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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
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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 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 Health and Human Services (DHHS). The administrative network reaches through the 10 regional offices of DHHS to the 56 State Units on Aging (SUAs) and some 655 Area Agencies on Aging (AAAs).

PRESIDENCY

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

ADMINISTRATION ON AGING

Recommend policy, develop regulations to implement the Older Americans Act (OAA) and administer 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.

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THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGING NETWORK (continued)

**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 194 such centers.**

Chore Services are 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 583 clients served in SFY 2004.**

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 757 clients in SFY 2004.**

Legal Assistance clients must be age 60+ needing legal advice that does not involve criminal charges. **Legal Assistance provided 4,321 hours of service to 225 clients in SFY 2004.**

Congregate Meals are available for individuals over 60. 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 1,662,505 meals to 21,625 clients in SFY 2004.**

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 2,031,231 meals to 14,139 clients in SFY 2004.**

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 7,164 unduplicated clients in SFY 2004.**

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 2,183 clients in SFY 2004.**

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.

Female	5,543	White	5,013
Male	1,566	Black	1,833
Unknown	11	Spanish American	9
Total	7,120	Oriental	3
		Other	18
		Unknown	244
		Total	7,120

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, some programs offer evening and weekend services. **These programs served 137 clients in SFY 2004.**

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. Service may include escort assistance. **This service provided 691,124 one way trips to 8,576 clients.**

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Federal Older Workers 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 and 2) to foster individual economic self-sufficiency through training and job placement in unsubsidized employment. **As of June 30, 2004, 208 clients enrolled in the Federal Program and 48 were placed in unsubsidized employment. For this same time period, there were 157 clients enrolled in the State 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 40,033 state referrals given to clients during SFY 2004.**

Ombudsman Program is a statewide program, that advocates for the rights of long-term care residents. It is a statewide 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.

Facility complaints	638
Facility visits	1,559
Resident and family council meetings attended	59
Community education sessions	52*
Telephone inquiries	2,223

* This activity was targeted as a "need" and the increase from five (5) in SFY 2003 to 52 for SFY 2004 was expected.

Aging Arkansas

Newspaper

Participated monthly by submitting articles for statewide newspaper with circulation of nearly 40,000.

Special Events

- Arkansas Aging Conference had over 500 participants.
- Arkansas Aging & Disabilities Leadership Academy assembled monthly for advocacy training.
- Real Choice Consumer Task Force met to advise on activities of the Real Choice Grant.
- The Governor's Advisory Council on Aging (GACA), a 36-member Advisory Council, met quarterly.
- The Aging and Disability Resource Center grant Advisory Group met to advise on ADRC plans.
- The ARGetCare Advisory Group met to advise on implementation of the web based service directory.
- DAAS was awarded the following five new grants from Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services and Administration on Aging: Aging and Disability Resource Center, Direct Service Workforce, Alzheimer's, Quality Assurance and Quality Improvement, and Integrating Long-Term Supports with Affordable Housing.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES
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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.

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.

Below is APS' statistical information for SFY 2004:

Total Referrals Received	3,297	Visits to Custody Clients	561
Total Referrals Founded	172	New Custody Clients Taken	57
Cases Pending/Open	45	Total Miles Driven:	293,596

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

	By Age	
	<u>Referrals</u>	<u>Founded</u>
18 to 29	200	10
30 to 39	121	3
40 to 49	222	8
50 to 59	320	13
60 to 69	455	25
70 to 79	793	42
80 to 89	895	56
90+	291	15
Total	3,297	172

	By Gender	
	<u>Referrals</u>	<u>Founded</u>
Male	1,208	68
Female	2,089	104
Total	3,297	172

	By Abuse Type	
	<u>Referrals</u>	<u>Founded</u>
Physical Abuse	119	12
Verbal Abuse	35	1
Sexual Abuse	28	3
Caregiver Neglect	482	21
Self Neglect	1,519	123
Exploitation	111	12
Tech Assist	674	0
Other	329	0
Total	3,297	172

	By Race	
	<u>Referrals</u>	<u>Founded</u>
White	2,508	133
Black	757	38
Oriental	4	0
Hispanic	8	1
Native American	3	0
Unknown	17	0
Total	3,297	172

	Place of Abuse	
	<u>Referrals</u>	<u>Founded</u>
Private Residence	3,204	166
DDS Provider	10	0
Other	83	6
Total	3,297	172

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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<u>County</u>	<u>Referrals</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Referrals</u>
Arkansas	16	Lincoln	14
Ashley	25	Little River	9
Baxter	76	Logan	31
Benton	101	Lonoke	51
Boone	42	Madison	10
Bradley	6	Marion	37
Calhoun	3	Miller	71
Carroll	19	Mississippi	81
Chicot	27	Monroe	12
Clark	22	Montgomery	12
Clay	26	Nevada	21
Cleburne	36	Newton	11
Cleveland	3	Ouachita	40
Columbia	35	Perry	10
Conway	40	Phillips	55
Craighead	100	Pike	31
Crawford	46	Poinsett	39
Crittenden	73	Polk	41
Cross	26	Pope	53
Dallas	16	Prairie	9
Desha	26	Pulaski	402
Drew	16	Randolph	26
Faulkner	88	Saline	55
Franklin	24	Scott	9
Fulton	16	Searcy	10
Garland	185	Sebastian	184
Grant	16	Sevier	27
Greene	50	Sharp	33
Hempstead	31	St. Francis	34
Hot Spring	45	Stone	17
Howard	18	Union	63
Independence	48	Van Buren	25
Izard	19	Washington	131
Jackson	20	White	75
Jefferson	91	Woodruff	14
Johnson	40	Yell	21
Lafayette	12		
Lawrence	22		
Lee	28		
		Total	3,297

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State Total

3,297

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DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
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Division Profile

The Division of Behavioral Health Services (DBHS) is one of ten major divisions and four offices within the Arkansas Department of Human Services. DBHS is responsible for ensuring the provision of public mental health and substance abuse prevention/treatment 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 202 bed Arkansas State Hospital and the 320 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. DBHS also contracts with a private for-profit company to operate a 40 bed secure residential treatment facility for forensic patients with co-occurring mental health and substance abuse disorders. 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; children and adolescents with a serious emotional disturbance; and, others with mental health problems.

The Arkansas State Hospital includes 90 adult acute care beds, 80 forensic beds, 16 adolescent acute care beds and 16 adolescent sex offender beds. Admission to acute care beds is through referral of the state's CMHCs. Admission to forensic beds, for either evaluation and/or treatment, is by 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 home care.

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 CARF or the Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JACHO). CMHCs operate out of 141 sites located in 69 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 severe and persistently mentally ill adults.

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 27 grants to local programs, communities and other organizations to provide prevention services. In addition to these local grants, ADAP funds 13 Prevention Resource Centers in the state that are designed to respond to the needs of a particular geographical area to support its prevention initiatives. Prevention services also work with businesses to provide prevention activities in the workplace to help businesses deal with substance abuse.

ADAP licenses 49 alcohol and drug treatment programs in the state and approves two 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:

- Twelve Regional Alcohol and Drug Detoxification Centers that provide detoxification services to persons needing supervised withdrawal from some type of substance abuse;
- Sixteen 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;
- Seven outpatient programs that provide alcohol and drug counseling service;
- Six 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;
- Two 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.

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

Number of Clients Served

During SFY 2004, 70,275 persons received mental health services through DBHS programs and 15,278 received substance abuse prevention and treatment 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.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
BREAKDOWN OF UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS
BY AGE
SFY 2004**

County	0 - 17	18 - 59	60 - 64	65 +	Un-known	Total	County	0 - 17	18 - 59	60 - 64	65 +	Un-known	Total
Arkansas	317	489	15	25	0	846	Lincoln	200	220	9	25	0	454
Ashley	363	484	18	11	0	876	Little River	140	241	12	19	0	412
Baxter	175	654	31	23	1	884	Logan	147	290	17	10	0	464
Benton	1,150	1,568	40	74	1	2,833	Lonoke	560	603	26	14	15	1,218
Boone	216	643	38	35	1	933	Madison	175	153	6	11	1	346
Bradley	99	168	8	8	0	283	Marion	112	317	13	10	0	452
Calhoun	218	206	8	7	0	439	Miller	365	834	21	35	0	1,255
Carroll	238	483	18	23	0	762	Mississippi	570	961	20	43	0	1,594
Chicot	198	205	15	7	0	425	Monroe	121	200	8	25	0	354
Clark	97	305	12	24	0	438	Montgomery	64	68	4	5	0	141
Clay	138	405	23	22	0	588	Nevada	96	213	9	19	0	337
Cleburne	186	409	14	13	1	623	Newton	44	140	9	7	0	200
Cleveland	58	105	5	6	0	174	Ouachita	293	889	41	34	0	1,257
Columbia	321	797	39	50	0	1,207	Perry	100	159	6	8	1	274
Conway	183	409	21	29	0	642	Phillips	381	509	30	22	1	943
Craighead	747	1,858	57	79	1	2,742	Pike	79	96	3	7	0	185
Crawford	280	387	12	12	0	691	Poinsett	209	421	22	14	0	666
Crittenden	300	650	29	27	0	1,006	Polk	55	187	23	12	0	277
Cross	219	351	16	27	0	613	Pope	361	840	22	38	0	1,261
Dallas	54	139	5	11	0	209	Prairie	66	117	8	7	3	201
Desha	216	266	8	16	1	507	Pulaski	1,175	3,964	146	142	39	5,466
Drew	867	1,466	50	104	1	2,488	Randolph	210	541	22	37	0	810
Faulkner	1,009	2,190	70	144	1	3,414	Saline	19	176	6	5	0	206
Franklin	61	170	12	18	0	261	Scott	68	155	6	6	0	235
Fulton	36	152	4	3	0	195	Searcy	89	268	12	18	0	387
Garland	935	1,464	83	148	0	2,630	Sebastian	573	1,029	32	61	0	1,695
Grant	129	225	13	12	0	379	Sevier	156	331	12	20	0	519
Greene	240	985	29	37	0	1,291	Sharp	83	376	19	25	2	505
Hempstead	261	409	12	46	0	728	St. Francis	261	542	11	22	1	837
Hot Spring	312	454	26	22	0	814	Stone	70	240	16	19	0	345
Howard	124	276	20	34	0	454	Union	655	2,057	69	138	0	2,919
Independence	235	679	35	16	2	967	Van Buren	120	450	18	22	2	612
Izard	94	284	9	11	3	401	Washington	1,660	2,117	71	59	0	3,907
Jackson	134	201	5	8	0	348	White	358	1,010	39	27	4	1,438
Jefferson	769	1,608	69	123	0	2,569	Woodruff	47	155	4	6	1	213
Johnson	96	405	17	21	0	539	Yell	77	203	4	7	0	291
Lafayette	89	152	9	3	0	253	Out of State	16	105	2	2	0	125
Lawrence	211	480	25	76	1	793	Unknown	219	502	15	30	55	821
Lee	157	233	6	12	0	408							
TOTALS	21,526	44,493	1,739	2,378	139	70,275							

Source: Mental Health Statistics Improvement Program (MHSIP)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
BREAKDOWN OF UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS
BY RACE
SFY 2004**

County	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Native American	Other	Unknown	Total
Arkansas	638	206	0	1	0	1	0	846
Ashley	546	318	11	0	0	1	0	876
Baxter	876	0	2	2	2	2	0	884
Benton	2,680	64	59	13	0	16	1	2,833
Boone	920	1	5	1	3	1	2	933
Bradley	137	143	3	0	0	0	0	283
Calhoun	340	93	2	0	0	4	0	439
Carroll	731	11	14	1	0	4	1	762
Chicot	129	296	0	0	0	0	0	425
Clark	328	96	4	1	0	7	2	438
Clay	551	22	7	0	0	4	4	588
Cleburne	609	3	5	0	0	6	0	623
Cleveland	138	36	0	0	0	0	0	174
Columbia	602	599	2	3	1	0	0	1,207
Conway	504	125	5	2	0	6	0	642
Craighead	2,429	245	22	1	7	14	24	2,742
Crawford	648	24	10	5	3	1	0	691
Crittenden	380	606	3	2	1	4	10	1,006
Cross	411	195	0	1	0	5	1	613
Dallas	98	110	1	0	0	0	0	209
Desha	236	266	3	0	0	2	0	507
Drew	2,220	238	16	1	3	10	0	2,488
Faulkner	3,052	308	25	2	4	23	0	3,414
Franklin	252	4	3	1	0	1	0	261
Fulton	191	0	0	0	0	4	0	195
Garland	2,223	318	37	5	14	33	0	2,630
Grant	366	9	2	0	0	2	0	379
Greene	1,265	7	3	0	3	4	9	1,291
Hempstead	412	292	18	0	0	3	3	728
Hot Spring	658	141	3	2	2	8	0	814
Howard	305	140	5	0	1	3	0	454
Independence	902	21	5	2	0	37	0	967
Izard	398	0	0	0	0	3	0	401
Jackson	278	65	2	0	0	3	0	348
Jefferson	967	1,582	8	3	1	8	0	2,569
Johnson	496	26	10	2	3	2	0	539
Lafayette	134	118	0	0	0	1	0	253
Lawrence	775	6	4	0	2	4	2	793
Lee	96	308	2	0	1	1	0	408

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
BREAKDOWN OF UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS
BY RACE
SFY 2004**

County	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Native American	Other	Unknown	Total
Lincoln	344	106	2	0	1	1	0	454
Little River	298	100	5	3	0	6	0	412
Logan	432	24	5	2	1	0	0	464
Lonoke	1,010	133	4	4	5	62	0	1,218
Madison	334	4	6	1	0	1	0	346
Marion	448	1	0	0	3	0	0	452
Miller	849	387	2	1	1	11	4	1,255
Mississippi	976	566	14	1	3	10	24	1,594
Monroe	174	174	3	0	0	2	1	354
Montgomery	136	2	0	0	1	2	0	141
Nevada	203	119	10	2	0	3	0	337
Newton	199	0	0	0	1	0	0	200
Ouachita	623	628	5	0	0	1	0	1,257
Perry	265	5	1	0	0	2	1	274
Phillips	359	567	5	0	2	4	6	943
Pike	170	8	5	0	2	0	0	185
Poinsett	600	55	0	0	1	6	4	666
Polk	274	0	1	0	2	0	0	277
Pope	1,195	49	8	2	2	5	0	1,261
Prairie	155	40	0	0	0	6	0	201
Pulaski	2,747	2,373	41	24	6	272	3	5,466
Randolph	799	3	2	0	1	5	0	810
Saline	151	51	0	1	1	2	0	206
Scott	210	24	1	0	0	0	0	235
Searcy	382	1	0	0	0	2	2	387
Sebastian	1,456	192	35	6	4	2	0	1,695
Sevier	437	32	36	0	5	4	5	519
Sharp	484	4	3	2	0	12	0	505
St. Francis	310	515	2	0	1	4	5	837
Stone	339	1	2	0	0	3	0	345
Union	1,556	1,345	13	1	2	1	1	2,919
Van Buren	595	4	8	0	0	5	0	612
Washington	3,573	169	100	36	1	23	5	3,907
White	1,328	67	8	0	2	33	0	1,438
Woodruff	104	107	0	0	0	2	0	213
Yell	268	11	10	1	1	0	0	291
Out of State	91	26	3	1	0	4	0	125
Unknown	578	96	3	2	1	138	3	821
TOTALS	53,373	15,031	644	141	101	862	123	70,275

Source: Mental Health Statistics Improvement Program (MHSIP)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
BREAKDOWN OF UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS
BY GENDER
SFY 2004**

County	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Arkansas	392	454	0	846
Ashley	433	443	0	876
Baxter	410	474	0	884
Benton	1,343	1,490	0	2,833
Boone	418	515	0	933
Bradley	134	149	0	283
Calhoun	223	216	0	439
Carroll	306	456	0	762
Chicot	220	205	0	425
Clark	202	236	0	438
Clay	292	295	1	588
Cleburne	300	323	0	623
Cleveland	85	89	0	174
Columbia	612	595	0	1,207
Conway	307	335	0	642
Craighead	1,294	1,446	2	2,742
Crawford	360	330	1	691
Crittenden	483	522	1	1,006
Cross	291	320	2	613
Dallas	100	109	0	209
Desha	259	248	0	507
Drew	1,170	1,315	3	2,488
Faulkner	1,586	1,824	4	3,414
Franklin	131	130	0	261
Fulton	85	110	0	195
Garland	1,187	1,443	0	2,630
Grant	157	222	0	379
Greene	604	687	0	1,291
Hempstead	405	321	2	728
Hot Spring	385	429	0	814
Howard	236	217	1	454
Independence	447	520	0	967
Izard	183	218	0	401
Jackson	166	182	0	348
Jefferson	1,284	1,282	3	2,569
Johnson	257	282	0	539
Lafayette	127	126	0	253
Lawrence	377	414	2	793
Lee	196	212	0	408

County	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Lincoln	209	245	0	454
Little River	210	200	2	412
Logan	226	238	0	464
Lonoke	581	600	37	1,218
Madison	162	183	1	346
Marion	207	245	0	452
Miller	657	596	2	1,255
Mississippi	794	798	2	1,594
Monroe	170	184	0	354
Montgomery	77	64	0	141
Nevada	193	143	1	337
Newton	107	93	0	200
Ouachita	540	717	0	1,257
Perry	132	142	0	274
Phillips	497	445	1	943
Pike	109	76	0	185
Poinsett	311	355	0	666
Polk	136	141	0	277
Pope	575	686	0	1,261
Prairie	95	101	5	201
Pulaski	2,491	2,819	156	5,466
Randolph	361	447	2	810
Saline	105	101	0	206
Scott	115	120	0	235
Searcy	171	216	0	387
Sebastian	858	837	0	1,695
Sevier	239	280	0	519
Sharp	222	283	0	505
St. Francis	366	471	0	837
Stone	149	196	0	345
Union	1,493	1,426	0	2,919
Van Buren	281	331	0	612
Washington	1,892	2,015	0	3,907
White	623	815	0	1,438
Woodruff	121	92	0	213
Yell	137	154	0	291
Out of State	67	57	1	125
Unknown	345	401	75	821
TOTALS	33,471	36,497	307	70,275

Source: Mental Health Statistics Improvement Program (MHSIP)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
BREAKDOWN OF UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS
BY PROVIDER AND AGE
SFY 2004**

Service Providers	0 - 17	18 - 59	60 - 64	65 +	Unknown	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	81	982	18	13	0	1,094
Centers for Youth and Families	652	18	0	0	0	670
Community Counseling Services, Inc.	1,447	2,146	119	193	0	3,905
Counseling Associates, Inc.	1,785	4,242	142	254	2	6,425
Counseling Services of Eastern Arkansas	1,413	2,399	94	130	3	4,039
Delta Counseling Associates, Inc.	1,108	1,374	60	52	0	2,594
GAIN, Inc.	0	166	7	4	5	182
Little Rock Community Mental Health Center	0	1,978	83	79	1	2,141
Mid-South Health Systems Inc.	2,357	5,674	198	308	5	8,542
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	1,350	3,870	155	142	26	5,543
Ozark Counseling Services, Inc.	634	2,051	106	97	2	2,890
Ozark Guidance Center, Inc.	3,301	4,385	137	169	1	7,993
Professional Counseling Associates	1,211	2,175	79	64	93	3,622
Small Group Work Therapy	0	109	17	17	0	143
South Arkansas Regional Health Center	1,415	4,132	170	238	0	5,955
Southeast Arkansas Behavioral Healthcare System, Inc.	1,531	2,778	113	199	0	4,621
Southwest Arkansas Counseling & Mental Health Center, Inc.	1,252	2,429	92	195	0	3,968
The Birch Tree Communities, Inc.	0	290	12	7	0	309
The Counseling Clinic, Inc.	775	1,243	40	101	1	2,160
Western Arkansas Counseling & Guidance Center	1,214	2,052	97	116	0	3,479
TOTALS	21,526	44,493	1,739	2,378	139	70,275

Source: Mental Health Statistics Improvement Program (MHSIP)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
BREAKDOWN OF UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS
BY PROVIDER AND RACE
SFY 2004**

Service Providers	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Nat. Amer.	Other	Unknown	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	668	406	12	6	2	0	0	1,094
Centers for Youth and Families	394	244	6	1	1	22	2	670
Community Counseling Services, Inc.	3,280	501	47	7	20	50	0	3,905
Counseling Associates, Inc.	5,791	522	57	8	11	35	1	6,425
Counseling Services of Eastern Arkansas	1,662	2,307	15	3	5	24	23	4,039
Delta Counseling Associates, Inc.	1,389	1,178	21	0	1	5	0	2,594
GAIN, Inc.	88	90	1	1	0	1	1	182
Little Rock Community Mental Health Center	1,039	1,066	16	9	0	11	0	2,141
Mid-South Health Systems Inc.	7,461	890	52	3	17	51	68	8,542
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	5,123	265	32	4	0	119	0	5,543
Ozark Counseling Services, Inc.	2,863	3	6	2	9	3	4	2,890
Ozark Guidance Center, Inc.	7,457	262	173	49	0	45	7	7,993
Professional Counseling Associates	2,211	956	19	12	10	414	0	3,622
Small Group Work Therapy	103	40	0	0	0	0	0	143
South Arkansas Regional Health Center	3,136	2,779	28	4	3	0	5	5,955
Southeast Arkansas Behavioral Healthcare System, Inc.	2,633	1,960	12	4	2	10	0	4,621
Southwest Arkansas Counseling & Mental Health Center, Inc.	2,680	1,131	76	6	7	56	12	3,968
The Birch Tree Communities, Inc.	193	112	0	3	0	1	0	309
The Counseling Clinic, Inc.	2,048	85	11	2	2	12	0	2,160
Western Arkansas Counseling & Guidance Center	3,154	234	60	17	11	3	0	3,479
TOTALS	53,373	15,031	644	141	101	862	123	70,275

Source: Mental Health Statistics Improvement Program (MHSIP)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
BREAKDOWN OF UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS
BY PROVIDER AND GENDER
SFY 2004**

Service Providers	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	646	445	3	1,094
Centers for Youth and Families	400	270	0	670
Community Counseling Services, Inc.	1,763	2,141	1	3,905
Counseling Associates, Inc.	3,002	3,422	1	6,425
Counseling Services of Eastern Arkansas	1,930	2,103	6	4,039
Delta Counseling Associates, Inc.	1,273	1,321	0	2,594
GAIN, Inc.	118	64	0	182
Little Rock Community Mental Health Center	918	1,223	0	2,141
Mid-South Health Systems Inc.	4,038	4,496	8	8,542
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	2,536	3,007	0	5,543
Ozark Counseling Services, Inc.	1,338	1,552	0	2,890
Ozark Guidance Center, Inc.	3,738	4,255	0	7,993
Professional Counseling Associates	1,508	1,839	275	3,622
Small Group Work Therapy	79	64	0	143
South Arkansas Regional Health Center	2,929	3,026	0	5,955
Southeast Arkansas Behavioral Healthcare System, Inc.	2,213	2,408	0	4,621
Southwest Arkansas Counseling & Mental Health Center, Inc.	2,084	1,874	10	3,968
The Birch Tree Communities, Inc.	188	121	0	309
The Counseling Clinic, Inc.	1,024	1,133	3	2,160
Western Arkansas Counseling & Guidance Center	1,746	1,733	0	3,479
TOTALS	33,471	36,497	307	70,275

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
BREAKDOWN OF UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS
BY AGE, RACE AND GENDER
SFY 2004**

Age	Gender	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Native American	Other	Unknown	Total
0 - 17	Male	9,211	3,267	199	31	27	134	48	12,917
	Female	6,446	1,856	133	23	8	97	36	8,599
	Unknown	2	1	0	0	0	7	0	10
	Total	15,659	5,124	332	54	35	238	84	21,526
18 - 59	Male	14,571	4,307	156	33	29	148	11	19,255
	Female	19,779	4,866	143	53	36	132	23	25,032
	Unknown	10	3	0	0	0	193	0	206
	Total	34,360	9,176	299	86	65	473	34	44,493
60 - 64	Male	469	111	3	0	0	3	1	587
	Female	932	203	6	1	1	6	1	1,150
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
	Total	1,401	314	9	1	1	11	2	1,739
65 +	Male	532	137	1	0	0	10	1	681
	Female	1,393	275	3	0	0	21	0	1,692
	Unknown	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	5
	Total	1,926	412	4	0	0	35	1	2,378
Unknown	Male	12	2	0	0	0	16	1	31
	Female	15	3	0	0	0	5	1	24
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	84	0	84
	Total	27	5	0	0	0	105	2	139
Totals	Male	24,795	7,824	359	64	56	311	62	33,471
	Female	28,565	7,203	285	77	45	261	61	36,497
	Unknown	13	4	0	0	0	290	0	307
	Total	53,373	15,031	644	141	101	862	123	70,275

**ARKANSAS STATE HOSPITAL
Adult Units
Monthly Average Daily Census**

July-03	86.29	January-04	84.91
August-03	86.29	February-04	84.59
September-03	86.50	March-04	84.81
October-03	85.45	April-04	84.70
November-03	79.60	May-04	81.23
December-03	82.13	June-04	86.27

The annual average daily census for SFY 2004 was 84.40.

