,314
Miller	1	0	0	0	1	7,126	5,154	277	693	13,250
Mississippi	0	0	0	1	1	7,556	9,027	609	1,177	18,369
Monroe	0	0	0	0	0	1,265	1,922	27	155	3,369
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	0	2,387	7	119	108	2,621
Nevada	0	0	0	0	0	1,503	1,280	89	141	3,013
Newton	0	0	0	0	0	2,552	2	7	94	2,655
Ouachita	0	0	0	0	0	3,285	5,020	109	360	8,774
Perry	0	0	0	0	0	2,518	53	26	94	2,691
Phillips	0	0	0	0	0	2,183	9,267	60	531	12,041
Pike	0	0	0	0	0	2,870	126	251	120	3,367
Poinsett	0	0	0	0	0	7,911	1,153	193	440	9,697
Polk	0	0	0	0	0	5,494	12	392	363	6,261
Pope	2	0	0	0	2	13,023	803	1,217	946	15,989
Prairie	0	0	0	0	0	1,761	637	23	92	2,513
Pulaski-East	0	0	0	0	0	4,214	8,117	592	942	13,865
Pulaski-Jax	0	0	0	0	0	9,774	6,880	709	1,113	18,476
Pulaski-North	1	0	0	0	1	7,003	14,760	1,101	1,501	24,365
Pulaski-South	1	0	0	0	1	3,144	16,064	933	1,426	21,567
Pulaski-SW	0	0	0	0	0	6,381	17,735	3,289	1,666	29,071
Randolph	1	0	0	0	1	5,562	82	57	207	5,908
Saline	1	0	0	0	1	15,059	1,289	791	633	17,772
Scott	0	0	0	0	0	3,227	27	286	361	3,901
Searcy	0	0	0	0	0	2,758	4	24	114	2,900
Sebastian	1	0	0	0	1	21,264	4,276	5,741	2,519	33,800
Sevier	0	0	0	0	0	2,954	292	2,226	288	5,760
Sharp	0	0	0	0	0	5,282	47	44	203	5,576
St. Francis	0	0	0	0	0	2,839	7,677	115	457	11,088
Stone	0	0	0	0	0	3,470	10	51	140	3,671
Union	0	0	0	0	0	5,370	7,894	474	585	14,323
Van Buren	0	0	0	0	0	4,403	35	80	175	4,693
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	26,082	2,137	13,120	3,744	45,083
White	2	0	0	0	2	15,358	1,245	628	1,118	18,349
Woodruff	0	0	0	0	0	1,691	1,161	23	104	2,979
Yell	0	0	0	0	0	4,775	141	1,772	385	7,073
State Total	16	2	1	1	20	469,165	220,700	62,010	42,456	794,331

Source: Extract from ACES Database

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 SFY 2002 - 2008**



State Fiscal Year	Medicaid Eligibles
2002	674,989
2003	644,874
2004	682,027
2005	736,537
2006	760,167
2007	766,151
2008	794,331

For years prior to 2003, individuals eligible in more than one Medicaid category during the year were counted as an eligible in each category. For SFY 03, the reporting methodology was revised to eliminate duplication in the eligible numbers.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
APPLICATIONS FOR MEDICAID
EXCLUDING LONG-TERM CARE
SFY 2008**

County	Applications	Total Disposals		County	Applications	Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied		Received	Approved	Denied
Arkansas	1,699	1,063	642	Lincoln	1,023	618	418
Ashley	2,278	1,459	831	Little River	1,196	672	515
Baxter	3,396	1,384	1,891	Logan	2,303	1,137	1,182
Benton	11,850	5,783	5,731	Lonoke	4,310	2,026	2,227
Boone	3,493	1,492	2,001	Madison	1,337	670	647
Bradley	1,370	818	535	Marion	1,562	664	927
Calhoun	393	227	163	Miller	4,027	2,162	1,882
Carroll	2,125	1,152	968	Mississippi	5,606	3,034	2,554
Chicot	1,686	864	864	Monroe	912	518	389
Clark	1,590	920	662	Montgomery	761	376	396
Clay	1,468	831	635	Nevada	1,100	633	467
Cleburne	2,213	1,080	1,167	Newton	644	392	248
Cleveland	743	418	338	Ouachita	3,274	1,435	1,802
Columbia	2,624	1,155	1,540	Perry	802	490	300
Conway	1,894	998	875	Phillips	3,153	1,745	1,391
Craighead	7,983	3,995	3,866	Pike	933	440	458
Crawford	5,278	2,505	2,712	Poinsett	3,081	1,626	1,422
Crittenden	4,884	2,686	2,122	Polk	1,869	1,144	757
Cross	1,531	1,005	539	Pope	5,730	2,704	2,960
Dallas	834	501	332	Prairie	772	444	331
Desha	1,405	804	619	Pulaski-East	3,888	1,694	2,202
Drew	2,282	1,068	1,201	Pulaski-Jax	5,626	2,546	2,908
Faulkner	7,269	3,672	3,474	Pulaski-North	5,713	2,936	2,532
Franklin	1,340	731	606	Pulaski-South	4,067	2,339	1,632
Fulton	1,066	622	440	Pulaski-SW	6,253	3,637	2,322
Garland	7,628	3,906	3,839	Randolph	2,226	1,175	1,051
Grant	1,112	707	418	Saline	6,680	3,768	2,924
Greene	4,217	2,555	1,675	Scott	1,204	658	574
Hempstead	2,884	1,384	1,526	Searcy	649	397	256
Hot Spring	3,263	1,688	1,574	Sebastian	11,136	5,307	5,343
Howard	1,457	629	838	Sevier	2,266	945	1,321
Independence	3,888	1,943	1,939	Sharp	1,870	1,035	839
Izard	1,155	588	574	St. Francis	2,850	1,634	1,215
Jackson	2,154	990	1,114	Stone	1,088	662	486
Jefferson	6,630	3,677	2,946	Union	4,452	2,065	2,408
Johnson	2,409	1,555	896	Van Buren	1,453	847	606
Lafayette	762	440	353	Washington	13,377	6,581	6,696
Lawrence	2,172	1,044	1,149	White	7,079	3,308	3,755
Lee	1,147	629	531	Woodruff	850	434	422
				Yell	2,005	1,082	933
				State Total	242,699	124,948	115,824

Note: Disposals may not equal applications received due to carry-over to next month.

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APPLICATIONS FOR LONG-TERM CARE
SFY 2008**

County	Aid to the Aged			Aid to the Blind			Aid to the Disabled			Total		
	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	Denied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	De- nied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	Denied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	Denied
Arkansas	112	64	60	0	0	0	46	28	26	158	92	86
Ashley	142	78	76	0	0	0	44	19	23	186	97	99
Baxter	197	86	101	0	1	0	110	64	40	307	151	141
Benton	476	270	198	0	0	0	184	77	85	660	347	283
Boone	246	117	124	1	0	1	77	29	50	324	146	175
Bradley	103	42	52	0	0	0	59	26	38	162	68	90
Calhoun	15	7	7	0	0	0	6	3	2	21	10	9
Carroll	151	61	76	0	0	0	49	10	31	200	71	107
Chicot	158	51	110	0	0	0	114	48	66	272	99	176
Clark	168	80	85	0	0	0	61	32	30	229	112	115
Clay	141	55	89	0	0	0	49	20	37	190	75	126
Cleburne	192	63	130	0	0	0	67	23	43	259	86	173
Cleveland	64	24	42	0	0	0	21	5	14	85	29	56
Columbia	269	96	170	0	0	0	99	36	67	368	132	237
Conway	141	89	47	0	0	0	92	39	53	233	128	100
Craighead	445	210	227	2	1	0	145	65	72	592	276	299
Crawford	336	119	215	0	0	0	112	52	69	448	171	284
Crittenden	269	112	157	0	0	0	154	63	99	423	175	256
Cross	147	73	64	0	0	0	100	39	59	247	112	123
Dallas	81	40	39	1	0	1	74	48	23	156	88	63
Desha	116	46	65	2	1	1	62	23	38	180	70	104
Drew	175	75	98	0	0	0	70	27	43	245	102	141
Faulkner	299	180	127	0	0	0	129	65	67	428	245	194
Franklin	130	54	65	1	0	1	39	16	21	170	70	87
Fulton	151	69	80	0	0	0	51	23	34	202	92	114
Garland	498	253	245	2	2	0	242	106	134	742	361	379
Grant	83	45	38	0	0	0	29	16	16	112	61	54
Greene	160	67	78	0	0	0	42	25	20	202	92	98
Hempstead	145	67	85	0	0	0	33	18	17	178	85	102
Hot Spring	181	91	89	1	1	0	97	42	40	279	134	129
Howard	93	38	49	2	0	2	37	11	21	132	49	72
Independence	249	90	146	0	0	0	100	39	59	349	129	205
Izard	114	55	52	0	0	0	62	26	30	176	81	82
Jackson	115	65	53	0	0	0	47	22	22	162	87	75
Jefferson	563	196	379	4	1	3	328	108	218	895	305	600
Johnson	130	65	64	0	0	0	49	31	19	179	96	83
Lafayette	55	25	31	0	0	0	28	11	16	83	36	47
Lawrence	209	69	139	2	0	2	57	19	42	268	88	183
Lee	116	46	68	0	0	0	49	11	35	165	57	103

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SFY 2008**

County	Aid to the Aged			Aid to the Blind			Aid to the Disabled			Total		
	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	Denied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	De- nied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	Denied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	Denied
Lincoln	84	56	25	1	0	0	52	25	24	137	81	49
Little River	80	37	45	0	0	0	37	20	17	117	57	62
Logan	160	48	112	1	1	0	64	29	34	225	78	146
Lonoke	245	129	123	0	0	0	99	46	54	344	175	177
Madison	38	19	19	0	0	0	25	10	12	63	29	31
Marion	113	47	56	0	0	0	57	23	33	170	70	89
Miller	210	111	86	0	0	0	101	57	48	311	168	134
Mississippi	243	92	146	0	0	0	113	53	55	356	145	201
Monroe	130	45	84	0	0	0	42	13	30	172	58	114
Montgomery	113	50	68	0	0	0	27	8	19	140	58	87
Nevada	68	33	34	1	1	0	37	15	20	106	49	54
Newton	61	33	26	0	0	0	23	7	17	84	40	43
Ouachita	289	136	178	1	0	1	49	25	33	339	161	212
Perry	93	43	43	0	0	0	38	18	18	131	61	61
Phillips	228	83	136	3	3	1	119	57	70	350	143	207
Pike	102	45	47	0	0	0	13	5	8	115	50	55
Poinsett	229	86	139	0	0	0	123	57	73	352	143	212
Polk	110	49	59	1	0	1	30	14	14	141	63	74
Pope	306	146	159	0	0	0	115	52	47	421	198	206
Prairie	72	35	46	0	0	0	49	20	32	121	55	78
Pulaski-East	227	106	152	0	0	0	94	42	54	321	148	206
Pulaski-Jax	111	59	58	0	0	0	67	18	54	178	77	112
Pulaski-North	408	167	185	2	1	1	171	50	89	581	218	275
Pulaski-South	191	91	120	2	1	0	183	63	134	376	155	254
Pulaski-SW	79	33	49	0	0	0	87	45	46	166	78	95
Randolph	131	48	88	2	1	1	44	15	28	177	64	117
Saline	294	170	121	1	1	0	165	96	71	460	267	192
Scott	75	34	46	0	0	0	31	11	18	106	45	64
Searcy	48	32	18	0	0	0	23	11	11	71	43	29
Sebastian	501	218	272	1	1	0	259	125	125	761	344	397
Sevier	153	43	113	0	0	0	50	15	34	203	58	147
Sharp	157	49	101	0	0	0	54	26	26	211	75	127
St. Francis	135	56	82	1	1	0	85	32	58	221	89	140
Stone	111	61	57	1	0	1	64	21	47	176	82	105
Union	422	146	276	0	0	0	136	48	94	558	194	370
Van Buren	138	71	64	0	0	0	37	16	19	175	87	83
Washington	417	213	195	1	0	0	167	74	88	585	287	283
White	371	182	184	1	0	0	174	69	94	546	251	278
Woodruff	84	54	31	0	0	0	45	23	25	129	77	56
Yell	121	93	30	0	0	0	48	28	19	169	121	49
State Total	14,583	6,582	7,893	38	18	17	6,411	2,747	3,611	21,032	9,347	11,521

Note: Approved and denied may not equal received due to carry-over to next month.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
MEDICALLY NEEDY APPLICATIONS
SFY 2008**

County	Applications	Total Disposals		County	Applications	Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied		Received	Approved	Denied
Arkansas	461	107	360	Lincoln	328	91	242
Ashley	667	263	414	Little River	264	61	201
Baxter	1,305	125	1,131	Logan	669	93	589
Benton	2,319	341	1,887	Lonoke	1,163	185	963
Boone	1,226	117	1,119	Madison	350	75	265
Bradley	448	136	296	Marion	604	75	563
Calhoun	161	50	109	Miller	1,341	260	1,083
Carroll	381	96	288	Mississippi	1,649	268	1,381
Chicot	613	169	467	Monroe	282	58	215
Clark	437	101	335	Montgomery	201	21	181
Clay	390	97	305	Nevada	386	153	234
Cleburne	524	91	445	Newton	199	28	165
Cleveland	245	55	192	Ouachita	1,024	149	891
Columbia	961	119	901	Perry	181	34	141
Conway	550	70	463	Phillips	950	207	740
Craighead	1,850	391	1,392	Pike	277	35	244
Crawford	1,408	191	1,192	Poinsett	694	158	545
Crittenden	1,123	171	933	Polk	460	142	323
Cross	374	88	281	Pope	1,526	242	1,292
Dallas	194	38	165	Prairie	228	58	174
Desha	429	64	392	Pulaski-South	1,173	340	811
Drew	893	111	771	Pulaski-North	1,864	332	1,427
Faulkner	1,865	217	1,537	Pulaski-SW	1,469	318	1,104
Franklin	392	51	344	Pulaski-East	1,294	199	1,146
Fulton	317	72	241	Pulaski-Jax	1,799	319	1,485
Garland	2,563	549	1,998	Randolph	546	86	461
Grant	258	78	185	Saline	1,686	397	1,274
Greene	1,031	215	825	Scott	272	72	214
Hempstead	871	223	684	Searcy	175	37	144
Hot Spring	1,209	284	929	Sebastian	2,997	340	2,578
Howard	381	47	342	Sevier	452	58	389
Independence	1,157	223	923	Sharp	621	126	501
Izard	500	105	407	St. Francis	603	110	491
Jackson	963	209	729	Stone	339	88	272
Jefferson	1,771	373	1,418	Union	1,966	401	1,575
Johnson	566	181	414	Van Buren	405	93	315
Lafayette	268	53	217	Washington	2,323	475	1,681
Lawrence	738	115	625	White	1,934	337	1,620
Lee	380	85	314	Woodruff	447	140	318
				Yell	491	78	422
State Total					67,821	12,810	54,630

Note: Approved and denied may not equal received due to carry-over to next month.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PREGNANT WOMEN APPLICATIONS
SFY 2008**

County	Applications	Total Disposals		County	Applications	Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied		Received	Approved	Denied
Arkansas	700	526	176	Lincoln	378	279	94
Ashley	957	731	229	Little River	571	350	219
Baxter	1,235	713	517	Logan	969	621	344
Benton	7,167	3,777	3,192	Lonoke	2,049	1,103	915
Boone	1,472	831	653	Madison	649	377	268
Bradley	604	433	166	Marion	515	321	194
Calhoun	115	90	25	Miller	1,840	1,231	609
Carroll	1,214	687	524	Mississippi	2,127	1,485	634
Chicot	693	403	306	Monroe	359	264	99
Clark	706	460	234	Montgomery	330	202	139
Clay	647	416	219	Nevada	441	276	165
Cleburne	1,122	602	539	Newton	220	189	32
Cleveland	265	198	76	Ouachita	1,341	662	657
Columbia	1,005	590	427	Perry	387	286	94
Conway	834	550	284	Phillips	1,147	694	448
Craighead	3,570	1,793	1,708	Pike	433	242	167
Crawford	2,544	1,386	1,144	Poinsett	1,283	733	508
Crittenden	2,207	1,318	889	Polk	857	578	290
Cross	650	512	149	Pope	2,835	1,456	1,313
Dallas	316	228	75	Prairie	299	203	94
Desha	539	391	143	Pulaski-South	1,822	1,199	547
Drew	917	604	314	Pulaski-North	2,365	1,505	763
Faulkner	3,618	2,148	1,461	Pulaski-SW	3,355	2,190	945
Franklin	561	391	167	Pulaski-East	1,755	875	798
Fulton	394	289	103	Pulaski-Jax	2,563	1,307	1,097
Garland	3,429	2,133	1,429	Randolph	999	649	351
Grant	546	386	156	Saline	3,319	2,164	1,189
Greene	1,896	1,310	587	Scott	559	329	246
Hempstead	1,299	670	609	Searcy	261	189	71
Hot Spring	1,326	860	463	Sebastian	4,972	2,907	1,837
Howard	692	311	378	Sevier	1,350	606	744
Independence	1,760	1,035	727	Sharp	699	500	199
Izard	351	255	93	St. Francis	1,271	762	499
Jackson	689	436	243	Stone	449	345	140
Jefferson	3,118	1,929	1,163	Union	1,603	959	651
Johnson	1,225	858	382	Van Buren	598	402	194
Lafayette	260	203	75	Washington	8,598	4,327	4,367
Lawrence	766	477	301	White	3,449	1,754	1,671
Lee	374	280	93	Woodruff	224	166	58
				Yell	1,140	689	458
				State Total	112,164	66,586	44,527

Note: Approved and denied may not equal received due to carry-over to next month.

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ARKids FIRST APPLICATIONS
SFY 2008

County	Applications	Total Disposals		County	Applications	Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied		Received	Approved	Denied
Arkansas	225	158	65	Lincoln	150	122	29
Ashley	285	234	49	Little River	142	112	28
Baxter	387	295	78	Logan	262	178	85
Benton	1,911	1,441	428	Lonoke	571	478	93
Boone	297	243	55	Madison	157	119	38
Bradley	157	130	26	Marion	122	101	18
Calhoun	35	28	7	Miller	429	310	103
Carroll	319	260	56	Mississippi	528	460	67
Chicot	142	117	21	Monroe	96	76	21
Clark	182	137	43	Montgomery	104	78	28
Clay	173	131	38	Nevada	114	96	17
Cleburne	259	186	73	Newton	95	85	11
Cleveland	78	70	9	Ouachita	247	196	49
Columbia	164	138	27	Perry	112	97	10
Conway	193	159	34	Phillips	250	194	60
Craighead	924	738	176	Pike	140	99	37
Crawford	474	344	118	Poinsett	322	251	73
Crittenden	458	400	66	Polk	154	125	26
Cross	308	239	70	Pope	617	524	91
Dallas	97	82	17	Prairie	80	63	17
Desha	160	128	31	Pulaski-South	401	305	71
Drew	187	148	39	Pulaski-North	543	426	96
Faulkner	641	525	114	Pulaski-SW	735	563	144
Franklin	148	126	23	Pulaski-East	318	255	56
Fulton	114	95	19	Pulaski-Jax	605	477	119
Garland	780	634	150	Randolph	271	225	45
Grant	172	132	42	Saline	884	727	153
Greene	505	395	117	Scott	142	103	38
Hempstead	214	174	39	Searcy	140	120	21
Hot Spring	359	282	78	Sebastian	816	631	170
Howard	109	84	31	Sevier	268	226	38
Independence	333	268	66	Sharp	222	186	37
Izard	147	112	33	St. Francis	281	226	57
Jackson	155	135	22	Stone	133	109	25
Jefferson	768	632	146	Union	372	275	98
Johnson	245	178	69	Van Buren	192	135	56
Lafayette	67	59	10	Washington	1,792	1,363	421
Lawrence	159	119	37	White	570	453	111
Lee	111	85	24	Woodruff	63	48	12
				Yell	257	216	40
				State Total	26,139	20,674	5,255

Note: Disposals may not equal applications received due to carry-over to next month.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 ARKIDS FIRST
 REASONS FOR DENIAL
 SFY 2008**

Descriptions	Total
Age requirement	5
Already active	302
Application registered in error	1,217
Approved in another category	3
ARKids - eligible for B but declined	19
ARKids denied - private insurance	393
Duplicate application	149
Earnings exceed federal poverty level	169
Eligible for Social Security Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	3
Excess resources	1
Failed citizenship requirement	7
Failed to meet participation	5
Failed to provide information	284
Failed to verify child in home	1
Inadequate information	23
Income exceeds 185% of standard	54
Income exceeds standard	1,985
Medical necessity not established	2
Missed application interview	11
No eligible child in home	28
No income verification	22
No medical information furnished	2
No relationship verification	2
Not categorically eligible	22
Not verified citizenship	37
Other	497
Pregnant Woman Eligibility (PWE) did not meet quarters work required	1
Registered in wrong category	7
Relationship not met	3
Residency not met	3
Transfer to another county	6
Unable to locate	2
Unable to locate by mail	3
Withdrawal / child support related	1
Withdrawal of application - other	17
Withdrawal with no reason	2
Withdrew application for employment	3
Work quarters cannot be established	1
TOTAL	5,292

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 ARKIDS FIRST
 REASONS FOR CLOSURE
 SFY 2008**

Descriptions	Total
Child has health insurance	398
Child reached age limit (age 18 for TEA; age 1 for newborns)	1,457
Closure due to earnings, client's request	6
Contributions from outside home	1
Countable resources	0
Death	51
Earned income deductions	0
Earnings exceed 185%, client reported	95
Earnings exceed 185%, Employment Security Department (ESD) reported	9
Earnings exceed 185%, other	27
Earnings exceed standard, client reported	1,633
Earnings exceed standard, ESD reported	81
Earnings exceed standard, other	359
Eligible in another category	6,613
Failed to cooperate with Child Support Enforcement Unit (CSEU)	3
Failed to keep appointment	3
Failed to provide information	7,469
Institutionalized	1
No eligible child in home or eligible child left home	1,043
No longer state resident	357
Other non-need related (no system notice generated)	703
Other, needs related (no system notice generated)	165
Refused other procedural requirement (no notice sent)	2
Requested closure or drop, no reason given	452
SSI benefits	3
System generated - SSI benefits	165
Unable to locate	84
TOTAL	21,180

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION
PROGRAM SUMMARY
SFY 2008**

Programs	Actual Number of Recipient Agencies	Average* Monthly Number of Participants	Pounds of Food	Dollar Value
Child Care	11	2,413	133,310	\$131,588
National School Lunch	305	322,291	14,183,621	\$12,189,502
Summer Food Services	15	2,245	16,745	\$9,107
TEFAP (Needy Family)	13	39,411	2,858,270	\$1,188,528
Food Banks**	6	64,839	2,116,258	\$1,072,942
Disaster	0	0	0	\$0
TOTAL	350	431,199	19,308,204	\$14,591,667

* Averages were obtained by dividing the total participants that an agency served by the number of months that the agency participated in the program.

** Food Bank totals for SFY 2008 include foods distributed by the Food Banks to soup kitchens, food pantries and charitable institutions.

BREAKDOWN BY U.S.D.A FOOD GROUPS

USDA Food Groups	By Weight*	Percent By Weight	By Value	Percent By Value
Meats/Alternatives	2,054,869	10.64%	\$3,244,905	22.24%
Poultry/Eggs	2,132,566	11.04%	\$2,809,300	19.25%
Fruits	4,282,614	22.18%	\$2,243,973	15.38%
Vegetables	5,196,875	26.92%	\$1,834,215	12.57%
Misc.	4,427,288	22.93%	\$4,077,593	27.94%
Processed	1,213,992	6.29%	\$381,681	2.62%
TOTAL	19,308,204	100.00%	\$14,591,667	100.00%

* By pounds

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
THE COMMUNITY SERVICES BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM
SFY 2008**

The purpose of the Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Program is to provide a range of services and activities having a measurable and potentially major impact on the causes of poverty in the state through the 16 Community Action Agencies (CAAs) across the state of Arkansas.

Total of Direct FFY 2008 Service Projects by Category
(October 1, 2007 - September 30, 2008)

Service Project	FFY 2008 CSBG Funds Allocated	Estimated Number of Persons Assisted*
Employment	\$618,923	2,475
Education	636,607	26,613
Emergency Services	1,910,802	126,879
Housing	972,593	4,332
Income Maintenance	265,253	4,951
Welfare	335,987	9,283
Linkages	1,591,516	42,091
Nutrition	1,979,573	71,176
Health	530,505	21,662
Total	\$8,841,759	309,462

* The number of persons served is duplicated within individual programs and across all programs.

Unduplicated Demographics

Male	67,709
Female	122,131
Total	189,840
White Non-Hispanic	108,592
Black Non-Hispanic	75,343
Hispanic	2,518
Native American	809
Asian	890
Other	1,688
Total	189,840

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
FFY 2008 (October 1, 2007 - September 30, 2008)
Data Regarding Households Assisted is Projected**

The Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) helps low-income households with home energy costs by providing financial assistance through the Winter Assistance Program and Crisis Intervention Program. Each program provides assistance through payment to a household's energy supplier.

Winter Assistance Program		
Households Served		58,798
Average Benefit		\$94
Crisis Intervention Program		
Households Served		22,766
Average Benefit		\$75
Summer Regular Assistance		
Households Served		13,247
Average Benefit		\$81
Crisis Cooling Program		
Households Served		15,300
Average Benefit		\$131
Funding		
Federal LIHEAP Allotment		\$14,039,818
Carry Forward Funds		0
Major Expenditures And Transfers		
Winter Expenditures And Transfers		\$5,322,993
Crisis Intervention Program		4,774,930
Transferred To Weatherization		1,919,383
Assurance 16 And Administration		1,230,262

LIHEAP ASSISTED HOUSEHOLDS

Male	67,211
Female	42,900
Total	110,111
White	56,922
Black	49,074
Spanish American/Hispanic	2,751
Oriental, Asian Or Pacific Island	522
American Indian/Alaskan Native	475
Indochinese	306
Other/Unknown	61
Total	110,111

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
FOR LOW-INCOME PERSONS**

**An estimated number of houses to be weatherized and
people to be assisted for the time period of:
(April 1, 2007 - March 31, 2008) are as follows:**

<u>DOE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>SEX</u>		<u>RACE</u>		
		<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Black</u>	<u>Native Amer.</u>
Owner	390	166	224	226	164	0
Renter (Single)	51	19	32	36	13	2
Renter (Multi)	1	1	0	1	0	0
Mobile Home	168	63	105	106	62	0
Total	610	249	361	369	239	2
Elderly*	295	118	177	110	183	2
Disabled*	372	149	223	148	224	0
Native Americans	21	17	4	12	8	1
Child - Occupied	184	65	119	75	109	0
Shelter	0	0	0	0	0	0

* The client count in eligibility categories such as for the Elderly and Disabled may represent a duplicate count of clients.

<u>LIHEAP</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>SEX</u>		<u>RACE</u>		
		<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Black</u>	<u>Native Amer.</u>
Owner	387	161	226	213	173	1
Renter (Single)	45	16	29	29	15	1
Renter (Multi)	1	0	1	0	1	0
Mobile Home	182	74	108	129	52	1
Total	615	251	364	371	241	3
Elderly*	278	112	166	165	113	0
Disabled*	336	133	203	228	107	1
Native Americans	11	5	6	5	4	2
Child - Occupied	155	61	94	103	52	0
Shelter	0	0	0	0	0	0

* The client count in eligibility categories such as for the Elderly and Disabled may represent a duplicate count of clients.

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The Department of Human Services is the grantee for two Shelter Plus Care grants that are managed through the Division of County Operations, Office of Community Services. The grants are for one or five-year periods and each grantee has a different grant cycle.

The program funded under DHS is Tenant-Based Rental Assistance (TRA). Under the TRA, an applicant may request funds to provide rental assistance on behalf of program participants who choose their own housing units. The Department has two project sponsors: Little Rock Community Mental Health Center, Inc. and Arkansas Supported Housing Network Inc.

TENANT-BASED RENTAL ASSISTANCE*

Three hundred two (302) people were provided rental assistance.

■ Racial breakdown:		
White	99	
Black	199	
Hispanic	4	
Asian/Pacific Islander	0	
Native American	0	
Total	302	
■ Persons diagnosed with mental illness		278
■ Persons diagnosed with dual diagnosis (mental illness and substance abuse)		92
■ Persons with AIDS or related disease		66
■ Persons diagnosed with substance abuse		126
■ Family members residing with Clients		164
■ Persons who are victims of domestic violence		42

* The count of client in the eligibility categories such as mental illness and physical disability for examples can represent a duplicate count of clients.

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EMERGENCY SHELTER GRANTS PROGRAM
SFY 2008**

In SFY 2008, the Emergency Shelter Grants Program provided **\$1,192,330** in federal funds to 71 shelters. The breakdown of statistical information and characterization of these facilities is as follows:

Type of Facility	Number of Facility	Number Served	Gender		Race			
			Male	Female	Black	White	Hispanic	Other
General Shelter	18	6,868	4,733	2,135	2,392	3,935	222	319
Battered Women's Shelter	25	3,119	760	2,359	847	1,902	273	97
Youth Facilities	6	805	407	398	207	541	40	17
Drug and Alcohol Rehab.	9	1,094	651	443	262	760	28	44
Transitional	6	1,365	866	499	256	952	63	94
Mentally Ill	2	69	20	49	35	32	0	2
Day Shelter	3	2,180	1,633	547	623	1,251	81	225
Prison Release	1	22	0	22	5	8	4	5
Day Care	1	67	30	37	3	27	37	0
Total	71	15,589	9,100	6,489	4,630	9,408	748	803

**DIVISION OF
DEVELOPMENTAL
DISABILITIES
SERVICES**

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DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
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Background, Services and Mission

In 1955, the Arkansas General Assembly created the Arkansas Children's Colony with the passage of Act 6. This act has been revised and extended by numerous statutes, the latest being Act 1165 of 1975. Act 265 of 1969 created the Arkansas Department of Mental Retardation. It also expanded the authority of the Children's Colony Board to include certain responsibilities for the individuals who, because of other disabilities, show characteristics of mental retardation.

In 1971, the Governor designated Mental Retardation/Developmental Disabilities Services to administer the provisions of the Developmental Disabilities Services (DDS) and the Facilities Construction Act, or Public Law 91-517, (as amended). This legislation expanded the responsibility of the agency to serve individuals with cerebral palsy, epilepsy, and autism.

In 1971, Act 38 transferred the Arkansas Department of Mental Retardation and its functions, powers, and duties to the Department of Social and Rehabilitative Services, which is now the Department of Human Services.

In 1981, Act 513 was passed and changed the name and official title of the agency and Board to the Division and the Board of Developmental Disabilities Services. Under this Act, the Arkansas Children's Colonies became the Human Development Centers (HDCs). There are six HDCs across the state; the first opened in 1959 at Conway, and the last opened in 1978 in Warren. The HDCs are located in Conway, Alexander, Arkadelphia, Jonesboro, Booneville, and Warren. These programs provide services to 1,096 individuals (as of 07/30/08) with developmental disabilities who are in need of 24-hour residential, medical, and habilitative services.

Act 348 of 1985 authorized the reorganization of the Department of Human Services, and under this change DDS became one of 13 divisions/offices comprising an integrated services system. This Act designated control and administration of the HDCs under the management and direction of the DDS Board with daily operation authority extended to the DDS Director, in coordination with the Director of DHS.

DDS also provides an extensive range of services to individuals in community settings. These services are provided through private, not-for-profit programs whose service areas include all 75 counties of the state. There are 92 DDS Licensed Providers and 78 Early Intervention Voucher Providers. Additionally, DDS offers wrap-around services, which include Medicaid Waiver, individual/family supports and adaptive equipment.

To accomplish its mission, DDS, the DDS Board, and its providers are committed to the principle and practices of normalization; least restrictive alternatives; affirmation of individuals' constitutional rights; provision of quality services; the interdisciplinary service delivery model; and the positive management of challenging behaviors.

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DDS, the DDS Board, and its providers are dedicated to the pursuit of the following goals:

Advocating for adequate funding, staffing, and services to address the needs of persons with developmental disabilities.

Encouraging an interdisciplinary service system to be utilized in the delivery of appropriate individualized and quality services.

Protecting the constitutional rights of individuals with disabilities and their rights to personal dignity, respect and freedom from harm.

Assuring that individuals with developmental disabilities who receive services from DDS are provided uninterrupted essential services until such time a person no longer needs to depend on these services.

Encouraging family, parent/guardian, individual, and public/community involvement in program development, delivery, and evaluation.

Engaging in statewide planning that ensures optimal and innovative growth of the Arkansas service system to meet the needs of persons with developmental disabilities and to assist such persons to achieve independence, productivity, and integration into the community.

Below are brief descriptions of our service areas:

Children's Services

This is the entry point for children ages birth to 21 and their families seeking services from DDS. Service specialists are located in county offices across the state. They conduct intake interviews, perform eligibility determinations, and make referrals for services based on individual needs. They also complete intake and referral for Home and Community Based Waiver.

Early Intervention/First Connections and Early Childhood Services:

The Children's Services Section provides developmental disability services to children birth to five years of age. By networking with local community providers, DDS ensures that services comply with Parts B and C of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

Title V Children with Special Health Care Needs (formerly known as Children's Medical Services):

Title V provides specialized medical care and rehabilitation for chronically ill and physically disabled children whose families are partially or wholly unable to provide for such services and who meet the program's criteria. Title V staff determine financial and medical eligibility. A chronically ill/disabled child is defined as a child under 18 years of age (under age 21 if funding allows) who has a disabling physical impairment (either congenital or acquired) or who has other conditions known to produce such physical impairments. Services are provided in a community setting by nurses, social workers, service specialists, and support staff.

Title V provides medical and surgical treatment, therapies, appliances, medications, and care coordination. All medical specialty services for children must be prior approved by Title V service teams.

Any person or organization may refer a child to Title V for diagnosis and recommendations for treatment. Steps are then taken to secure an application for assistance through the DHS county office, designated hospitals or DDS Children's Services community based staff. A case record is then opened and a plan of care for treatment is made and coordinated by the Title V staff.

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Waiver Services

This section administers the Alternative Community Services(ACS) program under the 1915(c) Medicaid Waiver, analyzes and develops policy, researches and develops remediations, and oversees a Waiver quality management system as required by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. Administration of this program includes individual program plan approval, oversight, case review, and prior service authorization. People of any age may make application for services under this program. Service specialists who assist individuals, families, and providers are located in various county offices across the state.

Quality Assurance

This section administers the licensure and certification unit which licenses all DDS community provider sites and certifies Arkansas Early Intervention and Waiver providers and certified case managers who serve individuals with developmental disabilities.

The Quality Assurance section also administers the Quality Assurance Unit (QA) who have the responsibility for quality assurance/quality improvement oversight activities. The QA Unit currently conducts monitoring activities for all Early Intervention and Early Childhood certified and licensed providers as well as conducting interviews utilizing the National Core Indicators(NCI) survey tool with ACS Waiver recipients and their families to determine satisfaction with their services. The DDS Adult Intake and Referral unit is also under Quality Assurance and this unit is responsible for intake and referral for all adults seeking DDS services. Quality Assurance also directs the DDS Medicaid Income Eligibility Unit. Additional quality assurance activities include psychological services, Foster Grandparent program, Together We Can, and technical assistance for provider organizations.

Fiscal Management

This section administers contracts, personnel, finance, and various aspects of provider and staff development.

Residential Services

Six state-operated residential facilities, known as Human Development Centers, are located across the state.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

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CHILDREN'S SERVICES
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Field Services (ages birth to 21):

<u>Regions</u>	<u>Counties Covered</u>
Northwest	Benton, Boone, Carroll, Crawford, Franklin, Johnson, Logan, Madison, Montgomery, Newton, Polk, Scott, Sebastian, Washington, and Yell
North Central	Baxter, Cleburne, Conway, Faulkner, Fulton, Independence, Izard, Marion, Pope, Searcy, Sharp, Stone, Van Buren, and White
Northeast	Clay, Craighead, Crittenden, Cross, Greene, Jackson, Lawrence, Lee, Mississippi, Monroe, Phillips, Poinsett, Prairie, Randolph, St. Francis, and Woodruff
Central	Grant, Lonoke, Perry, Pulaski, and Saline
Southwest	Clark, Columbia, Dallas, Garland, Hempstead, Hot Spring, Howard, Lafayette, Little River, Miller, Nevada, Ouachita, Pike, and Sevier
Southeast	Arkansas, Ashley, Bradley, Calhoun, Chicot, Cleveland, Desha, Drew, Lincoln, Jefferson, and Union

Training:

- **Four hundred and forty three (443) hours of training** was provided to professional/paraprofessional staff and providers in DDS licensed community and voucher programs.

Services to School Aged Children:

- **Special Education in the Human Development Centers was provided** to 46 individuals by seven (7) **Special Education Teacher units** authorized by the Department of Education.

Services to Children (Ages: Three to Five):

- Therapeutic Services were provided statewide to **2,686** children age three (3) to enter Kindergarten through DDS licensed community programs.
- On-going service coordination was provided statewide to **2,686** children ages three (3) to enter Kindergarten by the DDS Licensed DDTCS Providers.

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Services to Infants and Toddlers (Ages: Birth to Three):

- The Part C First Connections Program provided Early Intervention Services to **2,838** children.
- **First Connections Early Intervention Services Settings are:**

Settings Children Served in:	Number of Children*
Home	610
Community Based Setting	690
Other Setting	1,538

- **Infants and Toddlers Receiving Early Intervention Services:**

By Race		By Age	
American Indian or Alaska Native	4	Birth to One Year	294
Asian or Pacific Islander	34	One to Two Years	941
Black or African American	838	Two to Three Years	1,603
Hispanic or Latino	138		
White	1,824		
Total	2,838	Total	2,838

TITLE V CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL HEALTH CARE NEEDS (CSHCN) PROGRAM

The Title V Program provided the following services to individuals in Arkansas.

Sixteen thousand fifty-nine (**16,059**) individuals from birth to age 18 (up to age 21 years, as funding was available) received services ranging from service coordination, sharing of information via a quarterly newsletter, and paying for services.

One thousand four hundred sixty-three (**1,463**) individuals applied for assistance from the Title V CSHCN. Two hundred thirty-three (233) applications were received for the Title V Family Support and Respite program which runs from October 1 through September 30. One hundred fifty-eight (158) slots were awarded.

The Title V CSHCN program served **774** individuals at an average cost of \$2,476. This number includes individuals for whom Title V CSHCN was the sole payer of services, those with private insurance coverage, and those with Medicaid for whom a service was prescribed which Medicaid does not cover.

Through the Title V CSHCN program **2,180** individuals received case management/service coordination support.

*Number of Children decreased from SFY 2007 due to change in caseload assignment of Title V workers.

DDS COMMUNITY SERVICES FOR CHILDREN SECTION

Act 911 Program referrals served **five (5)** individuals, using federal Social Services Block Grant (SSBG) funds.

Children and Adolescent Special Services Program (CASSP) funding provided services to **four (4)** persons with a dual diagnosis of mental retardation and mental illness.

Integrated Services were provided through state funds to **ten (10)** individuals with multi-agency needs.

WAIVER SERVICES

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WAIVER SERVICES
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<u>Regions</u>	<u>Counties Covered</u>
Northwest	Benton, Boone, Carroll, Crawford, Franklin, Johnson, Logan, Madison, Montgomery, Newton, Polk, Scott, Sebastian, Washington, and Yell
North Central	Baxter, Cleburne, Conway, Faulkner, Fulton, Independence, IZard, Marion, Pope, Searcy, Sharp, Stone, Van Buren, and White
Northeast	Clay, Craighead, Crittenden, Cross, Greene, Jackson, Lawrence, Lee, Mississippi, Monroe, Phillips, Poinsett, Prairie, Randolph, St. Francis, and Woodruff
Central	Grant, Lonoke, Perry, Pulaski, and Saline
Southwest	Clark, Columbia, Dallas, Garland, Hempstead, Hot Spring, Howard, Lafayette, Little River, Miller, Nevada, Ouachita, Pike, and Sevier
Southeast	Arkansas, Ashley, Bradley, Calhoun, Chicot, Cleveland, Desha, Drew, Lincoln, Jefferson, and Union

Alternative Community Services Waiver (ACS):

- ACS Waiver services have been approved for **3,827** individuals.
- The total ACS Waiver Expenditures for individuals in SFY 08 was **\$97,104,703.02** (waiver services cost only).
- Services for **196** individuals were opened.
- Services for **145** individuals were closed.

RACE	Number
African American	719
Asian American	28
Caucasian	2,987
Hispanic	26
Native American	11
Other	48
Philippino	2
Polynesian	3
Unknown	3
Total	3,827

GENDER	Number
Female	1,617
Male	2,210
Total	3,827

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WAIVER SERVICES
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Alternative Community Services Waiver (ACS): (Continued)

PRIORITY	Number
102 Choice List*	2,230
Supportive Living Services	761
Nursing Home	13
Intermediate Care Facility for Mentally Retarded	351
Foster Care (DCFS Custody)	114
911 Act	5
Ark. State Hospital	12
Child and Adolescent Service System Program	2
Integrated Supports	159
Unknown	180
Total	3,827

AGE	Number
Age: Birth to 17	840
Age: 18 and Up	2,987
Total	3,827

MR**	CP***	Epilepsy	Autism	Other
2,482	540	167	70	76

The number of persons by disability includes persons with multiple disabilities thus the number exceeds 3,827.

A total of **340** persons were released from the Wait List for processing.

* The Alternative Community Services (ACS) Choice form (#102) that applicants for DDS service sign when they are seeking residential serv

** Mental Retardation

*** Cerebral Palsy

QUALITY ASSURANCE

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QUALITY ASSURANCE
SFY 2008**

LICENSURE UNIT

- Six program evaluators conducted **92** annual licensure review visits, one to each licensed program.
- Prepared **92** post-review reports; approximately 50% involved an on-site follow-up compliance visit.
- Reviewed **20%** of ACS Home and Community Based Waiver files.
- Investigated **55** service concerns, a 40% increase over SFY07. These do not include:
 - A. Incident reports requiring clarification/follow-up not investigated as formal service concerns.
 - B. Multiple complaints investigated on same visit.

Licensed 276 Alternate Community Services Waiver components:

Consultation	28
Crisis Abatement	0
Physical Adaptations/Adaptive Equipment	35
Residential Habilitation/Integrated Supports	65
Supported Employment	36
Crisis Center Services	0
Case Management	65
Community Experiences	15
Non-Medicaid Transportation	24
Supplemental Supports	6
Waiver Coordination	2

Certified 66 Independent Early Intervention Providers

QUALITY ASSURANCE UNIT

- Eight quality assurance staff (managers and quality assurance specialists) conducted monitoring visits for the early intervention and early childhood services provided in the DDS Licensed Community programs.
 - 60** Early Intervention monitoring visits were conducted.
 - 8** Technical Assistance visits were conducted .
 - Reviewed **20%** of Early Intervention case files.
- To determine satisfaction with Home and Community Based Waiver services, 345 surveys were administered.

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SECTION

CONTRACT SUPPORTS UNIT

Administration of Contracts: Authorized and processed initial contracts for:

- **84** Community Programs and **94** Early Intervention Voucher Agreements

Visits, Monitoring, and Technical Assistance

- **2,106** telephone contacts to/from providers
- **2,844** financial screenings, admission/change forms and diplomas were reviewed and entered into the CICS system.

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QUALITY ASSURANCE
SFY 2008**

TOGETHER WE CAN PROGRAM

The Department of Education and the Department of Human Services Together We Can (TWC) program served **57** children/adolescents and their families' multi-agency needs during SFY 2008. Of those, **54** cases were closed and **3** remained open. One county joined Together We Can, bringing the number of local teams participating to **39** Statewide, participants in Together We Can achieved the following goals:

Goal I: To preserve and promote family unity and stability in the family's home/community.

- 80% of families served will not require child placement in a more restrictive setting outside of the community (foster care, in-state and out-of-state facilities, youth service facilities).
Achievement rate - 76%. Families served - 33 Outcomes achieved - 25.
- 75% of families will require less intensive or no treatment needs at closure.
Achievement rate - 61%. Families served - 28. Positive outcomes for 17 children.
- 65% of delinquent offenders will complete the service plan.
Achievement rate - 0%. Children served - 12. Outcomes achieved - 0.
- 90% of delinquent offenders will not commit law violations during participation in the program.
Achievement rate - 21%. Of the fourteen (14) served, fourteen (14) were measured.
- 75% of the families served will not require protective intervention within 6 months of leaving the program.
Achievement rate - 60%. Families served - 10. Positive outcomes - 6.
- 75% of the children will return to the family unit.
Achievement rate - 0%. Children served - 14. Positive outcomes - 0.

Goal II: To increase the functional skills and productivity of families.

- Decrease in truancy rate for youth in the program.
Achievement rate - 19%. Youths served - 16. Positive outcomes -3.
- Decrease in the number of homebound placements (80% of the target population will remain in a regular school setting).
Achievement rate - 43%. Youths served - 23. Positive outcomes - 10.
- Increase rates of parent training and/or employment for the families participating.
Achievement rate - 47%. Families served - 17. Completed parent or employment training - 8.
- 80% of the families served will access two (2) new community resources to help develop self-sufficiency apart from *Together We Can*.
Achievement rate - 64%. Families served - 22. Number measured - 22. Outcome achieved - 14.

Goal III: To promote wellness and optimum functioning through preventive health services.

- 90% of children and adolescents served will receive recommended primary care services at appropriate intervals during case management period by TWC.
Achievement rate - 43%. Served - 21 Outcomes achieved - 9.
- 95% of the children & adolescents served will be in compliance with ARK K-12 Immunization Law.
Achievement rate - 67%. Children served - 24. Positive outcomes - 16.
- 75% of the individuals completing treatment with little or no drug use will remain substance free at the six-month follow up after TWC case closure.
Achievement rate - 8%. Children served - 13. Positive Outcomes - 1.

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QUALITY ASSURANCE
SFY 2008**

FOSTER GRANDPARENT PROGRAM

- Foster Grandparent Volunteers provided **70,492** hours of service to the children of Arkansas in SFY 08.
- Foster Grandparent Services were provided by **74** low-income elderly individuals.

Gender	
Male	5
Female	69
Total	74

Age	
60-69	19
70-79	29
80-84	23
85 plus	3
Total	74

Race	
Black	31
White	40
Hispanic	1
Amer. Indian	2
Total	74

- Foster Grandparent Volunteers provided services to **868** persons.

Age	
Birth-5	464
6-12	262
13-20	50
21 plus	92
Total	868

- Foster Grandparent Volunteers served children in each of the following categories. The number of volunteers for each group of persons is shown:

	Children	Foster Grandparents
Literacy Problems	252	19
Mental Retardation	64	7
Physical Disabilities	8	1
Substance Abuse	2	1
Teen Pregnancy	14	2
Developmental Disabilities	78	7
School Readiness	400	33
Faith Based Programs	10	1
Mentoring	40	3
	<hr/> 868	<hr/> 74

- DDS foster Grandparent staff conducted **102** site visits and provided 58 hours of training to Foster Grandparents in Arkansas.

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COMMUNITY PROGRAM STATISTICS
SFY 2008**

Community Services Programs

The following is a list of services provided by DDS licensed/certified providers during SFY 2008.

Program	Number of Individuals	Number of Units	Paid Amount	Unit Description
Adaptive Equipment	507	733	\$ 292,903.05	Piece of equipment
Adult Development	394	83,383	772,116.84	Hour
Community Integration Companion	0	0	0.00	Hour
Consultation Services	205	1,672	60,698.95	Hour
Crisis Center/Intervention Services	0	0	0.00	Day
Developmental Evaluation	707	1,335	68,448.70	30 minutes
Developmental Therapy	701	38,307	688,624.37	15 minutes
Early Intervention	61	1,366	91,795.20	Two Hours
Evaluation Services	68	70	7,500.00	Evaluation
Family/Individual Support	532	2,335	471,343.40	Year
Integrated Support Individual	51	7,927	696,171.71	Day
Integrated Support Group Rate	2	170	14,320.00	Day
Occupational Therapy-Group	0	0	0.00	15 minutes
Occupational Therapy-Individual	335	17,467	312,602.75	15 minutes
Occupational Therapy-Evaluation	218	457	17,695.46	30 minutes
Personal Care	1	153	472.77	15 minutes
Physical Therapy-Individual	317	17,997	310,693.02	15 minutes
Physical Therapy Assistant-Individual	29	1,096	15,747.00	15 minutes
Physical Therapy-Evaluation	183	387	14,914.31	15 minutes
Preschool	195	34,232	512,299.37	Hour
Speech-Evaluation	385	796	31,066.18	30 minutes
Speech Therapy-Group	0	0	0.00	15 minutes
Speech Therapy-Individual	811	52,509	901,893.51	15 minutes
Speech Therapy Assistant-Individual	3	223	3,233.50	15 minutes
Targeted Case Management	0	0	0.00	15 minutes
Transportation-Individual	16	15,613	4,365.76	Mile
Transportation non profit -DDTCS	17	14,581	21,856.00	Mile
Vocational Maintenance-Supported Employment	60	3,037	10,629.50	15 minutes
Work Activity	957	230,695	1,290,309.92	Hour
Total	N/A	526,541	\$ 6,611,701.27	N/A

Note: Figures are just for DDS Services purchased with Contract Dollars.

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HUMAN DEVELOPMENT STATISTICS
SFY 2008**

- The **six** (6) state-operated Human Development Centers provided a total of **402,858** client days, an increase of 10,522 days, from SFY 2007.
- As of June 30, 2008, services were being provided to **1,096** individuals, a decrease of two (2) from SFY 2007.

Characteristics

Race	Total
White	827
Black	257
Hispanic	3
Other	9
Total	1,096

Gender	Total
Female	390
Male	706
Total	1,096

Adaptive Level of Function	Total	Percent
Profound	679	62%
Severe	228	21%
Moderate	107	10%
Mild	82	7%
Total	1,096	100%

Primary Diagnosis	Total
Mental Retardation	1,069
Cerebral Palsy	12
Epilepsy	0
Autism	15
Total	1,096

*Secondary Conditions	Total
Dual Diagnosis (mental illness/retardation)	765
Seizures	536
Challenging Behaviors	653
Vision Impairment/Blind	362
Cerebral Palsy	321
Non-Ambulatory	265
Fragile Health	224
Hearing Impairment/Deaf	162
Autism	109

Work Status	Total	Percent**
On HDC Grounds	787	72%
In the Community	28	3%
Total	815	74%

* A client can have more than one disability.
** Percent is the total divided by 1,096.

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HDC CONTINUUM OF SERVICES
SFY 2008**

Characteristics (Continued)

Body Alignment	Total
Wheelchairs (Supports)	231
Other (Braces, Ankle Foot Orthosis)	142
Total	473

	Total	Percent **
Augmentative Communication	158	14%
Hearing Aids	28	3%
Modified Diet	854	78%

** Percent is the total divided by 1,096.

Outlined below are the outreach services provided by the six Human Development Centers during the year July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008.

- Provided services to **419** people.
- Performed **218** initial intakes.
- Made **4,709** contacts with individuals and the community.
- Performed **189** psychological evaluations.
- Conducted **304** therapy sessions.
- Conducted **128** counseling sessions.
- Made **79** home visit.
- Conducted **474** parent/guardian conferences.
- Conducted the following consultations:

Telephone	317
School	10
- Attended and/or presented **320** trainings, meetings, workshops, support groups, community, presentations, etc.
- Hosted **18** support group meetings.
- Developed and initiated **37** behavior management plans.

Individuals Served Through Various Departments at HDCs

Seating clinics	5
Respite	59
Dental	83
Tours	35
Behavior Management Training	44
Transportation	22

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OUTREACH ACTIVITIES
SFY 2008**

Miscellaneous Outreach Activities

Participated in Employee Appreciation Day, Special Olympics, holiday parties, family day, hosted DDS Board Meeting, held Volunteer Council Meetings, Resident Council Meetings, and participated in the KTHV Summer Cereal Drive.

Participated in the Pandemic Table-Top Homeland Security exercise, participated with the Booneville Community Hospital Advisory Board on a new psychiatric facility, and participated in the Youth Works Volunteer Program.

Hosted "Into the Future Conference", Co-sponsored Disability Week activities at Arkansas State University, and was the host site for the County-Wide Disaster Drill in Craighead County.

Assisted the Arkansas Department of Human Services and Dr. Kent D. McKelvey, Jr., M.D. (UAMS) in an combined effort to produce a booklet and accompanying DVD titled "**Bridging the Gap: When Down Syndrome and Alzheimer's Meet**". The booklet was developed as part of an Alzheimer's Disease Demonstration Grant awarded to the Division of Aging and Adult Services of the Arkansas Department of Human Services.

Participated in Relay for Life, and the Bradley County Pink Tomato Festival.

Hosted the annual Beyond the Borders and Open Horizons Conferences.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DDS FUNDING
SFY 1999-2008**

**EXPENDITURES FOR OPERATIONS
(State and Federal Funding)**

State Fiscal Year	Total
1999	\$102,144,737
2000	\$109,442,658
2001	\$111,741,932
2002	\$109,904,692
2003	\$109,539,359
2004	\$128,787,424
2005	\$138,695,203
2006	\$136,652,486
2007	\$137,892,137
2008	\$140,352,332

**TOTAL STATE GENERAL
REVENUE EXPENDITURES**

State Fiscal Year	General Revenue
1999	\$37,376,693
2000	\$36,118,068
2001	\$37,126,049
2002	\$36,268,549
2003	\$35,065,765
2004	\$38,266,313
2005	\$38,578,012
2006	\$46,634,942
2007	\$47,605,461
2008	\$48,032,101

**CONTRACTS
(formerly GRANT-IN-AID)
FOR COMMUNITY PROGRAMS
(State Funding Only)**

State Fiscal Year	General Revenue
1999	\$13,905,279 a.
2000	\$14,680,491 b.
2001	\$16,534,351 c.
2002	\$15,695,344 d.
2003	\$16,121,222 e.
2004	\$18,705,564 f.
2005	\$20,253,290 g.
2006	\$25,790,110 h. & i.
2007	\$26,083,292 j.
2008	\$26,508,188 k.

**TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR DDS
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT CENTERS
(State and Federal Funding)**

State Fiscal Year	Total Revenue
1999	\$81,058,565
2000	\$84,395,462
2001	\$89,095,372
2002	\$89,911,431
2003	\$85,427,771
2004	\$98,899,333
2005	\$95,898,097
2006	\$99,648,430
2007	\$98,846,015
2008	\$101,601,688

- a. \$9,283,025 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- b. \$11,310,218 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- c. \$14,367,073 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- d. \$14,168,338 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- e. \$14,145,671 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- f. \$17,226,632 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- g. \$18,658,518 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid match.
- h. \$24,075,024 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid match.
- i. \$5 million is due to a provider rate increase. The other increase is due to XIX expenditures and rate increase \$2,890,343.
- j. \$ 24,248,027 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid match.
- k. **\$ 25,215,907 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid match.**

DIVISION OF

MEDICAL SERVICES

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2008**

The Division of Medical Services houses two major programs under one administration:

• **Medicaid**

Medicaid is a joint federal-state program that provides medical assistance for eligible individuals based on financial need and/or health status. Medicaid furnishes medical assistance to those who have insufficient incomes and resources to meet the costs of necessary medical services. It also provides rehabilitative and other services to help families and individuals become or remain independent and able to care for themselves.

The Department of Human Services (DHS) is the single state agency authorized and responsible for regulating and administering the program. DHS administers the Medicaid Program through the Division of Medical Services (DMS). The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) administers the Medicaid Program for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. CMS authorizes federal funding levels and approves each state's State Plan, ensuring compliance with federal regulations. Individuals are certified as eligible for Medicaid services by DHS Field Staff located in DHS County Offices or by District Social Security Offices.

A list of covered services can be found on page DMS-13 of this publication. Mandatory services are required by the federal government. Optional services are those which the state has elected to provide. Many of these optional services enable recipients to receive care in less costly home or community-based settings. Optional services are approved in advance by CMS and are funded at the same level as mandatory services.

• **Long-Term Care**

Each year, more than 20,000 Arkansans who have chronic, long-term medical needs require services in long-term care facilities. These individuals live in the approximately 229 nursing facilities and 41 intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded that are licensed to provide long-term care services in Arkansas.

Improving the quality of life for residents and protecting their health and safety through enforcing state and federal standards are primary goals of Arkansas Medicaid's Office of Long Term Care(OLTC). Using qualified health care professionals, OLTC inspects all facilities to ensure residents receive the care they need in a clean, safe environment and that they are treated with dignity and respect.

The Office of Long Term Care (OLTC) also surveys Adult Day Care, Adult Day Health Care, Post Acute Head Injury Facility, Residential Care Facilities, and Assisted Living Facilities. In addition to surveying facilities, OLTC administers the Nursing Home Administrator Licensure program, Criminal Background program, Certified Nursing Assistant registry and training program, processes Medical Needs Determinations for Nursing Home and Waivers and operates a Complaints Unit.