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.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
ARKANSAS STATE HOSPITAL
UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED
BY AGE
SFY 2004**

County	0 - 17	18 - 59	60 - 64	65 +	Total
Arkansas	1	4	0	1	6
Ashley	0	5	0	0	5
Baxter	2	9	0	0	11
Benton	3	16	0	2	21
Boone	0	16	0	0	16
Bradley	0	2	0	0	2
Calhoun	0	1	0	0	1
Carroll	1	4	0	0	5
Chicot	0	3	0	1	4
Clark	1	1	0	0	2
Clay	0	12	1	0	13
Cleburne	1	10	0	0	11
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	0	5	0	0	5
Conway	0	12	0	0	12
Craighead	0	20	0	0	20
Crawford	0	8	0	0	8
Crittenden	2	17	0	0	19
Cross	2	4	0	0	6
Dallas	0	4	0	0	4
Desha	1	9	0	0	10
Drew	0	5	0	0	5
Faulkner	2	21	0	1	24
Franklin	1	4	0	0	5
Fulton	0	4	0	0	4
Garland	0	28	0	0	28
Grant	0	1	0	0	1
Greene	0	8	0	0	8
Hempstead	0	7	0	0	7
Hot Spring	0	6	0	0	6
Howard	0	7	0	0	7
Independence	0	13	0	0	13
Izard	0	3	0	0	3
Jackson	0	12	0	0	12
Jefferson	1	15	0	0	16
Johnson	0	10	0	0	10
Lafayette	1	3	0	0	4
Lawrence	0	4	0	0	4
Lee	0	5	0	0	5

County	0 - 17	18 - 59	60 - 64	65 +	Total
Lincoln	0	1	0	0	1
Little River	0	3	1	0	4
Logan	1	7	0	0	8
Lonoke	2	34	2	0	38
Madison	0	0	0	0	0
Marion	0	4	0	0	4
Miller	1	12	1	0	14
Mississippi	0	15	0	0	15
Monroe	0	3	0	0	3
Montgomery	0	2	0	0	2
Nevada	0	12	0	0	12
Newton	0	3	0	0	3
Ouachita	1	8	0	0	9
Perry	1	1	0	0	2
Phillips	0	9	0	0	9
Pike	0	0	0	1	1
Poinsett	1	7	0	0	8
Polk	1	2	1	1	5
Pope	0	19	0	0	19
Prairie	0	0	0	0	0
Pulaski	32	270	8	3	313
Randolph	0	2	0	0	2
Saline	0	11	0	0	11
Scott	14	56	1	1	72
Searcy	0	4	0	0	4
Sebastian	0	5	1	0	6
Sevier	1	26	1	0	28
Sharp	0	8	0	0	8
St. Francis	0	4	0	0	4
Stone	0	2	0	0	2
Union	1	20	0	0	21
Van Buren	0	4	0	1	5
Washington	3	36	1	0	40
White	1	31	0	0	32
Woodruff	0	1	0	0	1
Yell	1	6	0	0	7
Out of State	0	12	0	0	12
Unknown	1	24	0	1	26
TOTALS	81	982	18	13	1,094

Source: Mental Health Statistics Improvement Program (MHSIP)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
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 ARKANSAS STATE HOSPITAL
 UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED
 BY RACE
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County	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Native American	Other	Unknown	Total
Arkansas	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	6
Ashley	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	5
Baxter	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Benton	20	0	1	0	0	0	0	21
Boone	15	0	0	1	0	0	0	16
Bradley	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Calhoun	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Carroll	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	5
Chicot	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Clark	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Clay	8	5	0	0	0	0	0	13
Cleburne	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	5
Conway	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	12
Craighead	18	2	0	0	0	0	0	20
Crawford	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Crittenden	5	14	0	0	0	0	0	19
Cross	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	6
Dallas	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	4
Desha	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	10
Drew	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	5
Faulkner	19	4	1	0	0	0	0	24
Franklin	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Fulton	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Garland	22	6	0	0	0	0	0	28
Grant	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Greene	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Hempstead	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	7
Hot Spring	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
Howard	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	7
Independence	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Izard	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Jackson	9	3	0	0	0	0	0	12
Jefferson	4	12	0	0	0	0	0	16
Johnson	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	10
Lafayette	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
Lawrence	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Lee	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	5

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County	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Native American	Other	Unknown	Total
Lincoln	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Little River	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
Logan	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Lonoke	29	9	0	0	0	0	0	38
Madison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marion	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Miller	11	3	0	0	0	0	0	14
Mississippi	5	9	1	0	0	0	0	15
Monroe	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Montgomery	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Nevada	4	7	1	0	0	0	0	12
Newton	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Ouachita	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	9
Perry	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Phillips	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	9
Pike	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Poinsett	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	8
Polk	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Pope	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Prairie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pulaski	117	189	2	4	1	0	0	313
Randolph	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Saline	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	11
Scott	49	23	0	0	0	0	0	72
Searcy	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Sebastian	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Sevier	21	6	1	0	0	0	0	28
Sharp	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	8
St. Francis	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Stone	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Union	11	10	0	0	0	0	0	21
Van Buren	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	5
Washington	32	7	1	0	0	0	0	40
White	28	3	0	0	1	0	0	32
Woodruff	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Yell	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	7
Out of State	10	1	0	1	0	0	0	12
Unknown	12	14	0	0	0	0	0	26
TOTALS	668	406	12	6	2	0	0	1,094

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ARKANSAS STATE HOSPITAL
UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED
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County	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Arkansas	3	3	0	6
Ashley	2	3	0	5
Baxter	4	7	0	11
Benton	16	5	0	21
Boone	7	9	0	16
Bradley	0	2	0	2
Calhoun	1	0	0	1
Carroll	4	1	0	5
Chicot	2	2	0	4
Clark	2	0	0	2
Clay	9	4	0	13
Cleburne	7	4	0	11
Cleveland	0	0	0	0
Columbia	4	1	0	5
Conway	7	5	0	12
Craighead	10	9	1	20
Crawford	5	2	1	8
Crittenden	13	6	0	19
Cross	5	1	0	6
Dallas	2	2	0	4
Desha	8	2	0	10
Drew	3	2	0	5
Faulkner	10	14	0	24
Franklin	2	3	0	5
Fulton	2	2	0	4
Garland	18	10	0	28
Grant	0	1	0	1
Greene	6	2	0	8
Hempstead	2	5	0	7
Hot Spring	3	3	0	6
Howard	5	2	0	7
Independence	7	6	0	13
Izard	0	3	0	3
Jackson	7	5	0	12
Jefferson	15	1	0	16
Johnson	4	6	0	10
Lafayette	2	2	0	4
Lawrence	3	1	0	4
Lee	4	1	0	5

County	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Lincoln	0	1	0	1
Little River	1	3	0	4
Logan	7	1	0	8
Lonoke	21	17	0	38
Madison	0	0	0	0
Marion	2	2	0	4
Miller	8	6	0	14
Mississippi	9	6	0	15
Monroe	3	0	0	3
Montgomery	1	1	0	2
Nevada	11	1	0	12
Newton	2	1	0	3
Ouachita	6	3	0	9
Perry	2	0	0	2
Phillips	8	1	0	9
Pike	0	1	0	1
Poinsett	4	4	0	8
Polk	4	1	0	5
Pope	9	10	0	19
Prairie	0	0	0	0
Pulaski	194	118	1	313
Randolph	2	0	0	2
Saline	4	7	0	11
Scott	37	35	0	72
Searcy	2	2	0	4
Sebastian	2	4	0	6
Sevier	14	14	0	28
Sharp	7	1	0	8
St. Francis	2	2	0	4
Stone	2	0	0	2
Union	13	8	0	21
Van Buren	4	1	0	5
Washington	22	18	0	40
White	13	19	0	32
Woodruff	1	0	0	1
Yell	5	2	0	7
Out of State	5	7	0	12
Unknown	15	11	0	26
TOTALS	646	445	3	1,094

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES
UNDUPLICATED CHILDREN SERVED*
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County	Male						Female						Unknown			Total
	White	Black	His-panic	Asian	Nat. Amer.	Other	White	Black	His-panic	Asian	Nat. Amer.	Other	White	Black	Other	
Arkansas	115	62	0	0	0	0	118	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	317
Ashley	127	95	2	0	0	0	77	58	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	363
Baxter	93	0	1	1	1	0	76	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	175
Benton	606	20	26	6	0	11	453	16	10	2	0	0	0	0	0	1,150
Boone	129	1	1	0	0	0	84	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	216
Bradley	26	30	0	0	0	0	20	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	99
Calhoun	93	23	1	0	0	2	78	19	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	218
Carroll	114	3	4	0	0	2	104	2	6	1	0	2	0	0	0	238
Chicot	39	93	0	0	0	0	12	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	198
Clark	43	6	2	0	0	2	31	9	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	97
Clay	80	0	1	0	0	1	51	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	138
Cleburne	120	2	2	0	0	1	57	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	186
Cleveland	25	8	0	0	0	0	23	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58
Columbia	83	119	0	0	0	0	62	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	321
Conway	89	22	2	0	0	3	61	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	183
Craighead	393	45	5	0	4	12	251	24	3	0	0	10	0	0	0	747
Crawford	163	5	6	2	2	0	93	4	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	280
Crittenden	36	132	1	0	1	4	32	88	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	300
Cross	86	51	0	0	0	2	49	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	219
Dallas	13	21	0	0	0	0	7	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54
Desha	51	81	1	0	0	2	39	41	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	216
Drew	430	71	7	0	0	1	301	50	3	0	0	3	0	0	1	867
Faulkner	533	61	7	0	1	5	355	36	5	0	0	6	0	0	0	1,009
Franklin	40	0	1	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61
Fulton	20	0	0	0	0	1	14	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	36
Garland	427	91	15	1	2	11	314	55	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	935
Grant	70	1	1	0	0	1	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	129
Greene	142	1	0	0	1	2	89	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	240
Hempstead	77	78	12	0	0	2	38	52	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	261
Hot Spring	135	41	1	1	1	3	105	23	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	312
Howard	43	30	1	0	0	0	24	23	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	124
Independence	113	2	1	0	0	9	104	1	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	235
Izard	56	0	0	0	0	0	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	94
Jackson	66	16	0	0	0	1	45	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	134
Jefferson	157	338	0	0	0	0	84	188	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	769
Johnson	54	1	3	0	0	0	35	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	96
Lafayette	29	36	0	0	0	1	12	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	89
Lawrence	118	1	1	0	1	1	86	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	211
Lee	17	71	0	0	0	1	11	56	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	157

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County	Male						Female						Unknown			Total
	White	Black	His-panic	Asian	Nat. Amer.	Other	White	Black	His-panic	Asian	Nat. Amer.	Other	White	Black	Other	
Lincoln	92	15	0	0	0	0	70	20	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	200
Little River	56	27	1	1	0	4	37	12	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	140
Logan	73	2	1	1	0	0	66	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	147
Lonoke	280	36	1	2	0	6	215	13	2	0	1	3	0	0	1	560
Madison	88	2	3	0	0	0	79	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	175
Marion	54	0	0	0	1	0	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	112
Miller	127	123	0	0	1	6	62	45	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	365
Mississippi	189	176	0	0	1	14	98	77	4	0	1	9	1	0	0	570
Monroe	36	42	2	0	0	1	18	21	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	121
Montgomery	36	1	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	64
Nevada	30	25	4	0	0	0	22	11	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	96
Newton	31	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44
Ouachita	72	97	0	0	0	0	56	67	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	293
Perry	54	0	0	0	0	0	44	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	100
Phillips	81	157	1	0	0	3	43	89	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	381
Pike	48	2	4	0	1	0	23	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79
Poinsett	104	7	0	0	0	2	83	12	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	209
Polk	38	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55
Pope	204	9	1	0	1	2	136	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	361
Prairie	27	15	0	0	0	0	21	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	66
Pulaski	305	378	7	0	1	26	213	209	7	4	0	21	0	0	4	1,175
Randolph	121	0	1	0	0	0	88	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	210
Saline	9	0	0	0	1	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Scott	34	4	1	0	0	0	28	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68
Searcy	43	0	0	0	0	2	42	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	89
Sebastian	287	62	14	2	1	0	165	31	8	1	1	1	0	0	0	573
Sevier	68	9	7	0	4	4	42	6	12	0	0	4	0	0	0	156
Sharp	47	0	0	0	0	2	32	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	83
St. Francis	34	105	0	0	0	3	34	82	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	261
Stone	36	0	0	0	0	1	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70
Union	205	198	3	0	0	0	144	102	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	655
Van Buren	64	0	1	0	0	0	54	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	120
Washington	862	55	38	12	1	13	604	37	21	8	0	9	0	0	0	1,660
White	174	15	2	0	0	6	144	7	2	0	1	7	0	0	0	358
Woodruff	12	22	0	0	0	0	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47
Yell	38	2	1	1	0	0	29	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	77
Out of State	5	5	0	0	0	1	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Unknown	96	18	1	1	0	5	83	13	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	219
TOTALS	9,211	3,267	199	31	27	182	6,446	1,856	133	23	8	133	2	1	7	21,526

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Service Providers	Gender	White	Black	His-panic	Asian	Nat. Amer.	Other	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	Male	32	34	1	0	1	0	68
	Female	8	5	0	0	0	0	13
	Total	40	39	1	0	1	0	81
Centers for Youth and Families, Inc.	Male	234	144	3	0	0	10	391
	Female	149	94	3	1	1	13	261
	Total	383	238	6	1	1	23	652
Community Counseling Services, Inc.	Male	661	138	20	2	5	16	842
	Female	491	88	10	0	0	16	605
	Total	1,152	226	30	2	5	32	1,447
Counseling Associates, Inc.	Male	943	94	14	1	2	9	1,063
	Female	653	50	12	0	0	7	722
	Total	1,596	144	26	1	2	16	1,785
Counseling Services of Eastern Arkansas	Male	280	552	4	0	1	14	851
	Female	182	362	2	0	2	14	562
	Total	462	914	6	0	3	28	1,413
Delta Counseling Associates, Inc.	Male	309	355	6	0	0	3	673
	Female	211	219	5	0	0	0	435
	Total	520	574	11	0	0	3	1,108
Little Rock Community Mental Health Center	Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Female	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mid-South Health Systems Inc.	Male	1,166	229	9	0	7	33	1,444
	Female	757	114	12	0	2	26	911
	Unknown	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
	Total	1,924	343	21	0	9	60	2,357
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	Male	703	55	6	0	0	20	784
	Female	524	23	7	1	0	11	566
	Total	1,227	78	13	1	0	31	1,350
Ozark Counseling Services, Inc.	Male	355	0	1	1	2	2	361
	Female	268	1	1	1	0	2	273
	Total	623	1	2	2	2	4	634
Ozark Guidance Center, Inc.	Male	1,700	88	69	18	0	26	1,901
	Female	1,279	62	36	10	0	13	1,400
	Total	2,979	150	105	28	0	39	3,301

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Service Providers	Gender	White	Black	His-panic	Asian	Nat. Amer.	Other	Total
Professional Counseling Associates, Inc.	Male	403	283	4	2	0	27	719
	Female	313	148	6	3	1	16	487
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
	Total	716	431	10	5	1	48	1,211
South Arkansas Regional Health Center	Male	412	449	4	0	0	0	865
	Female	299	246	4	0	0	1	550
	Total	711	695	8	0	0	1	1,415
Southeast Arkansas Behavioral Healthcare System, Inc.	Male	495	428	1	0	0	1	925
	Female	371	230	3	0	0	2	606
	Total	866	658	4	0	0	3	1,531
Southwest Arkansas Counseling & MHC, Inc.	Male	451	320	27	1	5	18	822
	Female	243	159	17	1	0	8	428
	Unknown	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
	Total	695	480	44	2	5	26	1,252
The Counseling Clinic, Inc	Male	421	24	4	0	0	3	452
	Female	298	18	2	0	0	4	322
	Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	Total	719	42	6	0	0	8	775
Western Arkansas Counseling & Guidance	Male	646	74	26	6	4	0	756
	Female	400	37	13	6	2	0	458
	Total	1,046	111	39	12	6	0	1,214
TOTALS	Male	9,211	3,267	199	31	27	182	12,917
	Female	6,446	1,856	133	23	8	133	8,599
	Unknown	2	1	0	0	0	7	10
	Total	15,659	5,124	332	54	35	322	21,526

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ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
THE DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2004

Efforts to support working families, educate parents and ensure high quality early care and education services for Arkansas children continue to direct the activities of the Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education (DCC&ECE).

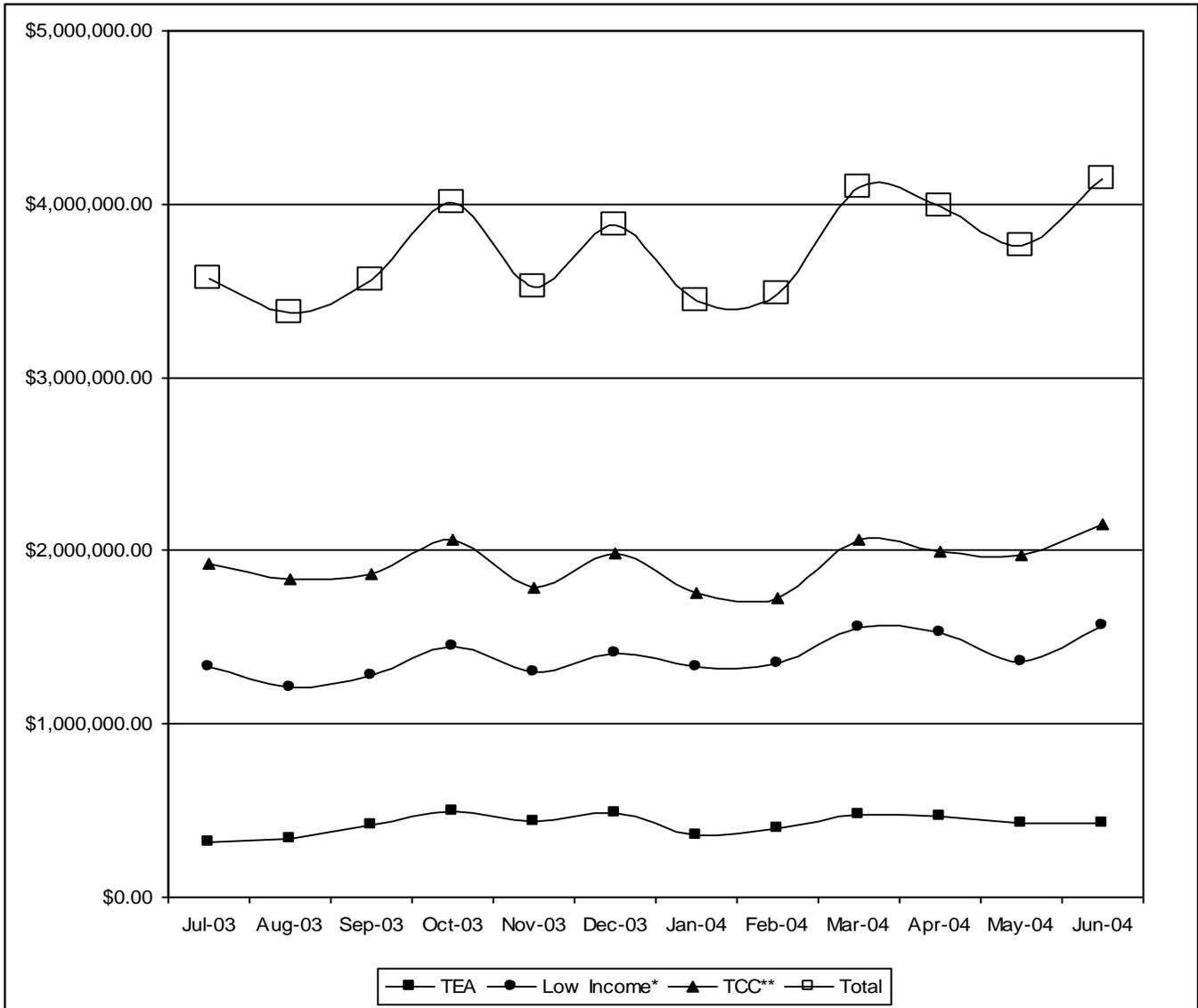
Highlights and Accomplishments During the Past Year Include:

- The DCC&ECE released the *Getting Ready for Kindergarten* calendar of family activities to licensed child care facilities to distribute to parents across the state. A guide for teachers and caregivers was developed to support their role in preparing young children for kindergarten.
- The 84th General Assembly convened for a special session focusing on education with \$40 million appropriated to quality early childhood education for the Arkansas Better Chance for School Success state pre-k program.
- The USDA program expenditures grew from \$26.6 million to \$29.2 million increasing the number of nutritious meals served to children in Arkansas.
- The child care assistance waiting list continues to decrease in numbers providing families and children with child care. Several counties have no waiting list.
- Arkansas was ranked 10/10 by the National Institute of Early Education Research which addressed three areas: access, quality standards and resources.

National Initiatives

- **State Maternal and Child Health Early Childhood Comprehensive Systems Grant** – The Arkansas Department of Health applied for the above-mentioned grant, with DCC&ECE 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.
- **Zero to Three National Infant & Toddler Child Care Initiative**-Arkansas is participating in this initiative, a new project of the Child Care Bureau, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services. The Initiative is designed to support CCDF administrators in their efforts to effect system-wide improvement efforts in infant and toddler care. Arkansas will gain technical assistance that will:
 - Be tailored to Arkansas, beginning with a state profile, that will provide specific information about children birth to three, their families and the child care system in Arkansas,
 - Help Arkansas reach goals through the Quality Infant & Toddler Child Care System Elements Mapping Tool, an instrument that helps plot goals and progress,
 - Provide free access to nationally recognized expert consultants, and
 - Provide a primary evaluator on the national level who will work with a local evaluator to track progress towards the project outcomes.

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ACTUAL EXPENDITURES FOR CHILD CARE SERVICES
SFY 2004**



Month	TEA	Low-Income*	TCC**	TOTAL
Jul-03	\$321,323	\$1,326,125	\$1,922,339	\$3,569,787
Aug-03	336,180	1,205,601	1,830,966	3,372,747
Sep-03	421,333	1,279,326	1,864,723	3,565,382
Oct-03	496,993	1,448,511	2,066,515	4,012,019
Nov-03	436,144	1,299,348	1,786,959	3,522,451
Dec-03	482,399	1,410,297	1,984,955	3,877,650
Jan-04	354,821	1,333,453	1,757,118	3,445,392
Feb-04	400,989	1,353,809	1,724,700	3,479,498
Mar-04	478,508	1,559,585	2,062,217	4,100,309
Apr-04	469,969	1,531,824	1,991,188	3,992,981
May-04	430,993	1,354,864	1,977,095	3,762,951
Jun-04	428,481	1,564,838	2,155,107	4,148,427

* Includes one-time TEA coalition monies.

**Transitional Child Care

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The Child Care Voucher Program began in 1989. The initial purpose of this program was to provide subsidized childcare services to low-income families utilizing a voucher process. The families must be working, enrolled in an educational program or attending training. This voucher child care service was also provided to families needing Protective Service and to Foster Care children. In 1997 with the authorization of welfare reform, the process was expanded to include families receiving Transitional Employment Assistance (TEA) and families transitioning from TEA (TCC).

Source	SFY 2004
Child Care Development Fund (CCDF)	\$44,934,577
Foster Care	1,249,025
Social Services Block Grant (SSBG)	120,941
Total	\$46,304,543

	SFY 2004	
	CCDF	SSBG
Children:		
Low-Income Working (Non-Education)	9,081	-
Low-Income Working (Education)	2,343	-
TEA (Welfare Reform)	5,031	-
TCC – Transitioning from TEA	14,114	-
Supportive Services	3	-
Protective Services	-	149
Foster Care	-	1,205
Totals	30,572	1,354
Total Children Served	31,926	

	SFY 2004	
	CCDF	SSBG
Families:		
Low-Income Working (Non-Education)	5,019	-
Low-Income Working (Education)	1,495	-
TEA (Welfare Reform)	3,072	-
TCC – Transitioning from TEA	7,313	-
Supportive Services	3	-
Protective Services	-	90
Foster Care	-	563
Totals	16,902	653
Total Families Served	17,555	

Child Care Providers:	
Number of licensed child care centers or homes and registered homes:	3,930
Number of licensed or registered providers approved to participate in the voucher program:	1,937 *
Number of providers who provided subsidized services:	1,438 *

* SFY 2003 numbers

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THE QUALITY PERSPECTIVE

The Program Support Unit within the Division provides development services to child care programs, staff and parents through several methods. Developing and implementing new programs for young children includes expanding currently 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 ensuring quality child care for Arkansas children. Specific program activities include:

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

Developed through the Department of Workforce Education, funding is provided by DCC&ECE to support basic health/safety and orientation training to new staff and providers in child care. The training system is administered by U of A Fayetteville and utilizes secondary vocational centers, post-secondary vocational schools, technical colleges, colleges, and universities as training sites throughout the state. There is no charge for the 20-hour course.

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
CHILD CARE ORIENTATION TRAINING	Number of Persons Enrolled	1,172	1,310	1,291	1,343	1,261
	Percentage of Persons Completing the 10 Modules	55%	53%	58%	60%	55%
	Number of Sites Providing Training	59	50	48	49	43
	Number of Classes	88	93	84	92	87

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. Grants are available to assist newly operating programs as start-up resources and to improve the quality of care provided in child care settings in the state.

In 2003-2004, total grants awarded of \$687,500 affected the care of 24,475 children in licensed and registered child care settings. Thirty-eight (38) grants were awarded for newly established programs to assist in start-up support for expansion of capacity of care. Care was increased by 1,182 children in these locations.

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
ENHANCEMENT GRANTS	Percentage of Grant Applications Approved	82% (523)	82% (462)	82% (439)	84% (456)	81% (499)
	Percentage of Grant Applications Denied	18% (116)	18% (104)	18% (96)	16% (86)	19% (117)
	Percentage of Denied Applications Which Are Due to Incomplete Immunization Audits	62% (72)	79% (82)	67% (64)	73% (63)	75% (88)
	Percentage of Approved Grants Which Are Used to Correct Licensing Deficiencies (Outdoor, Indoor, eg.)	59% (304)	67% (311)	59% (261)	65% (300)	60% (303)

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TRAINING GRANTS

Training grants are available to assist providers in accessing training for CPR and Red Cross Safety. CPR training is required for licensure and this grant assists providers in paying for this required training. Four thousand three hundred twenty-two (4,322) child care teachers accessed CPR/Red Cross training through support from the DCC&ECE.

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 Child Development Associate (CDA) coursework. Institutions submit verification of specific criteria to ensure that CDA courses offer high quality instruction for CDA students. Currently there are 27 approved institutions with 74 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 3,629 persons with the Child Development Associate Credential.

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
CDA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM	Number of Scholarships Awarded	752	607	647	597	639
	Number of New CDA's in State (Assessments)	510	430	584	550	479
	Total CDA's in State	2,130	2,331	2,662	3,222	3,629
	Approved CDA Institutions	N/A	26	28	33	26
	Approved CDA Instructors	N/A	58	61	79	71

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING ACTIVITIES

Professional development sessions, seminars, workshops and training opportunities are funded through the DCC&ECE, allowing child care professionals throughout the state to participate in improving their skills. Contracts for these professional development activities offer a wide variety of training for all levels of caregivers. Support is also given to on-going associations offering conferences on early childhood issues.

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

As of September 2004

Training / Educational Categories	Training / Educational Levels	Number of Participants
ADVANCED	Associate	21
	Baccalaureate	74
	Masters	42
	Doctorate	4
INTERMEDIATE	Credential	234
	Certificate	9
	Endorsement	55
	Technical	13
BASIC	Awareness	114
	Orientation	2,617
TOTAL PRACTITIONERS		3,183
TOTAL TRAINERS		527

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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING ACTIVITIES (continued)

Development and Training Activities include:

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| Pre-K Ella | Caregiver Certificate |
| Training for Children w/ Special Needs | Child Care Curriculum Endorsement |
| Music | Mentor Endorsement |
| Business Training (homes & centers) | AR Early Childhood Prof. Dev. System-Registry |
| Guiding Children Successfully (guidance training) | Training and Tech. Assistance Program |
| Social / Emotional Development | School Age Quality Initiative |
| Quality Outdoor Play Environments | Family Friendly Employer Initiative |
| Training on Frameworks | Family Day Care Home Prof. Development |
| Math / Science | Making 1st Experiences Count |
| Movement Education | Child Care Specialist Certificate |
| Welcome the Child (English Language Learners) | Program Administrator Orientation |
| Best Care / Best Care Connected | Program Administrator Cert. / Credential |
| CCOT | ABC Monitoring / Evaluation |

PRE-K ELLA

Pre-K Early Learning Literacy in Arkansas 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 who coordinates the training, to provide Pre-K Ella to the State. Over 2,200 early education teachers participated in the program's first year.

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. There were 1,010 Training / Technical Assistance (T/TA) visits during SFY 2004.

TYPE OF T/TA VISITS	TOTAL
Training / TA	302
ABC / Even Start Monitoring / TA	277
Quality Approval / Quality Initiative Monitoring / TA	379
Technical Assistance Workshops	52
GRAND TOTAL	1,010

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.

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**ARKANSAS CHILD CARE FACILITIES GUARANTEE LOAN FISCAL REPORT
(Comparison By Year)**

PROGRAM	Oct. 1, 2000	Oct. 1, 2001	Oct. 1, 2002	Oct. 1, 2003	Oct. 1, 2004
Guarantee Fund Investment	\$432,416.50	N/A	\$407,089.20	N/A	\$424,327.99
Current Total Guarantees in Place (Fund Exposure)	\$103,300.00	\$62,200.00	\$66,200.00	\$61,200.00	\$40,000.00
Current Total of Loans Guaranteed	\$266,500.00	\$171,500.00	\$176,500.00	\$76,500.00	\$50,000.00
Participating Financial Institutions	6	4	4	4	2
Total Defaults	\$ -0-	\$28,894.99	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$7,050.90
Capital Reduction (Accrued Interest Applied Before Capital is Accessed)	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
Total Guarantee Applications Denied/Rescinded	\$216,525.00	\$150,000.00	\$-0-	\$181,000.00	\$71,000.00

**CHILD CARE FACILITIES FUNDING/ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT-
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDING**

DCC&ECE and ADED have a working partnership to assist in the development of quality child care programs in Arkansas. DCC&ECE provides the pre-application review for ADED to determine the viability of potential child care projects. ADED 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. During SFY 03-04, projects for renovation/construction were finalized in the following locations: Cities of Mountain Home, Rector and Corning and Yell County.