These programs are designed to serve Arkansans throughout the state. The following pages highlight the State Fiscal Year 2008 performance of these programs through financial, utilization data, and narrative.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
EXPENDITURES
SFY 2008**

DMS Administration	Expenditures
00 - Regular Salaries	\$12,268,684.37
01 - Extra Help	88,696.80
02 - Maintenance & Operations	3,028,022.87
03 - Fringe Benefits	3,664,506.60
06 - Overtime	0.00
08 - Supplemental Salaries	0.00
09 - Conference Fees and Travel	156,932.56
10 - Professional Fees and Services	269,608.27
11 - Capital Outlay	198,034.82
44 - Purchase Data Processing	108,321.48
48 - Respite Care	0.00
Sub-Total	\$19,782,807.77
DMS Programs	
Private Nursing Home	\$524,405,170.95
Prescription Drugs	335,998,041.98
Hospital/Medical	2,374,924,070.42
ARKids	93,488,324.69
Child and Family Institute	0.00
Infant Infirmary	19,180,002.42
Public Nursing Home	161,828,928.12
Medical Expansion	23,039,352.65
Nursing Home Closure Costs	0.00
LTC Facility Receivership	0.00
Sub-Total	\$3,532,863,891.23
TOTAL	\$3,552,646,699.00

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID EXPENDITURES BY CATEGORY OF SERVICES
 SFY 2008**

<u>Hospital, Inpatient/Outpatient:</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>
Inpatient Hospital	\$564,241,523.93
Outpatient Hospital	147,983,101.13
	\$712,224,625.06

<u>Medical, Other:</u>	
Adults with Physical Disabilities Waiver	\$33,567,796.94
Ambulatory Surgical Center	3,362,147.20
Arkansas Safety Net Benefit Program	3,461,450.53
ARKids Immunizations	1,434,259.62
AR Seniors	5,627,485.59
Assisted Living	3,387,214.60
Audiologist	1,647,917.06
Chiropractor	206,208.55
CMS-Respite Care Waivers (W9&W8)	0.00
DDS - Non-institutionalization Waiver	111,785,275.92
Dental Services	71,176,664.43
Developmental Day Clinic Treatment Services	112,436,716.60
Durable Medical Equipment/Oxygen	38,051,820.50
Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) (Includes EPSDT, DME, Orthotic, Prosthetics)	85,094,424.90
Elderchoices Waiver	43,309,101.93
Eyeglasses	3,321,489.05
Family Planning	6,497,815.23
Family Planning Waiver	11,718,663.79
Fiscal Intermediary	396,868.50
Health Department, Communicable Diseases	585,811.69
Hearing Aids	0.00
Hemodialysis	3,250,574.92
Hyperalimentation	2,276,007.49
Independent Choices Waiver	10,570,214.29
Lab and X-ray Services	28,523,014.51
Maternity Clinics	4,200,401.91
Medicare Crossovers	2,106,536.34
Nurse Anesthetist (CRNA)	1,275,313.43
Nurse Midwife	197,965.08
Nurse Practitioner	432,856.41
Optometrist/Ocularist	10,553,849.55
Other Care Crossovers	21,120,502.51
Other Practitioner Crossovers	1,669,221.48
Pharmacy Administered Vaccine	2,331.76
Private Duty Nursing	7,116,054.70
Rehab Services	2,904,915.67
Therapy (Speech, Occupational, Physical)	38,025,326.34
Tuberculosis	70,593.86
Ventilator	595,816.60
	\$671,960,629.48

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 MEDICAID EXPENDITURES BY CATEGORY OF SERVICES
 SFY 2008**

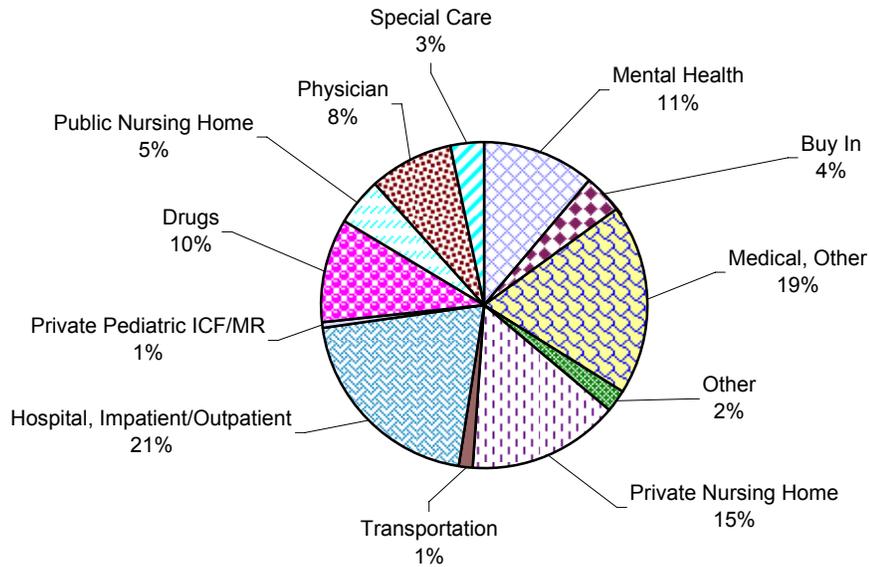
<u>Medicare Buy-In:</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>
Medicare Buy-In	\$134,963,430.50
	\$134,963,430.50
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<u>Mental Health:</u>	
Community Mental Health Centers (Rehabilitative Services for Persons With Mental Illness)	\$257,595,259.62
Inpatient Psychiatric	\$135,068,465.49
Psychologist	\$980,183.42
School-Based Mental Health	\$89,895.12
	\$393,733,803.65
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<u>Other:</u>	
Targeted Case Management (Children - Under 21-EPSDT)	\$1,656.29
Ages 21 to 59	13,815.34
Ages 60 and Older	1,498,681.56
Case Management/CMS	1,052,930.67
Case Management/DCFS	0.00
Case Management/DYS	796,009.04
Miscellaneous	-3,985,255.09
Adjustments	5,626,574.39
ARKids School District Outreach	0.00
Program Administration	63,741,976.95
	\$68,746,389.15
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<u>Physician:</u>	
Physician Services	\$310,184,117.98
Managed Care Fee	14,095,261.30
	\$324,279,379.28
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<u>Special Care:</u>	
Community Health Centers (Federally Qualified Health Center)	\$9,016,252.95
Home Health Services	14,084,951.83
Hospice	4,585,559.02
Nursing Home Hospice	15,727,441.69
Personal Care Services	58,549,923.79
Rural Health Clinics	11,124,561.06
	\$113,088,690.34
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<u>Transportation:</u>	
Ambulance	\$12,110,632.88
Non-profit Transportation	628,499.50
Public Transportation	-50.00
School District Transportation	0.00
Non-Emergency Transportation (NET) Waiver	25,284,642.94
Non-Public Transportation	10,019,205.75
	\$48,042,931.07
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<u>Total Hospital/Medical</u>	\$2,467,039,878.53

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 MEDICAID EXPENDITURES BY CATEGORY OF SERVICES
 SFY 2008**

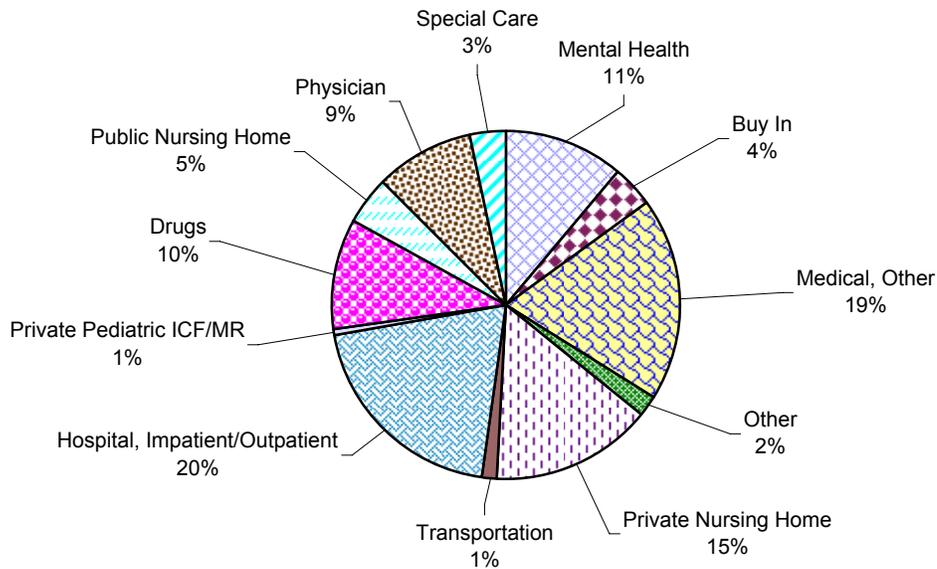
<u>Prescription Drugs:</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>
Prescription Drugs	\$319,436,462.75
Prescription Drugs - State Contribution to Part D Drug Benefit	35,518,316.20
Family Planning Drugs	3,229,342.92
Assisted Living Drugs	25,905.91
Contracts	2,199,883.43
Total Prescription Drugs	\$360,409,911.21
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<u>Private Nursing Home:</u>	
Private Nursing Facilities	\$521,271,179.31
Contracts	3,133,991.64
	\$524,405,170.95
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<u>Private Pediatric ICF/MR</u>	
Intermediate Care Facility (ICF) Infant Infirmaries	\$19,180,002.42
	\$19,180,002.42
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<u>Public Nursing Home</u>	
Public Nursing Homes	\$161,828,928.12
	\$161,828,928.12
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<u>Total Long Term Care</u>	\$705,414,101.49
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TOTAL MEDICAID PROGRAM	\$3,532,863,891.23
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ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT MEDICAID EXPENDITURES BY CATEGORY OF SERVICES SFY 2007 - 2008

Medicaid Expenditures SFY 2007



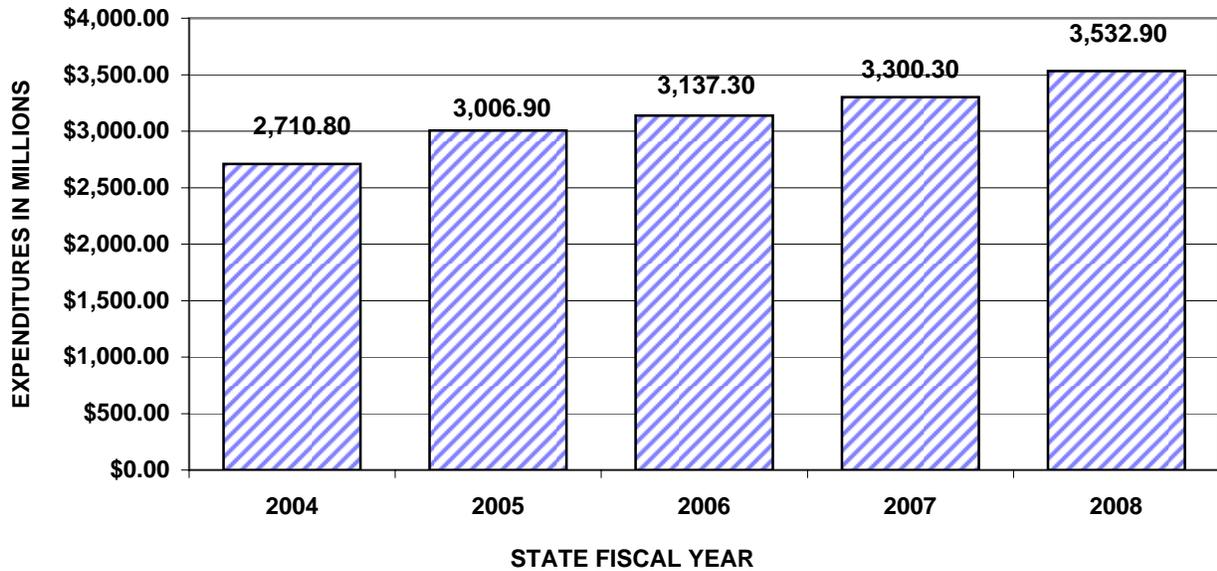
Medicaid Expenditures SFY 2008



Special Care includes Home Health, Private Duty Nursing, Personal Care, and Hospice Services.
 Transportation includes emergency and non-emergency transportation.
 Other includes administrative expenditures, Medicare co-pay and deductibles.
 ICF/MR is an abbreviation for Intermediate Care Facility for Mentally Retarded.

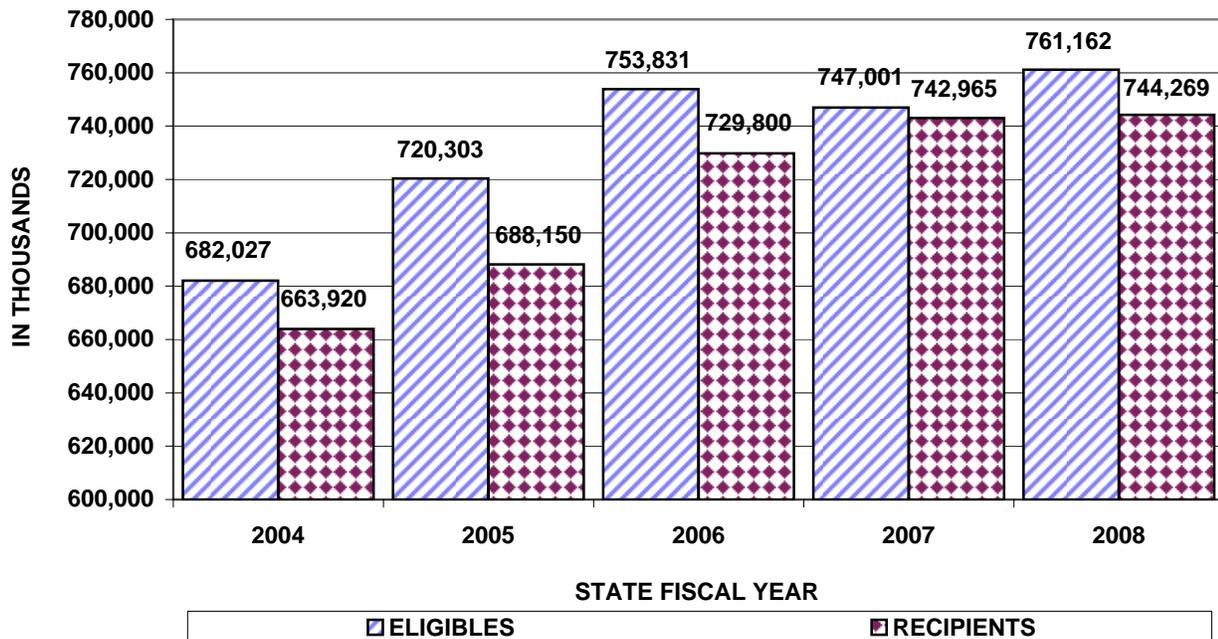
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MEDICAID EXPENDITURES SFY 2004-2008



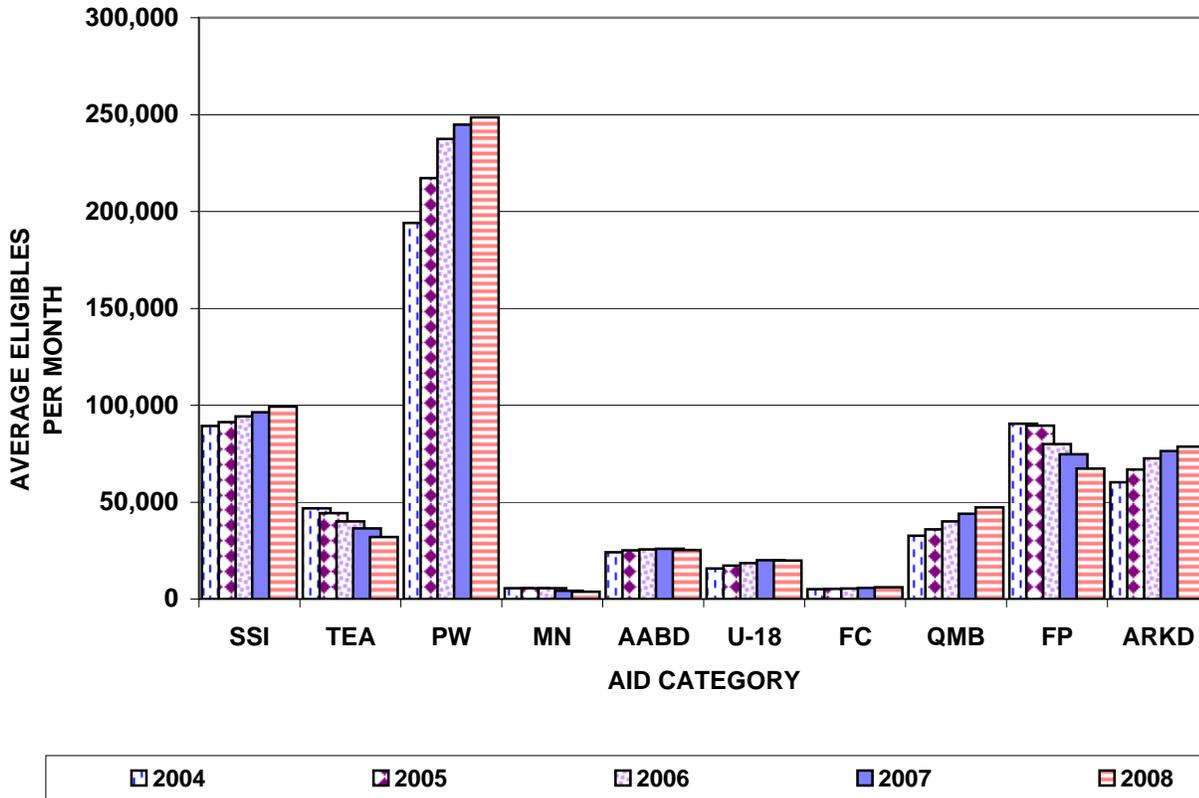
Source: Financial Activities Section

UNDUPLICATED MEDICAID ELIGIBLES AND RECIPIENTS SFY 2004-2008



Source: Medicaid Eligibles-Extract from ACES Database, Recipients-HCFA-2082

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID CASELOAD BY AID CATEGORY
 SFY 2004-2008**



Aid Categories:

SSI	Supplemental Security Income
TEA	Transitional Employment Assistance
PW	Pregnant Women
MN	Medically Needy
AABD	Aid to the Aged, Blind and Disabled
U-18	Under Age 18
FC	Foster Care
QMB	Qualified Medicare Beneficiary
FP	Family Planning
ARKD	ARKids

Notes: 1. "Refugees " is another aid category. However, the numbers are too low to appear on the graph. There was an average of three (3) individuals per month in this category in SFY 2004.

2. The total unduplicated number of eligibles per year is higher than what is presented on the bar graph. The numbers illustrated on the graph are representative of any given month during the year.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
RECIPIENTS OF MEDICAID SERVICES BY AGE
SFY 2008**

Service Type	All Ages	Under 1	1-5	6-14	15-20	21-44	45-64	65-74	75-84	85+
Unduplicated Total Recipients	744,269	25,583	142,522	206,803	115,583	131,188	60,563	22,999	21,051	17,977
Inpatient Hospital	101,307	21,953	10,591	3,081	9,050	27,641	13,495	5,065	5,383	5,048
Inpatient Psych Svcs, 21 and Under	5,731	1	42	2,232	2,833	363	222	14	16	8
Intensive Care Facility Svcs, Mentally Retarded	1,746	2	17	96	166	764	650	50	1	0
Skilled Nursing Facility Services	20,174	0	0	0	7	401	2,535	2,807	5,734	8,690
Physician Services	527,175	22,680	109,900	129,953	72,531	99,164	47,476	16,834	15,659	12,978
Dental Services	171,385	45	37,335	98,179	35,439	322	52	8	4	1
Other Practitioners Services	139,217	63	7,146	53,055	24,812	14,100	18,919	7,940	7,393	5,789
Outpatient Hospital Services	300,372	12,454	67,431	64,884	41,111	51,711	34,492	11,118	9,862	7,309
Clinic Services	304,027	21,382	91,759	89,256	42,285	32,858	17,191	4,030	3,052	2,214
Home Health Services	7,089	702	615	176	258	1,164	2,269	601	671	633
Lab & X-ray Services	213,317	6,010	29,954	33,218	33,315	49,655	32,495	10,518	9,898	8,254
Prescribed Drugs	431,332	17,112	104,507	132,060	65,653	66,706	30,128	5,770	4,789	4,607
Other Care	92,400	1,993	11,475	7,071	3,612	12,420	20,326	12,748	12,565	10,190
Managed Care Fees	491,141	17,121	127,452	181,752	87,919	49,850	24,099	2,219	442	287
Transportation	590,406	24,026	131,331	169,344	86,859	93,940	47,450	16,136	12,750	8,570
Rehabilitation Services	14,137	0	7	96	134	1,339	2,978	2,646	3,618	3,319
Therapy Services	14,463	86	1,077	1,499	3,111	74	283	2,130	3,222	2,981
Nurse Midwife	61	0	0	17	23	14	7	0	0	0
Nurse Practitioner Services	20,405	187	8,534	9,044	1,357	258	429	231	199	166
Private Duty Nursing	1,236	1	6	5	5	92	434	102	209	382
Christian Science Services	1,245	93	5	7	316	820	4	0	0	0
Home & Community Based Waiver	4,890	37	552	752	668	1,709	496	153	226	297

Source: HCFA-2082

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
RECIPIENTS OF MEDICAID SERVICES BY RACE
SFY 2008**

Service Type	All Race	White, not of Hispanic Origin	Black, not of Hispanic Origin	American Indian or Alaskan Native	Asian or Pacific Islander	Hispanic	Unknown
Unduplicated Total Recipients	744,269	388,921	190,108	1,915	3,277	43,614	116,434
Inpatient Hospital	101,307	41,640	19,039	183	222	2,789	37,434
Inpatient Psych Svcs, 21 and Under	5,731	3,457	1,301	21	6	81	865
Intensive Care Facility Svcs, Mentally Retarded	1,746	1,246	354	3	3	7	133
Skilled Nursing Facility Services	20,174	13,815	3,055	14	20	39	3,231
Physician Services	527,175	284,255	127,696	1,189		27,977	84,361
Dental Services	171,385	94,950	47,815	379	753	13,754	13,734
Other Practitioners Services	139,217	82,809	36,470	351	475	5,328	13,784
Outpatient Hospital Services	300,372	157,939	76,250	701	726	14,229	50,527
Clinic Services	304,027	152,530	73,575	667	849	18,548	57,858
Home Health Services	7,089	3,211	1,846	18	16	72	1,926
Lab & X-ray Services	213,317	122,090	49,629	560	610	8,286	32,142
Prescribed Drugs	431,332	231,735	103,468	994	1,242	24,182	69,711
Other Care	92,400	53,877	22,078	202	290	1,437	14,516
Managed Care Fees	491,141	256,646	130,180	1,267	2,116	34,566	66,366
Transportation	590,406	291,970	156,101	1,614	2,732	37,417	100,572
Rehabilitation Services	14,137	8,585	3,714	25	34	45	1,734
Therapy Services	14,463	7,949	3,717	22	22	196	2,557
Nurse Midwife	61	18	10	0	0	1	32
Nurse Practitioner Services	20,405	10,936	4,134	54	71	708	4,502
Private Duty Nursing	1,236	741	174	3	3	4	311
Christian Science Services	1,245	278	248	1	7	267	444
Home & Community Based Waiver	4,890	2,475	1,166	11	6	320	912

Source: HCFA-2082

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID PAYMENTS TO MEDICAL VENDORS
 MEDICAID AND ARKIDS B PAYMENTS BY RECIPIENT COUNTY
 SFY 2008**

County	Hospital/ Medical	Prescription Drugs	Long Term Care			TOTAL
			Private NH	Public NH	ICF/MR	
Arkansas	\$13,677,892.35	\$2,246,460.37	\$5,896,794.27	\$140,782.39	\$989.88	\$21,962,919.26
Ashley	24,445,544.98	3,121,853.43	1,473,765.61	9,243.33	0.00	\$29,050,407.35
Baxter	21,239,261.84	3,723,140.72	8,091,365.26	5,688.52	0.00	\$33,059,456.34
Benton	64,738,855.18	11,197,723.87	16,950,506.23	110,579.04	123,428.49	\$93,121,092.81
Boone	23,641,135.66	3,445,619.85	6,261,193.25	24,067.50	0.00	\$33,372,016.26
Bradley	10,967,953.73	1,673,995.13	3,047,730.50	7,095,281.22	0.00	\$22,784,960.58
Calhoun	3,489,538.28	508,276.00	93,764.85	3,486.50	0.00	\$4,095,065.63
Carroll	12,700,157.42	1,786,462.80	3,278,870.90	1,577.50	0.00	\$17,767,068.62
Chicot	18,081,421.23	2,072,952.41	4,141,761.59	4,995.50	56,709.39	\$24,357,840.12
Clark	18,269,860.36	2,555,689.89	5,078,128.61	12,058,652.24	0.00	\$37,962,331.10
Clay	11,887,827.60	2,234,912.41	5,604,957.09	67,769.62	0.00	\$19,795,466.72
Cleburne	14,006,432.20	2,453,203.74	4,831,152.90	28,520.00	0.00	\$21,319,308.84
Cleveland	5,973,076.77	930,218.44	2,225,204.06	0.00	0.00	\$9,128,499.27
Columbia	19,076,018.94	2,881,728.40	7,181,826.46	1,920.00	0.00	\$29,141,493.80
Conway	18,369,315.53	2,581,226.03	5,108,649.93	480,784.18	38,652.52	\$26,578,628.19
Craighead	72,131,061.63	13,113,677.12	19,188,746.99	10,840,500.84	103,996.73	\$115,377,983.31
Crawford	35,789,728.73	6,862,513.63	10,370,698.74	743,127.41	162,891.74	\$53,928,960.25
Crittenden	44,948,261.69	6,716,848.12	8,947,221.54	979,794.48	173,568.35	\$61,765,694.18
Cross	16,720,458.76	2,743,529.24	5,009,453.98	69,478.64	0.00	\$24,542,920.62
Dallas	12,896,714.38	2,057,037.18	4,227,320.10	1,566.00	3,888,955.55	\$23,071,593.21
Desha	17,032,459.53	2,104,144.29	2,924,315.73	-7,899.50	0.00	\$22,053,020.05
Drew	19,171,329.14	2,293,952.58	4,321,979.54	90,253.89	235,866.82	\$26,113,381.97
Faulkner	49,080,816.56	12,053,828.43	12,448,682.32	56,480,563.14	176,457.47	\$130,240,347.92
Franklin	8,313,854.06	2,035,861.85	5,654,077.75	1,617.50	0.00	\$16,005,411.16
Fulton	9,544,122.09	1,573,792.38	4,214,010.86	33,176.50	0.00	\$15,365,101.83
Garland	69,737,300.48	12,369,959.61	17,267,515.21	308,561.24	266,174.68	\$99,949,511.22
Grant	8,400,434.27	1,752,084.68	2,293,244.54	85,325.49	0.00	\$12,531,088.98
Greene	32,311,718.50	6,163,427.42	7,931,344.90	42,557.00	90,608.89	\$46,539,656.71
Hempstead	19,458,899.60	2,947,385.46	5,641,927.24	443,633.00	0.00	\$28,491,845.30
Hot Spring	26,519,814.95	4,221,583.68	5,416,160.77	67,560.49	166,460.55	\$36,391,580.44
Howard	8,664,176.26	1,523,066.36	5,710,262.80	247,206.53	0.00	\$16,144,711.95
Independence	27,856,952.76	4,848,650.05	9,409,457.79	567,659.99	0.00	\$42,682,720.59
Izard	8,666,889.04	1,568,878.16	4,808,177.97	39,200.91	0.00	\$15,083,146.08
Jackson	18,580,476.92	2,743,943.49	5,023,429.81	0.00	5,858.60	\$26,353,708.82
Jefferson	61,216,264.48	9,437,929.24	15,792,074.34	1,202,742.04	91,695.91	\$87,740,706.01
Johnson	17,843,807.69	2,961,394.80	3,105,121.95	97,492.40	0.00	\$24,007,816.84
Lafayette	6,328,601.34	905,400.34	2,175,526.25	64,496.50	0.00	\$9,474,024.43
Lawrence	17,001,108.32	3,187,380.42	8,277,233.75	154,575.61	119,931.24	\$28,740,229.34
Lee	13,695,490.52	1,730,837.04	2,048,791.82	85,559.99	0.00	\$17,560,679.37

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 SFY 2008**

County	Hospital/ Medical	Prescription Drugs	Long Term Care			TOTAL
			Private NH	Public NH	ICF/MR	
Lincoln	8,713,618.70	1,466,069.03	4,446,291.39	-17,357.00	0.00	\$14,608,622.12
Little River	6,207,975.49	1,206,738.24	4,058,862.39	0.00	90,608.89	\$11,564,185.01
Logan	16,109,842.67	2,921,624.66	4,882,058.26	13,359,551.07	90,608.89	\$37,363,685.55
Lonoke	34,035,439.16	6,532,291.00	14,279,880.91	713,201.08	253,824.32	\$55,814,636.47
Madison	\$7,771,052.78	\$1,305,167.84	\$1,749,915.92	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$10,826,136.54
Marion	8,839,322.84	1,610,900.93	3,988,389.60	12,742.99	0.00	\$14,451,356.36
Miller	28,308,233.36	4,948,979.84	8,750,849.69	665,668.96	189,899.56	\$42,863,631.41
Mississippi	42,520,591.85	7,420,772.85	8,692,316.11	277,899.22	0.00	\$58,911,580.03
Monroe	10,078,627.63	1,327,148.22	1,839,017.58	79,525.20	0.00	\$13,324,318.63
Montgomery	4,532,304.98	883,667.33	3,188,849.48	0.00	0.00	\$8,604,821.79
Nevada	12,444,203.66	2,035,635.16	4,291,212.29	122,337.02	0.00	\$18,893,388.13
Newton	5,895,527.56	783,052.47	2,226,885.64	5,267.27	0.00	\$8,910,732.94
Ouachita	20,049,001.50	3,647,929.35	8,901,598.97	-24,598.36	0.00	\$32,573,931.46
Perry	6,060,499.19	1,060,549.58	2,337,664.25	12,116.99	17,487.88	\$9,488,317.89
Phillips	38,972,052.90	5,303,642.71	4,718,106.53	536,750.96	0.00	\$49,530,553.10
Pike	6,844,799.75	1,270,679.22	2,565,797.98	3,466.50	0.00	\$10,684,743.45
Poinsett	24,954,180.40	5,261,848.29	7,563,719.83	226,338.74	0.00	\$38,006,087.26
Polk	12,756,491.20	2,235,032.56	3,559,805.02	3,820.00	148,505.57	\$18,703,654.35
Pope	41,543,606.80	6,795,929.41	10,150,523.00	552,159.08	0.00	\$59,042,218.29
Prairie	5,833,870.60	1,074,014.61	3,491,840.11	0.00	0.00	\$10,399,725.32
Pulaski	303,382,910.62	41,539,468.00	44,573,508.68	5,107,024.83	7,660,147.18	\$402,263,059.31
Randolph	20,225,256.68	2,572,984.36	6,196,254.13	103,828.56	0.00	\$29,098,323.73
Saline	57,951,692.99	10,030,971.91	10,820,894.85	41,654,661.23	135,925.08	\$120,594,146.06
Scott	6,802,772.04	1,586,088.88	2,655,323.75	0.00	0.00	\$11,044,184.67
Searcy	9,737,115.19	1,360,276.59	1,635,538.48	0.00	0.00	\$12,732,930.26
Sebastian	79,223,314.47	13,054,353.84	18,471,755.54	1,371,467.29	4,561,364.11	\$116,682,255.25
Sevier	11,005,292.81	1,871,717.82	3,498,832.67	-26,320.00	0.00	\$16,349,523.30
Sharp	15,451,708.63	2,341,557.09	3,826,690.27	58,484.68	0.00	\$21,678,440.67
St. Francis	29,154,472.13	4,782,843.70	3,870,797.04	-11,956.08	0.00	\$37,796,156.79
Stone	11,236,049.53	1,463,491.96	2,502,382.67	124,690.55	0.00	\$15,326,614.71
Union	31,322,303.69	5,703,594.68	14,956,209.87	1,158,566.42	9,451.19	\$53,150,125.85
Van Buren	11,892,133.57	2,110,790.33	3,854,213.97	10,872.13	0.00	\$17,868,010.00
Washington	81,484,614.28	11,967,947.59	20,845,841.38	1,875,021.94	318,358.22	\$116,491,783.41
White	42,311,557.91	8,783,539.00	12,289,987.13	537,100.99	0.00	\$63,922,185.03
Woodruff	7,571,162.40	1,150,948.18	4,202,528.17	45,680.50	0.00	\$12,970,319.25
Yell	15,512,059.76	2,205,310.47	8,223,874.70	57,689.20	0.00	\$25,998,934.13
State Total	\$1,979,210,693.49	\$322,948,126.76	\$519,580,666.45	\$161,267,799.59	\$19,178,427.70	\$3,002,185,713.99

Note: Does not include Cost Settlements, TPL, Medicare Buy-in, Advanced Payments or Administrative Costs or Clawback.

Source: DSS Report

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Services Mandated by Federal Government:

- Child Health Services (EPSDT - Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment)
- Family Planning
- Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC)
- Home Health
- Hospital, Inpatient and Outpatient
- Laboratory and X-Ray
- Medical and Surgical Services of a Dentist
- Nurse Midwife
- Nurse Practitioner (Family and Pediatric)
- Nursing Facility Services (Age 21 or Older)
- Physician
- Rural Health Clinics

Optional Services Chosen by Arkansas:

- Ambulatory Surgical Center Services
- Audio Logical Services (Under Age 21)
- Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist (CRNA)
- Child Health Management Services (CHMS) (Under Age 21)
- Chiropractic Services
- Dental Services (Under Age 21)
- Developmental Day Treatment Clinic Services (DDTCS) (Preschool and Age 18 or Older)
- Developmental Rehabilitation Services (Under Age 3)
- Domiciliary Care Services
- Durable Medical Equipment
- End-Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) Facility Services
- Hearing Aid Services (Under Age 21)
- Hospice Services
- Hyper Alimentation Services
- Inpatient Psychiatric Services Under Age 21
- Intermediate Care Facility Services for Mentally Retarded
- Licensed Mental Health Practitioner Services (Under Age 21)
- Medical Supplies
- Nursing Facility Services (Under Age 21)
- Occupational, Physical, Speech Therapy Services (Under Age 21)
- Orthotic Appliances
- Personal Care Services
- Podiatrist Services
- Portable X-Ray Services
- Prescription Drugs
- Private Duty Nursing Services for Ventilator-Dependent (All Ages); and for High-Tech Non-Ventilator Dependent Persons (Under 21)
- Prosthetic Devices
- Radiation Therapy Center
- Rehabilitative Hospital Services
- Rehabilitative Services for Persons with Mental Illness (RSPMI)
- Rehabilitative Services for Persons with Physical Disabilities (RSPD) (Under Age 21)
- Rehabilitative Services for Youth and Children (RSYC)(Under Age 21)
- Respiratory Care Services (Under Age 21)
- School-Based Mental Health Services (Under Age 21)
- Self-directed Personal Assistance
- Targeted Case Management for Pregnant Women
- Targeted Case Management Services for Beneficiaries Age 60 and Older
- Targeted Case Management for Beneficiaries of Children's Services (Under 21)
- Targeted Case Management for beneficiaries of Children's Services who are SSI Beneficiaries or TEFRA Waiver Beneficiaries (Under Age 16)
- Targeted Case Management for Beneficiaries in the Division of Children and Family Services (Under Age 21)
- Targeted Case Management for Beneficiaries in the Division of Youth Services (Under Age 21)
- Targeted Case management for Beneficiaries Age 21 and under with a Developmental Disability
- Targeted Case Management for Beneficiaries Age 22 and Over With a Developmental Disability
- Targeted Case Management Services for Other Beneficiaries Under Age 21
- Transportation Services (Ambulance)
- Ventilator Equipment
- Visual Services

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Approved Medicaid Waivers

- Alternatives for Adults with Physical Disabilities Waiver
- Arkansas Health Net
- ARKids First B
- DDS Alternative Community Services Waiver
- ElderChoices Waiver
- Living Choices Assisted Living Waiver
- Non-Emergency Transportation
- Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act (TEFRA)
- Women's Health (Family Planning)

Major Benefit Limitations on Services:

- Twelve visits to hospital outpatient departments allowed per state fiscal year.
- A total of twelve office visits allowed per state fiscal year for any combination of the following: certified nurse midwife, physician, medical services provided by a dentist, medical services furnished by an optometrist, and Rural Health Clinics.
- One basic family planning visit and three (3) periodic family planning visits per state fiscal year. Family planning visits are not counted toward other service limitations.
- Lab and x-ray services limited to total benefit payment of \$500 per state fiscal year, except for EPSDT beneficiaries. A benefit extension may be provided, if medically necessary.
- Three pharmaceutical prescriptions are allowed per month; family planning and tobacco cessation prescriptions are not counted against benefit limit; there are unlimited prescriptions for nursing facility beneficiaries and EPSDT (Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment) beneficiaries (Under age 21) and beneficiaries with MEDICARE Part D will receive their drugs through that program rather than Medicaid. Extensions will be considered for up to three additional prescriptions for a maximum of six (6) prescriptions per month for beneficiaries. Beneficiaries receiving services through the Assisted Living waiver may receive up to nine (9) medically necessary prescriptions per month.
- Inpatient hospital days are limited to 24 per state fiscal year, except for EPSDT beneficiaries and some organ transplant patients.
- Co-insurance: Some beneficiaries must pay 10% of the first Medicaid covered day of hospital stay. Certain beneficiaries who have gross income at or above 100% of the Federal Poverty Level, in the Working Disabled aid category, without regard to age, must pay a co-insurance of 25% of the first Medicaid covered day of hospital stay and must also pay co-insurance for some additional services.
- Co-Pay: Some beneficiaries must pay \$0.50 to \$3 of every prescription, and \$2 on the dispensing fee for prescription services for eyeglasses. Certain beneficiaries who have gross income at or above 100% of the Federal Poverty Level, in the Working Disabled aid category, without regard to age, must pay a higher co-payment for these services and also must pay co-payments for some additional services.

Note - Any and all exceptions to benefit limits are based on medical necessity.

Additional Information for ARKids-B and TEFRA:

- Co-Insurance: ARKids B beneficiaries must pay 20% of the charges for the first Medicaid covered day of inpatient hospital services and must also pay co-insurance for some outpatient services.
- Co-Pay: ARKids B beneficiaries must pay a co-payment for most services; for example \$10.00 for most office visits and \$5.00 for most prescription drugs (and must use generic drugs and rebate manufacturer, if available).
- ARKids B beneficiary annual cost-sharing is capped at 5% of the family's gross annual income.
- Premiums: Based on family income certain TEFRA beneficiaries must pay a premium.

Source: Division of Medical Services

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PROGRAM PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

The Program Planning and Development (PPD) Section develops and maintains the Medicaid State Plan and the State's Child Health Insurance Program Plan. This section writes separate provider policy manuals for each of the forty-four (44) different Medicaid Programs, such as: Physician, Pharmacy, Hospital, Dental, Prosthetics, Hearing, Visual Care, Chiropractic, and EPSDT (Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment). Provider manuals contain such information as covered services, benefit limits, benefit extension procedures, PPD also helps develop new waiver programs and the resulting provider manuals for initiatives such as ARKids B.

SYSTEMS AND SUPPORT

Systems & Support administers the fiscal agent contract that operates the Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS), which processes all Medicaid claims.

Systems & Support performs the following:

- * Develops all Request for Proposals (RFPs) and Advance Planning Documents (APDs) related to the MMIS.
- * Develops the contract for the fiscal agent to operate the MMIS and monitors the contractor's performance.
- * Maintains system documentation from the contractor.
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Develops, tracks, and documents customer service requests for medications to the MMIS.
- * Approves production system modifications to MMIS.
- * Performs quality assurance reviews on all edits and audits affecting claims processed by the MMIS.

WAIVER QUALITY ASSURANCE UNIT

The DMS Waiver Quality Assurance (QA) Unit is responsible for monitoring operation of various Medicaid waiver and demonstration programs operated with approval from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).

The Waiver QA Unit assures compliance with CMS requirements for operating the waivers and demonstrations.

Activities include:

- * Assisting operating agencies with development of new waivers and demonstrations.
- * Communicating and coordinating with CMS regarding waiver and demonstration activities and requirements.
- * Providing technical assistance to operating agencies regarding waiver and demonstration requirements and compliance.
- * Performing case reviews, data analysis, and oversight activities to help identify problems and assure remediation for compliance with CMS requirements.
- * Developing QA strategies and interagency agreements for the operation and administration of waivers and demonstrations.

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MEDICAL ASSISTANCE SECTION

The Medical Assistance Section contracts with Electronic Data Systems (EDS) to enroll providers in Medicaid and the ARKids First Program. At the end of the State Fiscal Year 2008 (SFY 2008), there were more than 21,816 enrolled providers in the above programs. More than 9,083 of these providers were physicians and physician groups. The Medical Assistance Section also responds to the concerns and questions of providers and recipients of Medicaid and ARKids services. In SFY 2008, 73,608 telephone inquiries were handled in all Assistance Sections including the Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) program and other Medical Assistance Units with over 3,877 of those inquiries being addressed by the communications personnel. The ARKids First Program for Arkansas children has become a model for similar programs in other states. Other areas administered by the Medical Assistance Section are the Dental, Visual, Non-Emergency Transportation (NET), ARKids B, Medicaid Managed Care System, Connect Care and Ambulance programs.

	SFY 2008	SFY 2007	SFY 2006
Telephone Inquiries	73,608	71,462	68,727
Written Correspondence	1,056	1,989	1,436
Fair Hearings	418	356	314

THIRD-PARTY LIABILITY

One aspect of Medicaid cost containment is the Third-Party Liability Unit of Administrative Support. This unit pursues resources (other than Medicaid) responsible for health care payment to Medicaid recipients. These sources include health and liability insurance, court settlements, and absent parents. Federal and state statutes require Medicaid agencies to pursue Third-Party Liability to reduce Medical Assistance payments. The savings for SFY 2008 were as follows:

Other Collections (Health & Casualty Insurance)	\$20,713,217.19
Cost Avoidance (Health Insurance)	<u>21,373,404.92</u>
Total Savings	\$42,086,622.11

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UTILIZATION REVIEW

The Utilization Review (UR) Section of the Arkansas Medicaid Program has the responsibility for assuring quality medical care for Medicaid beneficiaries along with protecting the integrity of both state and federal funds supporting the Medicaid Program. The tasks of the Utilization Review Section are mandated by federal regulations. The nature of these reviews is to review documentation for services provided and evaluate the medical necessity of the delivered services. This section assures both quality and efficient care are provided to Medicaid beneficiaries by qualified providers.

Utilization Review responsibilities include the following areas:

1. Pre and Post-Payment reviews of medical services.
2. Prior authorization for Durable Medical Equipment (DME), Private Duty Nursing, Hyperalimentation, Hearing Aids and Hearing aid repair, Extension of benefits for Home Health, Personal Care for beneficiaries over the age of 21.
3. Monitor contractors performing prior authorizations and extension of benefits for the following programs: In-patient Psychiatric Services, In-patient and Out-patient Hospitalization, Primary Care Physicians, Targeted Case Management, Therapy, Rehabilitative Services for Persons with Mental Illness (RSPMI), Out Patient Mental Health Services, Child Health Management Services and Personal Care for beneficiaries Under the age of 21 and Organ Transplantation.
4. Review requests for extension of benefits for the Medical Supplies and Diapers programs.
5. Arrange out-of-state transportation for beneficiaries for medically necessary services/treatment not available in-state.

The Utilization Review Section continues to work toward implementation of a more efficient process while continuing to ensure quality of care for medically necessary services equal to that of privately insured Arkansans.

SUMMARY

	Prior Authorization Approvals:	Prior Authorization Denials:
Durable Medical Equipment	4408	1778
Hyperalimentation	0	28
Private Duty Nursing	2346	806
Hearing Aid Repairs	1082	129
	Extension of Benefits Approvals:	Extension of Benefits Denials:
Personal Care Over 21	171	32
Home Health	1106	108
Incontinent Supplies	115	60
Independent Choice	735	165
Medical Supplies Under 21	60	14

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UTILIZATION REVIEW (CONTINUED)

Pre-Pay Claim Reviews	37,317	Pre-Pay Claim Adjustments	434
Organ Transplant Requests	66	Organ Transplant Dollar Expended	\$4,986,377.86
Explanation of Medical	4,793		
PCP Changes Requested and Processed	100		
Fair Hearings Requests	411	Fair Hearings Held	151
Patient Travel Requests	42	Patient Travel Dollars Expended	\$7,306.30
Companion Travel Requested	46	Companion Travel Dollars Expended	\$9,240.30
Mental Health Post Admission Eligibility Verification	771	Mental Health Post Admission Adjustments	156

Source: Division of Medical Services

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT PRESCRIPTION DRUG PROGRAM SFY 2008

The Prescription Drug Program, which is an optional Medicaid benefit, was implemented in Arkansas in 1973. Under this program, eligible recipients may obtain prescription medication through any of the **876** enrolled pharmacies in the state. During SFY **2008**, a total of **421,449** Medicaid recipients used their prescription drug benefits. A total of **4.7** million prescriptions were reimbursed by Arkansas Medicaid for cost of **\$322.7** million dollars thus making the average cost per prescription approximately **\$69**. An average cost for a brand name prescription was **\$145** dollars, although representing **38%** of the claims it accounted for **78%** of our expenditures. The average cost for a generic prescription was **\$25** dollars, representing **62%** of our claims and accounted for **22%** of our expenditures.

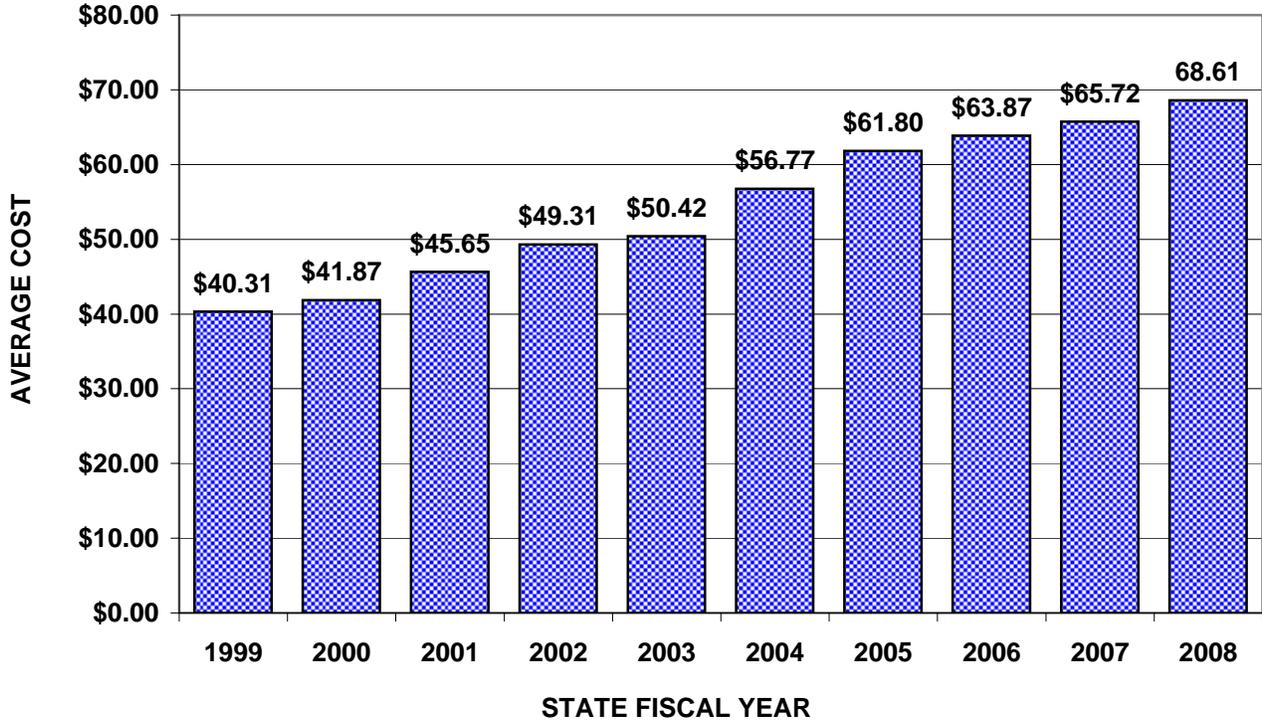
The Prescription Drug Program restricts each recipient to a maximum of three prescriptions per month, with the capability of getting up to six prescriptions by prior authorization, except for recipients under 21 and certified Long-Term Care recipients who receive unlimited prescriptions per month. Persons eligible under the Assisted Living Waiver are allowed up to nine prescriptions per month.

Beginning January 1, 2006 full benefit dual eligibles began to receive drug coverage through the Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit (Part D) of the Medicare Modernization Act of 2003 rather than through Arkansas Medicaid. Arkansas Medicaid is required to pay Centers for Medicare & Medicaid (CMS) the State Contribution for Prescription Drug Benefit, sometimes referred to as the Medicare Part D Clawback. This payment for SFY 2008 was \$35.5 Million.

Medicaid reimbursement for prescription drugs is based on cost plus a dispensing fee. Drug costs are established and based upon a pharmacy's estimated acquisition cost (EAC), the federally established generic upper limit (GUL) or state established upper limit (SUL). Arkansas Medicaid has a dispensing fee \$5.51 as established by the Division of Medical Services and approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS). The EAC and dispensing fee are based upon surveys that determine an average cost for dispensing a prescription and the average ingredient cost. In March of 2002, a differential fee of \$2.00 was established and applied to generic prescriptions for which there is not an upper limit.

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**AVERAGE COST PER PRESCRIPTION DRUG
SFY 1999-2008**



Source: Prescription Drug Program Unit

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
OFFICE OF LONG TERM CARE
SFY 2008**

Most people think of nursing facilities when they think of the Office of Long Term Care (OLTC). The OLTC professional surveyors conduct annual Medicare and Medicaid and State Licensure surveys of Arkansas' 229 Nursing Facilities and in the state's forty-one (41) Intermediate Care Facilities for the Mentally Retarded (ICFs/MR) including six (6) Human Development Centers. Annual surveys are also conducted in thirty-two (32) Adult Day Care and Adult Day Health Care facilities and one (1) Post Acute Head Injury Facility throughout the state. Semi-annual surveys are conducted in the eighty-five (85) Residential Care Facilities, forty-four (44) Assisted Living Facilities and eleven (11) Alzheimer's Special Care Units. In addition, annual Civil Rights surveys are conducted in 108 hospitals.

In addition to its role inspecting long-term care facilities, the OLTC provides training and educational opportunities to various health care providers to help ensure that facilities provide the highest level of care possible to long term care residents. OLTC staff provided approximately 250 hours of continuing education through ninety-one (91) workshops/seminars to over 5,000 staff members in the nursing home and assisted living industry during SFY 08. In addition, there were 387 agendas submitted from outside sources for review to determine 1,573 contact hours for nursing home administrators.

The Nursing Home Administrator Licensure Unit processed renewals for 676 licensed administrators, processed eighty-five (85) license applications, and issued fifty-six (56) new licenses and temporary licenses. In addition, OLTC administered the state nursing home administrator examination to eighty-three (83) individuals.

The Criminal Record Check Program applies to all categories of licensed long-term care facilities consisting of over 450 affected facilities. During SFY 08, there were 38,521 "state" record checks processed through OLTC with 850 disqualifications (2.2%) and 16,910 "federal" record checks processed with 168 disqualifications (1.0%).

At the end of SFY 08, the Registry for Certified Nursing Assistants (CNAs) contained 35,458 "active" and 54,539 "inactive" names listed. In addition to maintaining the Registry for CNAs, the OLTC also manages the certification renewal process for CNAs, approves and monitors nursing assistant training programs, manages the statewide competency testing services, and processes reciprocity transfers of CNAs coming into and leaving Arkansas.

The Medical Need Determination Unit processed approximately 1,015 Medicaid nursing facility applications per month while maintaining approximately 12,189 active cases which includes processing 8,975 assessments, processing over 1,425 changes of condition requests, 479 transfers, and 1,306 utilization review requests during the year. Also processed were 3,355 applications/reviews for ICFs/MR. In addition, almost 15,000 applications/reviews/waivers for other medical programs within DHS were made during SFY 08.

The OLTC Complaint Unit staffs a registered nurse and a licensed social worker who record the initial intake of complaints against long-term care facilities. Many times they are able to resolve the issues with immediate satisfaction to the parties involved. When that is not possible, the OLTC performs an on-site complaint investigation. The OLTC received 926 nursing home complaints during SFY 08 regarding the care or conditions in long term care facilities.

Office of Long Term Care (501) 682-8430

Complaint Line 1-800-582-4887

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
UNDUPLICATED LONG-TERM CARE CLIENTS *
BY GENDER AND RACE
SFY 2008**

County	RACE							GENDER				
	White	Black	Native Amer.	Spanish Amer.	Asian Amer.	Other	Un-known	Total	Male	Female	Un-known	Total
Arkansas	148	59	0	0	0	1	33	241	67	174	0	241
Ashley	79	27	0	1	0	0	22	129	30	99	0	129
Baxter	257	0	0	0	0	3	49	309	97	212	0	309
Benton	496	1	1	6	1	3	148	656	182	474	0	656
Boone	287	0	0	0	0	0	46	333	79	254	0	333
Bradley	125	49	0	2	1	0	18	195	85	110	0	195
Calhoun	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carroll	89	0	0	0	0	0	25	114	25	89	0	114
Chicot	51	83	0	0	0	0	17	151	58	93	0	151
Clark	257	106	0	0	0	3	43	409	169	240	0	409
Clay	151	0	0	0	0	1	26	178	54	124	0	178
Cleburne	194	1	0	0	0	0	31	226	58	168	0	226
Cleveland	87	15	0	0	0	0	18	120	40	80	0	120
Columbia	161	103	0	1	1	0	42	308	86	222	0	308
Conway	139	26	0	0	0	2	26	193	54	139	0	193
Craighead	695	71	0	1	0	2	142	911	312	599	0	911
Crawford	369	18	3	0	1	0	68	459	138	321	0	459
Crittenden	151	125	0	0	1	3	54	334	116	218	0	334
Cross	111	36	0	0	1	0	28	176	67	109	0	176
Dallas	119	82	0	1	0	1	41	244	125	119	0	244
Desha	64	63	0	0	0	1	18	146	57	89	0	146
Drew	118	64	0	0	0	1	15	198	62	136	0	198
Faulkner	765	129	1	1	0	1	124	1,021	422	599	0	1,021
Franklin	171	1	0	0	0	0	32	204	64	140	0	204
Fulton	48	0	0	0	0	0	13	61	17	44	0	61
Garland	521	65	0	1	0	5	135	727	243	484	0	727
Grant	69	2	0	0	0	0	9	80	24	56	0	80
Greene	350	2	1	1	1	1	41	397	111	286	0	397
Hempstead	103	58	0	0	0	0	29	190	62	128	0	190
Hot Spring	150	32	1	0	0	0	34	217	81	136	0	217
Howard	156	38	0	0	0	3	30	227	71	156	0	227
Independence	307	6	0	1	0	0	40	354	105	249	0	354
Izard	149	0	0	0	0	0	20	169	61	108	0	169
Jackson	119	36	0	0	0	0	24	179	46	133	0	179
Jefferson	281	404	0	0	0	2	79	766	282	484	0	766
Johnson	111	0	0	1	0	0	13	125	39	86	0	125
Lafayette	32	34	0	0	0	0	11	77	29	48	0	77
Lawrence	226	1	0	0	0	0	42	269	65	204	0	269
Lee	28	48	0	0	0	0	7	83	30	53	0	83
Lincoln	94	34	0	1	0	0	26	155	57	98	0	155

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SFY 2008**

County	RACE							GENDER				
	White	Black	Native Amer.	Spanish Amer.	Asian Amer.	Other	Un-known	Total	Male	Female	Un-known	Total
Little River	149	20	1	0	0	0	39	209	59	150	0	209
Logan	288	26	1	1	0	2	16	334	161	173	0	334
Lonoke	407	68	0	1	1	1	64	542	152	390	0	542
Madison	56	0	0	0	0	0	12	68	22	46	0	68
Marion	102	0	0	0	0	1	20	123	29	94	0	123
Miller	246	114	1	0	0	4	91	456	155	301	0	456
Mississippi	216	90	0	2	0	0	32	340	117	223	0	340
Monroe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Montgomery	132	0	0	0	1	0	19	152	32	120	0	152
Nevada	85	49	0	0	0	0	18	152	47	105	0	152
Newton	59	0	0	1	0	0	7	67	16	51	0	67
Ouachita	156	130	0	0	0	0	53	339	97	242	0	339
Perry	67	0	0	0	0	0	28	95	30	65	0	95
Phillips	60	88	0	0	0	0	25	173	70	103	0	173
Pike	104	5	0	0	0	0	11	120	34	86	0	120
Poinsett	207	41	0	0	0	2	65	315	131	184	0	315
Polk	124	1	0	1	0	0	19	145	34	111	0	145
Pope	325	4	0	0	0	0	39	368	101	267	0	368
Prairie	82	22	0	0	0	0	21	125	51	74	0	125
Pulaski-East	129	121	0	1	1	0	85	337	96	240	1	337
Pulaski-Jax	101	18	0	0	3	0	28	150	34	116	0	150
Pulaski-North	320	136	1	2	1	3	105	568	138	430	0	568
Pulaski-South	192	261	0	5	1	1	80	540	195	345	0	540
Pulaski-SW	124	31	0	1	0	2	50	208	70	138	0	208
Randolph	170	0	0	0	0	0	21	191	43	148	0	191
Saline	668	144	2	3	1	0	136	954	461	493	0	954
Scott	77	0	0	0	0	0	11	88	24	64	0	88
Searcy	77	0	0	0	0	0	5	82	16	66	0	82
Sebastian	536	44	0	4	4	7	133	728	208	520	0	728
Sevier	82	5	1	0	0	0	28	116	32	84	0	116
Sharp	184	1	0	0	0	0	31	216	54	162	0	216
St. Francis	52	73	0	0	0	0	13	138	37	101	0	138
Stone	74	0	0	0	0	0	15	89	19	70	0	89
Union	458	223	0	0	0	1	62	744	221	523	0	744
Van Buren	115	0	0	0	0	0	19	134	29	105	0	134
Washington	659	6	2	3	2	1	120	793	241	552	0	793
White	524	21	0	0	1	1	86	633	178	455	0	633
Woodruff	81	23	0	0	0	0	21	125	33	92	0	125
Yell	264	5	1	1	0	0	40	311	74	237	0	311
State Total	15,580	3,589	17	44	23	59	3,287	22,599	7,311	15,287	1	22,599

* Unduplicated clients by facility. Duplication may result where the facility number changes to reflect change of ownership.

Source: HMRJ-460J

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SERVICES AND STATISTICS
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Since 1990, the federal long-term care program has had two levels of facility care under Medicaid. These levels of care are nursing facility services and intermediate care facility services for the mentally retarded and developmentally disabled (ICF/MR). Arkansas classifies state-owned facilities as public and all others as private. Arkansas Health Center is a public nursing facility. The ICF/MR population is divided into the six (6) state-owned Human Development Centers, four (4) private pediatric facilities of which three (3) are for profit, one (1) private nonprofit pediatric facility, and 28 ten-bed facilities serving adults.