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
ADED	Number of Projects Approved/Funded	5	3	4	6	4
	Number of Projects Completed	4	2	2	3	2

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	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
Visitors to Arkansas Child Care Resource Center (ACCRC)	1,547	1,350	820	550	465
ACCESS materials through 1-800 number from ACCRC	725	770	400	520	196

ACCREDITATION/APPROVAL SYSTEM

This system identifies programs, which demonstrate a quality educational program for young children. Programs that are funded through Arkansas Better Chance funds must comply with the approval standards. Approval as a quality educational program is available for child care centers and child care family homes. Programs which meet state or national accreditation standards provide parents access to a refundable tax credit which doubles the state child care tax credit available through the state tax system.

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ACCREDITATION/APPROVAL SYSTEM (continued)

A new Incentive Grant for meeting the Quality Standards became available in January of 2002. During SFY 2004, 313 programs were eligible for the Incentive Grant and received \$361,800 in grant funding.

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
APPROVAL SYSTEM	Percentage of All Licensed Programs Approved	11%	12%	14%	15%	15%
	Number of Programs Approved	297	336	358	391	443
	Percentage Growth of All Quality Approved	8%	9%	10%	9%	9%
	Percentage of ABC Programs Approved	95%	94%	99%	95%	98%

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 continue to operate and support parental access and business involvement in early care issues both locally and on a statewide basis. Central Arkansas Child Care Resource and Referral-AR Children began operation. Over 7,278 referrals were made through the local R&R systems. Referrals through the division website reached almost a million contacts.

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
CHILD CARE AND REFERRAL	Number of Requests State-wide	773	777	803	870	661
	North Central	531	796	344	444	4,569*
	North West	1,505	1,359	1,347	1,231	1,329
	North East	614	132	249	169	200
	Central Arkansas	N/A	130	160	288	519
	Requests Generated Through AECC Advertising	70%	80%	80%	80%	80%
	Internet Usage for R & R	311,396	463,028	582,895	900,768	1,132,573
	New Provider Kits Inquiries	N/A	N/A	352	720	840

*Resource and Referral Agencies conducted extensive outreach to child care providers which significantly increased the number of actual contacts for SFY 2004.

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. 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 HIPPPY (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 Title I services, 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).

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ARKANSAS BETTER CHANCE PROGRAMS (continued)

ABC programs are operated by local school districts, Educational Service Cooperatives, community-based non-profit centers, Head Start programs and University programs. Services may be home-based, such as the HIPPY program or Parents as Teachers (PAT), or center-based programs.

		2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
ARKANSAS BETTER CHANCE	TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE	\$10,058,339	\$9,983,981	\$13,513,514	\$13,402,934
	Granted to ABC Programs	\$9,890,218	\$9,815,860	\$13,345,393	\$13,234,813
	Administration Cost	\$168,121 (1.70%)	\$168,121 (1.70%)	\$168,121 (1.26%)	\$168,121 (1.20%)
ABC CLASSROOMS	Number of Classrooms	204	204	204	204
	Number of Children Served	4,595	3,435	3,418	3,102
ABC HIPPY	Number of Sites	30	29	29	29
	Number of Children Served	5,447	4,464	4,731	4,310
ABC Parents As Teachers	Number of Sites	N/A	2	2	2
	Number of Children Served	N/A	77	95	95

PROGRAM	PROGRAM MEASUREMENTS	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
ARKANSAS BETTER CHANCE	Percentage of Programs Achieving Approval Status	95%	94%	99%	95%	100%
	Percentage of Programs Placed on Program Improvement Plan	5%	6%	1%	5%	0%

NEW NATIONAL INITIATIVES

ZERO TO THREE NATIONAL INFANT AND TODDLER CHILD CARE

Arkansas is participating in a project of the Child Care Bureau, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services. The Initiative is designed to support CCDF Administrators in their efforts to effect system-wide improvements in infant and toddler care. The Arkansas Team is working on the following aspects of expanding quality care for children Birth to Three:

- Development of a Family Child Care Network to support expansion of quality care in rural areas for young children.,
- Recommend a reduction in the ratios of adults to children in settings for children birth to three years,
- Provide free access to nationally recognized expert consultants,
- Provide a *primary evaluator* on the national level who will work with a *local evaluator* to track progress towards the project outcomes., and
- Design a tiered strategy for quality including tiered reimbursement and tiered regulation to address levels of quality in child care settings.

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NEW NATIONAL INITIATIVES (continued)

HEALTH CHILD CARE AMERICA

DCC&ECE assumed leadership for the third year of the Transitioning Healthy Child Care American Grant that was initiated by the Arkansas Department of Health. The goals and objectives of this grant strive to improve the quality of health and safety practices in child care settings and improve access to health services. A *Child Care Licensing User Guide* will be developed to supplement the Minimum Licensing Standards. The “Health and Safety Issues for Children in Child Care” provider training curriculum will be delivered statewide and a new curriculum, “Social-Emotional Development in Young Children,” will be developed. A chapter on accessing health services will be added to the *Healthy Children’s Handbook*.

STATE MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH EARLY CHILDHOOD COMPREHENSIVE SYSTEMS GRANT

The Arkansas Department of Health has applied for the above-mentioned grant, with DCC&ECE named as the sub-grantee and lead convener. This is a two-year planning grant that will culminate 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. The proposed advisory committee for the grant will identify and engage traditional and non-traditional partners who are committed to coming together to plan for the future of Arkansas children and families. The advisory committee will be divided into five specific task forces to address the five key areas of the grant:

- Early Care and Education
- Mental Health
- Parent Education
- Medical Homes
- Family Support

This initiative provides a platform on which to build, and lay the groundwork for a more comprehensive cross-system collaboration that will provide a continuum of quality early childhood services to the children of Arkansas, their families and communities. The initiative was formally announced at the Governor’s Press Conference on April 15, 2004 at the same that the School Readiness Indicators Initiative publication, **Getting Ready for School** was released. Four main areas of concern emerged from the first joint meeting of all workgroups: data sharing, access to resources, funding strategies and a prepared workforce. Groups continue to make progress towards more comprehensive cross-system collaboration to provide quality early care and education to Arkansas Children.

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NEW NATIONAL INITIATIVES (continued)

THE SCHOOL READINESS INDICATORS INITIATIVE

DCC&ECE and Arkansas Advocates for Families and Children serve as joint administrators of the Arkansas team for this 17-state initiative, which uses child well-being indicators to build a change in states and local communities agendas. The mission of this group is to improve school readiness and ensure early school success. The Arkansas team has worked individually and within the 17-state group to develop a comprehensive set of measures to monitor school readiness and service system outcomes for children and families.

A pilot project in the fall of 2003 implemented a new and more uniform assessment for children entering kindergarten. From this pilot, the Kindergarten Readiness Indicators Checklist (KRIC) was developed. A School Readiness Calendar for parents, in English and Spanish was developed and distributed to all parents of children ages 3 and 4 years to support the readiness indicators and assist in school readiness efforts. Beginning in fall of 2004 all entering kindergarten children will be screened for readiness upon entry into public school kindergarten. A statewide school readiness indicators report was released by the Governor in April of 2004. **Getting Ready for School** is also being prepared in a county by county format and will be available in late fall of 2004. An annual update of readiness indicators will continue to be published.

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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 \$29,863,341.05.

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 per child.

	<u>SFY 2003</u>	<u>SFY 2004</u>
Number of Contracts	341	342
Program Funds (Approximate)	\$20,585,168	\$24,274,868
Total Number of <u>Free Meals</u>	14,797,579	16,787,902
Total Number of <u>Reduced Meals</u>	879,551	1,070,609
Total Number of <u>Paid Meals</u>	3,618,150	4,080,138
Total Meals	19,295,280	21,938,649

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 services are also eligible to participate in this program. Institutions may be reimbursed

	<u>SFY 2003</u>	<u>SFY 2004</u>
Number of Contracts	94	90
Number of Facilities/Sites	163	177
Program Funds (Approximate)	\$4,511,724.78	\$3,702,214.66
Total Number of <u>Free Lunches</u>	1,429,361	996,613
Total Number of <u>Reduced Lunches</u>	65,611	49,332
Total Number of <u>Paid Lunches</u>	626,662	560,411
Total Lunches	2,121,634	1,606,356
Total Number of <u>Free Breakfasts</u>	1,349,782	959,032
Total Number of <u>Reduced Breakfasts</u>	19,967	10,066
Total Number of <u>Paid Breakfasts</u>	31,249	12,851
Total Breakfasts	1,400,998	981,949
Total Number of <u>Free Snacks</u>	68,040	82,190
Total Number of <u>Reduced Snacks</u>	658	892
Total Number of <u>Paid Snacks</u>	2,063	3,110
Total Snacks	70,761	86,192
Total Number of <u>Free Meals</u>	2,847,183	2,037,835
Total Number of <u>Reduced Meals</u>	86,236	60,290
Total Number of <u>Paid Meals</u>	659,974	576,372
Total Meals	3,593,393	2,674,497

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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 2003</u>	<u>SFY 2004</u>
Number of Contracts	93	92
Number of Facilities/Sites	210	198
Program Funds (Approximate)	\$1,941,477.16	\$1,856,710.46 *
Total Number of <u>Breakfasts</u>	347,979	309,416
Total Number of <u>Lunches</u>	564,261	512,936
Total Number of Suppers	13,631	18,232
Total Number of Supplements	<u>12,597</u>	<u>553</u>
Total Meals	938,468	841,137

* Actual amount paid to sites for the year. Instead of approximate amount paid to sites.

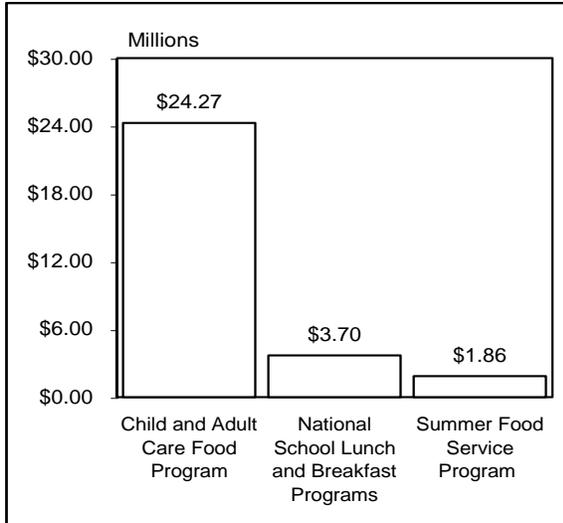
Special Milk Program

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

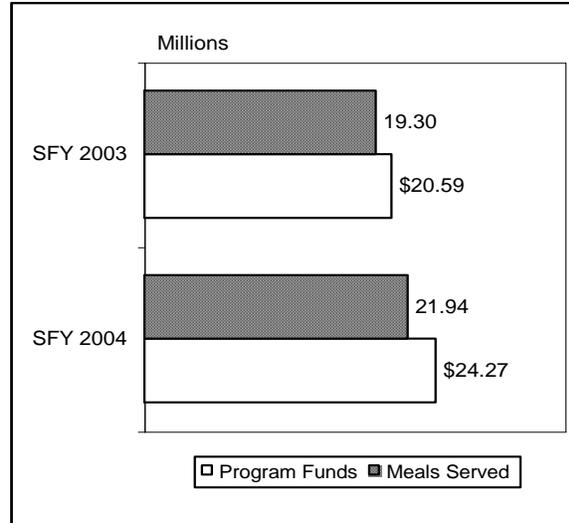
	<u>SFY 2003</u>	<u>SFY 2004</u>
Number of Contracts	12	10
Number of Facilities/Sites	12	10
Program Funds (Approximate)	\$27,737.45	\$29,547.93
Total Milk Served	166,258	141,026

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**SPECIAL NUTRITION PROGRAMS
2004 PROGRAM FUNDS***

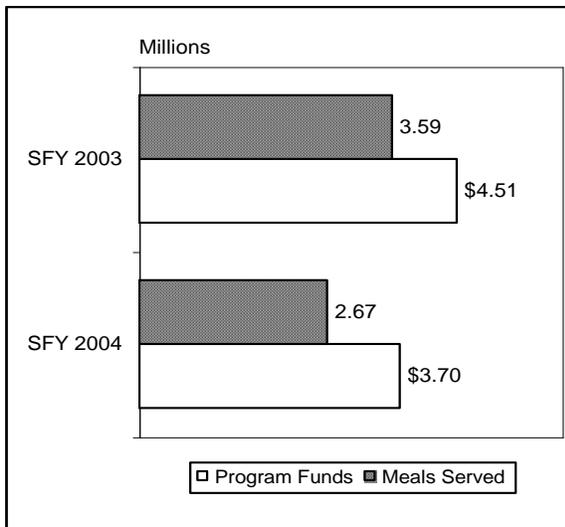


**CHILD AND ADULT CARE
FOOD PROGRAM**

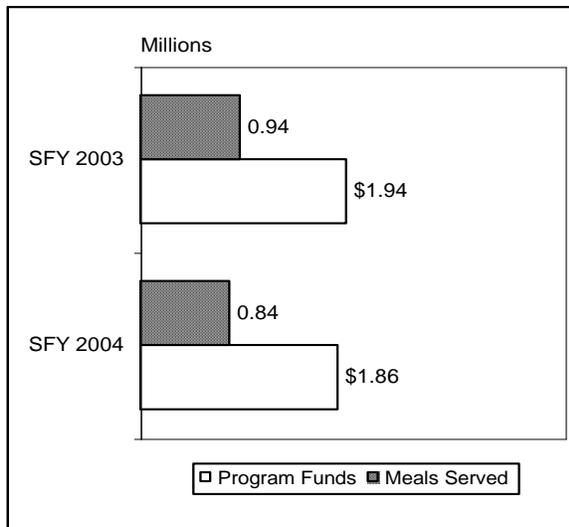


*Program Funds for the Special Milk Program were \$29,547.93.

**NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH
AND BREAKFAST PROGRAMS**



**SUMMER FOOD SERVICE
PROGRAM**



**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
SPECIAL NUTRITION PROGRAMS
PAYMENTS BY COUNTY*
SFY 2004**

County	Payments
Arkansas	\$357,276.94
Ashley	89,671.64
Baxter	146,996.27
Benton	632,994.79
Boone	397,466.99
Bradley	224,498.44
Calhoun	0.00
Carroll	64,968.79
Chicot	101,899.32
Clark	123,358.91
Clay	3,579.90
Cleburne	79,320.02
Cleveland	49,851.50
Columbia	259,685.31
Conway	105,604.85
Craighead	1,801,440.39
Crawford	480,006.55
Crittenden	360,240.32
Cross	21,307.37
Dallas	8,733.96
Desha	111,133.34
Drew	137,669.86
Faulkner	1,607,703.47
Franklin	353,007.05
Fulton	21,675.30
Garland	1,081,077.07
Grant	25,376.93
Greene	104,289.10
Hempstead	132,269.45
Hot Spring	41,797.37
Howard	95,050.20
Independence	1,007,616.76
Izard	30,554.17
Jackson	82,631.14
Jefferson	1,726,302.43
Johnson	105,142.59
Lafayette	0.00
Lawrence	50,730.43

County	Payments
Lee	\$46,537.96
Lincoln	31,010.69
Little River	0.00
Logan	53,145.03
Lonoke	158,340.23
Madison	22,602.04
Marion	7,014.29
Miller	399,377.42
Mississippi	482,784.16
Monroe	62,037.90
Montgomery	0.00
Nevada	48,459.20
Newton	599,541.15
Ouachita	1,097,237.36
Perry	11,693.60
Phillips	444,094.61
Pike	921,522.23
Poinsett	79,725.64
Polk	75,770.35
Pope	1,122,054.05
Prairie	6,049.95
Pulaski	7,312,315.69
Randolph	434,143.89
Saline	454,562.74
Scott	27,591.23
Searcy	31,476.37
Sebastian	1,010,132.08
Sevier	125,100.01
Sharp	86,741.53
St. Francis	116,488.49
Stone	14,723.30
Union	462,823.96
Van Buren	77,540.74
Washington	1,384,118.30
White	240,034.97
Woodruff	9,487.54
Yell	114,219.02
Other/Unknown	145,714.30

Total	\$29,739,140.94 *
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* Due to a one month timing difference in this report, the total differs from the total on page DCCECE-12.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
SPECIAL NUTRITION PROGRAMS
CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM
SFY 2004**

County	Day Care Centers	Licensed Capacity Centers	Adult Centers	Head Start Sites	Licensed Capacity Head Starts	Day Care Homes	Licensed Capacity Homes
Arkansas	2	249	1	2	47	16	191
Ashley	1	38	0	3	111	11	118
Baxter	7	663	0	3	116	6	66
Benton	20	2,634	0	7	295	50	555
Boone	8	640	2	4	135	22	251
Bradley	5	374	1	2	108	7	68
Calhoun	0	0	0	2	42	0	0
Carroll	1	82	1	3	116	18	195
Chicot	4	290	0	3	136	4	42
Clark	7	452	0	3	116	11	155
Clay	0	0	1	4	174	3	34
Cleburne	3	307	1	2	45	11	128
Cleveland	0	0	0	3	127	8	81
Columbia	5	336	1	5	159	9	116
Conway	3	201	1	1	90	13	150
Craighead	7	513	1	11	369	32	340
Crawford	4	563	0	3	100	23	198
Crittenden	6	382	0	7	220	29	283
Cross	3	160	0	3	138	15	160
Dallas	2	226	1	2	90	5	41
Desha	3	198	1	3	171	9	95
Drew	1	34	1	3	91	12	134
Faulkner	3	434	2	3	151	35	387
Franklin	2	84	1	1	52	16	131
Fulton	2	231	0	3	67	5	40
Garland	8	769	3	4	297	17	169
Grant	2	95	0	1	22	2	15
Greene	8	534	2	3	89	9	103
Hempstead	2	113	1	2	60	14	126
Hot Spring	6	649	2	3	163	3	30
Howard	4	199	1	2	39	5	61
Independence	12	849	3	3	130	23	231
Izard	2	86	0	3	74	3	30
Jackson	5	357	0	3	143	8	105
Jefferson	13	992	4	11	551	68	615
Johnson	2	165	1	3	149	12	95
Lafayette	2	80	0	3	95	3	35
Lawrence	2	54	1	2	130	8	76
Lee	1	130	1	3	72	14	127
Lincoln	1	122	0	2	70	5	45

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
SPECIAL NUTRITION PROGRAMS
CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM
SFY 2004**

County	Day Care Centers	Licensed Capacity Centers	Adult Centers	Head Start Sites	Licensed Capacity Head Starts	Day Care Homes	Licensed Capacity Homes
Little River	3	74	0	4	78	6	72
Logan	1	89	1	2	80	22	218
Lonoke	5	437	2	4	162	15	143
Madison	1	200	0	1	19	9	86
Marion	0	0	0	2	54	10	142
Miller	3	184	0	2	93	16	173
Mississippi	10	659	1	16	656	24	292
Monroe	2	89	1	3	81	18	170
Montgomery	1	30	0	1	20	3	36
Nevada	2	89	1	2	74	1	5
Newton	4	110	1	4	74	4	46
Ouachita	3	263	0	5	320	28	243
Perry	1	67	1	1	31	1	10
Phillips	6	476	2	6	280	21	211
Pike	2	114	1	4	76	5	62
Poinsett	4	274	1	4	153	6	63
Polk	4	147	1	3	132	5	47
Pope	6	529	2	6	278	17	210
Prairie	0	0	0	2	47	3	42
Pulaski	88	9,061	8	25	1,209	120	1,203
Randolph	4	320	1	3	182	5	41
Saline	6	752	4	5	230	16	172
Scott	1	32	0	1	39	5	62
Searcy	1	113	1	3	90	2	20
Sebastian	15	1,650	1	6	255	37	313
Sevier	2	107	1	1	38	10	103
Sharp	2	91	0	3	103	15	138
St. Francis	4	84	1	5	190	21	212
Stone	2	124	1	1	30	3	31
Union	1	128	2	2	150	13	110
Van Buren	3	212	1	2	75	4	44
Washington	17	1,473	1	11	399	84	857
White	7	629	2	5	252	16	178
Woodruff	2	177	1	3	112	11	118
Yell	2	85	1	3	133	7	88
Total	384	33,154	76	285	11,545	1,147	11,783

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD CARE LICENSING
SFY 2004**

The Child Care Licensing Unit is responsible for licensing all child care situations where more than five (5) children are cared for, and for maintaining the Voluntary Registry for persons providing care to five (5) or fewer children who choose to be registered. The Unit inspects all licensed centers and licensed and registered homes a minimum of three (3) times per year. Technical assistance and consultative services are provided to licensed and registered programs, applicants and parents.

The Unit investigates complaints on licensed and registered child care facilities. Another function of this unit is assisting 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 also responsible for processing and tracking background checks on all child care owners/operators and employees through the FBI, the State Police and the Arkansas Central Registry. Licensing staff insures 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 Child and Family Services.

In 1997 the Child Care Licensing Unit shifted to open-ended licenses and reduced time frames for processing new applications for licensure from sixty (60) to less than thirty (30) days. During 2003 licensing standards for child care centers, child care family homes and registered child care family homes were reviewed and revised. The revision process was completed in December of 2003 and the newly printed requirements were distributed to provider in May 2004. Another round of revisions was initiated in October of 2003, these changes, approved by the Arkansas Early Childhood Commission, are undergoing the promulgation process. November 1, 2004, is the projected completion date for the latest revisions with publication and distribution of the new rules/regulations to licensed and registered providers completed 60 days prior to the final effective date of March 1, 2005.

During 2001 the Child Care Licensing Unit began development of a new computer system in order to update the licensing process. The new system, CLEAN, went on-line December 1, 2002. CLEAN has greatly enhanced the licensing process and has proven not only to reduce the amount of time spent processing licenses, but also allows quick and accurate access to licensing information and reports. All other units within the Division have read only access to the CLEAN system. The Child Care Licensing Unit is currently exploring the use of hand-held computers to collect data during monitor and other site visits in an attempt to further streamline the data collection process.

The Unit continues to strive for the reduction in duplication of efforts and to improve both the safety of children in child care and the quality of services provided.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD CARE FACILITIES
SFY 2004**

County	<u>Licensed Facilities</u>				Total Capacity Licensed	<u>Registered Facilities</u>	
	Child Care Centers ¹	Capacity	Child Care Family Homes	Capacity		Voluntary Homes ²	Total Capacity Licensed
Arkansas	14	736	19	243	979	0	0
Ashley	20	783	11	122	905	1	5
Baxter	13	1,460	5	52	1,512	0	0
Benton	73	9,083	38	462	9,545	4	20
Boone	21	1,195	17	209	1,404	0	0
Bradley	9	646	7	68	714	0	0
Calhoun	3	93	1	10	103	0	0
Carroll	12	607	19	214	821	0	0
Chicot	15	966	7	80	1,046	0	0
Clark	19	1,284	10	118	1,402	0	0
Clay	8	437	3	34	471	0	0
Cleburne	7	599	9	96	695	0	0
Cleveland	4	183	6	66	249	1	5
Columbia	26	1,267	9	107	1,374	0	0
Conway	9	623	13	178	801	3	15
Craighead	44	4,373	37	413	4,786	2	10
Crawford	17	1,351	19	208	1,559	2	10
Crittenden	35	2,746	27	290	3,036	1	5
Cross	11	518	15	168	686	1	5
Dallas	7	577	3	36	613	3	15
Desha	14	833	8	92	925	0	0
Drew	17	801	10	126	927	1	5
Faulkner	40	3,689	32	399	4,088	0	0
Franklin	8	419	10	123	542	3	15
Fulton	5	298	6	66	364	0	0
Garland	39	3,367	15	174	3,541	5	25
Grant	5	440	0	0	440	1	5
Greene	22	1,603	8	100	1,703	0	0
Hempstead	11	527	8	101	628	1	5
Hot Spring	15	970	4	40	1,010	0	0
Howard	12	638	6	72	710	0	0
Independence	21	1,386	15	173	1,559	0	0
Izard	6	169	2	20	189	1	5
Jackson	10	637	6	78	715	1	5
Jefferson	69	4,737	57	586	5,323	12	58
Johnson	8	579	6	60	639	1	5
Lafayette	9	352	3	36	388	0	0
Lawrence	12	788	5	56	844	0	0
Lee	6	302	9	102	404	5	25
Lincoln	8	439	4	46	485	0	0

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

2. Includes: Registered Relative Family Homes

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD CARE FACILITIES
SFY 2004**

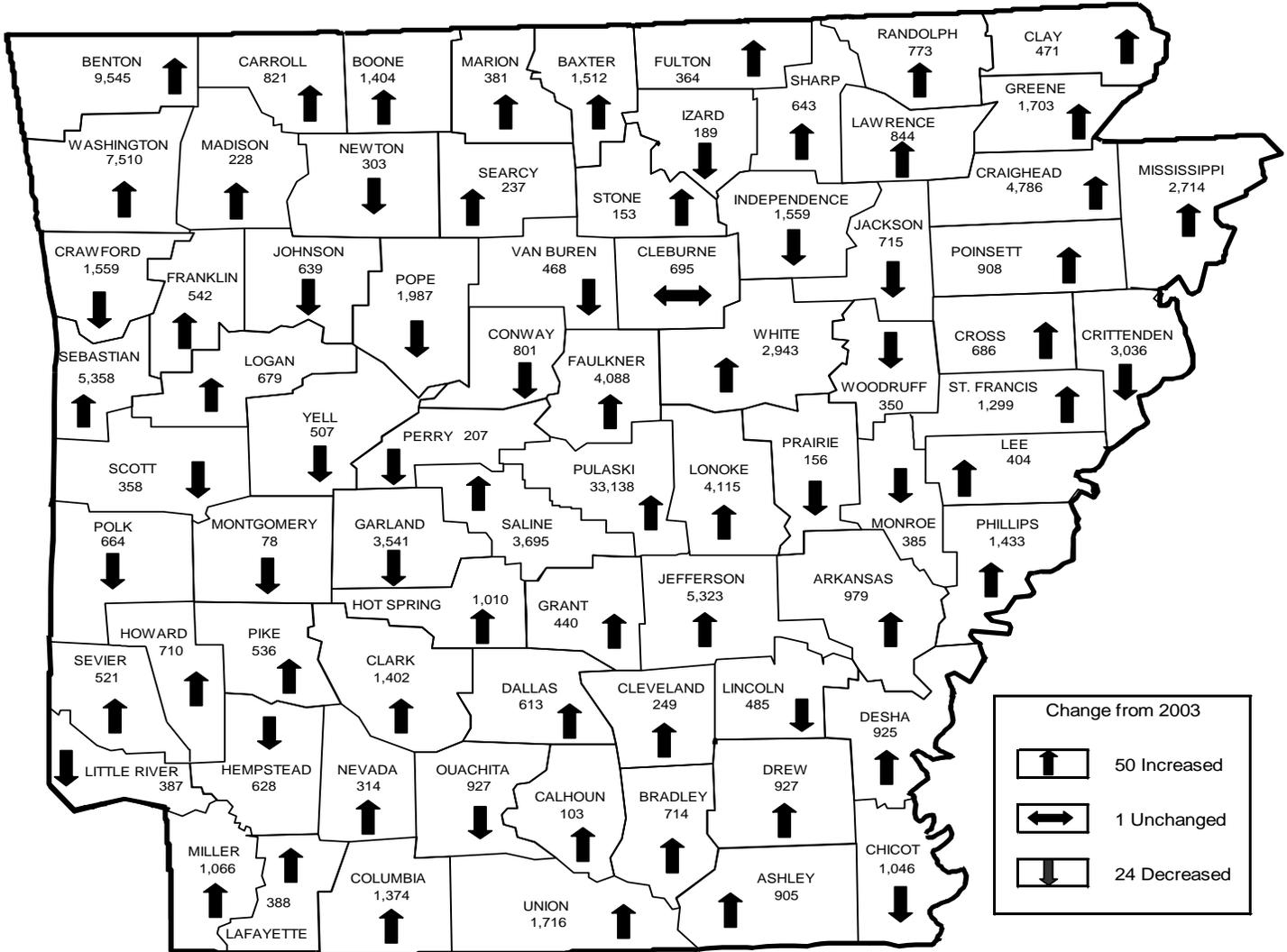
County	<u>Licensed Facilities</u>				<u>Registered Facilities</u>		
	Child Care Centers ¹	Capacity	Child Care Family Homes	Capacity	Total Capacity Licensed	Voluntary Homes ²	Total Capacity Registered
Little River	9	316	6	71	387	0	0
Logan	7	477	16	202	679	2	10
Lonoke	34	4,001	10	114	4,115	3	15
Madison	3	182	4	46	228	1	5
Marion	7	297	6	84	381	0	0
Miller	16	841	19	225	1,066	6	30
Mississippi	38	2,460	22	254	2,714	1	5
Monroe	7	230	15	155	385	2	10
Montgomery	2	50	2	28	78	0	0
Nevada	6	304	1	10	314	0	0
Newton	9	257	4	46	303	1	5
Ouachita	12	686	24	241	927	1	5
Perry	5	198	1	9	207	1	5
Phillips	22	1,202	20	231	1,433	3	15
Pike	10	474	5	62	536	1	5
Poinsett	12	831	7	77	908	1	5
Polk	10	612	4	52	664	0	0
Pope	23	1,849	12	138	1,987	1	5
Prairie	4	146	1	10	156	0	0
Pulaski	338	32,131	98	1,007	33,138	20	100
Randolph	12	753	2	20	773	0	0
Saline	36	3,593	9	102	3,695	1	5
Scott	6	326	3	32	358	0	0
Searcy	4	203	2	34	237	0	0
Sebastian	56	5,100	23	258	5,358	10	50
Sevier	10	443	6	78	521	1	5
Sharp	10	483	13	160	643	0	0
St. Francis	17	1,076	20	223	1,299	4	20
Stone	3	107	4	46	153	0	0
Union	28	1,610	11	106	1,716	3	15
Van Buren	9	412	5	56	468	0	0
Washington	62	6,803	62	707	7,510	4	20
White	29	2,785	14	158	2,943	1	5
Woodruff	4	262	7	88	350	1	5
Yell	10	439	5	68	507	0	0
Total	1,574	124,440	952	10,822	135,262	118	588