	NURSING FACILITIES	ICF/MR
<u>Public</u>	Arkansas Health Center Nursing Facility (formerly Benton Services Center)	Alexander Human Development Center Arkadelphia Human Development Center Booneville Human Development Center Conway Human Development Center Jonesboro Human Development Center Warren Human Development Center
<u>Private</u>	Private Nursing Homes (228) (For Profit and Nonprofit)	<u>Private ICF/MR Pediatric facilities:</u> Arkansas Pediatric Brownwood Millcreek <u>Private Nonprofit ICF/MR Pediatric:</u> Easter Seals <u>Private Nonprofit ICF/MR:</u> 15 Bed or Less Facilities for Adults (31)

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (FOI) REQUESTS
SFY 2008**

FOI requests processed	518
Total pages of copies	514,259
Staff man-hours required	3,765

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 SFY 2008**

DISTRIBUTION OF PATIENTS BY LEVEL OF CARE WITH PER DIEM RATES

FACILITY TYPE	NO. OF FACIL.	TOTAL BEDS	TOTAL ** RECIPIENTS	AVERAGE WEIGHTED RATE BY FACILITY TYPE
Nursing Facilities				
Facilities	223	24,029	17,901	138.64
Public-AHC	1	310	335	354.09
ICF/MR Facilities				
Private Pediatric				
Over 15 beds	4	204	255	263.11
Private Adult				
15 beds & Under	31	322	345	171.96
HDC	6	1,165	1,152	279.80
Total Medicaid	265	26,030	19,988	
Non-Medicaid				
NF Medicare	1	70		
NF Private	4	324		
Total Non-Medicaid	5	394		
Total	270	26,424		

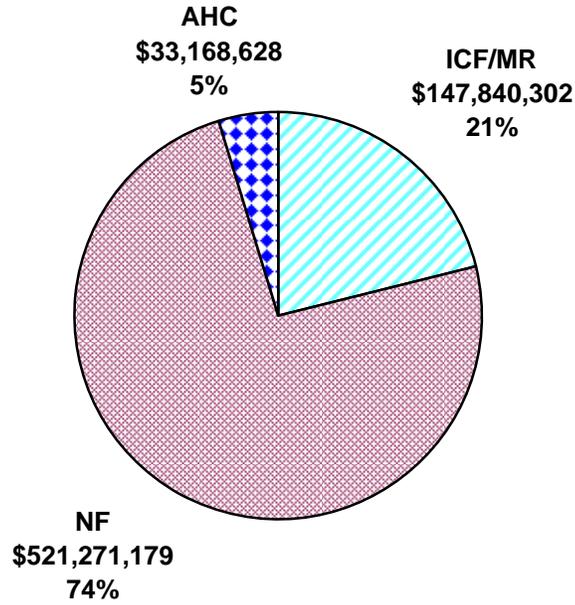
**Recipients reflect unduplicated count of persons residing in specified facilities during July 1, 2007-June 30, 2008

CASH EXPENDITURES FOR LTC FACILITIES

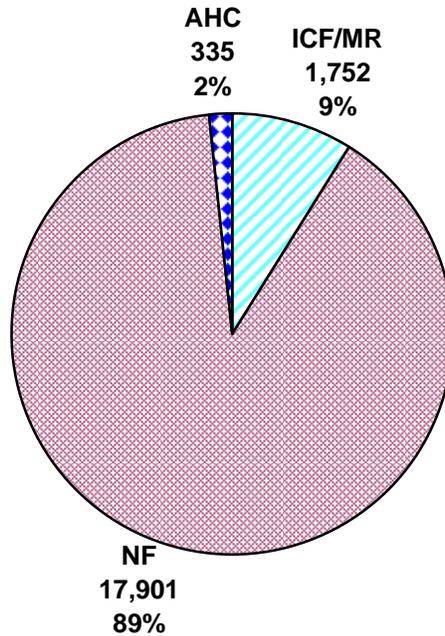
FACILITY CLASS	PATIENT DAYS	EXPENDITURES	AVERAGE DAILY PAYMENTS	AVG. ANNUAL PAYMENTS PER INDIVIDUAL
Private NF	4,370,405	\$521,271,179	119.27	29,120
Arkansas Health Care	98,955	33,168,628	335.19	99,011
Human Development Centers ICF/MR	411,560	110,261,078	267.91	95,713
Private ICF/MR - Over 15 beds	73,492	19,180,002	260.98	75,216
Private ICF/MR - 15 beds or less	116,790	18,399,222	157.54	53,331
TOTAL	5,071,202	\$702,280,109		

Source: HMVR-258J, EDS Ad Hoc Unduplicated Count by Specialty Report, HDSS Nursing Home Days, Category of Service Expenditures

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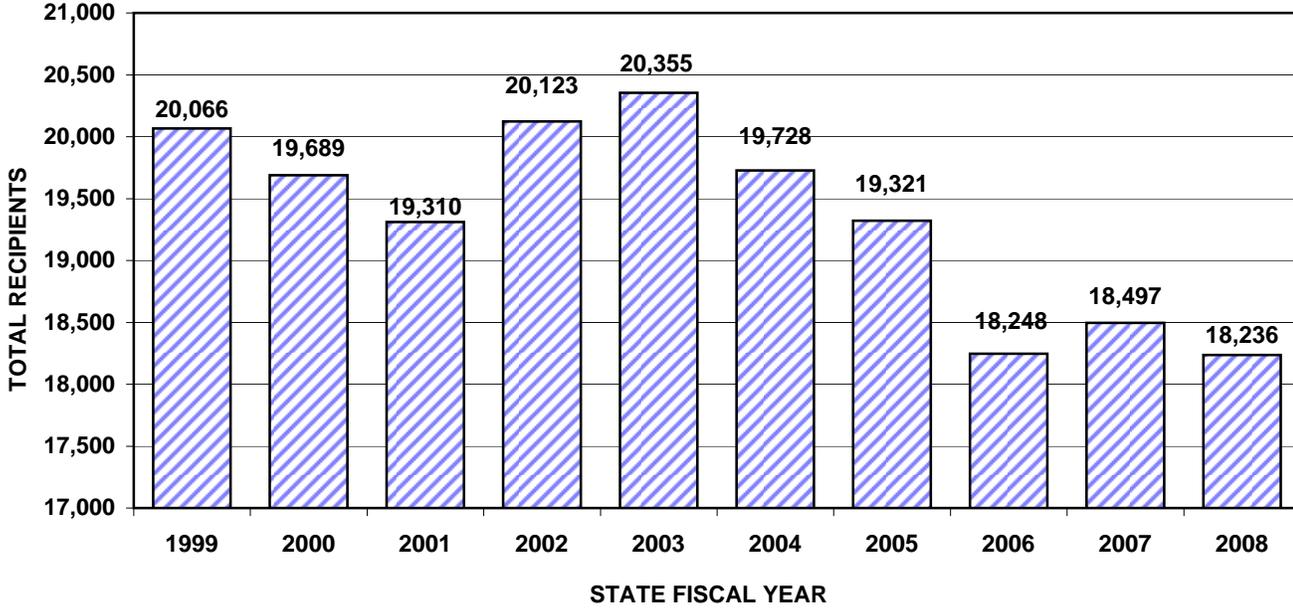
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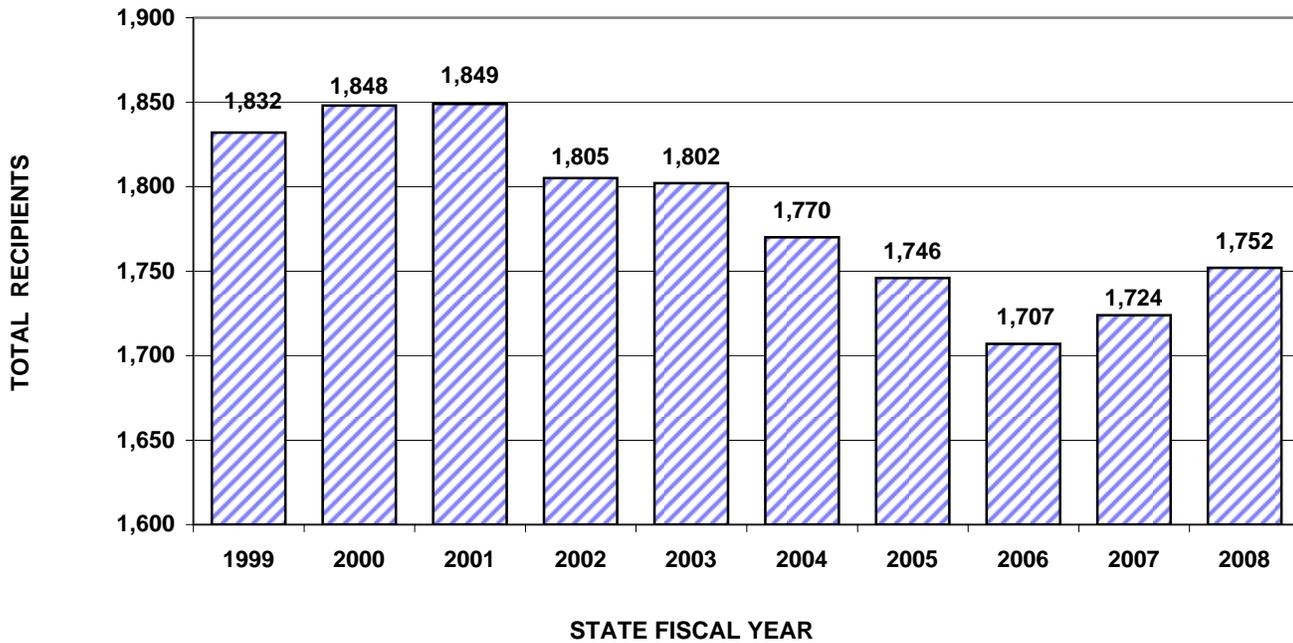
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NURSING FACILITY MEDICAID RECIPIENTS*



* Includes Private Nursing Homes and Arkansas Health Center

ICF/MR MEDICAID RECIPIENTS**

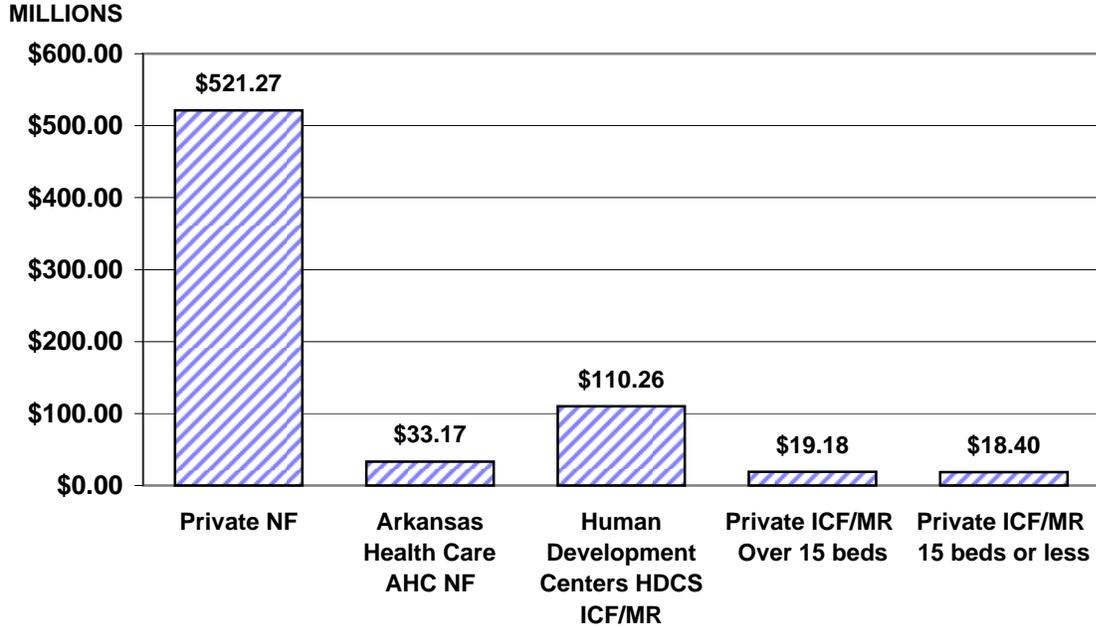


** Includes Private Pediatric, Private Adults and HDCs

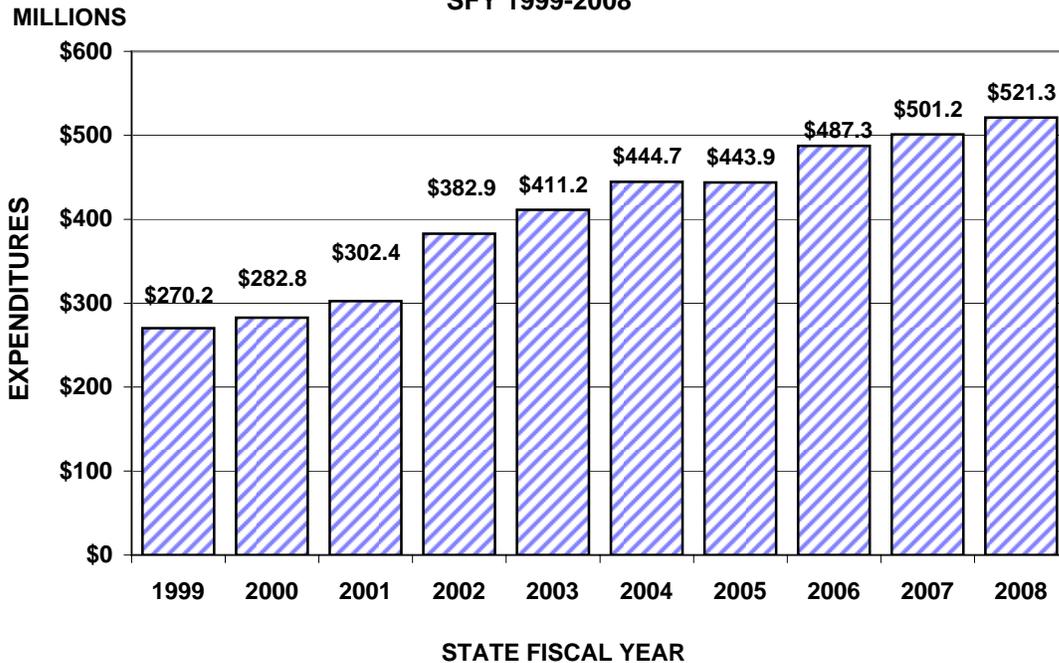
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LTC FACILITY EXPENDITURES IN MILLIONS



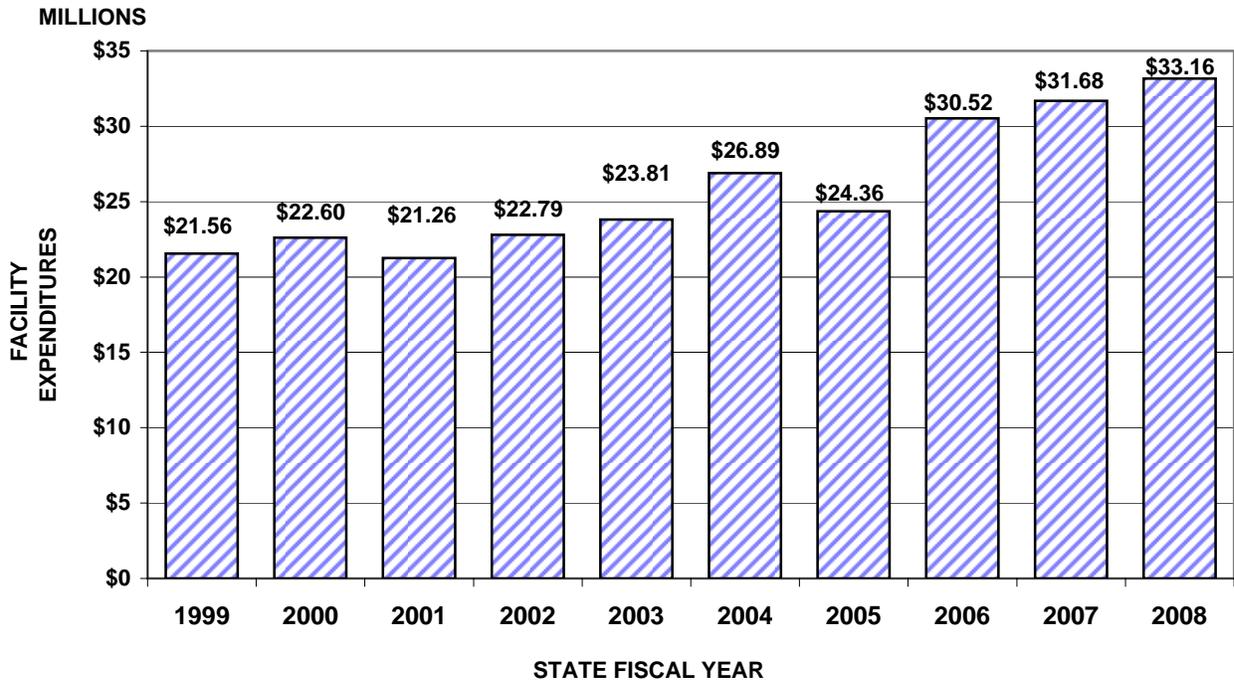
**PRIVATE NURSING FACILITY EXPENDITURES
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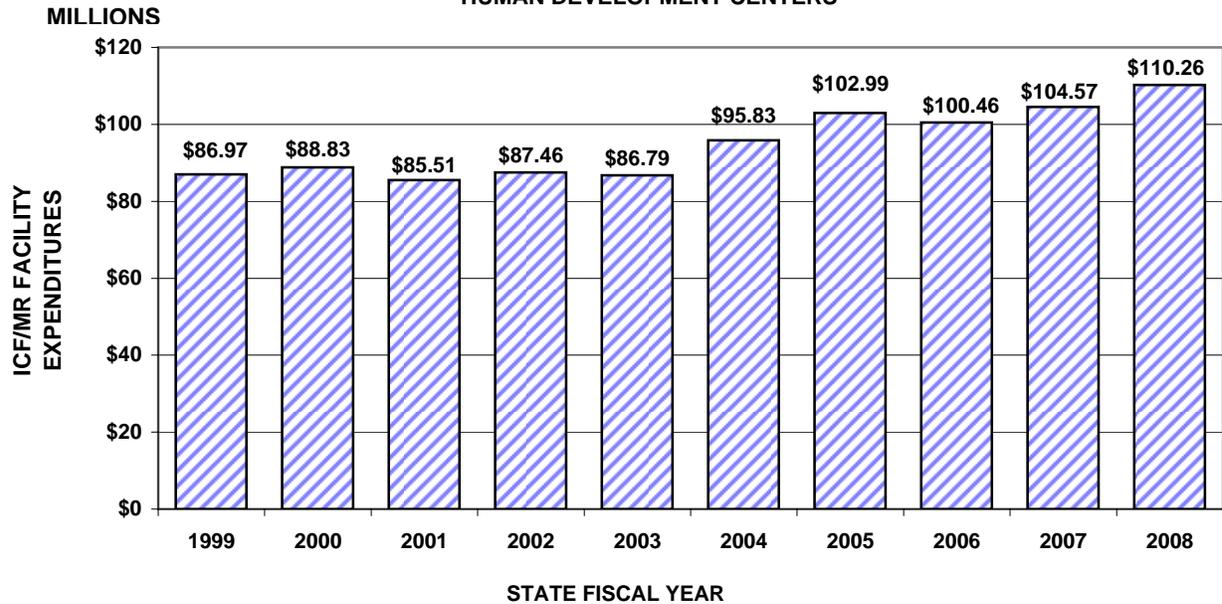
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ARKANSAS HEALTH CENTER

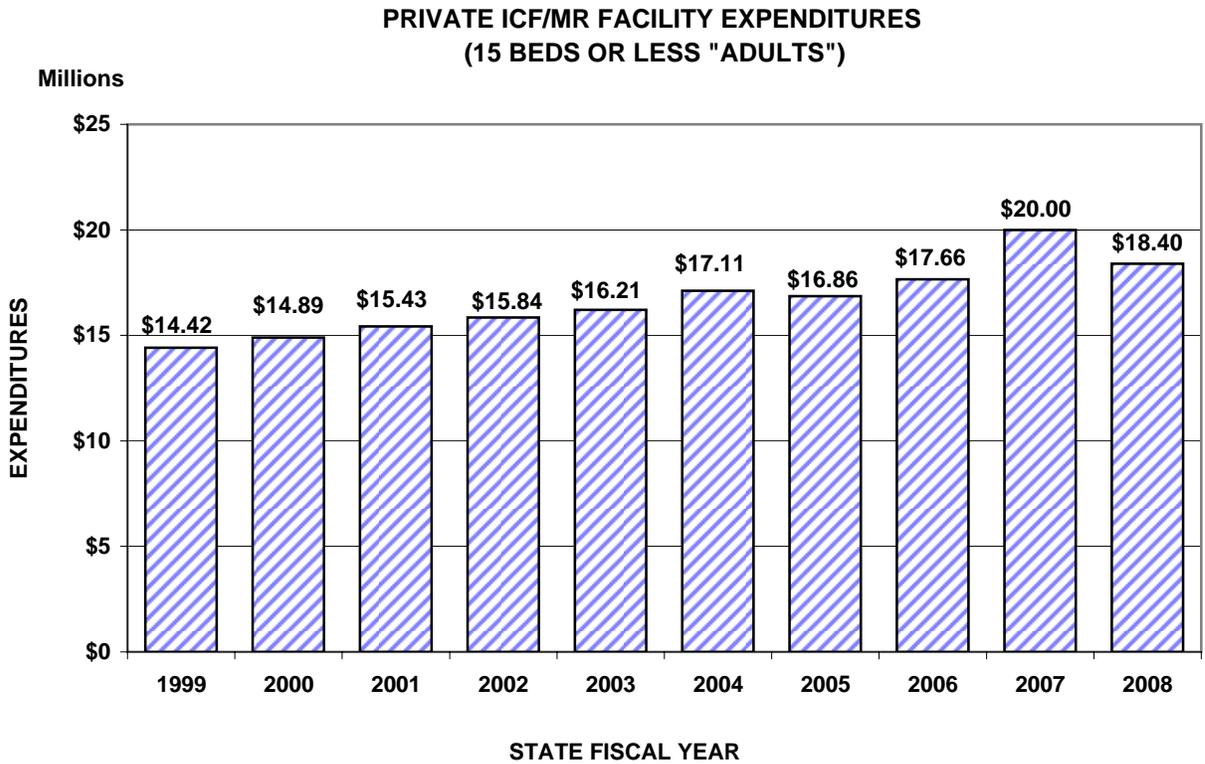
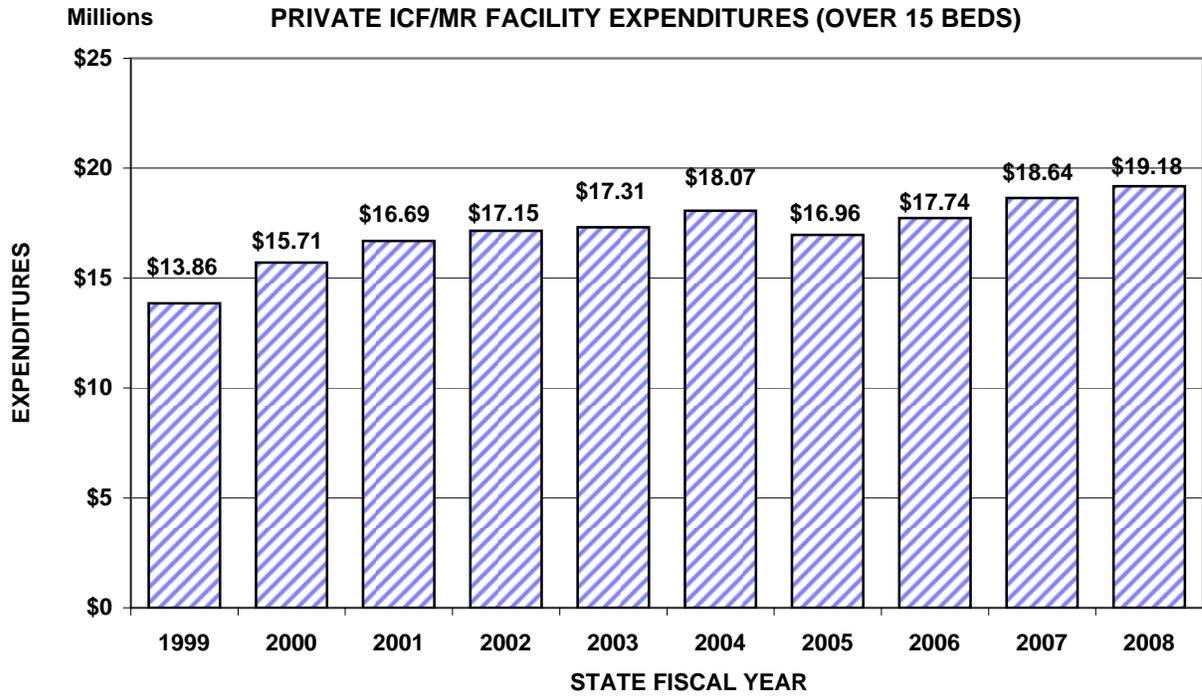


HUMAN DEVELOPMENT CENTERS



Source: AFGM Report R-2242

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ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT ANALYSIS OF PRIVATE FACILITY EXPENDITURES SFY 2008

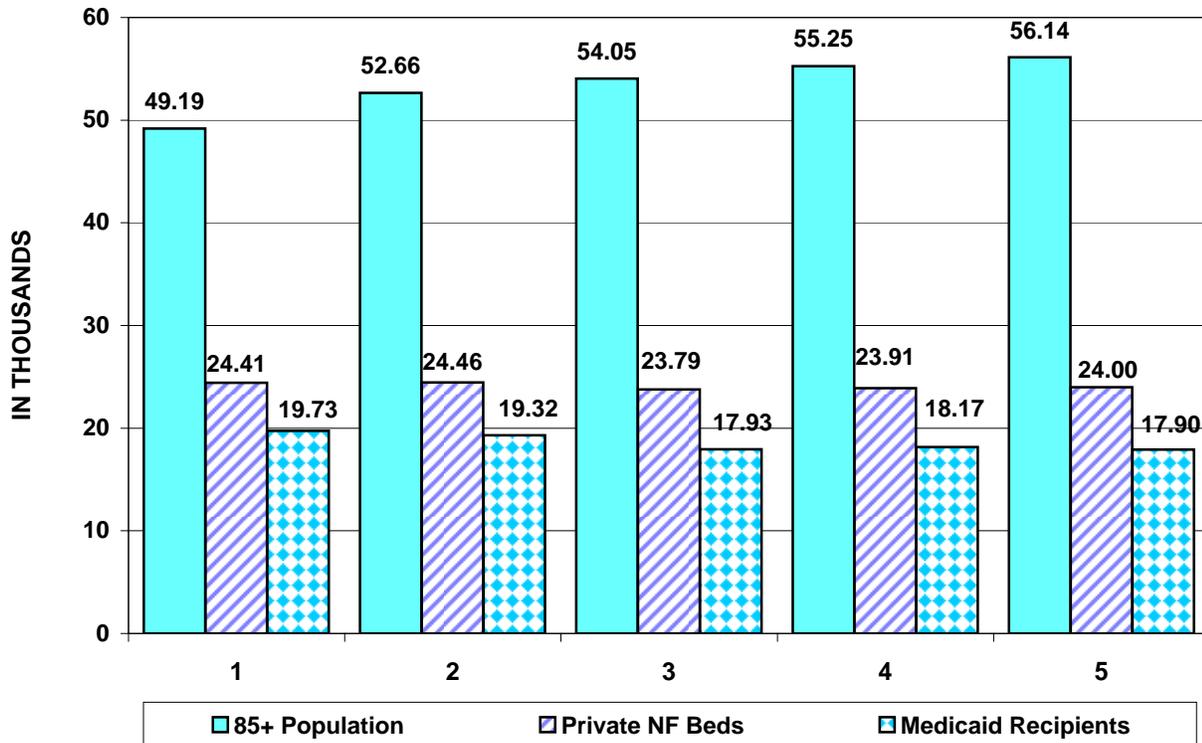
Since approximately 86% of all Medicaid long-term facility care is provided in private nursing facilities, additional information is provided for this service category. Expenditures in SFY 2008 increased 4.00% from SFY 2007 with an increase of 17.23% over the past five (5) years.

The bulk of this increase is the result of the implementation of a cost based reimbursement methodology for nursing facilities that began January 12, 2001. The cost base methodology increased emphasis in spending in the direct care area. Increased quality of care was one of the major objectives of the new methodology.

UTILIZATION CONTROL AND NURSING FACILITY PAYMENT CLASSIFICATIONS

The number of Medicaid recipients in nursing facilities has decreased by 9% in the past five (5) years, while the estimated over-age-85 population has increased by approximately 14% during the same period. With the continued expansion of home and community based programs, those whose needs can be met in their own homes will continue to choose that option.