1. Includes: Licensed Infant/Toddler and School Age Facilities
2. Includes: Registered Relative Family Homes

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT

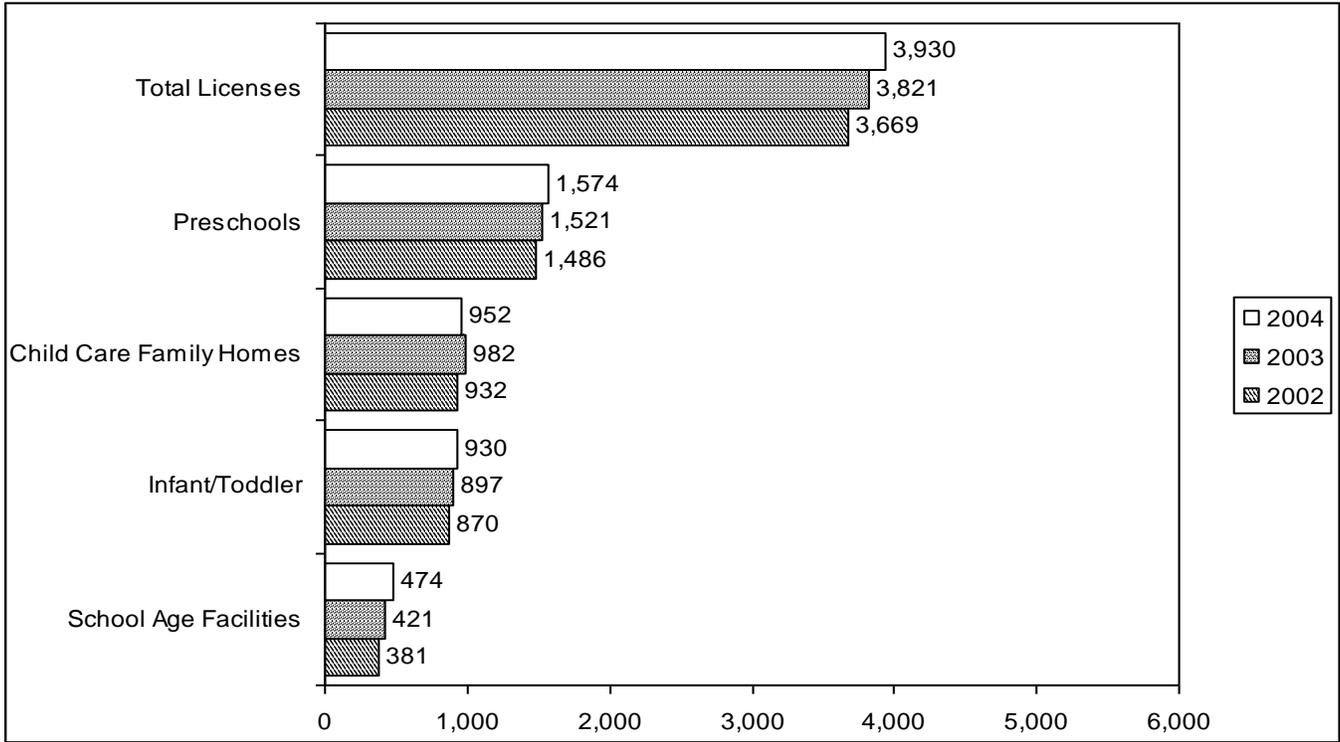
CAPACITY OF CHILD CARE FACILITIES BY COUNTY SFY 2004

Total Capacity 135,262

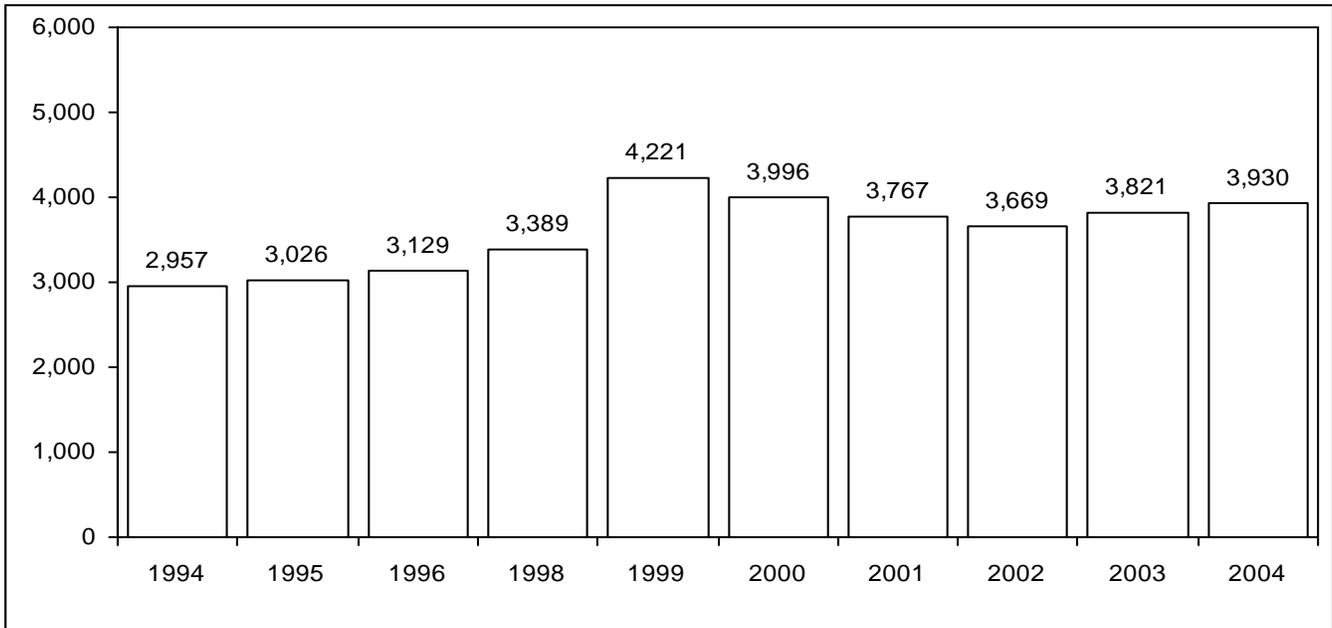


*Does not include Voluntary Registered Facilities.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD CARE LICENSES
SFY 2004**



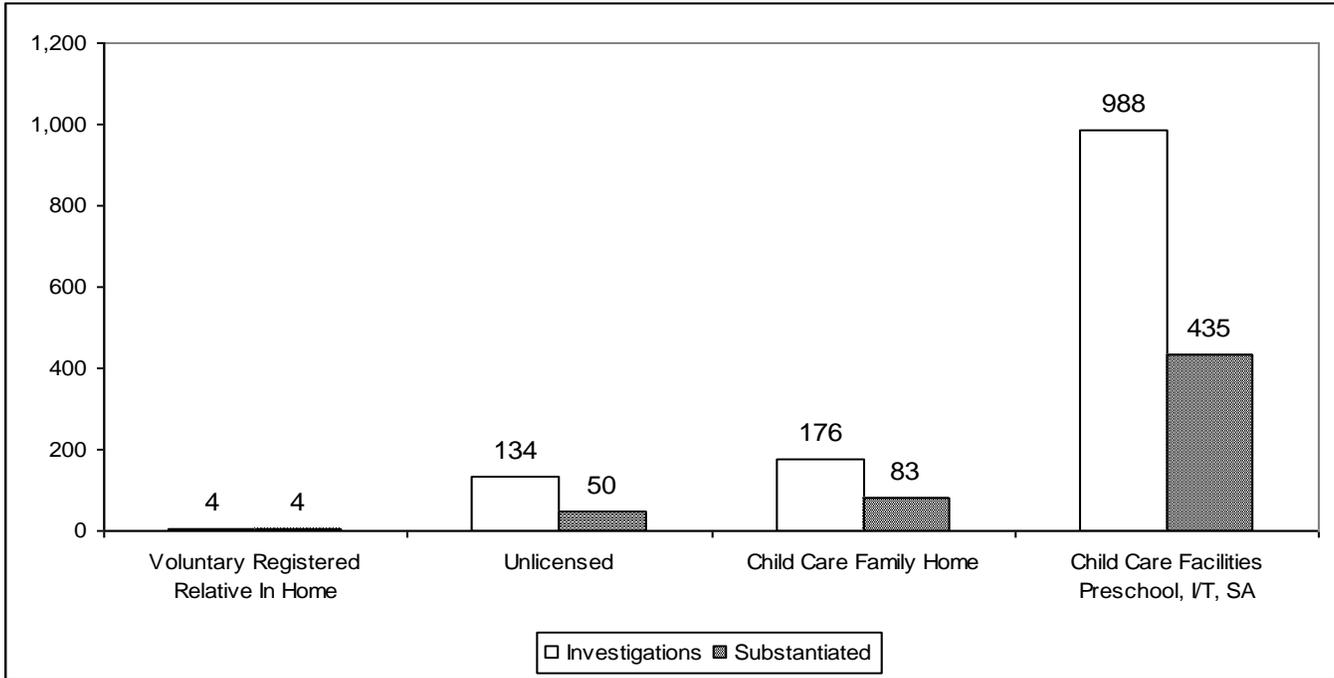
CHILD CARE LICENSES GROWTH PATTERN*



*SFY 1997 data is not available.

Source: Child Care Licensing

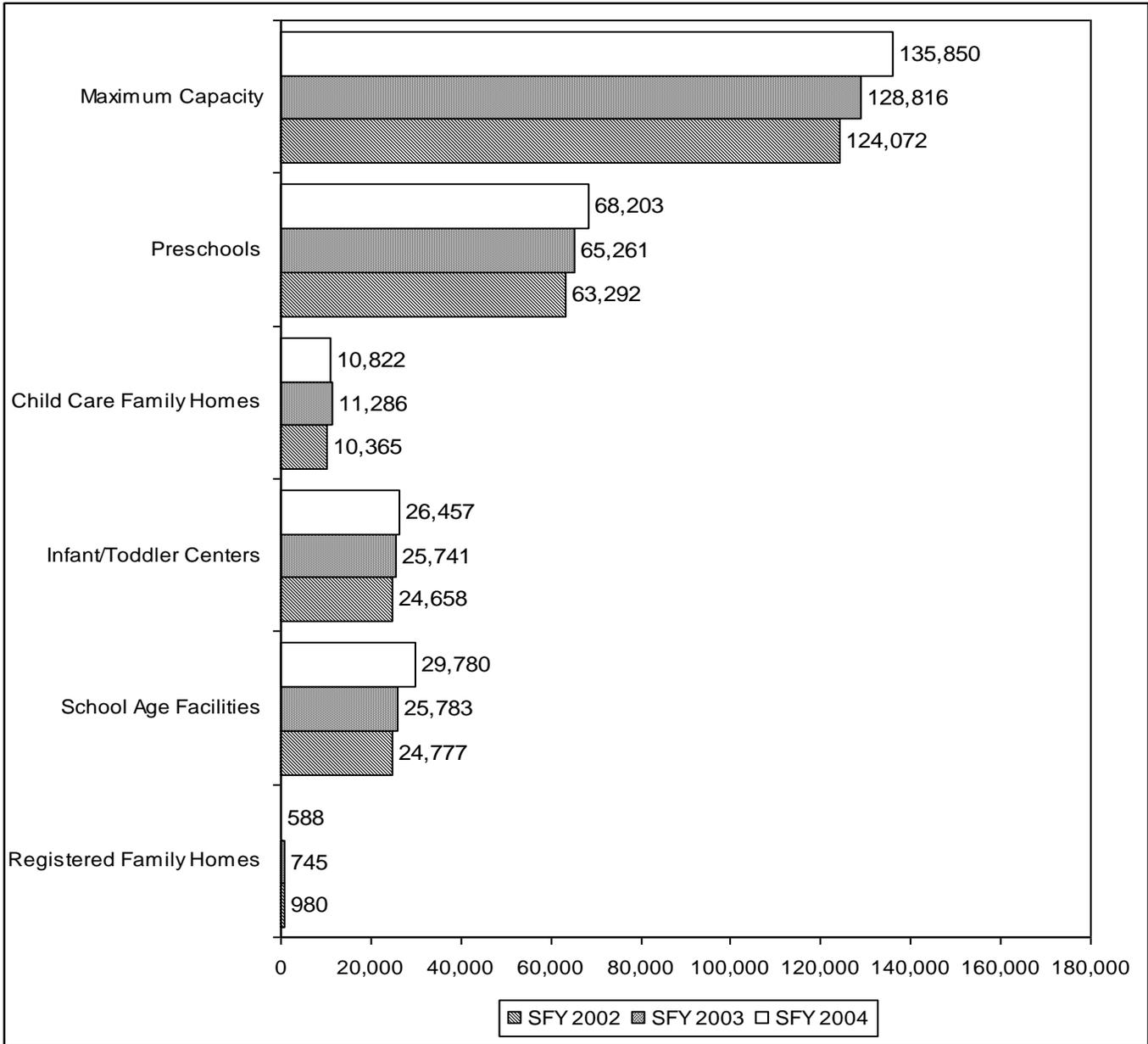
**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
LICENSING VIOLATIONS COMPLAINTS
SFY 2004**



Type	Investigations	Substantiated	Percentage Subst.
Voluntary Registered Relative In Home	4	4	100.0%
Unlicensed	134	50	37.3%
Child Care Family Home	176	83	47.2%
Child Care Facilities Preschool, I/T, SA	988	435	44.0%
TOTAL	1,302	572	43.9% *

*The number of complaints increased significantly for SFY 2004, due to changes that were initiated with the new computer system (CLEAN). Child maltreatment complaints are now entered as both maltreatment and licensing complaints. During previous fiscal years, only the child maltreatment investigation would be listed if this was the primary complaint issued. The new 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 2004**



Facilities	SFY 2004	SFY 2003	SFY 2002
Registered Family Homes	588	745	980
School Age Facilities	29,780	25,783	24,777
Infant/Toddler Centers	26,457	25,741	24,658
Child Care Family Homes	10,822	11,286	10,365
Preschools	68,203	65,261	63,292
Maximum Capacity	135,850	128,816	124,072

Source: Child Care Licensing

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
THE DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2004**

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) 2004, 19,673 reports of abuse and neglect were investigated. Of these reports of abuse and neglect, 5,515 were determined to be true, 13,254 were unsubstantiated and 796 could not be completed because the family could not be located and 108 were exempt.

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 three sections: 1) the Child Abuse Hotline, 2) civilian employees who assess child maltreatment reports, and 3) a law enforcement unit which conducts criminal child maltreatment investigations. 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 placements that are managed, approved or licensed by DHS for the care of children including day care homes, DHS foster homes, residential facilities and pre-adoptive homes and any allegations of maltreatment involving schools or DHS employees. CACD completed 5,046 investigations.

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. DCFS completed 14,627 or 74% of all completed investigations were performed by DCFS.

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 2004, DCFS served 8,858 children and their families in this capacity. The purpose of 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.

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
THE DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2004

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 they are open to all families in their 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 is a collaborative effort between the Division of Children and Family Services and local school districts to establish a human services program within a school. In SFY 2004, this program served 10,469 children and 2,820 families.

When there is no abuse or neglect present, but a family requests services, DCFS opens a Supportive Services case. In SFY 2004, DCFS served 793 children and their 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 42,406 registry checks made in SFY 2004.

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. DCFS placed 6,502 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 2004, there were 328 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 2004, there were 256 new foster homes approved, resulting in a total of 949 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 2004 period
- Open Removal at any time during the SFY 2004 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)

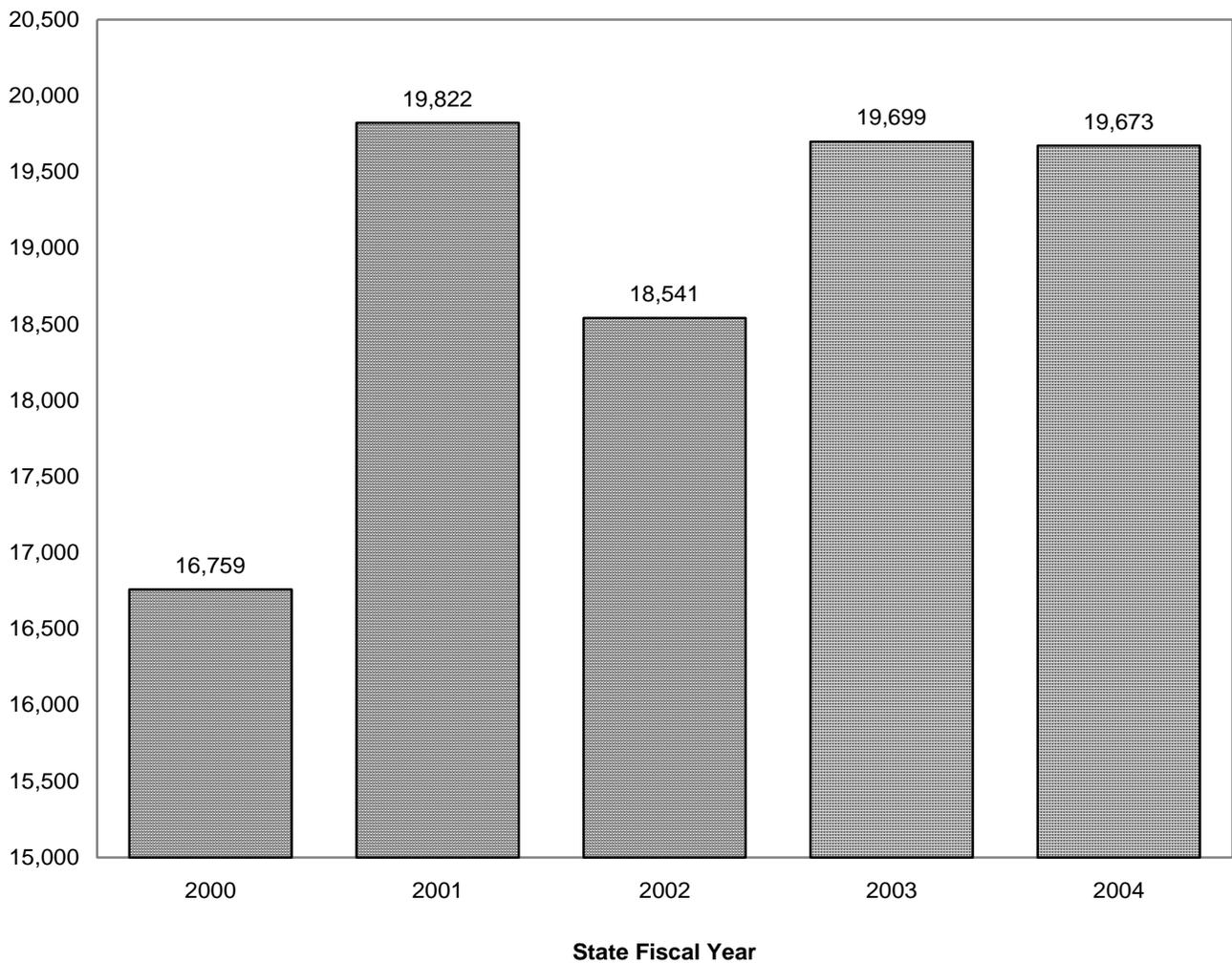
Children's Reporting and Information System (CHRIS)

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.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD MALTREATMENT ASSESSMENT SERVICES
SFY 2004**

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 2004, a total of 19,673 maltreatment reports were received, assessed and completed. Of these abuse and neglect reports, 13,254 were unsubstantiated, 796 could not be completed because the family could not be located, 108 were exempt and 5,515 (28.03%) revealed preponderance of evidence of child maltreatment.

**Child Maltreatment Reports Assessed/Completed
SFY 2000-2004**



**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD MALTREATMENT ASSESSMENTS*
BY FINDINGS
SFY 2004**

County	True Assessments	Percent Determined to be True	Unsubstantiated Assessments	Exempt**	Unable to Locate	Assessments Completed
Arkansas	47	36.43%	79	3	0	129
Ashley	27	19.71%	107	1	2	137
Baxter	93	36.33%	162	0	1	256
Benton	347	32.67%	644	6	65	1,062
Boone	70	23.49%	225	2	1	298
Bradley	23	29.11%	56	0	0	79
Calhoun	10	30.30%	22	1	0	33
Carroll	62	38.27%	89	1	10	162
Chicot	22	20.56%	84	0	1	107
Clark	43	30.28%	97	2	0	142
Clay	37	24.83%	103	1	8	149
Cleburne	34	25.95%	97	0	0	131
Cleveland	19	48.72%	19	0	1	39
Columbia	26	21.31%	91	0	5	122
Conway	62	32.63%	122	0	6	190
Craighead	137	19.86%	525	2	26	690
Crawford	114	28.36%	259	4	25	402
Crittenden	88	23.78%	275	0	7	370
Cross	33	22.00%	111	0	6	150
Dallas	44	42.31%	59	1	0	104
Desha	22	20.18%	85	0	2	109
Drew	45	29.61%	106	0	1	152
Faulkner	208	39.17%	312	2	9	531
Franklin	39	36.45%	66	1	1	107
Fulton	25	30.12%	56	0	2	83
Garland	196	28.65%	453	0	35	684
Grant	34	29.57%	74	1	6	115
Greene	113	26.10%	298	0	22	433
Hempstead	53	35.10%	90	1	7	151
Hot Spring	75	25.00%	219	0	6	300
Howard	26	30.23%	56	1	3	86
Independence	73	23.70%	231	0	4	308
Izard	28	22.76%	93	1	1	123
Jackson	35	25.74%	98	0	3	136
Jefferson	154	27.75%	345	1	55	555
Johnson	79	37.44%	123	2	7	211
Lafayette	29	42.03%	38	0	2	69
Lawrence	58	26.73%	153	1	5	217
Lee	14	26.42%	39	0	0	53

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County	True Assessments	Percent Determined to be True	Unsubstantiated Assessments	Exempt**	Unable to Locate	Assessments Completed
Lincoln	18	25.35%	51	1	1	71
Little River	30	30.61%	63	4	1	98
Logan	36	23.08%	113	1	6	156
Lonoke	89	27.22%	208	1	29	327
Madison	35	35.35%	62	1	1	99
Marion	34	27.42%	85	1	4	124
Miller	86	30.82%	174	2	17	279
Mississippi	101	23.22%	301	2	31	435
Monroe	9	16.67%	45	0	0	54
Montgomery	24	32.43%	48	0	2	74
Nevada	18	43.90%	22	0	1	41
Newton	22	30.99%	47	0	2	71
Ouachita	68	30.63%	148	2	4	222
Perry	15	20.55%	54	0	4	73
Phillips	92	41.82%	122	0	6	220
Pike	8	13.11%	51	0	2	61
Poinsett	51	17.59%	230	2	7	290
Polk	45	27.44%	113	2	4	164
Pope	111	27.41%	288	0	6	405
Prairie	12	31.58%	22	0	4	38
Pulaski	690	27.47%	1,671	22	129	2,512
Randolph	28	16.77%	137	2	0	167
Saline	164	24.96%	453	4	36	657
Scott	24	24.24%	69	1	5	99
Searcy	21	36.21%	37	0	0	58
Sebastian	208	23.91%	585	7	70	870
Sevier	41	32.80%	80	0	4	125
Sharp	61	35.47%	107	2	2	172
St. Francis	48	23.76%	148	2	4	202
Stone	22	28.21%	56	0	0	78
Union	55	19.86%	202	5	15	277
Van Buren	50	34.01%	93	2	2	147
Washington	361	34.06%	649	4	46	1,060
White	132	24.35%	394	2	14	542
Woodruff	11	20.00%	43	0	1	55
Yell	49	29.52%	116	0	1	166
Unknown	2	22.22%	6	1	0	9
State Total	5,515	28.03%	13,254	108	796	19,673

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County	True Assessments	Percent Determined to be True	Unsubstantiated Assessments	Exempt*	Unable to Locate	Assessments Completed
Arkansas	28	31.46%	58	3	0	89
Ashley	15	14.29%	88	1	1	105
Baxter	62	34.07%	119	0	1	182
Benton	211	25.30%	554	6	63	834
Boone	48	19.43%	196	2	1	247
Bradley	15	24.19%	47	0	0	62
Calhoun	8	34.78%	14	1	0	23
Carroll	32	27.83%	72	1	10	115
Chicot	11	13.75%	68	0	1	80
Clark	27	25.96%	75	2	0	104
Clay	24	21.62%	78	1	8	111
Cleburne	16	16.49%	81	0	0	97
Cleveland	14	43.75%	17	0	1	32
Columbia	14	16.09%	68	0	5	87
Conway	40	25.97%	108	0	6	154
Craighead	96	17.58%	426	2	22	546
Crawford	71	23.75%	201	3	24	299
Crittenden	42	15.44%	224	0	6	272
Cross	18	15.79%	94	0	2	114
Dallas	32	43.24%	41	1	0	74
Desha	11	13.75%	67	0	2	80
Drew	30	25.86%	85	0	1	116
Faulkner	134	33.84%	252	2	8	396
Franklin	24	30.00%	54	1	1	80
Fulton	11	18.97%	45	0	2	58
Garland	114	22.66%	357	0	32	503
Grant	16	17.78%	68	1	5	90
Greene	55	18.21%	228	0	19	302
Hempstead	33	28.45%	76	0	7	116
Hot Spring	35	15.70%	182	0	6	223
Howard	15	23.08%	46	1	3	65
Independence	40	17.32%	190	0	1	231
Izard	16	18.39%	69	1	1	87
Jackson	22	20.00%	85	0	3	110
Jefferson	82	19.81%	279	1	52	414
Johnson	54	33.33%	99	2	7	162
Lafayette	20	39.22%	29	0	2	51
Lawrence	39	25.16%	113	0	3	155
Lee	4	14.29%	24	0	0	28

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County	True Assessments	Percent Determined to be True	Unsubstantiated Assessments	Exempt*	Unable to Locate	Assessments Completed
Lincoln	7	15.56%	36	1	1	45
Little River	20	25.97%	53	3	1	77
Logan	22	18.97%	87	1	6	116
Lonoke	36	16.90%	149	1	27	213
Madison	16	21.62%	56	1	1	74
Marion	21	24.42%	61	1	3	86
Miller	49	24.26%	134	2	17	202
Mississippi	56	16.72%	246	2	31	335
Monroe	6	13.04%	40	0	0	46
Montgomery	13	25.00%	37	0	2	52
Nevada	8	27.59%	20	0	1	29
Newton	11	22.00%	37	0	2	50
Ouachita	48	27.59%	120	2	4	174
Perry	5	10.64%	38	0	4	47
Phillips	54	34.84%	96	0	5	155
Pike	3	6.12%	44	0	2	49
Poinsett	29	13.24%	185	1	4	219
Polk	17	15.32%	88	2	4	111
Pope	84	26.92%	222	0	6	312
Prairie	6	26.09%	14	0	3	23
Pulaski	474	26.02%	1,211	18	119	1,822
Randolph	13	10.48%	110	1	0	124
Saline	107	22.06%	340	4	34	485
Scott	17	20.99%	58	1	5	81
Searcy	14	33.33%	28	0	0	42
Sebastian	100	14.97%	493	7	68	668
Sevier	24	26.97%	62	0	3	89
Sharp	46	36.51%	77	2	1	126
St. Francis	30	20.69%	111	2	2	145
Stone	9	17.65%	42	0	0	51
Union	28	13.40%	163	5	13	209
Van Buren	26	25.49%	72	2	2	102
Washington	204	25.25%	554	4	46	808
White	82	20.30%	308	1	13	404
Woodruff	6	13.95%	36	0	1	43
Yell	26	22.22%	90	0	1	117
Unknown	0	0.00%	1	1	0	2
State Total	3,296	22.53%	10,496	97	738	14,627

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILD MALTREATMENT ASSESSMENTS
BY FINDINGS--CACD
SFY 2004**

County	True Assessments	Percent Determined to be True	Unsubstantiated Assessments	Exempt*	Unable to Locate	Assessments Completed
Arkansas	19	47.50%	21	0	0	40
Ashley	12	37.50%	19	0	1	32
Baxter	31	41.89%	43	0	0	74
Benton	136	59.65%	90	0	2	228
Boone	22	43.14%	29	0	0	51
Bradley	8	47.06%	9	0	0	17
Calhoun	2	20.00%	8	0	0	10
Carroll	30	63.83%	17	0	0	47
Chicot	11	40.74%	16	0	0	27
Clark	16	42.11%	22	0	0	38
Clay	13	34.21%	25	0	0	38
Cleburne	18	52.94%	16	0	0	34
Cleveland	5	71.43%	2	0	0	7
Columbia	12	34.29%	23	0	0	35
Conway	22	61.11%	14	0	0	36
Craighead	41	28.47%	99	0	4	144
Crawford	43	41.75%	58	1	1	103
Crittenden	46	46.94%	51	0	1	98
Cross	15	41.67%	17	0	4	36
Dallas	12	40.00%	18	0	0	30
Desha	11	37.93%	18	0	0	29
Drew	15	41.67%	21	0	0	36
Faulkner	74	54.81%	60	0	1	135
Franklin	15	55.56%	12	0	0	27
Fulton	14	56.00%	11	0	0	25
Garland	82	45.30%	96	0	3	181
Grant	18	72.00%	6	0	1	25
Greene	58	44.27%	70	0	3	131
Hempstead	20	57.14%	14	1	0	35
Hot Spring	40	51.95%	37	0	0	77
Howard	11	52.38%	10	0	0	21
Independence	33	42.86%	41	0	3	77
Izard	12	33.33%	24	0	0	36
Jackson	13	50.00%	13	0	0	26
Jefferson	72	51.06%	66	0	3	141
Johnson	25	51.02%	24	0	0	49
Lafayette	9	50.00%	9	0	0	18
Lawrence	19	30.65%	40	1	2	62
Lee	10	40.00%	15	0	0	25

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BY FINDINGS--CACD
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County	True Assessments	Percent Determined to be True	Unsubstantiated Assessments	Exempt*	Unable to Locate	Assessments Completed
Lincoln	11	42.31%	15	0	0	26
Little River	10	47.62%	10	1	0	21
Logan	14	35.00%	26	0	0	40
Lonoke	53	46.49%	59	0	2	114
Madison	19	76.00%	6	0	0	25
Marion	13	34.21%	24	0	1	38
Miller	37	48.05%	40	0	0	77
Mississippi	45	45.00%	55	0	0	100
Monroe	3	37.50%	5	0	0	8
Montgomery	11	50.00%	11	0	0	22
Nevada	10	83.33%	2	0	0	12
Newton	11	52.38%	10	0	0	21
Ouachita	20	41.67%	28	0	0	48
Perry	10	38.46%	16	0	0	26
Phillips	38	58.46%	26	0	1	65
Pike	5	41.67%	7	0	0	12
Poinsett	22	30.99%	45	1	3	71
Polk	28	52.83%	25	0	0	53
Pope	27	29.03%	66	0	0	93
Prairie	6	40.00%	8	0	1	15
Pulaski	216	31.30%	460	4	10	690
Randolph	15	34.88%	27	1	0	43
Saline	57	33.14%	113	0	2	172
Scott	7	38.89%	11	0	0	18
Searcy	7	43.75%	9	0	0	16
Sebastian	108	53.47%	92	0	2	202
Sevier	17	47.22%	18	0	1	36
Sharp	15	32.61%	30	0	1	46
St. Francis	18	31.58%	37	0	2	57
Stone	13	48.15%	14	0	0	27
Union	27	39.71%	39	0	2	68
Van Buren	24	53.33%	21	0	0	45
Washington	157	62.30%	95	0	0	252
White	50	36.23%	86	1	1	138
Woodruff	5	41.67%	7	0	0	12
Yell	23	46.94%	26	0	0	49
Unknown	2	28.57%	5	0	0	7
State Total	2,219	43.98%	2,758	11	58	5,046

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CHILD MALTREATMENT COMPLAINTS
OUT-OF-HOME
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Type	Investigation	True	Percent True
Contracted Therapeutic/Emergency Foster Home	13	6	46.15%
Day Care	227	70	30.84%
Foster Family Home (Non-Relative)	64	7	10.94%
Hospital	44	17	38.64%
Institutional Care	84	27	32.14%
Jail	242	155	64.05%
Juvenile Corrections	48	15	31.25%
Neighborhood or Friend's Home	1,229	573	46.62%
Non-Paid Babysitter's Home	23	10	43.48%
Out of Home Birth Parent's Home	492	107	21.75%
Relative's Home	2,141	629	29.38%
Relative Foster Home - Kinship Care	12	3	25.00%
Residential Care	86	18	20.93%
School	283	66	23.32%
Unknown	1,266	566	44.71%
TOTAL	6,254	2,269	36.28%

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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.

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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.

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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).

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ASSESSMENT STATUS AND BREAKDOWN*
BY TYPE OF ABUSE
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County	Neglect	Physical Abuse	Sexual Abuse	Neglect & Physical Abuse	Neglect & Sexual Abuse	Sexual & Physical Abuse	Neglect, Sexual & Physical Abuse	No Child Identified as Victim	Total
Arkansas	17	12	10	3	4	0	1	0	47
Ashley	10	4	9	1	2	0	1	0	27
Baxter	38	13	25	11	4	0	0	2	93
Benton	135	72	98	21	7	0	10	4	347
Boone	34	5	15	11	4	0	1	0	70
Bradley	8	4	8	3	0	0	0	0	23
Calhoun	6	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	10
Carroll	21	5	24	6	5	0	1	0	62
Chicot	8	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	22
Clark	14	8	10	7	3	0	1	0	43
Clay	17	5	9	3	2	0	0	1	37
Cleburne	9	6	15	2	1	0	1	0	34
Cleveland	7	5	5	1	0	0	1	0	19
Columbia	10	2	10	2	2	0	0	0	26
Conway	27	7	16	7	3	0	1	1	62
Craighead	65	28	28	12	2	0	1	1	137
Crawford	41	24	31	12	2	0	2	2	114
Crittenden	30	11	37	3	1	0	5	1	88
Cross	9	12	6	3	2	0	0	1	33
Dallas	19	13	8	3	0	0	0	1	44
Desha	5	7	6	4	0	0	0	0	22
Drew	20	4	12	5	2	0	1	1	45
Faulkner	87	33	49	25	7	0	6	1	208
Franklin	15	5	10	5	1	0	2	1	39
Fulton	7	7	5	3	3	0	0	0	25
Garland	79	20	53	26	8	0	6	4	196
Grant	12	8	12	0	0	0	2	0	34
Greene	31	21	43	11	6	0	1	0	113
Hempstead	15	13	13	7	4	0	1	0	53
Hot Spring	16	15	34	7	1	0	1	1	75
Howard	11	4	7	1	3	0	0	0	26
Independence	26	10	26	6	3	0	2	0	73
Izard	11	1	8	5	2	0	1	0	28
Jackson	13	5	8	5	3	0	1	0	35
Jefferson	58	24	55	7	5	0	3	2	154
Johnson	36	13	16	11	2	0	1	0	79
Lafayette	15	5	6	1	1	0	1	0	29
Lawrence	24	5	15	8	1	0	0	5	58
Lee	1	4	7	0	2	0	0	0	14

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County	Neglect	Physical Abuse	Sexual Abuse	Neglect & Physical Abuse	Neglect & Sexual Abuse	Sexual & Physical Abuse	Neglect, Sexual & Physical Abuse	No Child Identified as Victim	Total
Lincoln	3	4	9	1	0	0	1	0	18
Little River	13	7	5	3	0	0	2	0	30
Logan	17	7	10	1	1	0	0	0	36
Lonoke	26	12	41	6	3	0	1	0	89
Madison	7	6	16	6	0	0	0	0	35
Marion	16	4	11	1	2	0	0	0	34
Miller	31	21	26	3	3	0	2	0	86
Mississippi	41	12	35	7	5	0	0	1	101
Monroe	5	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	9
Montgomery	10	0	10	2	1	0	1	0	24
Nevada	8	0	8	2	0	0	0	0	18
Newton	7	2	8	3	1	0	0	1	22
Ouachita	42	6	15	4	0	0	1	0	68
Perry	3	2	7	1	2	0	0	0	15
Phillips	42	10	25	7	5	0	0	3	92
Pike	1	1	3	2	0	0	1	0	8
Poinsett	19	9	15	5	2	0	1	0	51
Polk	7	8	23	3	2	0	2	0	45
Pope	64	16	20	11	0	0	0	0	111
Prairie	5	0	4	1	1	0	1	0	12
Pulaski	338	103	145	66	24	0	7	7	690
Randolph	12	2	10	0	3	0	0	1	28
Saline	70	27	37	21	4	0	3	2	164
Scott	9	8	5	1	1	0	0	0	24
Searcy	9	4	6	1	0	0	1	0	21
Sebastian	62	43	75	16	6	0	6	0	208
Sevier	19	5	12	2	2	0	1	0	41
Sharp	27	13	11	7	2	0	0	1	61
St. Francis	12	16	15	2	2	0	1	0	48
Stone	4	1	12	4	1	0	0	0	22
Union	24	6	13	3	5	0	3	1	55
Van Buren	18	6	20	2	3	0	1	0	50
Washington	115	67	111	37	11	0	14	6	361
White	49	29	38	6	4	0	5	1	132
Woodruff	5	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	11
Yell	12	12	15	4	5	0	1	0	49
Unknown	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
State Total	2,159	918	1,582	490	201	0	112	53	5,515

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ASSESSMENT STATUS AND BREAKDOWN
BY TYPE OF ABUSE--DCFS
SFY 2004**

County	Neglect	Physical Abuse	Sexual Abuse	Neglect & Physical Abuse	Neglect & Sexual Abuse	Sexual & Physical Abuse	Neglect, Sexual & Physical Abuse	No Child Identified as Victim	Total
Arkansas	17	8	0	3	0	0	0	0	28
Ashley	10	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	15
Baxter	38	12	0	10	1	0	0	1	62
Benton	134	55	2	17	2	0	0	1	211
Boone	33	4	1	10	0	0	0	0	48
Bradley	8	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	15
Calhoun	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Carroll	21	5	0	6	0	0	0	0	32
Chicot	7	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Clark	14	6	0	5	2	0	0	0	27
Clay	17	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	24
Cleburne	9	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	16
Cleveland	7	5	0	1	0	0	1	0	14
Columbia	10	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	14
Conway	27	4	1	7	0	0	0	1	40
Craighead	65	24	0	6	1	0	0	0	96
Crawford	41	20	2	6	0	0	0	2	71
Crittenden	29	9	0	3	0	0	0	1	42
Cross	9	7	0	1	0	0	0	1	18
Dallas	19	10	0	2	0	0	0	1	32
Desha	5	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	11
Drew	20	4	0	5	0	0	0	1	30
Faulkner	86	25	1	22	0	0	0	0	134
Franklin	15	4	0	5	0	0	0	0	24
Fulton	7	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	11
Garland	78	8	0	25	0	0	1	2	114
Grant	12	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Greene	31	13	1	10	0	0	0	0	55
Hempstead	15	10	1	7	0	0	0	0	33
Hot Spring	16	12	0	5	1	0	0	1	35
Howard	11	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Independence	26	9	1	4	0	0	0	0	40
Izard	10	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	16
Jackson	13	4	0	5	0	0	0	0	22
Jefferson	58	16	0	6	0	0	0	2	82
Johnson	35	12	0	7	0	0	0	0	54
Lafayette	15	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Lawrence	24	5	0	7	0	0	0	3	39
Lee	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ASSESSMENT STATUS AND BREAKDOWN
BY TYPE OF ABUSE--DCFS
SFY 2004**

County	Neglect	Physical Abuse	Sexual Abuse	Neglect & Physical Abuse	Neglect & Sexual Abuse	Sexual & Physical Abuse	Neglect, Sexual & Physical Abuse	No Child Identified as Victim	Total
Lincoln	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	7
Little River	13	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	20
Logan	17	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	22
Lonoke	26	5	1	4	0	0	0	0	36
Madison	7	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	16
Marion	16	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	21
Miller	31	14	1	3	0	0	0	0	49
Mississippi	40	10	0	5	0	0	0	1	56
Monroe	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Montgomery	10	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	13
Nevada	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Newton	7	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	11
Ouachita	42	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	48
Perry	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Phillips	41	8	0	3	0	0	0	2	54
Pike	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Poinsett	19	7	0	3	0	0	0	0	29
Polk	7	6	2	2	0	0	0	0	17
Pope	64	10	1	9	0	0	0	0	84
Prairie	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Pulaski	334	84	1	48	2	0	1	4	474
Randolph	12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Saline	69	19	1	16	0	0	0	2	107
Scott	8	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	17
Searcy	9	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	14
Sebastian	59	31	0	9	0	0	1	0	100
Sevier	19	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	24
Sharp	27	12	0	7	0	0	0	0	46
St. Francis	12	15	1	2	0	0	0	0	30
Stone	4	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	9
Union	24	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	28
Van Buren	18	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	26
Washington	110	58	1	31	0	0	0	4	204
White	47	27	0	5	1	0	1	1	82
Woodruff	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Yell	12	12	0	2	0	0	0	0	26
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Total	2,133	715	20	378	13	0	6	31	3,296

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ASSESSMENT STATUS AND BREAKDOWN
BY TYPE OF ABUSE--CACD
SFY 2004**

County	Neglect	Physical Abuse	Sexual Abuse	Neglect & Physical Abuse	Neglect & Sexual Abuse	Sexual & Physical Abuse	Neglect, Sexual & Physical Abuse	No Child Identified as Victim	Total
Arkansas	0	4	10	0	4	0	1	0	19
Ashley	0	0	9	0	2	0	1	0	12
Baxter	0	1	25	1	3	0	0	1	31
Benton	1	17	96	4	5	0	10	3	136
Boone	1	1	14	1	4	0	1	0	22
Bradley	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	8
Calhoun	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
Carroll	0	0	24	0	5	0	1	0	30
Chicot	1	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	11
Clark	0	2	10	2	1	0	1	0	16
Clay	0	0	9	1	2	0	0	1	13
Cleburne	0	1	15	0	1	0	1	0	18
Cleveland	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5
Columbia	0	0	9	1	2	0	0	0	12
Conway	0	3	15	0	3	0	1	0	22
Craighead	0	4	28	6	1	0	1	1	41
Crawford	0	4	29	6	2	0	2	0	43
Crittenden	1	2	37	0	1	0	5	0	46
Cross	0	5	6	2	2	0	0	0	15
Dallas	0	3	8	1	0	0	0	0	12
Desha	0	4	6	1	0	0	0	0	11
Drew	0	0	12	0	2	0	1	0	15
Faulkner	1	8	48	3	7	0	6	1	74
Franklin	0	1	10	0	1	0	2	1	15
Fulton	0	4	5	3	2	0	0	0	14
Garland	1	12	53	1	8	0	5	2	82
Grant	0	4	12	0	0	0	2	0	18
Greene	0	8	42	1	6	0	1	0	58
Hempstead	0	3	12	0	4	0	1	0	20
Hot Spring	0	3	34	2	0	0	1	0	40
Howard	0	0	7	1	3	0	0	0	11
Independence	0	1	25	2	3	0	2	0	33
Izard	1	0	8	0	2	0	1	0	12
Jackson	0	1	8	0	3	0	1	0	13
Jefferson	0	8	55	1	5	0	3	0	72
Johnson	1	1	16	4	2	0	1	0	25
Lafayette	0	0	6	1	1	0	1	0	9
Lawrence	0	0	15	1	1	0	0	2	19
Lee	0	1	7	0	2	0	0	0	10

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ASSESSMENT STATUS AND BREAKDOWN
BY TYPE OF ABUSE--CACD
SFY 2004**

County	Neglect	Physical Abuse	Sexual Abuse	Neglect & Physical Abuse	Neglect & Sexual Abuse	Sexual & Physical Abuse	Neglect, Sexual & Physical Abuse	No Child Identified as Victim	Total
Lincoln	0	1	9	0	0	0	1	0	11
Little River	0	1	5	2	0	0	2	0	10
Logan	0	3	10	0	1	0	0	0	14
Lonoke	0	7	40	2	3	0	1	0	53
Madison	0	0	16	3	0	0	0	0	19
Marion	0	1	11	0	1	0	0	0	13
Miller	0	7	25	0	3	0	2	0	37
Mississippi	1	2	35	2	5	0	0	0	45
Monroe	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	3
Montgomery	0	0	10	0	1	0	0	0	11
Nevada	0	0	8	2	0	0	0	0	10
Newton	0	1	8	0	1	0	0	1	11
Ouachita	0	2	15	2	0	0	1	0	20
Perry	0	0	7	1	2	0	0	0	10
Phillips	1	2	25	4	5	0	0	1	38
Pike	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	0	5
Poinsett	0	2	15	2	2	0	1	0	22
Polk	0	2	21	1	2	0	2	0	28
Pope	0	6	19	2	0	0	0	0	27
Prairie	0	0	4	0	1	0	1	0	6
Pulaski	4	19	144	18	22	0	6	3	216
Randolph	0	1	10	0	3	0	0	1	15
Saline	1	8	36	5	4	0	3	0	57
Scott	1	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	7
Searcy	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	7
Sebastian	3	12	75	7	6	0	5	0	108
Sevier	0	1	12	1	2	0	1	0	17
Sharp	0	1	11	0	2	0	0	1	15
St. Francis	0	1	14	0	2	0	1	0	18
Stone	0	0	12	0	1	0	0	0	13
Union	0	3	13	2	5	0	3	1	27
Van Buren	0	0	20	0	3	0	1	0	24
Washington	5	9	110	6	11	0	14	2	157
White	2	2	38	1	3	0	4	0	50
Woodruff	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	5
Yell	0	0	15	2	5	0	1	0	23
Unknown	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
State Total	26	203	1,562	112	188	0	106	22	2,219

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
VICTIMS OF CHILD MALTREATMENT*
BY AGE
SFY 2004**

County	Under Two	Two to Five	Six to Eleven	Twelve to Fifteen	Sixteen & Over	Age Unknown	Total Children
Arkansas	4	11	25	14	6	0	60
Ashley	3	3	10	9	7	0	32
Baxter	11	28	56	25	9	0	129
Benton	40	115	160	126	47	8	496
Boone	11	29	26	23	15	0	104
Bradley	2	4	8	9	5	0	28
Calhoun	0	4	4	2	1	1	12
Carroll	3	26	19	17	7	5	77
Chicot	1	4	8	8	3	0	24
Clark	4	15	28	10	5	0	62
Clay	3	12	14	18	5	0	52
Cleburne	1	7	11	21	6	0	46
Cleveland	2	7	15	3	1	1	29
Columbia	5	8	11	13	2	0	39
Conway	5	21	32	22	11	0	91
Craighead	18	58	85	39	21	18	239
Crawford	11	51	56	36	18	0	172
Crittenden	10	22	38	34	17	0	121
Cross	7	12	10	13	3	0	45
Dallas	5	13	17	24	5	0	64
Desha	5	1	8	9	8	0	31
Drew	1	19	24	9	9	0	62
Faulkner	27	73	113	82	31	5	331
Franklin	3	11	16	21	6	1	58
Fulton	4	7	15	7	4	0	37
Garland	32	80	91	64	29	3	299
Grant	3	7	14	15	2	1	42
Greene	8	39	54	46	15	1	163
Hempstead	5	16	22	25	8	1	77
Hot Spring	5	19	33	29	10	0	96
Howard	1	5	17	8	3	0	34
Independence	10	20	38	26	11	0	105
Izard	0	14	15	13	5	0	47
Jackson	7	10	22	12	5	0	56
Jefferson	17	47	56	57	23	18	218
Johnson	6	33	41	22	9	0	111
Lafayette	4	6	25	12	1	0	48
Lawrence	9	16	29	30	7	3	94
Lee	1	4	5	6	3	0	19

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
VICTIMS OF CHILD MALTREATMENT*
BY AGE
SFY 2004**

County	Under Two	Two to Five	Six to Eleven	Twelve to Fifteen	Sixteen & Over	Age Unknown	Total Children
Lincoln	1	5	11	5	2	1	25
Little River	2	17	10	8	2	0	39
Logan	3	11	15	15	5	0	49
Lonoke	13	24	23	29	25	0	114
Madison	3	12	25	8	2	1	51
Marion	2	8	17	14	8	0	49
Miller	10	25	39	31	9	2	116
Mississippi	8	39	47	31	11	1	137
Monroe	0	2	3	4	3	1	13
Montgomery	1	5	15	13	4	0	38
Nevada	3	9	11	6	3	0	32
Newton	0	3	11	6	5	0	25
Ouachita	8	23	28	27	8	0	94
Perry	1	5	8	4	3	0	21
Phillips	13	35	46	39	21	0	154
Pike	2	3	6	0	2	0	13
Poinsett	5	18	23	18	9	1	74
Polk	2	14	15	10	9	1	51
Pope	25	54	42	44	13	0	178
Prairie	0	4	3	3	3	0	13
Pulaski	83	214	385	242	102	27	1,053
Randolph	4	8	9	11	4	0	36
Saline	8	35	79	70	41	3	236
Scott	3	6	12	5	2	4	32
Searcy	2	7	14	9	5	0	37
Sebastian	16	66	114	74	27	5	302
Sevier	1	12	22	10	8	0	53
Sharp	4	14	34	31	10	0	93
St. Francis	3	19	24	15	5	2	68
Stone	1	2	11	14	5	0	33
Union	5	21	23	17	11	0	77
Van Buren	3	15	26	16	5	0	65
Washington	35	120	208	118	49	8	538
White	21	40	52	52	21	7	193
Woodruff	2	4	3	4	2	0	15
Yell	4	15	21	24	8	0	72
Unknown	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
State Total	591	1,791	2,707	1,986	835	131	8,041

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
VICTIMS OF CHILD MALTREATMENT*
BY ETHNICITY
SFY 2004**

	White	Black	Asian	American Indian or Alaskan Native	Native Hawaiian And Other Pacific Islander	Hispanic	Combin- ation	Unable to Determine	Total Ethnicity
Arkansas	43	14	0	0	0	1	1	1	60
Ashley	21	9	0	0	0	1	0	1	32
Baxter	122	0	0	0	0	3	2	2	129
Benton	408	2	3	3	1	56	20	3	496
Boone	99	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	104
Bradley	12	13	0	0	0	2	1	0	28
Calhoun	8	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Carroll	62	0	0	0	0	14	1	0	77
Chicot	6	15	0	0	0	0	3	0	24
Clark	36	18	0	0	0	4	4	0	62
Clay	50	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	52
Cleburne	45	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	46
Cleveland	19	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
Columbia	11	24	0	0	0	0	4	0	39
Conway	63	16	0	0	0	4	8	0	91
Craighead	160	60	0	0	0	5	13	1	239
Crawford	152	2	0	1	0	13	4	0	172
Crittenden	36	83	0	0	0	0	2	0	121
Cross	24	18	0	0	0	1	2	0	45
Dallas	23	36	0	0	0	0	3	2	64
Desha	16	14	0	0	0	0	1	0	31
Drew	41	18	0	0	0	2	1	0	62
Faulkner	274	40	0	0	0	5	12	0	331
Franklin	56	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	58
Fulton	33	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	37
Garland	230	46	0	0	0	11	12	0	299
Grant	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42
Greene	158	1	0	0	0	2	2	0	163
Hempstead	39	29	0	0	0	3	6	0	77
Hot Spring	85	6	0	0	0	2	1	2	96
Howard	24	6	0	0	0	2	0	2	34
Independence	93	1	1	0	0	1	9	0	105
Izard	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47
Jackson	46	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	56
Jefferson	62	142	0	0	0	1	12	1	218
Johnson	96	0	0	0	0	12	3	0	111
Lafayette	23	22	0	0	0	0	3	0	48
Lawrence	94	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	94
Lee	3	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	19

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VICTIMS OF CHILD MALTREATMENT*
BY ETHNICITY
SFY 2004**

	White	Black	Asian	American Indian or Alaskan Native	Native Hawaiian And Other Pacific Islander	Hispanic	Combin- ation	Unable to Determine	Total Ethnicity
Lincoln	17	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Little River	26	6	0	0	0	4	2	1	39
Logan	44	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	49
Lonoke	99	12	0	0	0	2	1	0	114
Madison	41	1	0	0	0	9	0	0	51
Marion	48	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	49
Miller	73	37	0	0	0	2	4	0	116
Mississippi	56	75	0	0	0	0	6	0	137
Monroe	3	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Montgomery	32	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	38
Nevada	20	9	0	0	0	1	1	1	32
Newton	22	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	25
Ouachita	35	45	0	0	0	2	11	1	94
Perry	19	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	21
Phillips	27	123	0	0	0	0	3	1	154
Pike	8	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Poinsett	64	6	0	0	0	2	1	1	74
Polk	46	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	51
Pope	153	5	0	2	0	10	7	1	178
Prairie	11	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Pulaski	396	552	0	0	0	43	55	7	1,053
Randolph	34	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	36
Saline	201	21	0	0	0	6	8	0	236
Scott	31	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	32
Searcy	35	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	37
Sebastian	219	17	6	0	0	30	25	5	302
Sevier	33	0	0	0	0	14	6	0	53
Sharp	85	2	0	0	0	0	6	0	93
St. Francis	30	36	0	0	0	2	0	0	68
Stone	30	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	33
Union	42	29	0	0	0	0	6	0	77
Van Buren	63	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	65
Washington	419	23	1	5	2	56	28	4	538
White	171	5	0	1	0	5	10	1	193
Woodruff	13	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Yell	60	0	0	0	0	8	2	2	72
Unknown	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
State Total	5,569	1,708	11	15	3	359	330	46	8,041

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

Source: Children's Reporting Information System (CHRIS)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
VICTIMS OF CHILD MALTREATMENT*
BY GENDER
SFY 2004**