GROWTH OF PRIVATE NURSING FACILITY BEDS AND MEDICAID RECIPIENTS (SFY 2004-2008)



Source: HMVR-258J, EDS Unduplicated Count Specialty Report and UALR Institute for Economic Advancement

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SURVEY & CERTIFICATION
SFY 2008**

NURSING HOMES

Standard Surveys Performed	310	New facilities Licensed/Certified	3
Initial Medicaid Surveys Conducted			3
State Licensure Surveys Conducted			294
State Audits for Minimum Staffing			20
Facilities Cited with Substandard Quality of Care			52
Complaint Reports Received			926
Complaint Surveys Conducted			1013 *

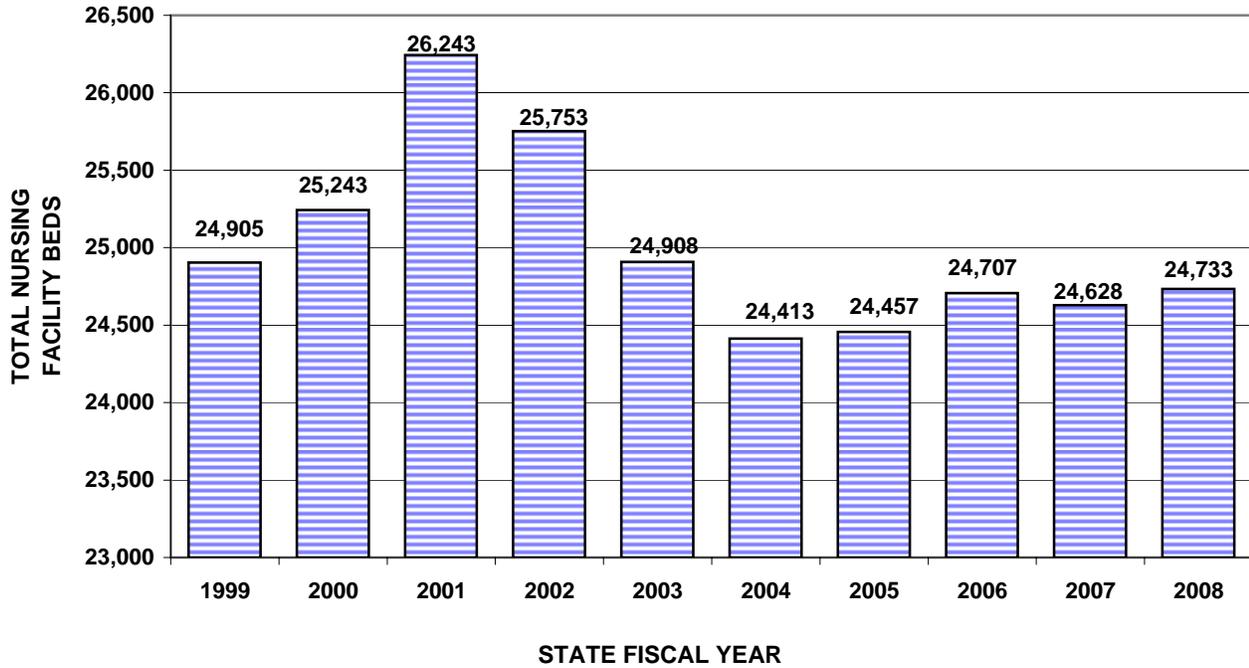
*Includes cases of multiple complaints investigated during a single survey.
Some complaints cross fiscal year timelines of reporting and investigation.

RCF/ADC/ADHC/PAH/ALF I/ALF II/HCR

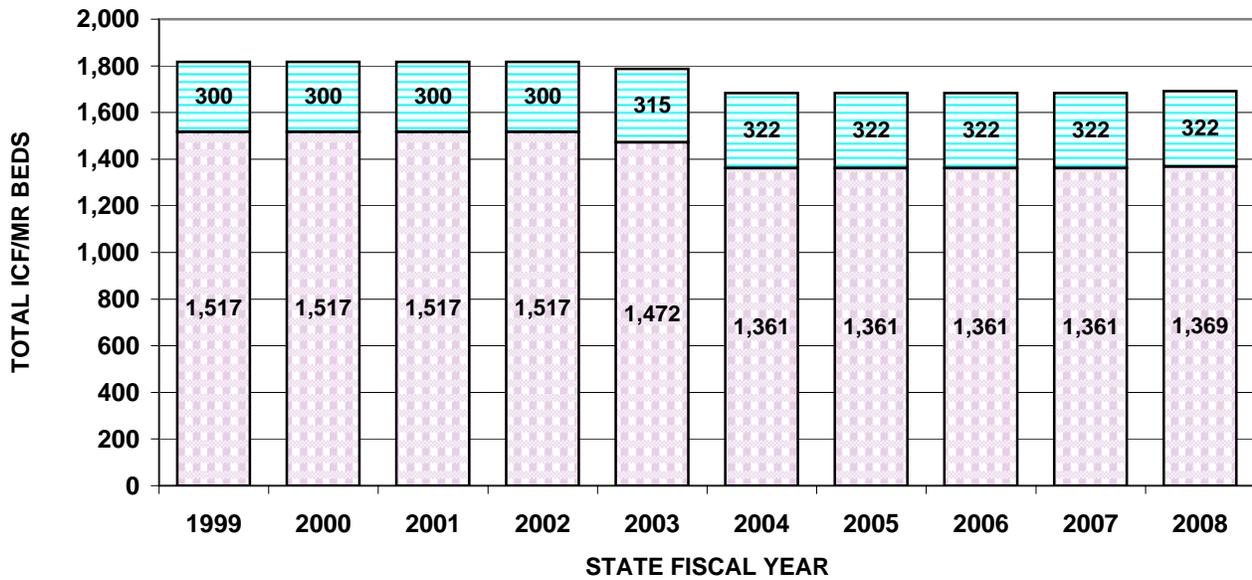
Standard Surveys Performed	321
Standard Follow Up Surveys	310
Life Safety Code Surveys	293
Life Safety Code Follow Ups	282
Complaint Reports Received	96
Complaint Surveys Completed	62

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LICENSED NURSING FACILITY BEDS SFY 1999-2008



LICENSED ICF/MR BEDS SFY 1999-2008

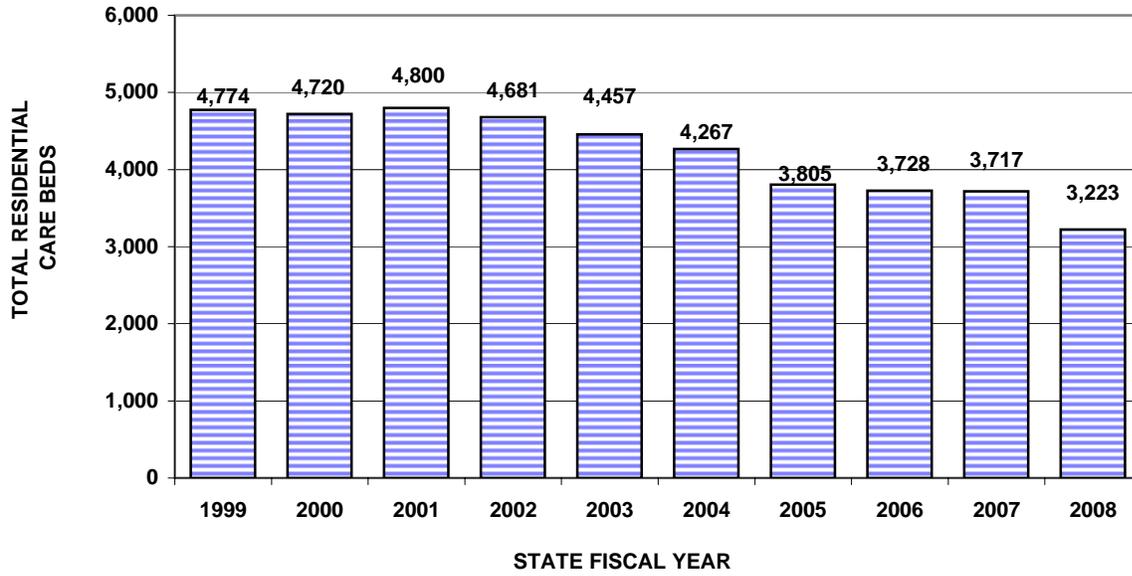


□ OVER 15-BED FACILITY

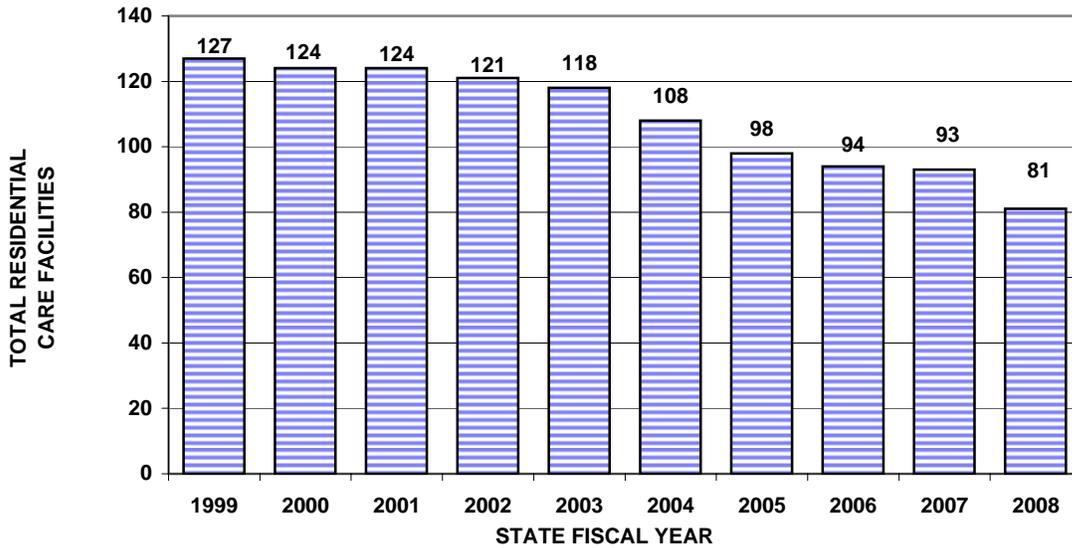
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RESIDENTIAL CARE BEDS* SFY 1999-2008



RESIDENTIAL CARE FACILITIES* SFY 1999-2008

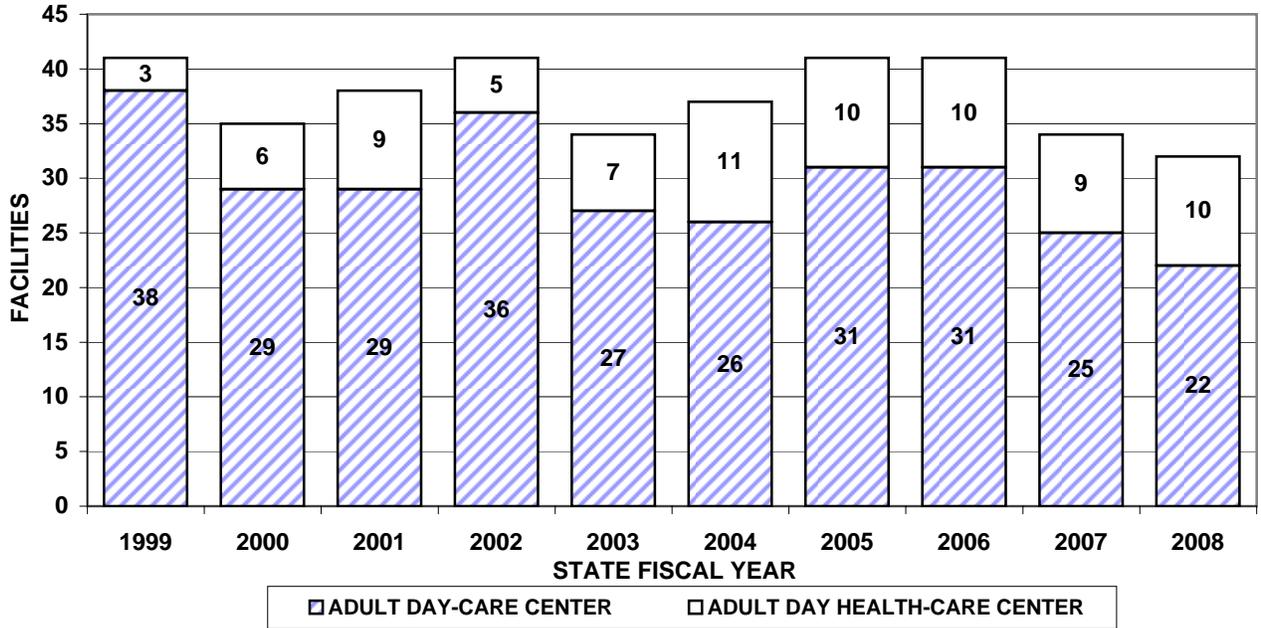


* Does not include one (1) post acute head injury Residential Care Facility with sixty (60) beds.

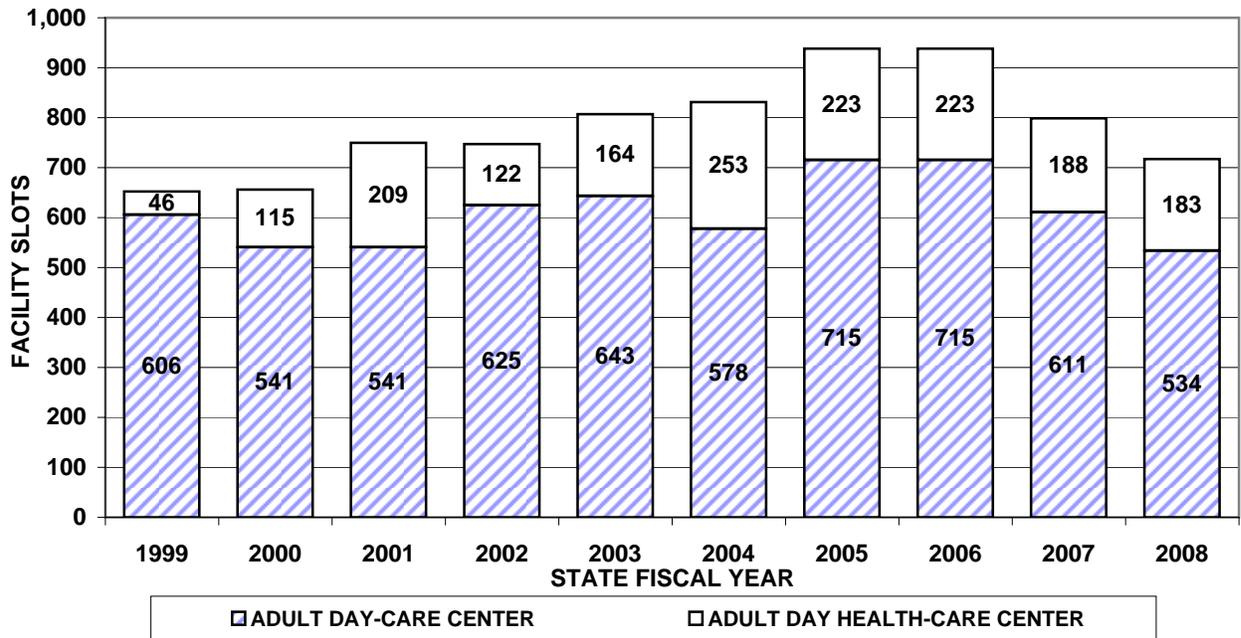
Source: Residential Care Licensure Section

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ADULT DAY CARE FACILITIES SFY 1999-2008



ADULT DAY CARE FACILITY SLOTS SFY 1999-2008



Source: Adult Day Care Licensure Section

DIVISION

OF

VOLUNTEERISM

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DIVISION OF VOLUNTEERISM
SFY 2008**

The Arkansas Office of Volunteerism was created in 1974 by order of Governor Bumpers to implement and administer a statewide immunization program. In 1977, the Office was established by Act 865 to assess and recognize the needs of communities throughout Arkansas and train volunteer coordinators and volunteer organizations in meeting those needs. The division also continues to assist in special projects to meet community needs and to provide greater public awareness and recognition of volunteer efforts. In 1983, the Office of Volunteer Services transferred from the Office of the Governor to the Department of Human Services (DHS). AR Code 25-16-206 officially made the agency a Division of DHS. **The mission of the Division of Volunteerism (DOV) is to promote and support national service and volunteering in Arkansas.** AR Code 25-10-128 (Act 1259 of 1997) expanded the duties of the Division of Volunteerism (DOV) to include assistance to the DHS Division of County Operations with welfare reform initiatives.

The Economic Impact of Arkansas Volunteers:

Each year DOV publishes the study "THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF ARKANSAS VOLUNTEERS". The results of the most recent study are as follows: Eight hundred seventy-seven (877) volunteer organizations reported a total of 19,062,664 hours for an estimated total dollar value of **\$414,678,410**. Had the State of Arkansas paid for the time involved to provide the services donated by volunteers, an additional \$8,264,642,854 in personal income would have been required to generate that sum in general revenues.

Arkansas' Promise:

Arkansas' Promise supports efforts for youth to give back to their communities through the placement of twelve (12) AmeriCorps Promise Fellows in various communities. Promise Fellows activities for the program year 2007-2008 are listed below.

• Youth Projects	202
• Youth Participants	3,521
• Youth Volunteer Hours	7,660
• Adult Volunteer Hours	5,516

AMIGOS "Friends Learning Together":

The mission of the AMIGOS Program is to support and enhance the lives and academic skills of students who speak English as a second language.

During the 2007-08 school year amigos/tutors were placed in seven (7) schools in the Little Rock School District to work with forty students of different nationalities. Ninety-five percent of the teachers said that the Amigos Program is beneficial to their students.

The program ends each year with "La Fiesta", a recognition of the program participants. This year it was attended by 100 volunteers, teachers, and other community partners.

Training & Technical Assistance Provided:

• Faith Based & Community Organizations	510
• Other	2,448
• Total Attendance	4,024
• Grant Station Research	60

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SFY 2008**

Community Service Learning Act 648 of 1993:

In partnership with the Arkansas State Board of Education, this act provides an opportunity for students in grades nine through twelve to perform volunteer service at sites that have applied to and have been sanctioned by the Arkansas State Board of Education. Students may then earn an extra credit toward graduation upon completion of 75 or more volunteer hours. There are 775 approved community sites across the state where student volunteers are engaged in service. DOV is the main point of contact for technical assistance and training as well as record keeping for Act 648 school programs.

Arkansas Volunteer Centers:

Volunteer Centers recruit, refer, and recognize volunteers in their local communities. Volunteer Centers in Arkansas are in the following locations:

- Miller County
- Pulaski County
- Union County
- United Way of Benton County and Washington County

The Summit:

The thirty-third state conference on volunteerism, philanthropy and nonprofit leadership was held in Little Rock in May 2008. The partnership of the Division of Volunteerism and Arkansas Community Foundation hosted over two hundred and fifty (**250**) participants. Twenty workshops were offered during the two-day conference. The sponsors provided 20 full scholarships to students and new attendees.

Arkansas Service Commission:

The Arkansas Service Commission in the DHS Division of Volunteerism has seventeen (17) governor-appointed members and a staff of six. It helps communities in Arkansas obtain federal AmeriCorps funds for competitive, formula, education award, and Promise Fellows programs to address locally identified issues in education, the environment, public safety, homeland security, and other human needs. The Commission is also responsible for monitoring these programs and ensuring complete and timely reports to the funding agency.

The Arkansas Service Commission helped 11 sub applicants get **\$2,573,020** in new federal funding for AmeriCorps programs in SFY 2008, enabling **434** Arkansans to tutor adults and children in schools, translate and serve as advocates for non-English-speaking families in schools, offer parenting education, help uninsured and underinsured citizens get cost-free prescription drugs, serve as environmental stewards and recruit additional volunteers to help with these service activities. AmeriCorps members receive a small living allowance during their year of service and an education award when they successfully complete their service year. The total value of education awards for the year was almost **\$1,175,000**.

The eleven subgrantees are listed on the next page.

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Program and Service Area:

Competitive

	Members
Alternative Classroom Experience (Little Rock)	10FT
Arkansas HIPYPYCorps (Statewide)	13FT/25HT
Garvan Woodland Gardens (Hot Springs)	1FT/3HT/26QT/5MT
Rogers Public Schools (Rogers, Springdale)	30FT/6HT
SEARK Arkansas Smart Start (7 SE Counties)	132HT

Formula

Arkansas Literacy Councils (Statewide)	13FT/14HT
Arkansas' Promise Fellows (Statewide)	12FT
Lonoke School District	10FT
Mid Delta Community Consortium (21 Delta Counties)	12FT,1HT
Winthrop Rockefeller Center (Conway County)	4FT/11HT/6QT/40MT

Education Award

SEARK Future Teacher Initiative (Statewide)	60HT
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11 Programs

Total \$2,573,020

105 FT*
252 HT*
32 QT*
45 MT*

*FT: Full Time (1700 hours), *HT: Half Time (900 hours), *QT: Quarter Time (450 Hours), *MT: Minimum Time (300 hours)

Arkansas Mentors Program:

The goal of the Arkansas Mentors Program is to help families on public assistance (or in danger of being on public assistance) become self-sufficient. The strength of the program is the involvement of community volunteers serving as mentors. The Division of Volunteerism in collaboration with the Division of County Operations and community leaders began the program in 1991. Over the last 16 years it has been active in 49 counties and is currently in seven counties. Local programs are faith and community based as well as state-run with most being a partnership of both. DOV provides start-up and on-going training and technical assistance to local programs. The Division provides limited financial resources to the programs and maintains a monthly tracking system. The system tracks the number of mentors in each program, the number of mentees, and the number of mentees who are working.

See the table below for 2008 average by county.

County	Mentors	Mentees	Mentees Working	Total Clients Served*
Benton	18	91	76	276
Crawford	4	5	3	145
Garland	4	17	6	122
Grant	17	50	23	1,786
Greene	4	125	8	258
Montgomery	18	12	3	97
Sebastian	5	8	4	136
Total:	70	308	123	2,820

* This total represents clients served over the life of the local program.

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The 2008 Arkansas Community Service Award Winners:

The Governor's Office, KARK-TV Channel 4 and the Department of Human Services Division of Volunteerism sponsor an annual awards event to thank Arkansans who have made exceptional contributions of time and services to serving others. The 2008 Arkansas Community Service Award Winners are as follows:

- Evangeline Parker of Little Rock
- John D. Babb of Des Arc
- Joyce Raynor of Little Rock
- D. A. Bradley of Little Rock
- J. J. "Jerry" Jones of Harrison
- Doyle E. Shirley, Jr. of Hot Springs
- Robbie Powell of Conway for Youth Humanitarian
- Metropolitan National Bank of Little Rock received the Large Corporate Humanitarian Award
- The Golden Corral of North Little Rock received the Small Corporate Humanitarian Award.
- Governor Mike Beebe presented the Distinguished Citizen Award to Bud Whetstone of Little Rock

The Arkansas Community of the Year Awards:

The Division collaborates with the Governor's Office and the Arkansas Municipal League to present the Volunteer Community of the Year Awards to twelve communities for outstanding volunteer efforts. The 2007 recipients were Caraway, Clarkridge, Dumas, El Dorado, Fort Smith, Heber Springs, Maumelle, Mountain Home, North Little Rock, Piggott, Texarkana and Van Buren.

Recognition Mail Out:

Special recognition certificates and letters are mailed upon requests from volunteer organizations.

Certificates Provided	
Governor's Certificates	3,258
Governor's Letters	106
Total Certificates Awarded	3,364

Bookmarks Provided	
Bookmarks (All)	5,698

State and Federal Parks Volunteer Program:

DOV provided on-site technical assistance to Pinnacle Mountain, DeGray, and Lower White River State Parks on their volunteer programs. DOV also provided an all-day volunteer management training to twenty-five Corps of Engineer rangers.

Source: Division of Volunteerism

**DIVISION
OF
SERVICES FOR
THE BLIND**

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF SERVICES FOR THE BLIND
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2008**

AGENCY HISTORY

During the 1940's and early 1950's, rudimentary services for blind people were provided by "home teachers" who were employed by the Arkansas Department of Welfare. In 1955, services to blind people were transferred to the Arkansas Rehabilitation Services, then in the Department of Education.

Arkansas Rehabilitation Services for the Blind was created in 1965 by Arkansas Act 180. This Act established a Division of Rehabilitation Services for the Blind within the State Board for Vocational Education. All services for the blind were transferred to said Division from the Arkansas Rehabilitation Services.

Act 38 of 1971 transferred the functions, powers, and duties of the Rehabilitation Services for the Blind to the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services (now the Department of Human Services) and placed them in the Division of Rehabilitation Services.

Arkansas Act 393 of 1975 amended Arkansas Act 38 of 1971 to require that the functions, powers and duties of the Rehabilitation Services for the Blind be located within an Office for the Blind and Visually Impaired in the Division of Rehabilitation Services. Act 393 gave the Office for the Blind and Visually Impaired statutory authority and legal authority to promulgate rules, and established an Advisory Committee appointed by the Governor.

In 1983, a number of consumer, education, and service organizations identified a critical need for specialized services to visually impaired and blind Arkansans. In response to this concern, the Governor and Legislature established the Division of Services for the Blind (DSB) under Act 481. Although previously Arkansas had offered separate services for blind and visually impaired persons, Act 481 provided that the agency should be governed by a policy-making board, the majority of whom must be blind persons. Within the past decade, DSB has been commended for innovative programming, consumer responsiveness, and consistently high performance in the rehabilitation of severely disabled persons.

DSB functions both as a direct service provider and as a consumer agent in locating and purchasing quality services (including medical and educational services; equipment or supplies related to self-sufficiency; job placement or employment services; etc.). All direct services are made available to consumers in their own communities.

DSB serves consumers through three interdependent units: **Field Services**, **Vending Facility Program**, and the **DSB Directors Office**. These three service units were designed by the **DSB Board** to offer two advantages to the State of Arkansas:

1. Enhance the personal self-sufficiency of consumers eliminating costs associated with unnecessary skilled care.
2. Maximize the potential contributions made by consumers as citizens and taxpayers.

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PHILOSOPHY AND GOALS

The Arkansas Division of Services for the Blind is dedicated to the independence of Arkansans who are blind or visually impaired and is committed to the principle that these individuals have the right to make informed choices regarding where they live, where they work, how they participate in the community, and how they interact with others.

Our mission is to work in partnership with these Arkansans by assisting them in obtaining the information they need to make informed choices and by providing them with access to services that increase their opportunities to live as they choose.

Within the constraints of state and federal laws and based on available funds, the Division of Services for the Blind fulfills its mission through the following goals:

1. **Employment** - To assist Arkansans who are blind or visually impaired to secure or maintain employment and consistent with their skills, abilities, and interests.
2. **Rehabilitation Teaching** - To assist Arkansans who are blind or visually impaired to live as independently as possible through the development of skills, accommodations, or adaptations that are necessary to perform all activities of daily living.
3. **Prevention of Blindness** - To assist in preventing blindness by stabilizing vision, and, where possible, restoring vision.

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During the 2008 state fiscal year, DSB provided specialized services to blind and visually impaired persons through two major program units. **Field Services** offered vocational rehabilitation and independent living services to blind and severely visually impaired persons in their homes and communities throughout Arkansas. **Business and Technology Services** provided assessment of technological and job development needs, then prescribed equipment and training plans to meet those needs in a rapidly changing job market and business environment. The DSB Director's Office supported the programs offered above through supplemental administrative services as well as operating the Arkansas Information Reading Services for the Blind Network.

DSB FIELD SERVICES

Vocational Rehabilitation- The objective of the Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) program is to ensure that qualified blind and visually impaired persons work in appropriate careers and become as personally and economically independent as possible. The program assesses consumer needs, plans appropriate services based upon informed consumer choice, and develops and provides cost-effective services for individuals who are blind or severely visually impaired. Consumers usually range in age from 14 to 64. The vocational rehabilitation services provided are consistent with the strengths, resources, priorities, concerns, abilities, capabilities and informed choice of the disabled individual.

To be eligible for DSB services, the individual must have a visual disability. The visual disability must be a substantial impediment to employment. It must be determined that the individual with the visual disability can benefit from vocational rehabilitation services in the achievement of a vocational outcome. Additionally, the individual requires vocational rehabilitation services to prepare for, engage in, or retain gainful employment. After an individual is determined eligible for vocational rehabilitation, services are provided based on the DSB Order of Selection criteria. Priority is given to the individual with the most significant visual disability. **In SFY 2008, DSB served 1,326 vocational rehabilitation consumers, of which 100% were severely disabled. Of this number, 386 blind or severely visually impaired individuals successfully achieved employment outcomes.**

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION (VR) DEMOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN

GENDER	
Male	666
Female	660
Total	1,326

RACE	
White	940
Black	342
Hispanic	21
Indian	11
Asian	6
Other	6
Total	1,326

AGE RANGE	
14-21	211
22-39	308
40-49	269
50-59	312
60-69	211
70+	15
Total	1,326

Jump Start- Under the Vocational Rehabilitation Program, DSB also sponsored a special summer transition program in conjunction with the Arkansas School for the Blind (ASB). The program, dubbed "JUMP START", was designed to combine skills training for independent living with education and summer employment opportunities for blind and visually impaired students. **Thirteen (13)** students successfully completed JUMP START 2008.

JUMP START DEMOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN

GENDER	
Male	6
Female	7
Total	13

RACE	
White	11
Black	2
Hispanic	0
Pacific Islander	0
Other	0
Total	13

AGE RANGE	
16	4
17	5
18	2
19	1
21	1
Total	13

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DIVISION OF SERVICES FOR THE BLIND
SFY 2008**

DSB FIELD SERVICES (CONTINUED)

The **Older Blind Program** provides in-home instructions in the activities of daily living to Arkansans, age 55 and older, who are blind, severely visually impaired or have a rapidly progressive visual impairment. The program assists eligible individuals by teaching independent living skills necessary to remain independent in their homes and communities. DSB, the DHS Division on Aging and Adult Services, and the Division of Health work together to support the independence of older blind persons within the state. **During SFY 2008, DSB served 768 older blind persons. Of these individuals, 383 successfully completed their rehabilitation plans.**

INDEPENDENT LIVING SERVICES FOR OLDER BLIND DEMOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN

GENDER	
Male	217
Female	551
Total	768

RACE	
White	655
Black	97
Hispanic	7
Indian	7
Asian	2
Other	0
Total	768

AGE RANGE	
55-60	78
61-65	62
66-70	62
71-75	85
76-80	139
81-85	144
86+	198
Total	768

Staff Development- This unit is responsible for monitoring agency compliance with federal requirements regarding the Comprehensive System of Personnel Development mandated under the Federal Rehabilitation Act. It assesses all staff development needs under federal standards and acquires or provides appropriate training for professional development and certification. **In SFY 2008, 58 In-Service Training Activities were designed, conducted, and coordinated** in the area of field procedures, management/leadership, computer training, career development, professional enhancement, and organizational development for all levels of positions within the Division. The Division's philosophy is that DSB staff must possess specific knowledge concerning the problems of blindness. Training opportunities are ongoing and coordinated with other state departments and federal agencies to provide the highest quality training possible within available resources.

DSB BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY SERVICES

Consumer Technology- Like their sighted counterparts, blind college students, insurance agents, lawyers, social workers, ministers, physicians, etc., have multiple needs for computers and other technology. Computer systems with prescriptive sensory adaptations are developed by the Consumer Technology Program to enable blind and visually impaired individuals to access the information needed for success in their chosen professions.

During SFY 2008, there were 388 visits made to the Consumer Technology Lab with technology specialists providing consultation and training to 349 individuals. Additionally, numerous public inquiries were made by agencies, businesses, and individuals interested in learning more about adaptive equipment for blind and visually impaired people. The Technology Lab has proven to be valuable in allowing blind individuals to have access to computers for the purpose of gaining experience in using adaptive equipment.

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DSB BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY SERVICES (Continued)

Vending Facility Program- The Vending Facility Program (VFP) provides self-employment business opportunities throughout the state for individuals who are interested in, and have the necessary skills for, private enterprise. The vending locations are managed by totally blind or legally blind persons who have been trained and licensed by the Division of Services for the Blind under the federal Randolph Sheppard Act. In addition to initial training, managers are also provided technical assistance, financial management services and upward mobility training. The program also assesses and recruits potential new locations. It equips locations, maintains and replaces equipment as needed, and provides initial stock inventory. **In fiscal year 2008, \$74,539 was personally spent by the vendors upgrading existing facilities. Licensed blind vendors operated 21 vending locations with sales of over \$1.8 million dollars. There were also 16 mechanical vending locations on Arkansas highways generating income of \$146,107. Vending managers earned commissions on sales totaling \$467,971, an average of \$22,284 annually.**

Volunteer Coordination- In SFY 2008, DSB volunteers participated in various activities with a total of 537 hours. Service was donated in the areas of management, direct services, advocacy, indirect services, special events, education and training, boards/commissions and advisory committee activities. A total of 117 volunteers donated time to DSB staff and consumers and various DSB and DHS projects.

Braille/Tape Production- This unit converts printed materials into Braille, large print, and cassette tape or computer diskette according to the user's preference in order to comply with ADA requirements or the Federal Rehabilitation Act. Services are provided after identifying preference of media choice from the agency's staff, consumers and other professionals throughout the field of blindness: e.g. textbooks, operating manuals, meeting agendas/minutes, training packets, test for employment, etc. This is a unique service specifically designed to meet the blind and visually impaired individual's needs. The service is managed by a Library of Congress Certified Braille Transcriber. **From July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008, the Braille/Tape Production unit received a total of 276 requests for alternative format to print. Two hundred forty-nine (249) requests asked for Braille, resulting in the production of 9,770 Braille pages; as well as 5,836 large print pages, and 49 duplicated cassette tapes.**

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE

The DSB Director's Office provides administrative guidance and supplemental staff support to the previously mentioned programs in the form of recruitment, policy development, and financial services. Additionally, it oversees the operation of the Arkansas Radio Reading Services for the Blind Network (ARRSBN).

Arkansas Information Reading Services for the Blind Network (AIRS)- Operating from the campus of the Arkansas Educational Television Network, the Reading Service provides daily telephone or broadcast readings of state and national newspapers, magazines and other printed material, which are not otherwise accessible to visually impaired and physically handicapped individuals. Consumers receive the audio programs either by tuning in to a particular television channel in their area or by listening to a specially designed radio provided by AIRS. **While the number of consumers who access the service by personal television is impossible to determine, in SFY 2008, the Arkansas Information Reading Services for the Blind Network served 650 consumers throughout Arkansas utilizing the specially tuned radios. Some 275 consumers also utilized the telephone reader service that provides the reading of selected text upon demand from local, state and national sources.**

DIVISION OF

YOUTH

SERVICES

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2008**

Mission

The Division of Youth Services (DYS) provides in a manner consistent with public safety, a system of high quality programs to address the needs of the juveniles who come in contact with, or are at risk of coming into contact with the juvenile justice system. To accomplish this mission DHS will:

1. Provide safe, secure, and effective individual treatment for juveniles to enhance integration back into society with the life skills that promote a crime-free productive life style.
2. Provide a forum for coordination, collaboration, and improvement of the juvenile justice system continuum.
3. Provide effective community-based early intervention, prevention, diversion, and community reentry programs.

Historic Overview of DHS

Act 199 of 1905 established the first reform schools in Arkansas in Little Rock and Alexander, respectively.

Act 67 of 1917, the Arkansas Boys' Reform School was relocated to Pine Bluff.

Act 60 of 1937 established two additional "training" schools at Wrightsville and Fargo.

In 1968, the Department for Rehabilitative Services was assigned responsibility to administer "training" schools. The Benton Services Center was opened and controlled the diagnosis and intake responsibilities regarding the youth committed to state custody.

In 1971, Act 38 established the Department of Social and Rehabilitative Services (SRS), a fore-runner to the current Department of Human Services. The Office of Juvenile Services was placed under the direction of the Director of SRS. In 1977, the Division of Youth Services was formally created as a division within the present Department of Human Services (DHS).

In 1985, Act 348 merged the Division of Youth Services with the Division of Children and Family Services until Act 1296 of 1993 reestablished DHS as an independent division [within DHS]. The Division of Youth Services (DYS) was authorized by Act 1296 to be "devoted entirely to handling the problems of youths involved in the juvenile justice system." DHS became operational in October 1993 and is responsible for client-specific programming and individual treatment programs, serious offender programs for violent youth offenders, providing alternative community-based programming, and other services specified directly by Act 1296.

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In SFY 2008, the Division of Youth Services contracted with Community Based Providers (CBP) for the following services: Targeted Casework Management, Therapy, Diagnosis and Evaluation, Intensive Casework Management, Interstate Compact, Emergency Shelter and Residential Treatment. In addition, the Community Based Providers provided sanction services that included Community Service Supervision, Intensive Supervision and Tracking, Compliance Monitoring, Drug Screening, Day Services Level I, Day Services Level II, and Crisis Residential Treatment. Funding for community/based services was allocated to each judicial district, with one contractor servicing each district. The providers in each district conducted a needs survey in order to provide the services most beneficial to the youth in their individual areas. Aftercare services were provided in accordance with ACT 1222, with quarterly reports submitted to the Legislative Committee on Children and Youth.

The Division also contracts for Specialized Services including: Therapeutic Group Home Services, Comprehensive Residential Treatment Services in Psychiatric facilities, Sex Offender Treatment Services, Socialization/Recreation Services, Therapeutic Foster Care, Diagnosis and Evaluation and Therapy. Six Serious Offender Programs, four with 30 beds, one with 26, and one with 27 beds, have contracts with DYS.

The Residential Facilities programs had direct expenses in the amount of \$21,206,435. The Community Based programs had direct expenses in the amount of \$16,655,763. The Residential Treatment programs had direct expenses in the amount of \$4,392,354. Total funding was \$42,254,552.

Community Based Programs and Services Providers

Comprehensive Juvenile Services - Fort Smith
Consolidated Youth Services - Jonesboro
Conway County Community Services, Inc. - Morrilton
Counseling Clinic - Benton
East Arkansas Youth Services, Inc. - Marion
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc. - Batesville
Ouachita Children's Center - Hot Springs
Phoenix Youth and Family Services - Crossett
Professional Counseling Associates - Lonoke
South Arkansas Youth Services, Inc. - Magnolia
Southwest Arkansas Counseling & Mental Health Center - Texarkana
United Family Services, Inc. - Pine Bluff
Youth Bridge, Inc. - Fayetteville

Specialized Services Contractors

Arkansas State Hospital Unit, ASH - Little Rock
Centers for Youth and Families - Little Rock
Consolidated Youth Services - Jonesboro
Living Hope Southwest Medical Services - Texarkana
Habilitation Services, Inc., dba Millcreek of Arkansas - Fordyce
Piney Ridge - Fayetteville
Rivendell Behavior Health Services - Benton
South Arkansas Youth Services, Inc. - Magnolia
Vera Lloyd - Little Rock
Youth Bridge Therapeutic Group Home - Fayetteville
Youth Bridge Substance Abuse Treatment - Fayetteville
Youth Home - Little Rock

Substance Abuse Treatment Contractors

All contractors are responsible for providing substance abuse treatment pursuant to their contract.

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Serious Offender Programs

Alexander Juvenile Correctional Facility (JUMP)
Colt Juvenile Treatment Center
Harrisburg Juvenile Treatment Center
Mansfield Juvenile Treatment Center
Mansfield Juvenile Treatment Center for Girls
Dermott Juvenile Treatment Center
Dermott Juvenile Correctional Facility
Lewisville Juvenile Treatment Center

Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (JJDP)

The Arkansas Coalition for Juvenile Justice (ACJJ), which is appointed by the governor, participates in the development and review of the State Plan prior to implementation and is afforded the opportunity to review and submit recommendations to the DYS Director on all juvenile justice and delinquency grant applications. In SFY 2008, the primary goal of the ACJJ and DYS was disproportionate minority contact, as well as, the removal of juveniles from adult jails and lockups assuring that those who needed detention were held in appropriate facilities. To accomplish this, the ACJJ recommended and the Division of Youth Services approved Title II Funds to fourteen agencies/organizations.

Of the fourteen subgrants, three subgrants offer Gender Specific Services. Four subgrants offer Disproportionate Minority Contact Services (DMC) with the goal of reducing over representation of minority youth along the entire continuum of the juvenile justice system. Three subgrants provide alternatives to the De-institutionalization of Status Offenders. One subgrant is Mental Health aimed at addressing mental health issues of juvenile. One subgrant is for System Improvement. One subgrant is for Delinquency Prevention. One subgrant is for School Programs.

JJDP Title II Formula Grants

Subgrantee	County	Type of Service	# Of Clients Served	Counties Served	Subgrant Period
Scotty Scholl Communications	Statewide	Information Services	N/A	Statewide	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
Magnolia Public School	Columbia	School Program	32	Columbia	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
United Family	Jefferson	Disproportionate Minority Contact Services	11	Jefferson	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
Baxter County Juvenile Services	Baxter	De-institutionalization of Status Offenders	69	Baxter, Marion	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
TOPPS	Jefferson	Gender Specific Services	46	Jefferson	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
East Arkansas Youth Services	Crittenden	Disproportionate Minority Contact Services	139	Crittenden, St. Francis & Phillips	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
Youth Home, Inc.	Pulaski	Gender Specific Services	10	Pulaski	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
Phoenix Youth & Families	Ashley	Disproportionate Minority Contact Services	83	Ashley, Drew, Desha, Bradley & Chicot	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
Pulaski County Juvenile Services	Pulaski	Disproportionate Minority Contact Services	43	Pulaski	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
Pulaski County (6th Judicial District)	Pulaski	De-institutionalization of Status Offenders	20	Pulaski	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
Holman Community Development Corp.	Arkansas	Delinquency Prevention	155	Arkansas	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
Garland County Juvenile Detention	Garland	Mental Health	48	Garland	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
Jefferson County Truancy Program	Jefferson	De-institutionalization of Status Offenders	292	Jefferson	07/01/07 - 06/30/08
Simone's Home, Inc.	Pulaski	Gender Specific Services	55	Pulaski	07/01/07 - 06/30/08

JJDP Title V Formula Grants

There were no Title V Grants issued this State Fiscal Year.

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COMMITMENTS TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS*

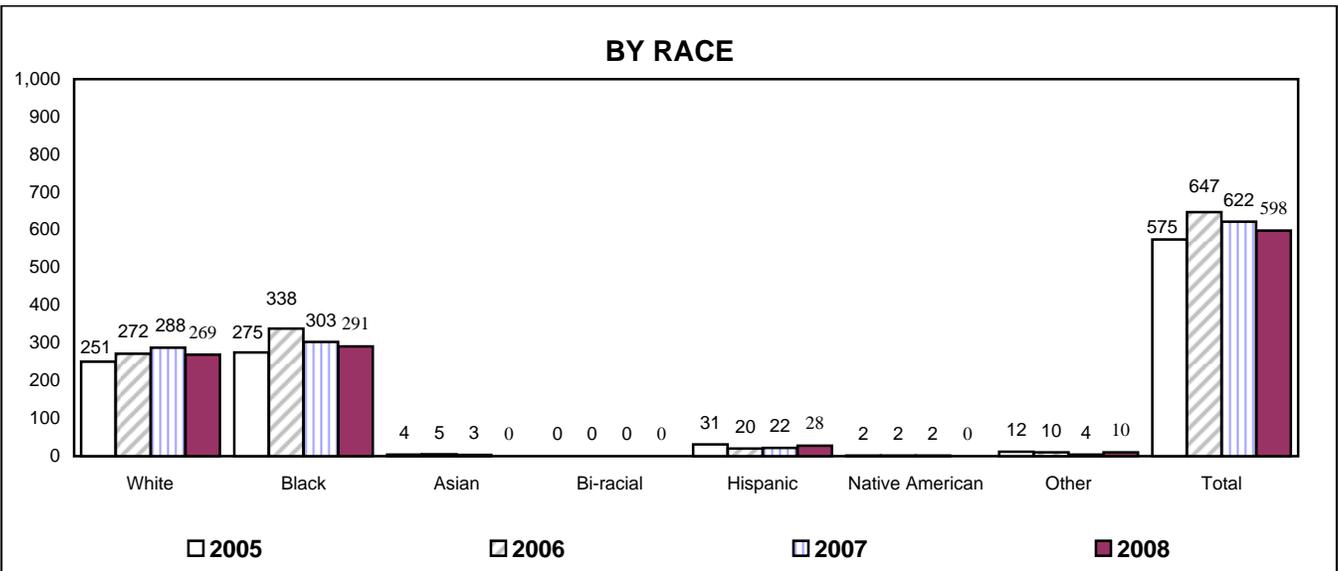
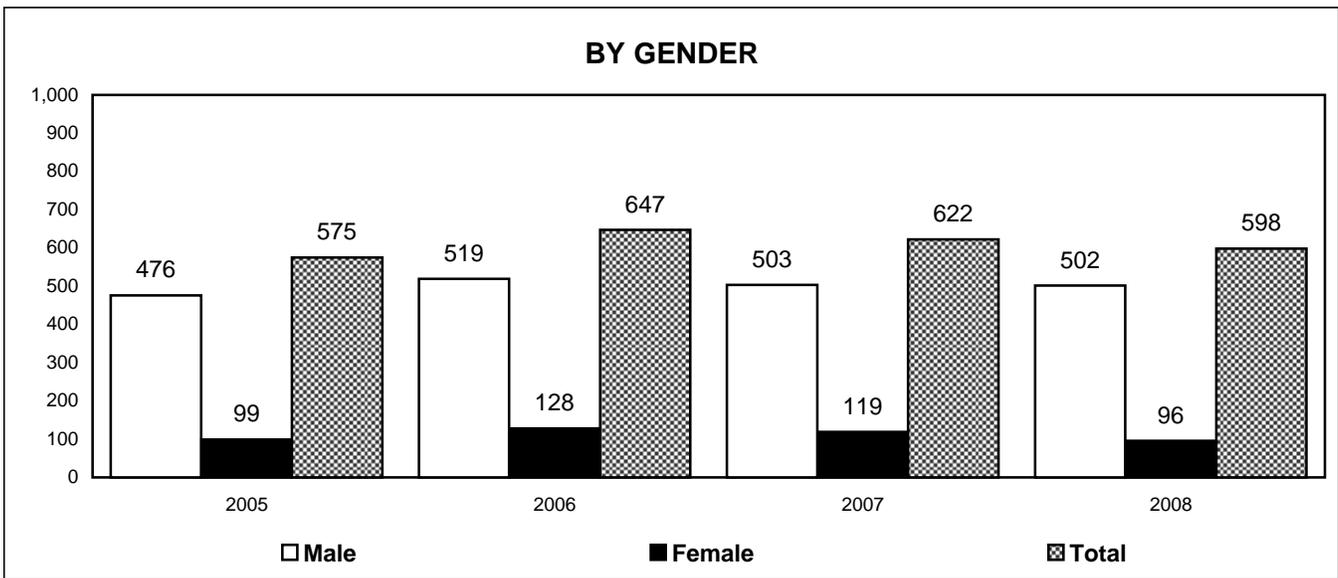
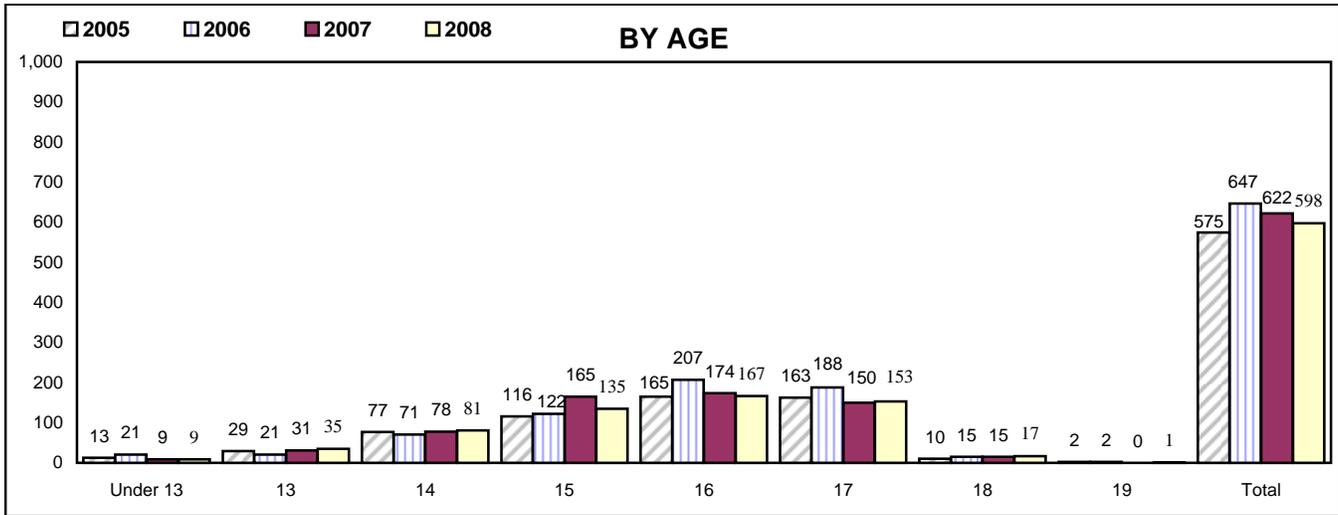
SFY 2008



Total Number of Commitments: **598**

***All commitments were counted even if a juvenile received one or more new commitment orders in the same case. Each was counted as a new commitment.**

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS COMMITTED
TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
BY MOST SERIOUS FELONY OFFENSES
SFY 1999 to 2008**

Felony Offense	Fiscal Year									
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Arson	4	1	2	8	3	0	2	3	4	6
Battery, First Degree	5	4	1	3	5	1	7	1	2	2
Burglary (d)	119	108	59	91	70	74	52	55	60	73
Kidnapping	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Murder (a) (1)	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Rape (2)	16	16	17	15	17	22	19	17	14	17
Robbery (b)	25	12	4	8	9	4	17	15	12	22
Total Commitments of Selected Offenses	173	143	83	126	104	101	97	91	92	122

Total Commitments of All Offenses (c)	745	750	597	516	528	531	575	647	622	598
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(a) Includes Capital, First Degree and Second Degree Murder.

(b) Includes Aggravated Robbery and Robbery.

(c) Includes Commitments for "Evaluation Only".

(d) Includes Burglary Commercial and Residential.

(1) Includes Attempted Capital Murder, Conspiracy to Commit Capital Murder, Conspiracy to Commit Murder- Second Degree, and Criminal Attempt Murder-Second Degree.

(2) Includes Criminal Attempted Rape.

Commitments By Offense Class

SFY	Felonies	Misdemeanors	Total
1999	489	256	745
2000	468	276	744
2001	307	261	568
2002	327	186	513
2003	306	217	523
2004	336	195	531
2005	328	245	573
2006	354	293	647
2007	359	260	619
2008	379	214	593

(1) Six (6) commitments were a result of violation or revocation of probation.

(2) Twenty-nine (29) commitments were a result of violation or revocation of probation.

(3) Three (3) commitments were a result of violation or revocation of probation.

(4) Five (5) commitments were a result of violation or revocation of probation.

(5) Two (2) commitments were a result of violation or revocation of probation.

(6) Three (3) commitments were a result of aftercare probation.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS COMMITTED
TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
BY CATEGORY OF OFFENSE AND SEVERITY
SFY 2008**

Offense Category	Sex	Felony*							Misdemeanor					Total Offenses
		Y	A	B	C	D	U	Total	A	B	C	U	Total	
Person	Male	32	9	33	3	50	0	127	50	0	5	0	55	182
	Female	0	0	4	0	9	0	13	18	0	0	0	18	31
	Total	32	9	37	3	59	0	140	68	0	5	0	73	213
Property	Male	1	2	79	78	22	0	182	33	2	1	0	36	218
	Female	0	0	4	6	8	0	18	8	2	0	0	10	28
	Total	1	2	83	84	30	0	200	41	4	1	0	46	246
Public Order	Male	2	0	1	1	3	0	7	18	0	27	1	46	53
	Female	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	6	3	10	0	19	21
	Total	2	0	1	2	4	0	9	24	3	37	1	65	74
Drug Law Violation	Male	1	0	2	13	5	0	21	16	0	0	0	16	37
	Female	0	0	0	6	1	0	7	3	0	0	0	3	10
	Total	1	0	2	19	6	0	28	19	0	0	0	19	47
Other	Male	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	4	0	0	6	10	12
	Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	4	6	6
	Total	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	5	1	0	10	16	18
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Totals	Male	36	11	115	95	82	0	339	121	2	33	7	163	502
	Female	0	0	8	13	19	0	40	36	6	10	4	56	96
	Total	36	11	123	108	101	0	379	157	8	43	11	219	598

* The severity of the offense ranges from Felony classification Y being the most serious to Misdemeanor classification U being the least serious.

** The five Violations were classified under Other as Misdemeanor Classification U.

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PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OFFENSE AGAINST PERSON
SFY 2005 - 2008**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2005	SFY 2006	SFY 2007	SFY 2008
Felony	A	Attempted Aggravated Robbery	0	0	0	3
	A	Attempted Capital Murder	0	0	0	1
	A	Battery, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	A	Carnal Abuse	0	0	0	0
	A	Criminal Attempt	0	1	3	4
	A	Sexual Abuse	0	0	0	0
	A	Sexual Assault, First Degree	1	1	0	1
	B	Abuse of Adults	0	0	1	0
	B	Battery, First Degree	7	1	2	2
	B	Carnal Abuse, First Degree	1	0	0	0
	B	Domestic Battery	0	1	1	1
	B	Hindering Apprehension	2	1	0	0
	B	Murder, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	B	Robbery	8	15	12	8
	B	Sexual Abuse, Second Degree	1	0	0	0
	B	Sexual Assault, Second Degree	12	10	15	21
	B	Terroristic Act	2	1	0	5
	C	Domestic Battery, Second Degree	2	1	2	1
	C	Engage Child in Sex Explct - 1st Off	1	0	0	0
	C	Employ/Consent to Use Child in Sexual Performance	0	0	0	1
	C	Furnishing Prohibited Articles	0	1	0	0
C	Incest	0	0	0	0	
C	Intimidating a Witness	0	0	0	0	
C	Negligent Homicide	0	0	1	0	
C	Sexual Abuse	0	0	0	0	
C	Sexual Abuse, First Degree	2	0	0	0	
C	Sexual Assault, Third Degree	0	1	2	1	
C	Stalking, Second Degree	1	0	0	0	
C	Trans/Dstrbtn Mat Depct Child, First Offense	0	0	0	0	
D	Aggravated Assault	13	12	13	7	
D	Aggravated Assault on Family of Household Member	4	1	2	2	
D	Aggravated Robbery	0	0	0	2	
D	Battering, Domestic - 3rd Degree	0	0	2	2	
D	Battery, Second Degree	13	22	14	25	
D	Communicating False Alarm	0	3	2	2	
D	Death Threat - School Employee or Student	0	1	0	0	
D	Domestic Battery, Second Degree	0	0	0	0	
D	Domestic Battery, Third Degree	0	0	0	0	
D	Failure to Stop After Accident W/Injury or Death	0	1	0	1	
D	Sexual Assault - 4th Degree	0	0	0	3	
D	Sexual Solicitation of a Child	1	2	1	0	
D	Terroristic Threatening, First Degree	14	23	18	15	
Y	Aggravated Robbery	9	12	15	14	
Y	Capital Murder	0	0	0	0	
Y	Kidnapping	0	0	0	0	
Y	Murder, First Degree	0	0	0	1	
Y	Rape	19	17	14	17	
Total Felony Offenses			113	128	120	140

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PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OFFENSE AGAINST PERSON
SFY 2005 - 2008**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2005	SFY 2006	SFY 2007	SFY 2008
Misdemeanor	A	Assault, First Degree	2	5	4	4
	A	Assault Family or Household Member, First Degree	0	1	1	1
	A	Battery, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	A	Battery, Third Degree	31	33	34	33
	A	Battery, Fourth Degree	0	0	0	0
	A	Communicating False Alarm	0	0	0	0
	A	Domestic Battery	0	0	0	0
	A	Domestic Battery, Third Degree	16	20	13	10
	A	Endangering Welfare of a Minor, Second Degree	1	0	0	1
	A	Negligent Homicide	0	0	1	0
	A	Sexual Abuse, Second Degree	0	0	1	0
	A	Sexual Assault, Fourth Degree	0	1	0	0
	A	Sexual Misconduct	0	0	0	0
	A	Terroristic Threatening	0	0	0	0
	A	Terroristic Threatening, Second Degree	10	12	13	19
	B	Assault Family of Household Member, Second Degree	0	0	3	0
	B	Assault, Second Degree	2	6	3	0
	B	Sexual Misconduct	0	0	0	0
	B	Terroristic Threatening, Second Degree	1	0	1	0
C	Assault, Third Degree	4	4	4	5	
C	Assault Family or Household Member, Third Degree	3	1	7	0	
C	Domestic Assault, Third Degree	0	0	0	0	
C	Domestic Battery	0	0	0	0	
U	Insult or Abuse of a Teacher	0	1	1	0	
U	Unlawful Distribution of Prescription Drugs	0	0	0	0	
U	Using Abusive Language to School Bus Driver	1	0	0	0	
Total Misdemeanor Offenses			71	84	86	73
Total Commitments for Offense Against Person			184	212	206	213

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OFFENSE AGAINST PROPERTY
SFY 2005 - 2008**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade		SFY 2005	SFY 2006	SFY 2007	SFY 2008
Felony	A	Arson	0	0	0	2
	A	Criminal Attempt	0	0	0	0
	B	Arson	1	2	0	1
	B	Burglary	38	7	6	8
	B	Criminal Attempt	1	0	1	2
	B	Forgery, First Degree	0	0	0	1
	B	Residential Burglary	0	36	37	49
	B	Robbery	0	0	0	0
	B	Theft of Services	0	0	0	0
	B	Theft of Property	28	24	22	19
	B	Theft by Receiving	11	5	7	3
	C	Arson	0	0	1	1
	C	Burglary	0	0	0	0
	C	Commercial Burglary	14	12	17	16
	C	Criminal Attempt	0	2	4	3
	C	Criminal Mischief	0	0	0	0
	C	Criminal Mischief, First Degree	9	13	15	12
	C	Defacing Objects of Public Interest>\$250	0	0	0	0
	C	Forgery	0	0	0	0
C	Forgery, Second Degree	6	5	6	3	
C	Fraudulent Use of a Credit Card	0	0	0	1	
C	Impairing the Operation of a Vital Public Facility	0	0	0	0	
C	Theft of Property	36	34	33	37	
C	Theft of Services	1	0	0	1	
C	Theft by Receiving	4	14	7	10	
D	Arson	0	0	1	1	
D	Breaking or Entering	26	19	27	24	
D	Burglary	0	0	0	0	
D	Commercial Burglary	0	0	0	0	
D	Conspiracy to Commit Commercial Burglary	0	0	0	0	
D	Criminal Attempt	0	2	2	1	
D	Criminal Attempt, Commercial Burglary	0	0	0	0	
D	Criminal Attempt, Burglary	0	0	0	0	
D	Criminal Mischief	1	1	1	3	
D	Reckless Burning	0	1	0	1	
D	Theft by Receiving	0	0	0	0	
D	Theft of Property	1	2	4	0	
Y	Arson \$100,000 or more		1	1	0	1
Total Felony Offenses			178	180	191	200