County	Male	Female	Unknown	Total Children
Arkansas	20	40	0	60
Ashley	13	19	0	32
Baxter	64	65	0	129
Benton	209	287	0	496
Boone	47	57	0	104
Bradley	9	19	0	28
Calhoun	7	5	0	12
Carroll	24	53	0	77
Chicot	9	15	0	24
Clark	32	30	0	62
Clay	21	31	0	52
Cleburne	19	27	0	46
Cleveland	15	14	0	29
Columbia	12	27	0	39
Conway	46	45	0	91
Craighead	108	131	0	239
Crawford	81	91	0	172
Crittenden	48	73	0	121
Cross	21	24	0	45
Dallas	29	35	0	64
Desha	14	17	0	31
Drew	24	38	0	62
Faulkner	141	190	0	331
Franklin	21	37	0	58
Fulton	21	16	0	37
Garland	134	165	0	299
Grant	18	24	0	42
Greene	64	99	0	163
Hempstead	29	48	0	77
Hot Spring	31	65	0	96
Howard	16	18	0	34
Independence	39	66	0	105
Izard	17	30	0	47
Jackson	21	35	0	56
Jefferson	97	121	0	218
Johnson	43	68	0	111
Lafayette	26	22	0	48
Lawrence	50	44	0	94
Lee	7	12	0	19

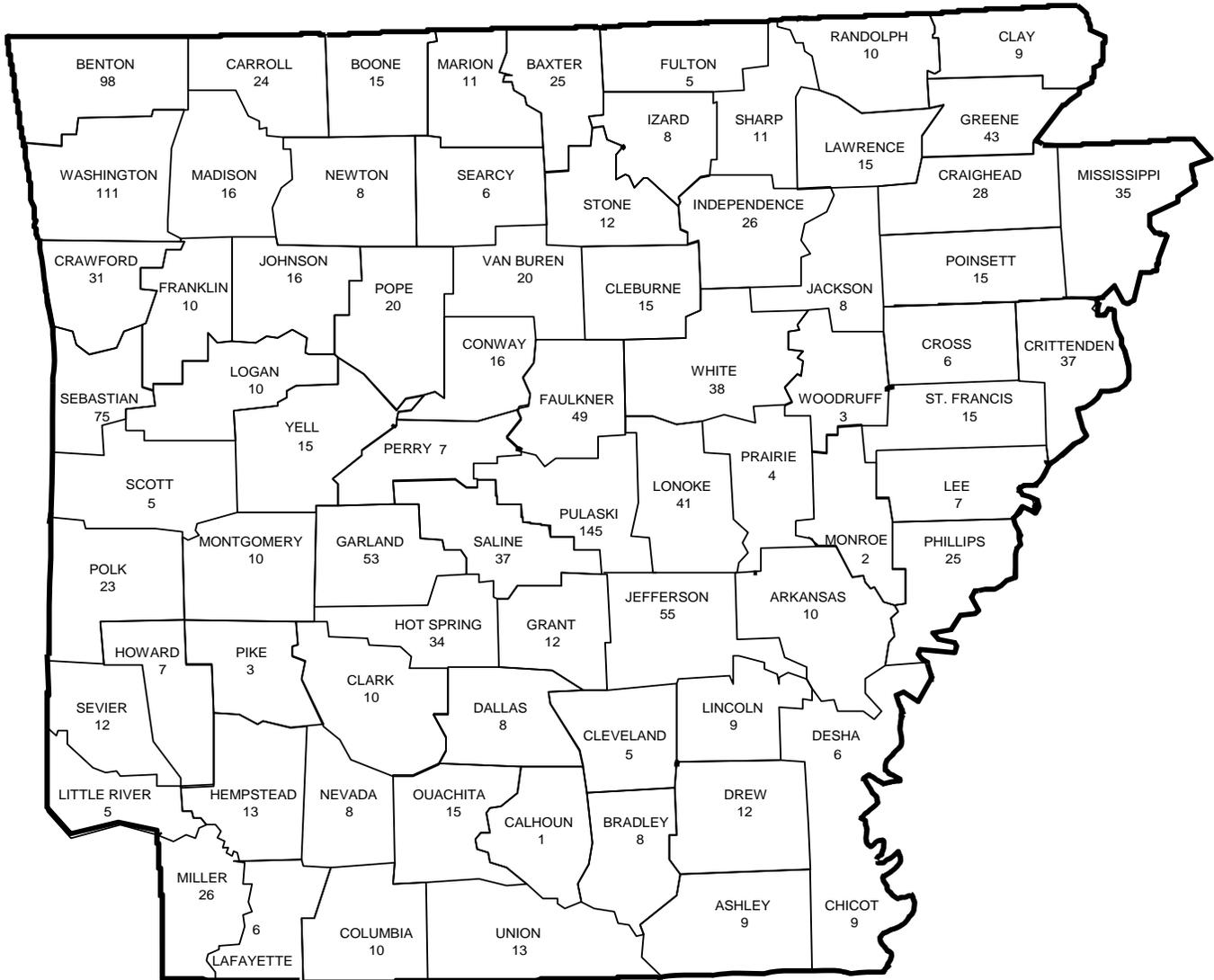
*Includes assessments completed by DCFS, CACD and Law Enforcement.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
VICTIMS OF CHILD MALTREATMENT*
BY GENDER
SFY 2004**

County	Male	Female	Unknown	Total Children
Lincoln	9	16	0	25
Little River	17	22	0	39
Logan	20	29	0	49
Lonoke	38	76	0	114
Madison	28	23	0	51
Marion	20	29	0	49
Miller	55	61	0	116
Mississippi	45	92	0	137
Monroe	4	9	0	13
Montgomery	8	30	0	38
Nevada	16	16	0	32
Newton	14	11	0	25
Ouachita	50	44	0	94
Perry	11	10	0	21
Phillips	70	84	0	154
Pike	3	10	0	13
Poinsett	38	36	0	74
Polk	28	23	0	51
Pope	86	92	0	178
Prairie	2	11	0	13
Pulaski	521	532	0	1,053
Randolph	16	20	0	36
Saline	111	125	0	236
Scott	14	18	0	32
Searcy	13	24	0	37
Sebastian	131	171	0	302
Sevier	15	38	0	53
Sharp	49	44	0	93
St. Francis	36	32	0	68
Stone	17	16	0	33
Union	39	38	0	77
Van Buren	33	32	0	65
Washington	227	311	0	538
White	86	107	0	193
Woodruff	6	9	0	15
Yell	34	38	0	72
Unknown	1	1	0	2
State Total	3,558	4,483	0	8,041

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ASSESSMENTS OF CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE
DETERMINED TO BE TRUE *
SFY 2004**



State Total 1,580**

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

**There were two unknown counties.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ASSESSMENTS DETERMINED TO BE TRUE *
SFY 2004**



State Total 5,513

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

**There was two unknown county.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TOTAL FOSTER CARE CHILDREN SERVED
SFY 2004**

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	2,304	35.44%
06 - 11 years	1,645	25.30%
12 - 14 years	1,394	21.44%
15 Years & Older	1,159	17.83%
TOTAL	6,502	100.00%

Gender	Number of Children	Percent
Male	3,210	49.37%
Female	3,292	50.63%
TOTAL	6,502	100.00%

Ethnicity	Total Ethnicity	Percent
White	3,960	60.90%
Black	1,806	27.78%
ASIAN ¹	10	0.15%
AIAN ²	10	0.15%
NAPI ³	4	0.06%
Hispanic	287	4.41%
Multiple	401	6.17%
Unknown	24	0.37%
TOTAL	6,502	100.00%

Permanency Goal*	Number of Children	Percent
Adoption	1,094	16.83%
Emancipation	2	0.03%
Guardianship	32	0.49%
Independent Living	742	11.41%
Maintain Children in Own Home	1,138	17.50%
Relative Placement	309	4.75%
Return To Parent	2,518	38.73%
No Case Plan	667	10.26%
TOTAL	6,502	100.00%

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

Length of Stay	Number of Children	Percent
Under 30 days	1,392	21.41%
01 - 03 months	981	15.09%
04 - 06 months	869	13.37%
07 - 12 months	829	12.75%
13 - 24 months	1,006	15.47%
25 - 36 months	612	9.41%
Over 36 months	813	12.50%
TOTAL	6,502	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
BY AGE
SFY 2004**

County	Birth to Five	Six to Eleven	Twelve to Fourteen	Fifteen and Older	Total Children
Arkansas	7	8	8	9	32
Ashley	14	14	5	13	46
Baxter	38	31	21	25	115
Benton	116	65	59	34	274
Boone	17	7	10	6	40
Bradley	9	10	16	12	47
Calhoun	0	4	4	3	11
Carroll	16	8	10	10	44
Chicot	4	6	13	7	30
Clark	20	16	6	7	49
Clay	9	12	9	13	43
Cleburne	2	10	4	2	18
Cleveland	12	11	6	5	34
Columbia	23	7	5	9	44
Conway	9	12	8	8	37
Craighead	83	29	15	17	144
Crawford	45	28	23	29	125
Crittenden	28	25	14	15	82
Cross	5	5	0	1	11
Dallas	5	7	11	10	33
Desha	12	8	15	10	45
Drew	16	29	27	25	97
Faulkner	90	53	60	24	227
Franklin	44	33	10	6	93
Fulton	10	9	8	8	35
Garland	100	78	59	34	271
Grant	17	9	7	2	35
Greene	26	14	10	13	63
Hempstead	15	10	8	7	40
Hot Spring	33	8	6	3	50
Howard	18	12	21	12	63
Independence	24	19	12	15	70
Izard	14	14	9	5	42
Jackson	19	15	9	10	53
Jefferson	83	57	69	62	271
Johnson	12	9	5	6	32
Lafayette	12	8	8	2	30
Lawrence	7	3	3	9	22
Lee	2	4	7	7	20

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY AGE
SFY 2004**

County	Birth to Five	Six to Eleven	Twelve to Fourteen	Fifteen and Older	Total Children
Lincoln	10	4	2	4	20
Little River	15	6	6	6	33
Logan	11	11	18	11	51
Lonoke	32	20	22	25	99
Madison	16	14	13	11	54
Marion	11	12	16	18	57
Miller	34	26	30	24	114
Mississippi	44	31	16	14	105
Monroe	3	4	8	6	21
Montgomery	4	6	7	2	19
Nevada	12	1	1	3	17
Newton	6	7	7	6	26
Ouachita	36	5	16	13	70
Perry	0	2	4	6	12
Phillips	29	12	11	9	61
Pike	1	4	3	3	11
Poinsett	12	6	9	5	32
Polk	20	10	11	5	46
Pope	67	27	22	17	133
Prairie	1	0	0	0	1
Pulaski	375	297	237	185	1,094
Randolph	14	13	12	3	42
Saline	43	34	26	37	140
Scott	4	3	6	8	21
Searcy	7	11	7	13	38
Sebastian	250	177	133	101	661
Sevier	2	15	10	3	30
Sharp	12	10	10	12	44
St. Francis	21	19	18	19	77
Stone	0	0	0	0	0
Union	18	14	10	14	56
Van Buren	7	16	8	10	41
Washington	85	74	48	41	248
White	68	36	31	18	153
Woodruff	6	3	6	6	21
Yell	12	8	10	5	35
Unknown County	0	0	0	1	1
State Total	2,304	1,645	1,394	1,159	6,502

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY ETHNICITY
SFY 2004**

	White	Black	Asian ¹	American Indian or Alaskan Native	Native Hawaiian And Other Pacific Islander	Hispanic	Combin- ation	Unable to Determine	Total Ethnicity
Arkansas	25	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	32
Ashley	26	19	0	0	0	0	0	1	46
Baxter	107	0	0	0	0	2	6	0	115
Benton	224	4	1	2	0	37	6	0	274
Boone	36	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	40
Bradley	9	30	0	0	0	3	5	0	47
Calhoun	5	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	11
Carroll	40	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	44
Chicot	3	26	0	0	0	0	1	0	30
Clark	21	20	0	0	0	2	6	0	49
Clay	38	1	0	0	0	1	3	0	43
Cleburne	15	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	18
Cleveland	16	16	0	0	0	0	2	0	34
Columbia	16	26	0	0	0	0	2	0	44
Conway	26	6	0	0	0	2	3	0	37
Craighead	104	27	0	0	0	6	7	0	144
Crawford	106	7	0	0	0	9	3	0	125
Crittenden	16	54	0	0	0	1	9	2	82
Cross	8	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	11
Dallas	14	18	0	0	0	0	1	0	33
Desha	14	30	0	0	0	0	1	0	45
Drew	46	45	0	0	0	3	3	0	97
Faulkner	175	33	1	0	0	3	14	1	227
Franklin	71	0	1	0	0	9	10	2	93
Fulton	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35
Garland	191	42	1	0	0	13	23	1	271
Grant	34	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	35
Greene	53	7	0	0	0	2	0	1	63
Hempstead	17	20	0	0	0	2	1	0	40
Hot Spring	45	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	50
Howard	23	27	0	0	0	3	10	0	63
Independence	52	5	0	1	0	1	11	0	70
Izard	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42
Jackson	31	20	0	0	0	0	2	0	53
Jefferson	62	193	0	1	0	4	9	2	271
Johnson	29	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	32
Lafayette	19	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
Lawrence	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Lee	3	15	0	0	0	1	1	0	20

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY ETHNICITY
SFY 2004**

	White	Black	Asian ¹	American Indian or Alaskan Native	Native Hawaiian And Other Pacific Islander	Hispanic	Combin- ation	Unable to Determine	Total Ethnicity
Lincoln	14	4	0	0	0	1	1	0	20
Little River	25	2	1	0	0	0	5	0	33
Logan	46	1	0	0	0	2	2	0	51
Lonoke	86	10	0	0	0	1	1	1	99
Madison	44	2	0	0	0	7	1	0	54
Marion	53	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	57
Miller	66	42	0	0	0	1	5	0	114
Mississippi	23	67	0	0	0	2	13	0	105
Monroe	4	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
Montgomery	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Nevada	12	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	17
Newton	24	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	26
Ouachita	16	42	0	0	0	3	9	0	70
Perry	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Phillips	7	49	0	0	0	1	4	0	61
Pike	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Poinsett	29	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	32
Polk	40	1	0	0	0	3	2	0	46
Pope	115	7	0	0	1	9	1	0	133
Prairie	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pulaski	348	639	0	2	0	22	77	6	1,094
Randolph	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42
Saline	125	9	0	0	0	1	5	0	140
Scott	20	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	21
Searcy	37	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	38
Sebastian	442	82	1	2	0	69	62	3	661
Sevier	22	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	30
Sharp	37	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	44
St. Francis	17	49	0	0	0	5	5	1	77
Stone	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union	22	30	0	0	0	1	3	0	56
Van Buren	40	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	41
Washington	176	15	3	2	3	23	26	0	248
White	126	7	0	0	0	9	10	1	153
Woodruff	13	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	21
Yell	27	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	35
Unknown County	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
State Total	3,960	1,806	10	10	4	287	401	24	6,502

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY GENDER
SFY 2004**

	Male	Female	Total Children
Arkansas	10	22	32
Ashley	28	18	46
Baxter	54	61	115
Benton	137	137	274
Boone	24	16	40
Bradley	24	23	47
Calhoun	6	5	11
Carroll	18	26	44
Chicot	12	18	30
Clark	25	24	49
Clay	18	25	43
Cleburne	10	8	18
Cleveland	15	19	34
Columbia	23	21	44
Conway	17	20	37
Craighead	78	66	144
Crawford	66	59	125
Crittenden	38	44	82
Cross	3	8	11
Dallas	12	21	33
Desha	19	26	45
Drew	46	51	97
Faulkner	110	117	227
Franklin	37	56	93
Fulton	13	22	35
Garland	148	123	271
Grant	21	14	35
Greene	22	41	63
Hempstead	17	23	40
Hot Spring	19	31	50
Howard	37	26	63
Independence	30	40	70
Izard	17	25	42
Jackson	33	20	53
Jefferson	133	138	271
Johnson	14	18	32
Lafayette	18	12	30
Lawrence	12	10	22
Lee	7	13	20

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY GENDER
SFY 2004**

	Male	Female	Total Children
Lincoln	8	12	20
Little River	14	19	33
Logan	19	32	51
Lonoke	42	57	99
Madison	28	26	54
Marion	36	21	57
Miller	58	56	114
Mississippi	51	54	105
Monroe	9	12	21
Montgomery	8	11	19
Nevada	10	7	17
Newton	14	12	26
Ouachita	44	26	70
Perry	5	7	12
Phillips	22	39	61
Pike	8	3	11
Poinsett	16	16	32
Polk	24	22	46
Pope	62	71	133
Prairie	1	0	1
Pulaski	574	520	1,094
Randolph	15	27	42
Saline	65	75	140
Scott	6	15	21
Searcy	20	18	38
Sebastian	328	333	661
Sevier	12	18	30
Sharp	20	24	44
St. Francis	39	38	77
Stone	0	0	0
Union	25	31	56
Van Buren	25	16	41
Washington	131	117	248
White	77	76	153
Woodruff	8	13	21
Yell	15	20	35
Unknown County	0	1	1
State Total	3,210	3,292	6,502

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY PLACEMENT TYPE◆
SFY 2004**

	Detention	Foster Family (Non-Relative)	Foster Family (Relative)	Therapeutic Foster Home	Independent Living Program Sponsor	Pre-Adoptive Home	Special Comm. Home	Mental Health
Arkansas	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ashley	0	21	0	0	0	0	1	0
Baxter	0	36	0	7	0	7	0	0
Benton	0	45	1	9	0	2	3	0
Boone	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bradley	0	7	0	6	0	0	2	0
Calhoun	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carroll	0	14	0	3	0	0	0	0
Chicot	0	15	0	3	0	0	0	0
Clark	0	22	1	2	0	0	0	0
Clay	0	12	2	2	0	0	3	0
Cleburne	0	2	0	7	0	0	1	0
Cleveland	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Columbia	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	0
Conway	0	4	0	3	0	0	2	0
Craighead	0	47	0	7	3	10	0	0
Crawford	0	38	5	3	0	0	0	0
Crittenden	0	17	0	9	0	2	0	1
Cross	0	5	0	2	0	0	1	0
Dallas	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Desha	0	17	0	2	0	0	0	1
Drew	0	40	0	6	1	1	2	0
Faulkner	0	42	0	11	0	7	2	0
Franklin	0	21	0	5	0	21	0	0
Fulton	0	15	0	1	0	6	1	0
Garland	0	74	5	12	2	9	1	0
Grant	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Greene	0	27	0	3	0	2	1	0
Hempstead	0	6	2	1	0	0	1	0
Hot Spring	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	0
Howard	0	17	1	1	0	2	1	0
Independence	0	11	0	6	0	2	0	0
Izard	0	17	0	4	0	1	0	0
Jackson	1	4	0	2	0	0	0	0
Jefferson	0	55	5	3	1	4	10	0
Johnson	0	9	0	3	0	0	1	0
Lafayette	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Lawrence	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lee	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0

◆ These placement numbers represent the Foster Care cases that were in the system at the end of the year.

◆ Placement Type data continues on pages 3-36 and 37.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY PLACEMENT TYPE◆
SFY 2004**

	Detention	Foster Family (Non-Relative)	Foster Family (Relative)	Therapeutic Foster Home	Independent Living Program Sponsor	Pre-Adoptive Home	Special Comm. Home	Mental Health
Lincoln	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Little River	0	11	0	2	0	0	0	0
Logan	0	16	3	1	0	1	2	1
Lonoke	0	32	0	0	0	0	1	0
Madison	0	17	0	2	0	1	0	2
Marion	0	11	2	2	0	0	1	0
Miller	0	30	0	9	0	3	3	1
Mississippi	0	51	5	0	0	1	0	0
Monroe	0	3	5	0	0	0	0	1
Montgomery	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nevada	0	5	0	2	0	0	0	0
Newton	0	5	0	2	0	0	0	1
Ouachita	0	14	5	2	0	0	3	0
Perry	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips	0	27	0	2	1	0	0	0
Pike	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Poinsett	0	13	0	1	0	0	1	0
Polk	0	17	0	0	0	0	1	0
Pope	0	47	0	2	0	1	0	0
Prairie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pulaski	5	433	13	47	8	20	24	2
Randolph	0	13	0	3	0	0	0	0
Saline	0	34	3	6	2	0	1	1
Scott	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
Searcy	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	1
Sebastian	1	195	17	19	1	19	16	0
Sevier	0	5	0	3	0	2	0	0
Sharp	0	12	0	1	0	0	0	0
St. Francis	0	31	2	5	0	1	1	0
Stone	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union	0	6	0	1	0	0	2	0
Van Buren	0	5	0	1	0	1	1	0
Washington	0	51	8	5	0	3	12	4
White	0	45	0	5	0	10	1	2
Woodruff	0	4	0	4	0	0	0	0
Yell	0	6	1	1	0	0	1	0
Unknown County	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Total	7	1,884	87	257	19	140	105	18

◆ These placement numbers represent the Foster Care cases that were in the system at the end of the year.

◆ Placement Type data continues on pages 3-36 and 37.

Source: Children's Reporting Information System (CHRIS)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY PLACEMENT TYPE
SFY 2004
(continued)**

	Residential Facility	Shelter	Youth Services	Runaway	Trail Home Visit	Hospital/ Medical	Comm. Service Org	Sexual Offender Treatment	Unknown	Total
Arkansas	3	1	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	14
Ashley	6	2	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	36
Baxter	4	2	0	1	4	1	0	0	0	62
Benton	7	7	3	1	1	0	0	1	1	81
Boone	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	22
Bradley	6	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	26
Calhoun	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	5
Carroll	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	21
Chicot	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	22
Clark	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	27
Clay	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	25
Cleburne	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	11
Cleveland	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	10
Columbia	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Conway	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	13
Craighead	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	73
Crawford	1	2	1	1	9	0	0	0	2	62
Crittenden	7	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	38
Cross	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Dallas	3	0	0	1	0	2	1	1	0	12
Desha	5	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	30
Drew	10	2	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	68
Faulkner	12	1	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	81
Franklin	1	1	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	55
Fulton	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
Garland	17	1	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	126
Grant	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	8
Greene	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34
Hempstead	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Hot Spring	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	23
Howard	2	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	30
Independence	14	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	39
Izard	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
Jackson	2	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	14
Jefferson	13	0	0	6	1	2	1	0	2	103
Johnson	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Lafayette	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	8
Lawrence	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Lee	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	5

◆ These placement numbers represent the Foster Care cases that were in the system at the end of the year.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY PLACEMENT TYPE
SFY 2004
(continued)**

	Residential Facility	Youth Shelter	Youth Services	Runaway	Trail Home Visit	Hospital/ Medical	Comm. Service Org	Sexual Offender Treatment	Unknown	Total
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Little River	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Logan	6	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	34
Lonoke	10	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	4	53
Madison	3	1	0	1	6	1	0	3	0	37
Marion	8	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	28
Miller	7	2	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	59
Mississippi	1	0	2	1	4	0	0	0	0	65
Monroe	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	14
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Nevada	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Newton	0	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	14
Ouachita	8	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	36
Perry	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	9
Phillips	4	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	36
Pike	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Poinsett	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Polk	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	20
Pope	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	51
Prairie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pulaski	30	4	3	19	9	15	0	5	8	645
Randolph	1	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	24
Saline	4	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	55
Scott	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	11
Searcy	5	0	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	19
Sebastian	26	14	9	4	42	10	2	0	1	376
Sevier	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Sharp	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	16
St. Francis	1	1	1	4	5	0	0	0	0	52
Stone	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union	3	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	16
Van Buren	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	11
Washington	5	3	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	97
White	11	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	80
Woodruff	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Yell	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	13
State Total	298	78	32	60	130	83	6	18	19	3,241

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY PERMANENCY GOAL*
SFY 2004**

	Adoption	Emanci- pation	Guardian- ship	Inde- pendence Living	Maintain Children in Own Home	Relative Place- ment	Return to Parent	No Case Plan	Total Children
Arkansas	0	0	2	6	7	3	14	0	32
Ashley	8	0	0	11	6	1	18	2	46
Baxter	32	0	0	17	9	4	44	9	115
Benton	39	0	0	20	92	2	105	16	274
Boone	7	0	2	3	3	7	18	0	40
Bradley	5	0	0	19	8	0	14	1	47
Calhoun	0	0	0	2	5	0	4	0	11
Carroll	3	0	1	7	10	2	11	10	44
Chicot	10	0	0	3	3	0	12	2	30
Clark	2	0	0	7	4	3	25	8	49
Clay	4	0	0	8	7	4	20	0	43
Cleburne	3	0	0	1	0	0	14	0	18
Cleveland	1	0	0	4	10	2	14	3	34
Columbia	3	0	0	8	11	0	21	1	44
Conway	2	0	0	2	14	7	12	0	37
Craighead	53	0	0	17	29	8	35	2	144
Crawford	9	0	1	11	37	4	48	15	125
Crittenden	11	0	0	12	21	2	32	4	82
Cross	0	0	0	1	2	0	7	1	11
Dallas	3	0	0	10	11	4	5	0	33
Desha	2	0	0	5	8	2	26	2	45
Drew	36	0	0	22	7	1	28	3	97
Faulkner	25	1	4	21	38	27	96	15	227
Franklin	42	0	0	1	9	0	32	9	93
Fulton	12	0	0	4	5	1	12	1	35
Garland	54	0	0	21	33	13	90	60	271
Grant	6	0	0	4	10	2	13	0	35
Greene	4	0	0	6	14	2	34	3	63
Hempstead	5	0	0	8	12	5	10	0	40
Hot Spring	5	0	0	0	8	6	21	10	50
Howard	11	0	0	4	12	3	29	4	63
Independence	13	0	0	10	14	2	31	0	70
Izard	4	0	0	3	6	3	22	4	42
Jackson	2	0	0	6	28	1	14	2	53
Jefferson	45	0	0	48	73	7	73	25	271
Johnson	6	0	0	4	8	0	9	5	32
Lafayette	2	0	0	0	7	4	16	1	30
Lawrence	0	0	0	7	3	4	7	1	22
Lee	2	0	0	5	7	1	5	0	20

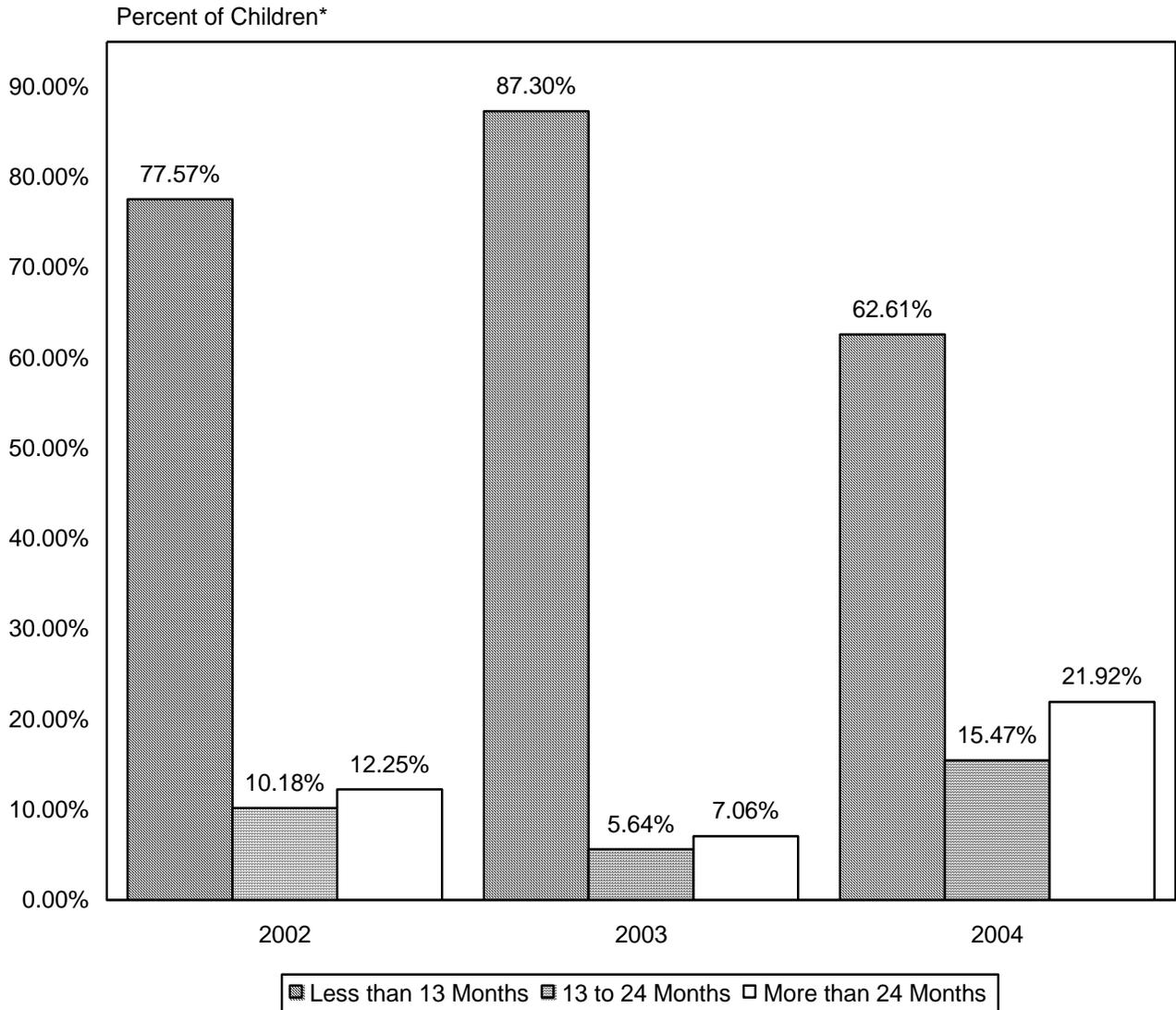
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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY PERMANENCY GOAL*
SFY 2004**

	Adoption	Emanci- pation	Guardian- ship	Inde- pendence Living	Maintain Children in Own Home	Relative Place- ment	Return to Parent	No Case Plan	Total Children
Lincoln	2	0	0	2	4	4	8	0	20
Little River	4	0	0	9	5	1	9	5	33
Logan	11	0	0	7	8	1	20	4	51
Lonoke	5	0	0	7	7	3	39	38	99
Madison	8	0	0	4	4	2	30	6	54
Marion	6	0	0	10	12	3	26	0	57
Miller	19	0	0	18	22	16	27	12	114
Mississippi	4	0	0	13	14	19	54	1	105
Monroe	6	0	0	4	1	3	7	0	21
Montgomery	3	0	0	1	2	0	12	1	19
Nevada	0	0	0	3	5	1	8	0	17
Newton	3	0	0	2	10	0	10	1	26
Ouachita	3	0	1	7	11	8	36	4	70
Perry	0	0	2	4	3	0	3	0	12
Phillips	2	0	0	7	15	0	37	0	61
Pike	4	0	0	3	2	0	0	2	11
Poinsett	3	0	0	2	3	1	21	2	32
Polk	9	0	0	3	4	7	16	7	46
Pope	14	0	0	8	33	2	62	14	133
Prairie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Pulaski	265	0	4	129	119	60	438	79	1,094
Randolph	3	0	0	1	7	4	24	3	42
Saline	17	0	0	18	30	1	49	25	140
Scott	3	1	0	5	4	1	5	2	21
Searcy	0	0	0	6	13	4	14	1	38
Sebastian	107	0	5	50	72	6	244	177	661
Sevier	13	0	0	1	7	0	8	1	30
Sharp	2	0	1	6	8	1	24	2	44
St. Francis	23	0	0	16	6	5	21	6	77
Stone	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union	5	0	0	8	24	6	10	3	56
Van Buren	6	0	0	9	14	4	7	1	41
Washington	31	0	9	21	45	3	102	37	248
White	36	0	0	5	23	3	76	10	153
Woodruff	2	0	0	2	4	3	10	0	21
Yell	4	0	0	3	5	0	20	3	35
Unknown County	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
State Total	1,094	2	32	742	1,138	309	2,518	667	6,502

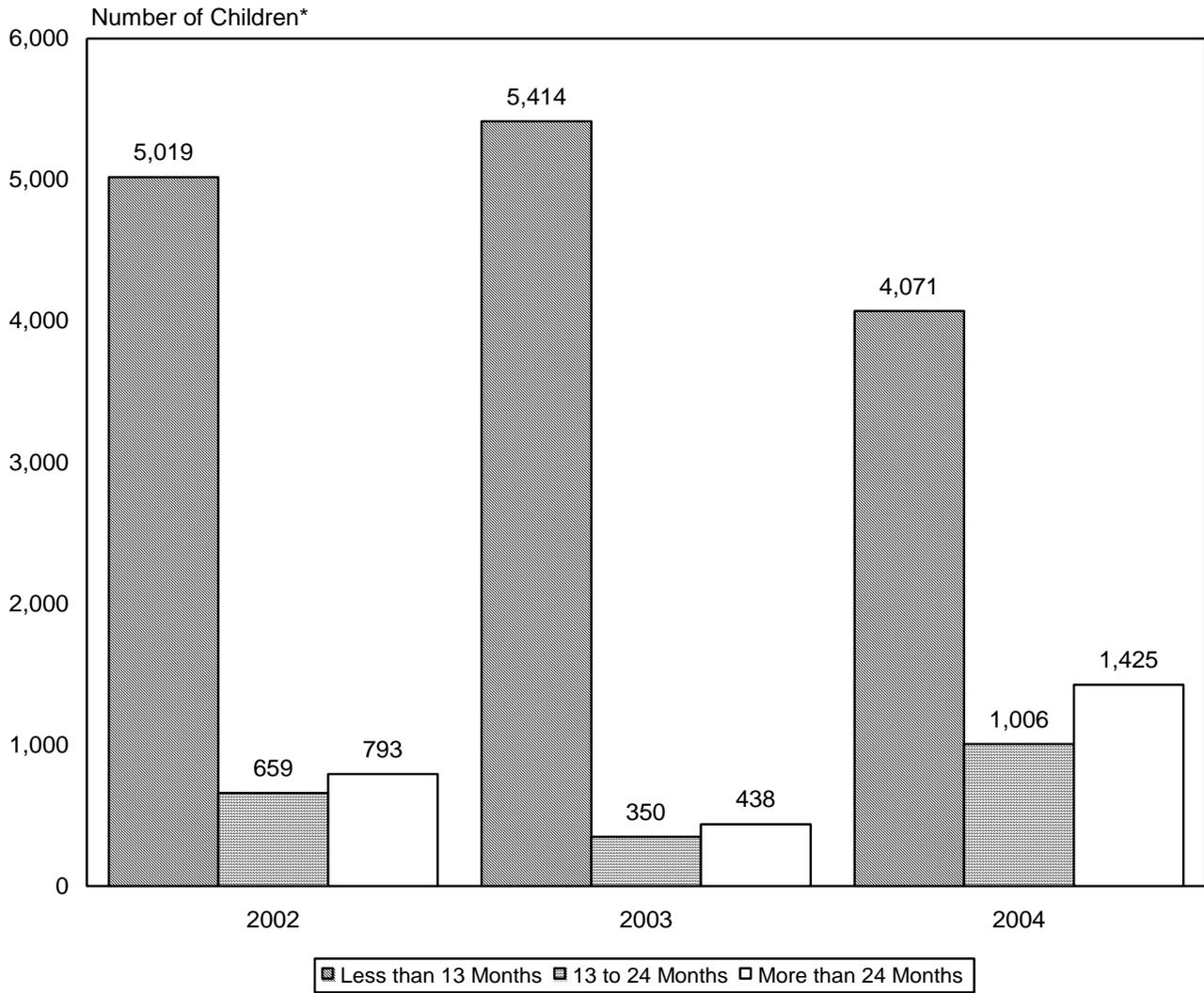
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CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY LENGTH OF STAY UPON ENTERING CARE
SFY 2002 - 2004**



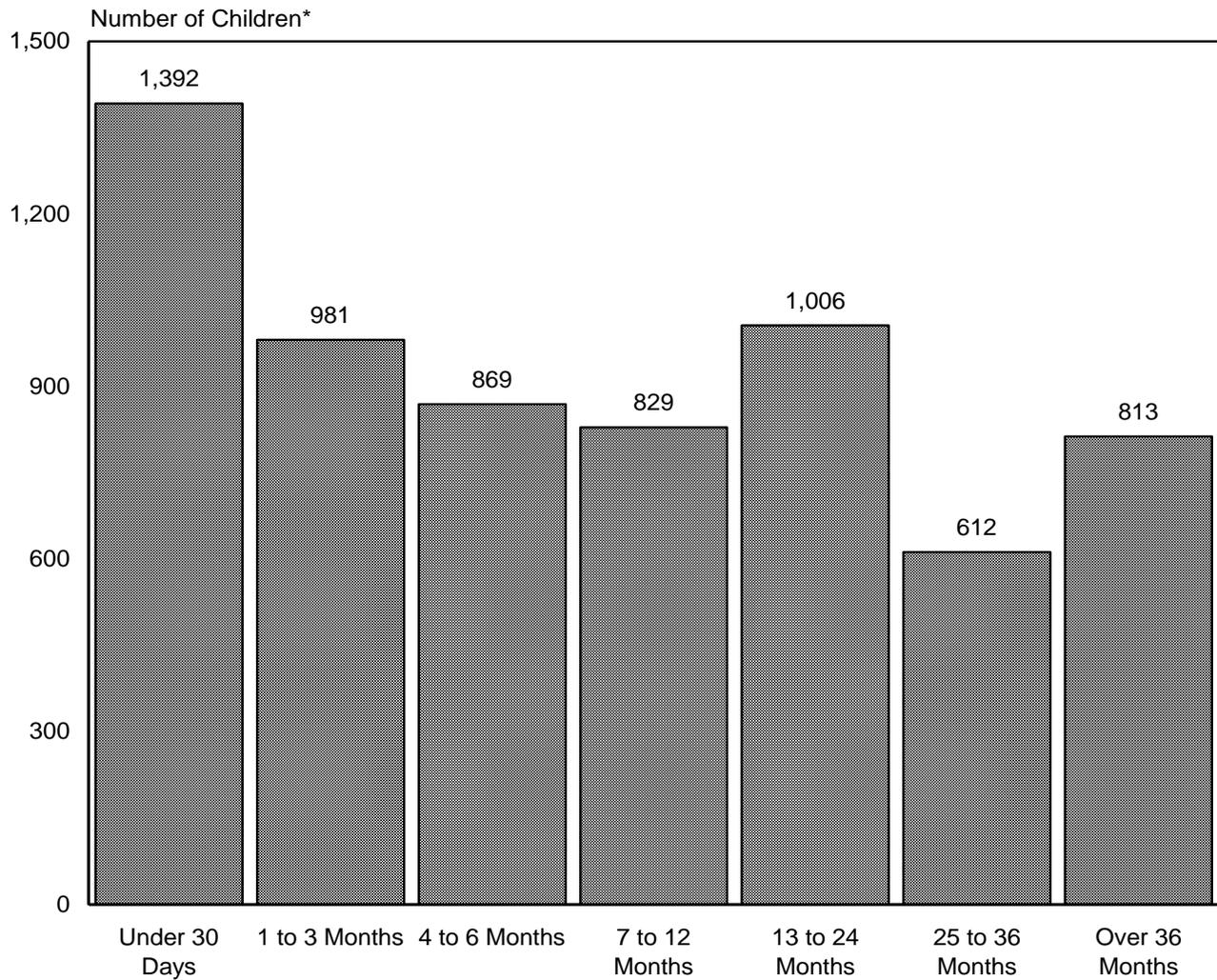
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CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY LENGTH OF STAY UPON ENTERING CARE
SFY 2002 - 2004**



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CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
BY LENGTH OF STAY UPON ENTERING CARE
SFY 2004**



*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 2004**

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	4	7	10	7	2	0	2	32
Ashley	12	5	7	7	4	5	6	46
Baxter	20	8	11	21	20	19	16	115
Benton	77	42	24	36	59	17	19	274
Boone	13	10	2	3	4	8	0	40
Bradley	3	10	5	3	11	2	13	47
Calhoun	1	3	1	3	0	1	2	11
Carroll	18	3	9	2	5	5	2	44
Chicot	6	1	6	3	2	1	11	30
Clark	12	6	8	8	1	7	7	49
Clay	1	6	15	7	5	0	9	43
Cleburne	3	0	5	0	9	1	0	18
Cleveland	16	7	6	0	1	1	3	34
Columbia	23	1	0	9	2	0	9	44
Conway	2	15	6	6	4	4	0	37
Craighead	13	30	16	20	35	17	13	144
Crawford	31	30	18	11	17	10	8	125
Crittenden	23	4	2	6	27	2	18	82
Cross	2	2	0	5	2	0	0	11
Dallas	6	8	5	1	2	4	7	33
Desha	6	6	4	8	4	9	8	45
Drew	4	9	8	4	18	23	31	97
Faulkner	66	41	32	21	36	20	11	227
Franklin	9	9	6	11	17	29	12	93
Fulton	7	3	3	5	10	4	3	35
Garland	51	39	43	27	44	31	36	271
Grant	14	5	3	3	2	1	7	35
Greene	19	16	7	4	5	2	10	63
Hempstead	18	7	1	0	2	6	6	40
Hot Spring	19	9	9	5	8	0	0	50
Howard	8	5	5	12	18	12	3	63
Independence	14	6	19	8	9	6	8	70
Izard	14	7	10	2	5	2	2	42
Jackson	13	8	10	9	5	2	6	53
Jefferson	91	44	15	24	28	34	35	271
Johnson	9	7	2	4	2	4	4	32
Lafayette	21	4	2	1	2	0	0	30
Lawrence	8	0	4	2	3	0	5	22
Lee	2	4	3	1	6	1	3	20

*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 2004**

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	9	5	0	2	1	0	3	20
Little River	9	4	3	10	3	2	2	33
Logan	10	9	5	5	17	0	5	51
Lonoke	33	15	18	5	15	7	6	99
Madison	6	9	10	8	11	5	5	54
Marion	8	7	12	11	14	3	2	57
Miller	34	12	15	11	18	11	13	114
Mississippi	15	25	21	19	10	4	11	105
Monroe	1	4	5	3	1	2	5	21
Montgomery	5	0	8	3	3	0	0	19
Nevada	6	4	3	0	2	0	2	17
Newton	3	4	6	8	1	3	1	26
Ouachita	21	10	11	7	9	3	9	70
Perry	3	3	0	1	2	2	1	12
Phillips	12	8	10	5	12	5	9	61
Pike	2	0	1	1	3	2	2	11
Poinsett	2	6	17	0	2	2	3	32
Polk	8	5	8	6	8	5	6	46
Pope	34	15	22	28	16	11	7	133
Prairie	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pulaski	160	145	139	171	181	108	190	1,094
Randolph	11	4	10	8	5	3	1	42
Saline	41	19	19	12	23	10	16	140
Scott	3	1	1	5	7	1	3	21
Searcy	12	5	10	7	2	1	1	38
Sebastian	103	113	75	101	120	75	74	661
Sevier	6	6	4	0	0	8	6	30
Sharp	12	15	4	4	5	1	3	44
St. Francis	8	5	7	16	5	3	33	77
Stone	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union	21	8	4	2	8	2	11	56
Van Buren	9	3	9	4	7	3	6	41
Washington	71	40	40	27	25	14	31	248
White	25	29	27	20	29	15	8	153
Woodruff	3	6	2	2	3	4	1	21
Yell	5	10	1	8	2	7	2	35
Unknown County	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
State Total	1,392	981	869	829	1,006	612	813	6,502

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

Source: Children's Reporting Information System (CHRIS)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
REASON FOR REMOVAL FROM HOME♦
SFY 2004**

County	Neglect	Physical Abuse	Sexual Abuse	Child Behavior	Child Disability	Child Alcohol/Drug/Problem	Parent Incarceration	Parent Death	Abandonment	Inadequate Housing
Arkansas	14	9	8	4	0	6	3	0	0	1
Ashley	29	9	2	11	1	16	3	1	3	14
Baxter	62	33	8	19	3	30	35	1	4	16
Benton	128	40	43	13	0	34	61	0	37	36
Boone	16	8	5	2	0	13	11	0	1	2
Bradley	27	12	1	12	0	8	0	1	2	10
Calhoun	4	1	2	6	0	3	0	0	2	2
Carroll	17	11	9	9	0	6	7	0	3	2
Chicot	15	2	5	6	1	6	0	1	2	5
Clark	28	10	7	5	1	15	4	0	4	14
Clay	20	5	4	3	0	9	9	0	3	10
Cleburne	9	1	2	0	0	2	7	0	0	3
Cleveland	9	13	3	12	0	4	8	0	7	7
Columbia	23	2	9	6	0	17	2	0	3	10
Conway	18	6	4	5	0	2	5	0	3	0
Craighead	78	33	13	14	7	35	27	0	13	12
Crawford	52	27	8	12	0	26	39	0	6	29
Crittenden	42	12	5	5	3	12	22	0	10	16
Cross	8	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	1
Dallas	10	9	8	12	2	8	2	1	3	9
Desha	23	3	9	17	4	9	2	0	1	7
Drew	47	23	10	19	0	24	9	0	4	12
Faulkner	110	31	33	25	2	62	29	0	3	20
Franklin	61	12	8	5	0	18	12	0	13	27
Fulton	17	5	3	6	1	14	11	0	1	8
Garland	105	41	17	25	0	119	46	2	21	38
Grant	11	6	4	1	0	16	10	0	3	7
Greene	39	11	12	4	0	13	19	0	6	4
Hempstead	16	15	5	6	0	5	8	0	3	7
Hot Spring	27	4	3	2	0	22	11	0	5	27
Howard	20	9	8	13	0	12	11	0	11	6
Independence	44	17	12	5	0	23	19	1	2	1
Izard	32	6	8	4	1	15	4	0	0	4
Jackson	17	11	2	12	2	15	11	0	5	4
Jefferson	108	42	17	46	2	45	44	2	39	74
Johnson	18	7	1	2	1	5	6	2	6	7
Lafayette	11	3	6	2	0	7	0	0	4	0
Lawrence	6	4	2	0	0	0	8	0	0	2
Lee	12	2	3	8	0	9	1	0	5	0

♦Report captures the number of times a child has been removed from home during SFY 2004 and the reasons why they were removed (There may

♦Reason for Removal From Home data continues on pages 3-47 and 48

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
REASON FOR REMOVAL FROM HOME♦
SFY 2004**

County	Neglect	Physical Abuse	Sexual Abuse	Child Behavior	Child Disability	Child Drug/ Alcohol Problem	Parent Incarceration	Parent Death	Abandonment	Inadequate Housing
Lincoln	9	7	3	2	0	9	2	0	3	6
Little River	22	9	3	4	0	6	0	0	1	4
Logan	29	16	10	6	1	11	11	1	6	8
Lonoke	39	28	8	9	0	22	24	0	7	8
Madison	26	11	4	8	0	5	6	0	4	11
Marion	37	9	3	18	3	15	11	0	6	4
Miller	41	38	18	15	1	11	3	1	11	9
Mississippi	67	33	7	6	0	11	21	0	3	0
Monroe	17	4	1	2	1	7	0	0	0	0
Montgomery	15	2	11	0	0	4	4	0	2	1
Nevada	9	2	0	2	0	1	3	0	2	2
Newton	18	3	1	1	0	9	11	0	1	2
Ouachita	33	10	5	10	0	11	1	0	13	2
Perry	1	0	2	1	1	0	2	2	0	1
Phillips	34	18	1	4	1	16	7	0	8	8
Pike	4	4	3	1	0	5	2	0	1	0
Poinsett	19	3	3	1	0	9	11	0	6	7
Polk	23	14	9	2	0	7	11	0	4	7
Pope	71	19	15	6	0	32	22	0	11	33
Prairie	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pulaski	475	179	95	66	9	181	153	12	150	144
Randolph	22	6	8	11	0	13	5	0	1	6
Saline	43	31	22	14	1	42	41	2	26	23
Scott	13	3	3	6	1	10	2	0	3	5
Searcy	13	10	4	7	0	19	7	0	2	17
Sebastian	309	122	43	95	14	100	139	5	37	187
Sevier	9	9	14	1	1	1	1	0	2	6
Sharp	19	5	0	8	0	8	5	0	10	8
St. Francis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stone	46	18	9	13	0	9	9	0	6	8
Union	16	14	8	9	0	10	3	0	12	10
Van Buren	18	2	3	8	2	13	9	0	3	3
Washington	96	44	20	31	8	42	56	0	8	23
White	61	26	18	18	1	33	15	0	22	16
Woodruff	8	6	4	4	0	4	0	1	3	2
Yell	13	5	9	4	0	12	12	0	6	2
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
State Total	3,008	1,207	676	751	76	1,373	1,121	36	619	1,027

♦ Report captures the number of times a child has been removed from home during SFY 2004 and the reasons why they were removed (There may

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
REASON FOR REMOVAL FROM HOME♦
SFY 2004
(continued)**

County	Caretaker Illness	Truancy	Sex Offender	Relinquishment	Managed Mental Health	Child of Teen Parent In Care	Other*	Total
Arkansas	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	52
Ashley	1	2	1	0	0	0	2	95
Baxter	15	1	0	2	1	1	6	237
Benton	28	2	0	2	0	6	8	438
Boone	2	0	1	0	0	0	3	64
Bradley	2	5	0	0	1	0	2	83
Calhoun	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Carroll	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	68
Chicot	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	49
Clark	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	93
Clay	11	1	0	1	0	1	1	78
Cleburne	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	26
Cleveland	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	74
Columbia	18	1	2	0	1	1	2	97
Conway	2	4	1	0	0	2	4	56
Craighead	12	0	1	5	0	1	3	254
Crawford	4	1	3	2	0	1	4	214
Crittenden	6	4	1	1	0	0	4	143
Cross	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	19
Dallas	4	0	0	2	0	0	1	71
Desha	1	1	0	1	0	1	3	82
Drew	4	8	1	1	0	1	7	170
Faulkner	17	3	5	1	1	0	3	345
Franklin	6	2	0	0	0	0	4	168
Fulton	6	0	0	0	0	1	3	76
Garland	19	6	2	2	0	3	6	452
Grant	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	62
Greene	9	2	0	0	0	1	0	120
Hempstead	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	71
Hot Spring	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	105
Howard	12	1	1	0	0	0	0	104
Independence	12	2	0	0	0	2	0	140
Izard	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	76
Jackson	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	100
Jefferson	25	17	2	2	0	4	17	486
Johnson	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	63
Lafayette	12	0	1	0	0	3	0	49
Lawrence	4	1	0	0	1	1	1	30
Lee	6	3	1	0	0	1	6	57

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
REASON FOR REMOVAL FROM HOME♦
SFY 2004
(continued)**

County	Caretaker Illness	Truancy	Sex Offender	Relinquishment	Managed Mental Health	Child of Teen Parent In Care	Other*	Total
Lincoln	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	46
Little River	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	54
Logan	5	7	4	0	1	0	0	116
Lonoke	16	7	4	0	0	4	2	178
Madison	12	1	1	2	0	3	1	95
Marion	17	4	1	2	0	1	1	132
Miller	9	10	1	1	0	1	2	172
Mississippi	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	153
Monroe	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	34
Montgomery	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	43
Nevada	0	1	2	0	1	0	2	27
Newton	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	54
Ouachita	17	1	2	0	1	5	3	114
Perry	5	0	0	2	2	0	0	19
Phillips	6	3	0	0	1	0	1	108
Pike	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	21
Poinsett	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	64
Polk	11	0	1	0	0	0	0	89
Pope	12	7	2	0	0	3	1	234
Prairie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pulaski	81	47	11	7	3	6	34	1,653
Randolph	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	78
Saline	18	5	0	1	1	1	0	271
Scott	4	6	0	0	1	0	1	58
Searcy	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	90
Sebastian	79	36	6	7	4	9	16	1,208
Sevier	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	50
Sharp	6	6	1	0	0	1	0	77
St. Francis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stone	5	0	0	2	0	1	6	132
Union	10	2	0	1	0	1	0	96
Van Buren	6	4	2	0	1	1	2	77
Washington	62	7	1	1	1	1	2	403
White	44	4	1	2	1	1	2	265
Woodruff	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	35
Yell	3	2	0	0	0	0	1	69
Unknown Count	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
State Total	766	252	71	53	24	73	173	11,306

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
REASON CHILDREN EXITED CARE
SFY 2004**

County	Child Aged Out	Custody To Transfer Another Agency	Child's Death	Emancipation	Non Relative	Relative Placement (Custody)	Reunification	Total Children
Arkansas	1	0	0	0	0	7	10	18
Ashley	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	11
Baxter	7	0	0	0	1	6	25	39
Benton	6	0	0	0	6	34	126	172
Boone	2	0	0	0	0	9	6	17
Bradley	1	0	0	0	0	3	17	21
Calhoun	1	0	0	0	0	3	4	8
Carroll	1	0	0	0	0	5	17	23
Chicot	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	7
Clark	5	0	0	0	0	14	7	26
Clay	4	0	0	0	0	2	15	21
Cleburne	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	7
Cleveland	2	0	0	0	3	6	19	30
Columbia	2	0	0	0	9	16	8	35
Conway	1	0	0	0	2	5	17	25
Craighead	1	0	0	1	0	24	26	52
Crawford	2	0	0	0	4	10	52	68
Crittenden	1	0	0	0	0	12	27	40
Cross	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	5
Dallas	3	0	0	0	0	7	7	17
Desha	1	0	0	0	1	0	11	13
Drew	7	0	0	0	2	9	4	22
Faulkner	1	0	0	1	7	69	62	140
Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	3	18	21
Fulton	1	0	0	0	1	3	3	8
Garland	2	0	0	0	2	63	51	118
Grant	1	0	0	0	0	17	4	22
Greene	0	0	0	0	4	11	15	30
Hempstead	0	0	0	0	2	17	8	27
Hot Spring	0	0	0	0	0	9	19	28
Howard	0	0	0	0	0	5	23	28
Independence	6	0	0	0	0	10	16	32
Izard	2	1	0	0	0	9	4	16
Jackson	2	0	0	0	4	13	21	40
Jefferson	4	0	0	0	0	22	130	156
Johnson	4	0	0	0	0	2	10	16
Lafayette	0	0	0	0	0	16	7	23
Lawrence	1	0	0	0	0	6	3	10
Lee	1	0	0	0	0	4	9	14

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE
REASON CHILDREN EXITED CARE
SFY 2004**

County	Child Aged Out	Custody To Transfer Another Agency	Child's Death	Emancipation	Non Relative	Relative Placement (Custody)	Reunification	Total Children
Lincoln	2	0	0	0	0	6	7	15
Little River	2	0	0	1	0	6	9	18
Logan	3	0	0	0	2	2	13	20
Lonoke	3	1	0	0	2	21	19	46
Madison	0	0	0	1	0	3	15	19
Marion	3	0	0	0	1	9	19	32
Miller	2	0	0	0	1	18	32	53
Mississippi	2	1	0	0	3	16	24	46
Monroe	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	4
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	1	4	5	10
Nevada	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	10
Newton	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	10
Ouachita	2	0	0	0	2	26	8	38
Perry	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	3
Phillips	1	0	0	0	1	13	11	26
Pike	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	5
Poinsett	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	11
Polk	0	2	0	0	0	8	14	24
Pope	5	0	0	0	3	37	39	84
Prairie	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Pulaski	30	2	4	2	1	91	248	378
Randolph	1	0	0	0	1	12	6	20
Saline	6	1	0	0	3	40	31	81
Scott	2	0	0	1	0	2	4	9
Searcy	2	0	0	1	1	18	0	22
Sebastian	14	2	1	0	1	46	195	259
Sevier	1	0	0	0	1	4	11	17
Sharp	2	0	0	0	5	10	14	31
St. Francis	3	0	0	0	0	6	11	20
Stone	4	0	0	0	0	15	17	36
Union	2	0	0	0	0	12	14	28
Van Buren	4	1	1	0	7	32	99	144
Washington	1	0	0	0	1	30	24	56
White	2	0	0	0	1	6	3	12
Woodruff	1	0	0	0	2	8	6	17
Yell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	8
State Total	175	11	6	8	89	982	1,748	3,019

Source: Children's Reporting Information System (CHRIS)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOSTER FAMILY HOMES STATISTICAL DATA
SFY 2004**

Foster Family-Home Program

Foster families are an integral part of the DCFS delivery system. Foster families provide an essential substitute family-life experience to children for whom DCFS has been given responsibility by the court. Foster parents serve as substitute parents until a child's own parents can be helped to assume responsibilities as parents or a decision is reached to free the child to form new family ties with relatives or an adoptive family. Relatives may be considered for approval as kinship foster homes for children who are in the custody of the state. The numbers that follow include that population.