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COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OFFENSE AGAINST PROPERTY
SFY 2005 - 2008**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2005	SFY 2006	SFY 2007	SFY 2008	
Misdemeanor	A	Amount of Theft	0	1	0	0	
	A	Arson less than \$500	0	0	2	0	
	A	Criminal Attempt	1	1	2	0	
	A	Criminal Impersonation	0	0	0	0	
	A	Criminal Mischief, First Degree	7	7	7	8	
	A	Criminal Mischief, Second Degree	2	2	3	4	
	A	Defacing Public Building	0	0	0	0	
	A	Fraudulent Use of a Credit Card	0	0	0	0	
	A	Shoplifting	3	2	3	1	
	A	Theft by Receiving	4	9	8	1	
	A	Theft of Motor Fuel	0	0	1	0	
	A	Theft of Property	48	40	39	18	
	A	Theft of Services	0	1	0	0	
	A	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle	7	12	4	9	
		B	Criminal Mischief, Second Degree	2	5	1	2
		B	Criminal Mischief	0	0	0	0
		B	Criminal Trespass	7	10	7	2
		C	Criminal Mischief	0	0	0	0
		C	Criminal Trespass (Non-Occupied Structure or Vehicle)	0	0	0	0
		C	Criminal Trespass	1	3	1	1
	C	Theft by Receiving	0	0	0	0	
	U	Shoplifting	1	0	2	0	
Total Misdemeanor Offenses			83	93	80	46	
Total Commitments for Offense Against Property			261	273	271	246	

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OFFENSE AGAINST PUBLIC ORDER
SFY 2005 - 2008**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2005	SFY 2006	SFY 2007
Felony	B	Unlawful Discharge of Firearm Veh, Second Degree	0	0	0
	C	Escape, First Degree	0	2	2
	C	Failure to Appear	2	1	0
	C	Fleeing	3	1	1
	C	Hindering Apprehension	0	0	0
	C	Intimidating a Witness	0	0	0
	D	Absconding	8	7	3
	D	Escape, Second Degree	2	6	4
	D	Fleeing	1	2	1
	D	Handgun Minor in Possession, Second Offense	0	3	1
	D	Handgun Poss. Campus Inst Higher Education	0	1	1
	D	Handgun Poss. Pub School Property/Bus	0	1	0
	D	Inciting a Riot	1	0	5
	D	Indecent Exposure	0	0	0
	D	Threatening to Cause a Catastrophe	0	0	0
	U	Engage In Continuous Crime Gang, Second Degree	0	0	0
	Y	Simulate Poss. of Drugs and Firearms	0	0	1
Total Felony Offenses			17	24	19
Misdemeanor	A	Disorderly Conduct	0	0	0
	A	Escape	0	0	0
	A	Escape, Third Degree	1	3	2
	A	Failure to Appear	4	2	1
	A	Fleeing	2	3	2
	A	Handgun Minor in Possession, First Offense	1	5	6
	A	Harassing Communications	0	0	0
	A	Harassment	0	1	3
	A	Hindering Apprehension	0	0	0
	A	Indecent Exposure	1	1	3
	A	Minor in Possession of Handgun	0	0	0
	A	Obstructing Governmental Operations	1	4	4
	A	Public Intoxication	0	0	0
	A	Public Sexual Indecency	2	2	3
	A	Refusal to Submit to Arrest	0	0	0
	A	Resisting Arrest	4	5	3
	B	Fail to Report Suspected Abuse of Adults	0	0	0
	B	Fleeing	1	0	2
	B	Prostitution, First Offense	0	0	0
	C	Battery, Third Degree	0	0	0
	C	Disorderly Conduct	15	35	25
	C	Fleeing	1	3	2
	C	Littering, First Offense	0	0	0
	C	Obstructing Governmental Operations	4	5	2
	C	Obstructing Hwy or Other Public Place	4	5	2
	C	Public Intoxication	6	1	3
	U	Contempt of Court	1	1	1
	U	No Driver's License	0	0	0
Total Misdemeanor Offenses			48	76	64
Total Commitments for Offense Against Public Order			65	100	83

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS
SFY 2005 - 2008**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2005	SFY 2006	SFY 2007	SFY 2008
Felony	A	Conspiracy to Manufacture Controlled Substance	0	0	0	0
	A	Delivery of Controlled Substance	0	0	0	0
	B	Deliver Drug Paraphernalia to anyone < 18	0	0	0	0
	B	Intro Cont-Sub into Another's Body I-III	0	0	0	1
	B	Maintain Drug Premises Near Drug Free Zone	0	0	1	0
	B	Manf Etc Controlled Substance, Sch I, II, III	0	5	0	0
	B	Possession of a Counterfeit Substance	0	0	0	0
	B	Possession of a Counterfeit Substance (Intent to Deliver)	0	0	0	0
	B	Possession, Etc Counterfeit Subt with Intent SCH I, II	0	0	1	1
	C	Delivery of a Controlled Substance	0	0	0	0
	C	Delivery, Possession, Manufacture, Etc. Drug Paraphernalia	3	1	1	1
	C	Manufacture, Delivery, Possession Marijuana < 10 pounds	0	0	1	0
	C	Manufacture, Etc. Controlled Substance, Sch IV, V	1	1	4	1
	C	Possession Ctrl/Cnft Sub w/o Prescription, Third Offense	4	4	5	8
	C	Possession of a Counterfeit Substance (Intent to Deliver)	3	2	0	0
	C	Possession of Controlled Substance	1	0	0	0
	C	Possession of Controlled Substance Sch I, II	0	3	6	6
	C	Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	0	0	0	0
	C	Possession of Marijuana <10 lbs	0	0	0	1
	C	Possession of Marijuana > = 10 < 100 lbs	0	1	0	1
	C	Possession of Marijuana with Intent to Deliver	0	0	0	0
	C	Possession, Etc Counterfeit Subt with Intent SCH I-V	0	0	4	1
	D	Poss. of Ctrl/Counterfeit Subs w/o Presc, Second Offense	2	3	0	5
	D	Possession of Controlled Substance (Intent to Deliver)	0	1	0	0
	D	Poss, Etc Cntrft Sub W-Intent Unclass Sch	0	0	0	1
	D	Non-Controlled Substance Rep as Class Ctrl Substance	0	0	1	0
	U	Unlawful Sale Delv Depressants Stimulants	0	0	0	0
	Y	Manufactured Etc Controlled Substance ≥\$400<28gms	0	1	0	0
	Y	Manuf Etc Controlled Substance Sch 1, 11 ≥28<200g	2	0	0	0
	Y	Manuf Etc Controlled Substance Sch 1, 11	3	0	1	0
	Y	Possession of Cocaine	0	0	0	0
	Y	Possession of Cocaine With Intent to Deliver	0	0	0	0
Y	Possession of Controlled Substance (Intent to Deliver)	0	0	0	0	
Y	Manufactured, Del, Possession Controlled Subs Sch 1, 11 <28	0	0	0	1	
Y	Simultaneous Possession of Drugs & Firearms	0	0	0	0	
Total Felony Offenses			19	22	25	28
Misdemeanor	A	Delv, Poss., Manu, Etc. Drug Paraphernalia/Ctrfet Ctrl Sub	0	4	5	0
	A	Possession of a Controlled Substance on School Property	0	0	0	0
	A	Poss. of a Ctrl/Counterfeit Subs w/o Presc, First Offense	28	27	18	19
	A	Possession of a Counterfeit Substance	0	0	0	0
	A	Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	1	0	0	0
	A	Possession of a Instrument of Crime	0	0	0	0
	U	Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	0	0	1	0
Total Misdemeanor Offenses			29	31	24	19
Total Commitments for Drug Law Violation			48	53	49	47

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PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OTHER OFFENSES
SFY 2005 - 2008**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2005	SFY 2006	SFY 2007	SFY 2008
Felony	B	Arson	0	0	0	0
	B	Criminal Possession of Explosives	0	0	0	0
	B	Criminal Use of a Prohibited Weapon	1	0	0	0
	B	Furnishing a Deadly Weapon to a Minor (Gun)	0	0	0	0
	B	Residential Burglary	0	0	0	0
	B	Unlawful Discharge of Firearm	0	0	0	0
	C	Criminal Mischief	0	0	0	0
	C	Failure to Appear	0	0	0	0
	C	Interfering with Law Enforcement Officer	0	0	2	0
	D	Absconding	0	0	0	0
	D	Abuse of a Corpse	0	0	0	0
	D	Carrying a Weapon on School Property	0	0	0	0
	D	Criminal Use of a Prohibited Firearm	0	0	0	0
	D	Criminal Use of a Prohibited Weapon	0	0	0	0
	D	Criminal Use of a Prohibited Weapon, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	D	Defacing a Firearm	0	0	0	1
	D	Escape, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	D	Filing False Report of Criminal Wrong Doing	0	0	0	0
	D	Minor in Possession of Handgun	0	0	0	0
	D	Possession of Defaced Firearm	0	0	0	0
D	Possession of a Fireman by Certain Persons	0	0	0	1	
D	Threatening a Fire or Bombing	0	0	1	0	
U	Engaging in Violent Criminal Group Activity	0	0	1	0	
Total Felony Offenses			1	0	4	2

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PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OTHER OFFENSES
SFY 2005 - 2008**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2005	SFY 2006	SFY 2007	SFY 2008	
Misdemeanor	A	Attempt to Influence Public Servant	0	0	0	1	
	A	Carrying Certain Prohibited Weapons	5	1	1	3	
	A	Communicating a False Alarm	0	0	0	0	
	A	Conspiracy to Commit Escape, Second Degree	0	0	0	0	
	A	Criminal Mischief	0	0	0	0	
	A	Cruelty to Animals	1	0	0	0	
	A	Escape, Third Degree	0	0	0	0	
	A	Failure to Appear	0	0	0	0	
	A	Filing False Rept of Crim Wrong Doing	1	0	0	0	
	A	Harassing Communications	0	0	0	0	
	A	Minor in Possession of a Handgun	0	0	0	0	
	A	Obstructing Governmental Operations	0	0	0	0	
	A	Possession of a Firearm by Certain Persons	1	0	0	0	
	A	Possession of a Instrument of Crime	2	5	3	1	
	A	Shoplifting	0	0	0	0	
	A	Threatening a Fire or Bombing	1	0	0	0	
		B	Criminal Trespass	0	0	0	0
		B	Refusal to Submit to Arrest	2	1	0	1
		C	Criminal Trespass	0	0	0	0
		C	Disorderly Conduct	0	0	0	0
	C	Failure to Appear	0	0	0	0	
	C	Possession of Paging Device at School	0	0	0	0	
	U	Carrying a Knife	0	0	0	0	
	U	Contempt of Court	0	0	0	0	
	U	Criminal Contempt	5	5	4	3	
	U	Purchase/Poss. Intox Liquor by Minor	0	1	0	2	
	U	Minor in Possession of Alcohol	0	0	0	0	
	U	Revocation of Probation	2	0	0	1	
	U	Aftercare Violation	0	0	3	4	
Total Misdemeanor Offenses			20	13	11	16	
Total Commitments for Other Offenses			21	13	15	18	

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NUMBER OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
RECOMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
SFY 2004 - 2008**

SFY	Sex	Total Commitments	Number of Prior Commitments								N/A	
			0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7+		
2004	Male	458	438	17	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Female	73	67	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	531	505	23	3	0						

Recommitment Rate = 4.89%

Note: Based on commitment orders for new cases only.

2005	Male	476	429	42	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Female	99	96	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	575	525	44	6	0						

Recommitment Rate = 8.69%

Note: Based on commitment orders for new cases only.

2006	Male	519	417	69	19	11	3	0	0	0	0	0
	Female	128	100	18	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	647	517	87	23	15	5	0	0	0	0	0

Recommitment Rate = 20%

Note: Based on all new commitment orders regardless of case.

2007	Male	503	393	82	21	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Female	119	92	20	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	622	485	102	27	6	2	0	0	0	0	0

Recommitment Rate = 22%

Note: Based on all new commitment orders regardless of case.

2008	Male	502	380	94	21	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Female	96	63	25	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	598	443	119	27	8	1	0	0	0	0	0

Recommitment Rate = 26%

Note: Based on all new commitment orders regardless of case.

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NUMBER OF JUVENILES REFERRED
TO ALTERNATE PLACEMENT FACILITIES
SFY 2008**

Facility	Number of Placements		
	Male	Female	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	24	1	25
BHC - Pinnacle Point Hospital	2	0	2
Centers for Youth and Families/Psych	4	2	6
Consolidated Youth Services - CYS/ASAP	12	0	12
Living Hope	46	20	66
Millcreek of Arkansas	8	8	16
Piney Ridge	13	1	14
Rivendell Behavioral Health Services	112	53	165
South Arkansas Youth Services, Inc.	46	0	46
South Arkansas Youth Services, Inc. for Girls	0	35	35
Vera Lloyd	21	17	38
Youth Bridge, Inc. (YB/SAT)	33	0	33
Youth Bridge Inc. (YBTH)	54	0	54
Youth Home, Inc.	1	0	1
Total	376	137	513

Average Length-of-Stay of Adjudicated Delinquents*

A. Juvenile Correctional Facilities	117 days
B. Juvenile Treatment Centers	216 days
C. Specialized Placements	209 days
D. Juvenile Detention Centers	27 days

*Represents the length of time at the listed location and not the length of time since commitment to DYS.

**Number of Adjudicated Delinquents Admitted
to Serious Offender Programs**

Serious Offender Program	Number of Admissions	
	Male	Female
Alexander Juvenile Correctional Facility (JUMP)	38	0
Colt Juvenile Treatment Center	60	0
Dermott Juvenile Correctional Facility (18-21)	47	0
Dermott Juvenile Treatment Center	79	0
Harrisburg Juvenile Treatment Center	81	0
Lewisville Juvenile Treatment Center	83	0
Mansfield Juvenile Treatment Center	60	0
Mansfield Juvenile Treatment Center for Girls	0	50
Total	448	50

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
COMMUNITY-BASED YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAMS
SFY 2008**

The Community-based program network consists of 13 privately-operated non-profit organizations for SFY 2008. The division contracts with these programs to provide residential and non-residential services to youth up to the age of 21 who are adjudicated delinquents, members of "families in need of service", or youth at risk (youth who exhibit behavior that, if continued, would bring them into contact with the juvenile justice system).

**COMMUNITY-BASED PROGRAM INTAKES
BY PROVIDER BY GENDER**

Provider	Males	Females	Total
Comprehensive Juvenile Services	376	147	523
Consolidated Youth Services	382	233	615
Conway County Community Services	768	427	1,195
Counseling Clinic	891	738	1,629
East Arkansas Youth Services, Inc.	156	50	206
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	268	138	406
Ouachita Children's Center, Inc.	195	134	329
Phoenix Youth and Family Services	181	82	263
Professional Counseling Associates	62	44	106
South Arkansas Youth Services	161	97	258
Southwest AR Counseling and Mental Health Center	318	136	454
United Family Services, Inc.	957	566	1,523
Youth Bridge, Inc.	497	252	749
TOTAL	5,212	3,044	8,256

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COMMUNITY-BASED INTAKES
BY AGE
SFY 2008**

Program	AGE							Total Intakes
	12 & Younger	13	14	15	16	17	18 & Older	
Comprehensive Juvenile Services	40	51	72	104	107	140	9	523
Consolidated Youth Services	33	41	70	95	163	206	7	615
Conway County Community Services	146	80	144	219	316	234	56	1,195
Counseling Clinic	180	174	224	307	309	401	34	1,629
East Arkansas Youth Services, Inc.	6	12	29	55	59	45	0	206
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	25	29	53	92	102	101	4	406
Ouachita Children's Center, Inc.	41	35	52	65	67	64	5	329
Phoenix Youth and Family Services	26	23	39	61	64	44	6	263
Professional Counseling Associates	7	18	23	13	22	22	1	106
South Arkansas Youth Services	7	23	35	77	58	50	8	258
Southwest AR Counseling and Mental Health Center	28	50	61	84	107	112	12	454
United Family Services, Inc.	193	109	191	317	359	316	38	1,523
Youth Bridge, Inc.	29	38	101	150	214	204	13	749
TOTAL	761	683	1,094	1,639	1,947	1,939	193	8,256

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
INTERSTATE COMPACT ON JUVENILES
SFY 2008**

The Interstate Compact on Juveniles (ICJ) was designed primarily for cases involving out-of-state runaways, escapees and absconders, and for the supervision of juveniles who have been adjudicated delinquent. It provides legal procedures for the return of runaways and makes it possible to place a juvenile on probation or parole in a state other than the one where the offense was committed with the assurance of supervision by the appropriate agencies of the state in which he is placed.

Requests for Home Evaluation/Supervision Sent by Arkansas to Other States	124
Probation Referrals	91
Parole Referrals	33
Requests for Home Evaluation/Supervision Received by Arkansas from Other States	131
Probation Referrals	97
Parole Referrals	34
Number of Runaways Returned (Non-Delinquent Youth)	85
Number of Escapees (Youth Committed to Facility)	1
Number of Absconders (Youth on Probation or Parole)	30

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Adult Protective Services (DAAS) protects and assists adults, age 18 and older, who are abused, neglected, or exploited, or any combination thereof, and who are endangered as a result of lack of capacity or impaired from mental or physical disease or defect as these terms are defined by Arkansas Statute.

Alternative Community Services (DDS) program under the Medicaid Waiver, analyzes and develops policy, researches and develops innovative programs, assists with grant applications, and oversees quality improvement activities.

AMIGOS Program (DOV) helps English as a Learned Language students (ELL) deal with culture shock and new learning environments. The mission of the AMIGOS program is to support and enhance the lives and academic skills of students who speak English as a second language.

ARKids First (DCO & DMS) provides health insurance to children who otherwise might not get medical care. The program offers two coverage options. ARKids A offers low-income children a comprehensive benefits package. ARKids B provides limited coverage for slightly higher income families. ARKids B requires a small co-pay for most services.

Commodity Distribution Program (DCO) processes and distributes raw commodities donated by the U.S. Department of Agriculture to schools and other eligible recipient agencies in Arkansas.

Compliance Monitoring/Electronic Monitoring (DYS) is a program which monitors a juvenile's presence in a particular location in order to enable the juvenile to remain in the home or return to the home, thus preventing institutionalization or re-institutionalization. Services are provided in accordance with an established plan of service and include contact with the juvenile to determine compliance with the plan.

Crisis Residential Services (DYS) includes intervention and stabilization of a juvenile in an existing facility that provides a structured setting, close supervision, and necessary interventions to allow the juvenile to return home. Services in a hardware secure facility are limited to fourteen (14) days per sanction. This service may include, but is not limited to, education and room and board.

Day Services (DYS) provides educational and therapeutic services to juveniles who have been initially ordered such services by the court or as a part of a legally authorized Diversion Agreement. The service is primarily to be provided as a sanction for non-compliance with a court order or an established aftercare plan. This service may also be used as an alternative to juvenile adjudication (Non-Sanction) to non-adjudicated youth who have been referred by a local school district, a juvenile intake officer, or by family. This service is designed to enhance a youth's behavior, academic performance, and interpersonal skills in a structured setting, either in a group or in a one-to-one basis, based on an individual case plan. The program is provided for a period of less than twenty-four (24) hours but more than two (2) hours and may include, but is not limited to, meals, transportation, therapy, anger management, counseling, peer relationships, recreation, socialization, and education.

Developmental Day Treatment Clinic Services (DDS) services may be provided in the child's home or in integrated day care programs, local health department offices, or clinics.

Diagnosis and Evaluation (DYS) is assessment of the nature and extent of a youth's physical, emotional, educational and behavioral problems and recommendations for treatment strategies to remedy the identified problems. The specific diagnostic services provided and level of sophistication of reports produced are based on the individual needs of the referring agency. Allowable components are educational evaluation, social assessment, psychological evaluation, psychiatric evaluation, and consultation with the referring agency. Evaluations may also include a medical evaluation, if the assessment indicates a physical association with the emotional and/or behavioral problem(s).

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Drug Screenings (DYS) is the collection and analysis of urine samples to determine if a youth is using drugs. May only be provided as a subordinate part of a sanction service for adjudicated delinquents or youth on aftercare status. This service may also be provided as Non-Sanction Drug Screening as a subordinate part of another service as a diversion from juvenile court or as court ordered for adjudicated Family In Need of Services (FINS). The Sanction Services are limited to the length of time a sanction is imposed. The Non-Sanction Services are limited to a period not to exceed six (6) months per each court order.

Emergency Shelter (DYS) are services, including room and board, for youth whose circumstances or behavioral problems necessitate immediate removal from their homes or for youth released from a youth services facility who need temporary placement in the community until long term residential arrangements can be made. The purposes of Emergency Shelters are (1) to provide shelter for a period necessary to make more permanent arrangements or (2) to provide a short-term alternative to secure detention. The extent and depth of the services provided to a youth in the Emergency Shelter program will depend upon the individual needs of the youth and the referral source. Emergency shelter is limited to a maximum of sixty (60) days in any six month period. An order from Juvenile Court may supercede the stated time constraints.

Emergency Shelter Grants Program (DCO) assists local communities to improve the quality of life for the homeless by: (1) Providing grants for minor renovations, rehabilitation or conversion of buildings for the homeless, (2) Providing funds for payments of certain operating and maintenance expenses, (3) Providing funds for essential social services expenses, and (4) Providing funds to be used for homeless prevention efforts.

Epidemiology (DOH) is the scientific study of factors affecting the health and illness of populations, and serves as the foundation and logic of interventions made in the interest of public health and preventive medicine.

Family Planning (DCO & DMS) provides limited coverage that includes family planning services only to women of childbearing age and who also meet income, resources and other criteria.

Food Stamp Program (DCO) provides food assistance to eligible households to cover a portion of a household's food budget. In addition to food assistance, the program provides food stamp recipients with nutrition education, employment & training, and work experience in some cases.

Hyperalimentation (DMS) is the administration of nutrients by intravenous feeding especially to patients who cannot ingest food through the alimentary tract (the tubular passage that begins from mouth and functions in digestion and absorption of food and elimination of residual waste.)

Immunization (DOH) Immunizing (particularly children) against varicella, diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, measles, mumps, rubella, hepatitis b, and Haemophilis influenza type b; provision of information and education on all vaccine preventable diseases, including information concerning adult immunization.

IndependentChoices (DAAS) is a consumer-directed Medicaid waiver for Medicaid eligible persons age 18 and above who have a medical need for personal care service. This consumer directed service gives clients a monthly cash allowance in place of traditional personal care. Eligible persons are able to choose, supervise and pay their own personal care aide and use some of the allowance to purchase goods and services related to personal care needs.

Intensive Casework Management (DYS) are services specifically designed for youth committed to a youth services facility operated by the Division of Youth Services. This should provide a community evaluation that includes recommendations for release plans, services to families of committed youth, advocacy on behalf of the youth, supervision, transportation, and follow-up. It may also include visiting youth at the Youth Services Center(s), under certain circumstances.

Intensive Casework Management For Serious Offenders (DYS) are services specifically designed for youth committed to the Division of Youth Services who have completed the residential phase of a serious offender program and who have been transferred back to the community. Services include, but are not limited to, recommendations for release plans, services to families of committed youth, advocacy on behalf of the youth, supervision, transportation, and follow-up.

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Intensive Supervision and Tracking (DYS) is to provide intensive supervision and tracking services to juveniles who have been initially ordered this service by the court or as a part of a legally authorized Diversion Agreement. The service may also be used as a sanction for non-compliance with a court order or an established aftercare plan. The primary goal of this program is to support the youth in their homes primarily through individualized, consistently close supervision and monitoring. The service is available seven (7) days a week and may be performed at any hour of the day or night, depending on the situation.

Interstate Compact on Juveniles (DYS) provides for the supervision of out-of-state delinquent juveniles, provides for the return of runaways, provides authorized agreements for the cooperative institutionalization of special types of juveniles, and provides for the return of absconders and escapees. Allowable components include initial evaluation, supervision, follow-up reports, and discharge.

Long-Term Care (DCO & DMS) - individuals who are residents of nursing homes may qualify for Medicaid if the care in the facility is medically necessary and they meet income, resource and other criteria.

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) (DCO) provides financial assistance to about 60,000 households each year to help them meet the costs of home energy i.e. gas, electricity, propane, etc. It also offers weatherization services and case management activities which are designed to encourage and enable households to reduce their energy costs and thereby, their need for financial assistance.

Medicaid (DCO & DMS) reimburses health care providers for covered medical services provided to eligible needy individuals in certain categories. Eligibility is determined based on income, resources, Arkansas residency, and other requirements.

Medicaid Eligible (DCO & DMS) is a person who has met certain requirements to obtain a Medicaid card.

Medicaid Recipient (DMS) is a person who uses their Medicaid card to receive Medicaid services.

Medically Needy (DCO & DMS) is intended to provide medical services for categorically related individuals or families whose income and/or resources exceed the limits for cash assistance but are insufficient to provide medical care.

Preadmission Screening Resident Review (DDS) program for Medicaid recipients seeking admission to a nursing home or presenting a mental status change while residing in a nursing home.

Pregnant Women (DCO & DMS) with income up to 200% of Federal Poverty Level may be eligible for limited coverage if they meet certain income, resource and other criteria, including prenatal, delivery, postpartum and conditions, which may complicate the pregnancy. Coverage continues through the pregnancy and until the end of the month that the 60th day postpartum falls.

Refugee Resettlement Program (DCO) assists newly arrived eligible refugees to assimilate into the American way of life, offering financial and medical services to eligible refugees for up to five years.

Residential Treatment (DYS) is twenty-four hour treatment services available for up to one year for each individual (recommended average: four to six months), for youth whose emotional and/or behavioral problems, as diagnosed by a qualified professional, cannot be remedied in his or her own home. Room and board is limited to six months in a one-year period. An order from Juvenile Court may supercede the stated time constraints.

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Restorative Justice (DYS) is the compensation to a crime victim by the offender. Restorative justice programs may take minor offenders as well as serious offenders. This service may also be offered as Non-Sanction Restorative Justice programs but would then be limited to non-adjudicated youth as a diversion from adjudication by juvenile court. This program consists of three types of programs:

- **Cash:** A program which assists the offender in obtaining employment and, in some cases, provides supervision to the juvenile to monitor the payment of restitution to the victim or the juvenile's employment to ensure compliance with the established plan of service.
- **Restitution (Work for the Victim):** A program that monitors a juvenile's work activities to compensate a victim. The service may include arrangement of scheduled activities, monitoring of work performed, and reports to the court or DYS regarding compliance with the established case plan. The program may mediate between the victim and the offender to determine the amount of restitution.
- **Community Service Work:** A program that provides a site for community service work, supervision of the juvenile on the work site by program staff or via monitoring of reports from the work site, and reports to the court regarding compliance with the established case plan. The program may mediate between the victim and the offender to determine the amount of restitution.

Special Nutrition Programs (DCCECE) provides reimbursement for well-balanced, nutritious meals served to individuals enrolled in the Child and Adult Care Food Program, National School Lunch Program, Special Milk Program, and the Summer Food Service Program.

Substance Abuse Services (DBHS) The Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention (ADAP) within the Division of Behavioral Health Services is the single state agency responsible for funding of alcohol and drug prevention and treatment services, providing court ordered treatment, licensing of alcohol and drug treatment programs, the State Methadone Authority, administering the Drug and Alcohol Safety Educational Programs and providing training to the field of substance abuse.

Targeted Case Management (DYS) are services that assist an individual or family in accessing needed medical, social, educational, and other services appropriate to the needs of the individual/family. Targeted case management services include client intake, assessment, periodic reassessment, case plan development and review, service referral, coordination and advocacy, monitoring of client service utilization, record keeping and documentation of service contacts and client progress, and transportation.

The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) (DCO) makes surplus and purchased agricultural commodities available to low income households. The commodities are intended to supplement other foods and not serve as a household's sole or main food source.

Therapy (DYS) is a therapeutic relationship between the client and a qualified therapist for the purpose of accomplishing changes that are identified as goals in the case plan through the use of various counseling techniques. Services to specific individuals may include individual, group or family therapy, or consultation with the referral source as needed.

Transitional Employment Assistance (TEA) (DCO & DMS) program is a time-limited assistance program to help needy families with children become more responsible for their own support and less dependent on public assistance. In addition to monthly cash assistance, employment-related services are provided to parents, including job-readiness activities, transportation assistance, childcare assistance, and other supportive services so that the parent can engage in work or education and training activities.

U-18 (DCO & DMS) is a Medical Assistance Only category intended to provide services to needy individuals under 18 years of age who meet the TEA income and resource requirements.

Vaccine (DOH) is an antigenic preparation used to establish immunity to a disease.

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Vocational Rehabilitation (DSB) objective is to ensure that qualified blind and visually impaired persons work in appropriate careers and become as personally and economically independent as possible.

Weatherization Assistance Program (DCO) installs energy conservation materials on the homes of 1,300 low-income families annually to lower utility bills. Materials generally installed include insulation of ceilings, duct sealing, weather-stripping and caulking doors and windows, replacement of broken windows and health and safety measures that are required prior to weatherization.

Women, Infants, & Children, WIC (DOH) Clinical certification and nutrition education of eligible women, infants and children to receive vouchers to purchase certain foods.

Work Pays (DCO) is an incentive program designed to encourage working TEA clients to remain employed after closure of the TEA case while increasing their hours of work and/or hourly wage. Families participating in Arkansas Work Pays will receive a monthly cash assistance payment in the amount of \$204 for up to 24 months, provided they meet the Work Pays eligibility requirements. The twenty-four months will count toward the federal 60 month time limit but not the state's TEA 24 month limit. This work incentive program may be limited to 3,000 families. This program was implemented in July 2006.