FOSTER FAMILY HOMES

	DCFS Foster Homes as of June 30, 2003*	Foster Homes Added During SFY 2004	Foster Homes Closed During SFY 2004	DCFS Foster Homes as of June 30, 2004*
Arkansas	4	2	0	6
Ashley	11	2	0	13
Baxter	11	4	3	12
Benton	35	12	21	26
Boone	8	1	4	5
Bradley	4	0	3	1
Calhoun	1	0	1	0
Carroll	3	2	2	3
Chicot	9	3	0	12
Clark	13	2	4	11
Clay	4	0	0	4
Cleburne	3	1	1	3
Cleveland	4	0	1	3
Columbia	11	0	3	8
Conway	2	1	1	2
Craighead	22	4	7	19
Crawford	28	14	9	33
Crittenden	6	3	3	6
Cross	1	1	1	1
Dallas	4	0	1	3
Desha	12	2	1	13
Drew	19	2	2	19
Faulkner	17	1	6	12
Franklin	6	5	4	7
Fulton	4	1	1	4
Garland	37	12	6	43
Grant	2	2	3	1
Greene	9	7	3	13
Hempstead	16	1	3	14
Hot Spring	10	4	2	12
Howard	16	0	5	11
Independence	9	1	3	7
Izard	3	0	0	3
Jackson	5	0	3	2
Jefferson	40	2	9	33
Johnson	9	3	3	9
Lafayette	2	2	1	3
Lawrence	5	1	1	5
Lee	7	0	2	5

* This number has been updated from the previous year's report.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOSTER FAMILY HOMES STATISTICAL DATA
SFY 2004**

	DCFS Foster Homes as of June 30, 2003*	Foster Homes Added During SFY 2004	Foster Homes Closed During SFY 2004	DCFS Foster Homes as of June 30, 2004*
Lincoln	4	1	3	2
Little River	7	0	2	5
Logan	14	0	5	9
Lonoke	18	0	7	11
Madison	6	1	2	5
Marion	8	6	0	14
Miller	5	2	1	6
Mississippi	21	6	5	22
Monroe	2	0	0	2
Montgomery	5	0	1	4
Nevada	0	0	0	0
Newton	6	0	4	2
Ouachita	8	2	0	10
Perry	1	0	0	1
Phillips	11	0	2	9
Pike	2	2	1	3
Poinsett	6	1	3	4
Polk	16	1	3	14
Pope	14	3	2	15
Prairie	0	0	0	0
Pulaski	209	61	37	233
Randolph	4	0	2	2
Saline	23	10	0	33
Scott	9	1	4	6
Searcy	1	2	0	3
Sebastian	49	27	17	59
Sevier	7	0	0	7
Sharp	5	2	3	4
St. Francis	24	1	4	21
Stone	0	0	0	0
Union	9	1	3	7
Van Buren	5	1	3	3
Washington	25	16	14	27
White	10	7	5	12
Woodruff	1	0	0	1
Yell	2	4	0	6
State Total	949	256	256	949

* This number has been updated from the previous year's report.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
SERVICES PROVIDED
SFY 2004**

County	Foster Care Cases ⁽¹⁾	Child Protective Service Cases ⁽²⁾	ICPC Cases ⁽³⁾	Independent Living Cases	Supportive Service Cases	Total Cases
Arkansas	32	74	1	0	6	113
Ashley	46	44	3	0	3	96
Baxter	115	127	9	11	6	268
Benton	274	436	3	0	7	720
Boone	40	75	0	0	7	122
Bradley	47	51	0	0	6	104
Calhoun	11	28	1	0	0	40
Carroll	44	99	0	0	8	151
Chicot	30	43	0	0	20	93
Clark	49	78	0	5	8	140
Clay	43	68	0	3	17	131
Cleburne	18	18	0	0	4	40
Cleveland	34	34	0	4	0	72
Columbia	44	43	0	0	16	103
Conway	37	98	2	0	1	138
Craighead	144	210	5	0	13	372
Crawford	125	189	3	0	3	320
Crittenden	82	112	5	0	13	212
Cross	11	31	0	0	6	48
Dallas	33	44	1	0	4	82
Desha	45	60	1	0	17	123
Drew	97	109	2	8	13	229
Faulkner	227	407	8	0	2	644
Franklin	93	117	5	0	1	216
Fulton	35	38	1	0	2	76
Garland	271	356	7	0	66	700
Grant	35	41	1	0	19	96
Greene	63	116	4	0	14	197
Hempstead	40	77	6	0	30	153
Hot Spring	50	81	0	0	27	158
Howard	63	63	0	0	2	128
Independence	70	82	2	4	11	169
Izard	42	54	2	0	5	103
Jackson	53	52	0	0	3	108
Jefferson	271	362	6	0	17	656
Johnson	32	83	1	0	2	118
Lafayette	30	30	0	0	1	61
Lawrence	22	61	0	0	8	91
Lee	20	37	0	0	3	60

(1) A Foster Care (FC) Case consist of one child in Foster Care.

(2) A Child Protective Service (CPS) Case consists of a family with at least one child in the home. A CPS case can also be a FC case if at least one child is in the home and one is in FC.

(3) An Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children Case (ICPC) consist of one child in a case type of ICPC.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
SERVICES PROVIDED
SFY 2004**

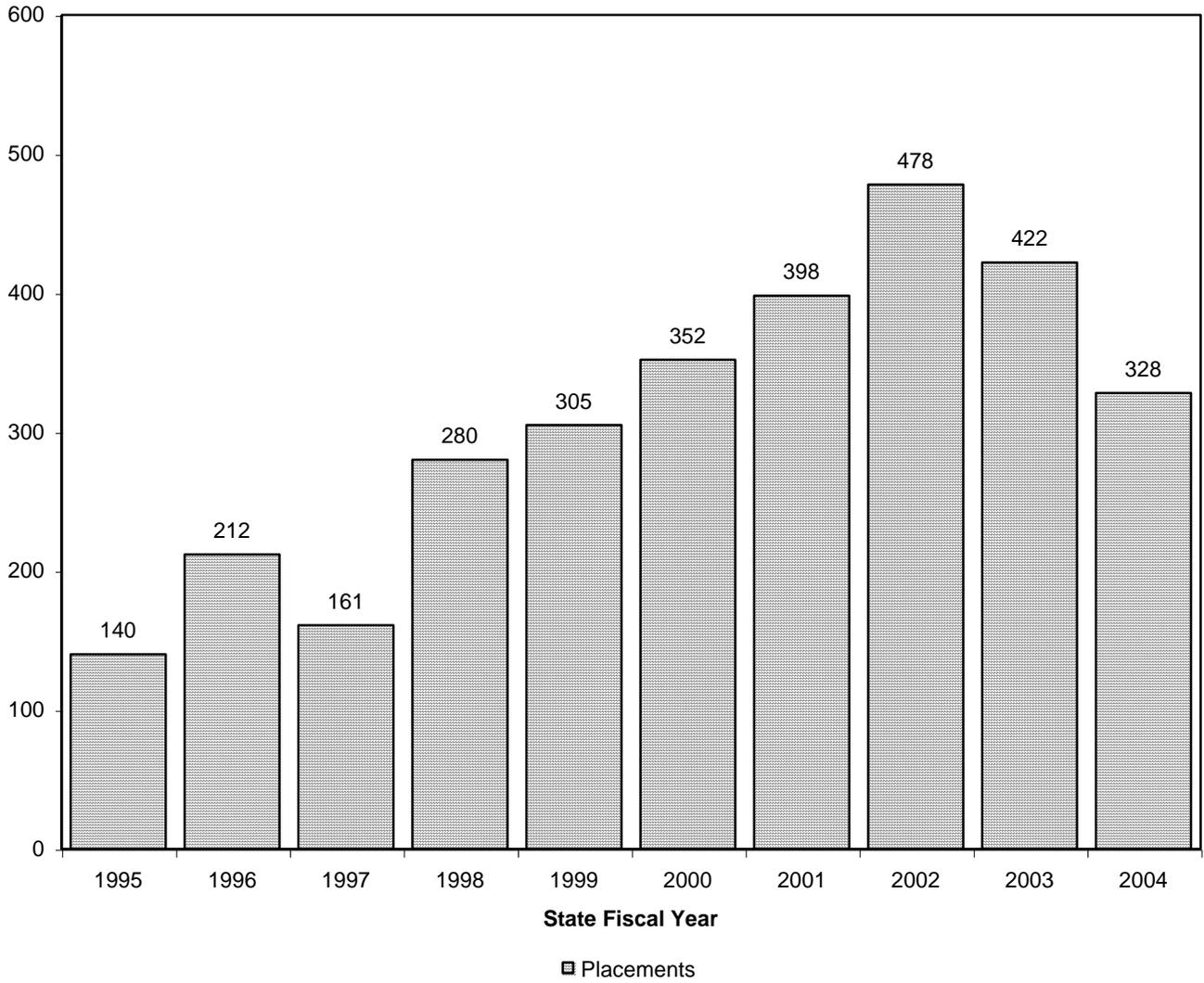
County	Foster Care Cases ⁽¹⁾	Child Protective Service Cases ⁽²⁾	ICPC Cases ⁽³⁾	Independent Living Cases	Supportive Service Cases	Total Cases
Lincoln	20	20	1	0	1	42
Little River	33	38	1	0	8	80
Logan	51	82	0	0	6	139
Lonoke	99	126	3	0	5	233
Madison	54	67	0	0	1	122
Marion	57	77	0	0	4	138
Miller	114	148	4	0	11	277
Mississippi	105	139	7	0	16	267
Monroe	21	33	1	0	6	61
Montgomery	19	13	0	0	0	32
Nevada	17	39	1	0	1	58
Newton	26	38	1	0	5	70
Ouachita	70	120	3	0	4	197
Perry	12	28	0	0	5	45
Phillips	61	122	1	0	12	196
Pike	11	21	1	0	1	34
Poinsett	32	62	0	0	0	94
Polk	46	67	0	0	21	134
Pope	133	176	4	4	11	328
Prairie	1	6	0	0	1	8
Pulaski	1,094	1,075	21	8	159	2,357
Randolph	42	61	0	0	5	108
Saline	140	229	5	0	14	388
Scott	21	50	0	0	2	73
Searcy	38	46	0	0	6	90
Sebastian	661	587	17	0	7	1,272
Sevier	30	48	1	0	8	87
Sharp	44	81	0	1	10	136
St. Francis	77	100	3	0	21	201
Stone	0	14	0	0	3	17
Union	56	120	1	0	23	200
Van Buren	41	80	0	3	1	125
Washington	248	539	18	1	4	810
White	153	176	6	4	13	352
Woodruff	21	22	0	0	2	45
Yell	35	70	0	0	4	109
Unknown	1	10	0	0	1	12
State Total	6,502	8,858	179	56	793	16,388

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADOPTIONS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN PLACED
SFY 1995 - 2004**



**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADOPTION SERVICES
SFY 2004**

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 328 children placed in adoptive homes during SFY 2004, down from 422 in SFY 2003. The following tables show the breakdowns of these children by age, gender and race.

Age	Number of Children	Percentage
0 to 5 years	154	46.95%
6 to 11 years	115	35.06%
12 to 18 years	59	17.99%
TOTAL	328	100.00%

Gender	Number of Children	Percentage
Male	177	53.96%
Female	151	46.04%
TOTAL	328	100.00%

Race	Number of Children	Percentage
White	187	57.01%
Black	106	32.32%
Asian	1	0.30%
Hispanic	18	5.49%
Multiple*	16	4.88%
TOTAL	328	100.00%

*More than one race was indicated in CHRIS.

Special Needs

There were 247 children with special needs who were placed in pre-adoptive homes during SFY 2004¹. 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*
Race	178
Age	237
Member of Sibling Group	89
TOTAL	504

*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 2004**

Subsidized Adoptions

There were 297 new subsidized adoptions approved in SFY 2004, with 262 federally funded and 35 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. Twelve disruptions occurred in SFY 2004, compared to 9 disruptions in the previous fiscal year.

Non-Foster Parent Adoptive Homes

Homes Awaiting Children at the Beginning of the Year	189
New Homes Approved During the Year	157
Total During the Year	346
Homes in Which Children Were Placed During the Year	104
Approved Adoptive Homes Closed at the End of the Year	12
Homes That Experienced a Disruption	12
Number of Homes Awaiting Children	242

Children Waiting for Adoption

There are currently 498 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	Hispanic	Multiple*	Total
0-1	Female	3	2	0	0	2	7
	Male	5	4	0	0	0	9
2-5	Female	37	17	0	2	0	56
	Male	33	18	0	1	5	57
6-11	Female	47	21	0	2	8	78
	Male	67	22	0	1	8	98
12-15	Female	41	15	0	2	6	64
	Male	55	25	0	1	7	88
16-18	Female	16	5	0	0	4	25
	Male	12	2	0	0	2	16
TOTAL	Female	144	60	0	6	20	230
	Male	172	71	0	3	22	268
TOTAL		316	131	0	9	42	498

* More than one race indicated in CHRIS.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM
FFY 2004
(October 1, 2003 to September 30, 2004)**

YOUTH SERVED

Demographics

Age	Total	Ethnicity	Total	Gender	Total
Twenty Plus	22	White	643	Male	447
Nineteen	47	Black	297	Female	528
Eighteen	139	Hispanic	20	Total	975
Seventeen	296	Asian	3		
Sixteen	253	Native American	11		
Fifteen-Fourteen	218	Other Ethnicity	1		
Total	975	Total	975		

General Statistics

Length of Time in Foster Care	Total	Youth Who Were	Total	Other Characteristics	Total
Less than 6 months	103	Living in a Foster Home	528	Employed	137
6 months to 1 Year	159	Living in a Group Home	305	Obtained High School Diploma/GED	74
Between 1 and 2 Years	211	Living Independently	63	Obtained Housing/ Other Community Service	68
Between 2 and 3 Years	201	Institutionalized	35	Living Independently	35
Between 3 and 4 Years	110	Other Living Arrangements	25		
Between 4 and 5 Years	86	Special Needs Children	61		
Between 5 and 7 Years	56	Married	4		
Between 7 and 10 Years	34	Parents	54		
Between 10 and 12 Years	13				
Between 12 and 15 Years	2				
More than 15 Years	0				
Total	975				

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM
FFY 2004
(October 1, 2003 to September 30, 2004)
(continued)

1. Life-skills topics covered in workshops – <u>Finance/Money Management</u> , <u>Vocational Planning</u> , <u>Parenting</u> , <u>Health and Hygiene</u> , <u>Personal Appearance</u> , <u>Nutrition</u> , <u>Housing</u> , <u>Team Building</u> , <u>Self-Esteem</u> , <u>Legal Issues</u> , <u>Job Search/Vocational Planning</u> , <u>College Preparation</u> , <u>Drugs</u> , <u>STD's/Sexual Awareness</u> , <u>Conflict Resolution</u> , <u>Community Resources</u> .	230
Number of life-skills workshops presented during the year.	263
Total number of teens attending the workshops. (duplicated count)	3,868
Total number of foster parents attending the workshops. (duplicated count)	503
Total number of staff attending the workshops. (duplicated count)	564
2. Total number of teens given initial assessment during the year.	328
3. Number of reassessments during the year.	605
4. Number of ILP staffings attended during the year.	371
5. Number of ILP home/apartment/school, etc, startups during the year.	62
6. Number of OJT placements during the year.	16
7. Total number of teens that completed the ILP program plan during the year.	8
8. Total number of teens that withdrew before completing transitional/educational plan.	226
9. Total number of teens (age 14-15) that were provided ILP information.	327
10. Number of video presentations that were made during the year.	76
11. Total number of people that attended video presentations:	
Teens	580
Foster Parents	49
Staff	70
Total	699
12. Total number of teens from other states that were provided assessments/services.	2
13. Youth receiving "After-Care" services during the year.	66

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
INTERSTATE COMPACT ON THE PLACEMENT OF CHILDREN
SFY 2004**

The Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children (ICPC)*, an Affiliate of the American Public Human Services Association, is a uniform law that has been enacted by all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. Virgin Islands. The Compact is the best means to ensure protection and services to children who are placed across state lines for foster care or adoption. It establishes orderly procedures for the interstate placement of children and fixes responsibility for those involved in placing the child.

Once children are placed in approved placements (i.e. parent, relative, foster, adoptive and residential), the receiving state monitors, provides services and reports progress.

Requests Processed By Arkansas ICPC	Arkansas Sending State	Arkansas Receiving State
Parent	35	113
Relative	46	133
Foster	10	74
Adoption DCFS	19	72
Adoption Private/Independent	2	31
RTC & Group	0	0
Totals	112	423

Interstate Compact on Adoption and Medical Assistance (Arkansas)--ICAMA

Currently 43 states are members of ICAMA, leaving 7 states as non-members. The Association of Administrators of the Interstate Compact on Adoption and Medical Assistance (AAICAMA) is a nonprofit corporation established in 1986 to facilitate the administration of the compact. The American Public Human Services Association (APHSA) serves as the Secretariat to AAICAMA. The Association (AAICAMA) facilitates, provides technical assistance, and supports states in the administration of the compact.

AAICAMA is the mechanism by which Medicaid can be provided on an interstate basis for children receiving adoption assistance. The purpose of the AAICAMA is:

- To facilitate the administration of the Interstate Compact on Adoption and Medical Assistance.
- To strengthen the protections for children with special needs receiving adoption assistance in interstate and intrastate cases.
- To assist in the development and implementation of sound practices and policies in both interstate and intrastate special needs children and their adoptive families.
- To bring public, private, and tribal agency adoption professionals and others involved in special needs adoption together in affiliation for the common purpose of enhancing services to special needs children and adoptive families.
- To promote continuous learning to expand knowledge of issues that affect special needs children and their adoptive families in order to foster competent adoption services providers.
- To promote standards of excellence in the provision of services to special needs children and their families who receive adoption assistance.

The Division processed 125 applications for services; 92 cases where families move from other states to the state of Arkansas and 30 cases where families moved from Arkansas to other states.

* APHSA Guide to the Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children 2002

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
BEHAVIORAL TREATMENT SERVICES
SFY 2004**

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 2004:

Type of Contract Service	Number of Programs
Therapeutic Foster Care	13
Community Based Comprehensive Residential Treatment (Inpatient Psychiatric Treatment)	5
Emergency Shelter	13
Specialized Foster Care Services for Developmentally Delayed Children	4
Residential Treatment	10
Sexual Offenders Treatment Programs	6
Inpatient Psychiatric Treatment (Hospital setting)	5
Independent Living Programs	1

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
INTENSIVE FAMILY SERVICES
SFY 2004**

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 231 families with 614 children who received these services in SFY 2004.**

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS (DCO)
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2004**

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
John Kennedy, Assistant Director, Field Operations
Randy Lawson, Assistant Director, Program Support
Linda Greer, Assistant Director, Program Planning and Development
Thomas Green, Assistant Director, Community Services

Fast Facts:

People Served Annually:	892,411 (Unduplicated)
Facilities Regulated:	None
Division Established:	1985
Budget:	\$209.4 Million (\$144.9 Million Federal, \$49.7 Million State, \$14.8 Million Other)
Staff:	1,843 Budgeted Positions
Oversight/Advisory Bodies:	Arkansas Transitional Employment Board
Institutions Operated:	85 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, and long-term care and other related services. Approximately 682,027 Arkansas children and adults were eligible for medical care through the Medicaid program during state fiscal year 2004.
- Transitional Employment Assistance (TEA) – provides time-limited cash assistance and employment related services each month to low-income families with dependent children. Approximately 44,701 people were provided this service during state fiscal year 2004.
- Food Stamps – This program provides a nutrition safety net for low-income children, families and adults. Over \$336 million in benefits were provided to 490,641 people during state fiscal year 2004.
- Commodity Distribution/Emergency Food – Provides more than 20 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 – Provides temporary cash and medical assistance to refugees and entrants to help them become self-sufficient.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS (DCO)
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2004**

Programs: (continued)

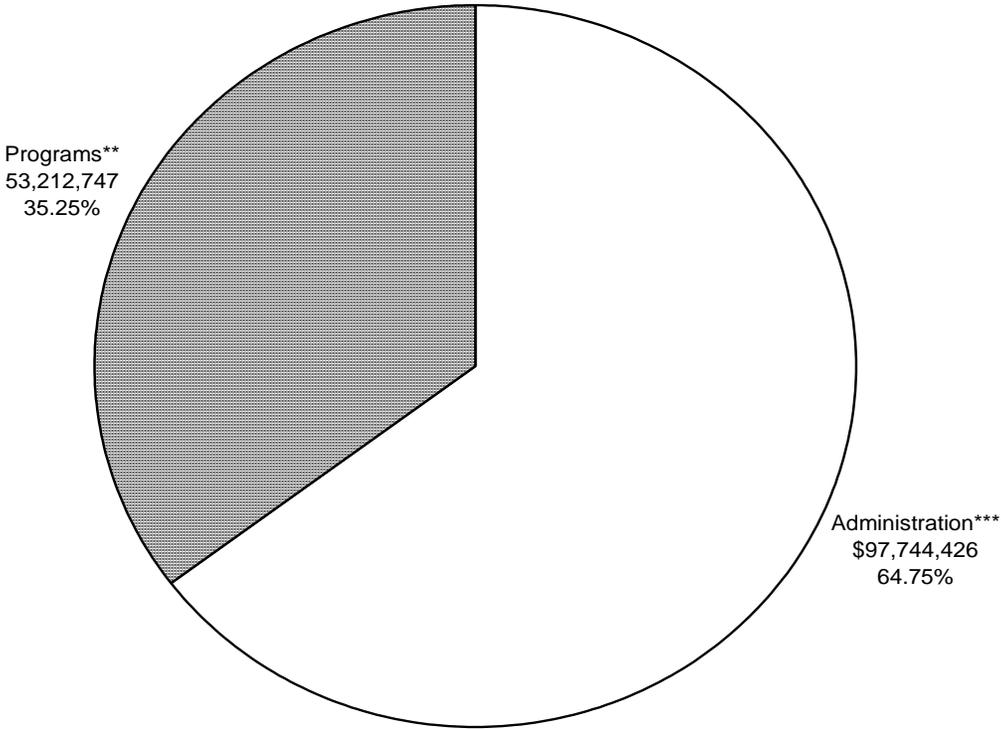
- Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Program – Provides more than \$8 million in funding to the 16 Community Action Agencies in the state to support services and activities that assist low-income families to become self-sufficient.
- Home Energy Assistance Program – Provides financial assistance to more than 69,000 households each year to help them meet the costs of home energy.
- Weatherization Assistance 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.
- Shelter Plus Care 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).
- Emergency Shelter Program – Provides more than \$1 million in grant funds to over 70 local community homeless shelters.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS
EXPENDITURES
SFY 2004**

	Expenditures*
<u>DCO Administration:</u>	
00 - Regular Salaries	\$ 49,666,693
01 - Extra Help	149,776
02 - Maintenance & Operations	17,541,363
03 - Fringe Benefits	15,120,444
06 - Overtime	-
09 - Conference Fees & Travel	111,982
10 - Professional Fees & Services	9,752,595
11 - Capital Outlay	-
44 - Data Processing Services	4,653,584
Sub-Total	\$ 96,996,437
 <u>Tobacco Settlement - Medicaid Expansion Program:</u>	
00 - Regular Salaries	\$ 437,846
02 - Maintenance & Operations	3,550
03 - Fringe Benefits	296,368
44 - Data Processing Services	10,225
Sub-Total	\$ 747,989
 <u>DCO Programs:</u>	
Shelter Plus Care	\$ 1,084,964
AABD (State)	-
Weatherization (Federal)	3,384,800
Emergency Food (Federal)	458,520
Low-Income Energy Assistance (Federal)	9,498,788
Refugee Resettlement (Federal)	-
Emergency Shelter (Federal)	1,029,456
Individual Development Account Program	294,835
TEA Employment Services	9,438,325
TEA Cash Assistance, Relocation, Diversions	19,040,080
Food Stamp Employment & Training	105,000
Community Services Block Grant (Federal)	8,849,810
Commodity Distribution - SAC Fund	2,840
Sub-Total	\$ 53,187,418
 <u>Claims Commission-2nd Extraordinary Session:</u>	
Dr. G. A. Sexton-St. Francis County Office Rent	\$ 12,561
AR Department of Corrections-Printing	12,768
Sub-Total	\$ 25,329
 GRAND TOTAL	 \$ 150,957,173

* Expenditures do not reflect \$336 million in food stamps issued during SFY 2004.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS
EXPENDITURES *
SFY 2004**



* Expenditures do not reflect \$336 million in Food Stamp coupons distributed during SFY 2004.

** Includes Claims Commission-2nd Extraordinary Session

*** Includes Tobacco Settlement-Medicaid Expansion

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
CASES, PERSONS AND GRANT AMOUNT
SFY 2004**

County	Cases ⁽¹⁾	Adults ⁽¹⁾	Children ⁽¹⁾	Grant Amount ⁽²⁾	County	Cases ⁽¹⁾	Adults ⁽¹⁾	Children ⁽¹⁾	Grant Amount ⁽²⁾
Arkansas	160	127	269	\$167,601	Lincoln	152	110	243	\$157,516
Ashley	258	194	408	260,475	Little River	53	30	94	55,001
Baxter	89	63	143	96,865	Logan	208	187	347	215,732
Benton	147	52	253	164,224	Lonoke	95	24	162	98,783
Boone	230	214	371	253,988	Madison	23	9	42	27,416
Bradley	141	90	201	121,790	Marion	132	122	212	141,270
Calhoun	40	26	68	49,859	Miller	570	488	993	574,278
Carroll	39	16	56	33,701	Mississippi	687	490	1,212	756,140
Chicot	316	237	500	307,062	Monroe	62	22	97	79,602
Clark	98	67	153	85,196	Montgomery	13	3	24	20,552
Clay	120	91	191	121,194	Nevada	46	34	77	44,237
Cleburne	42	21	70	37,248	Newton	38	32	75	48,465
Cleveland	83	73	132	95,627	Ouachita	340	259	542	341,885
Columbia	267	201	436	250,665	Perry	37	23	59	40,177
Conway	50	20	83	52,635	Phillips	598	451	1,013	689,185
Craighead	553	457	982	649,912	Pike	35	26	71	36,905
Crawford	164	100	300	168,815	Poinsett	324	276	540	361,893
Crittenden	763	585	1,382	925,817	Polk	37	29	69	38,745
Cross	97	44	166	121,744	Pope	120	52	192	107,845
Dallas	76	56	114	77,418	Prairie	29	18	40	25,105
Desha	179	131	288	182,333	Pulaski-East	494	399	813	637,381
Drew	110	91	164	102,783	Pulaski-Jax	551	464	911	630,297
Faulkner	291	198	493	256,982	Pulaski-North	998	744	1,717	1,226,183
Franklin	36	15	59	47,580	Pulaski-South	1,033	823	1,745	1,217,718
Fulton	108	88	188	100,739	Pulaski-SW	1,202	1,018	2,044	1,354,673
Garland	296	202	523	347,995	Randolph	89	67	130	100,788
Grant	30	10	43	29,813	Saline	227	161	382	259,367
Greene	250	204	395	253,149	Scott	126	120	233	154,468
Hempstead	149	91	243	165,213	Searcy	23	9	43	28,831
Hot Spring	52	7	81	54,770	Sebastian	356	226	613	343,522
Howard	43	31	85	39,703	Sevier	94	70	163	96,728
Independence	211	151	345	204,713	Sharp	143	119	234	152,507
Izard	59	45	94	62,939	St. Francis	643	496	1,065	662,747
Jackson	191	153	319	179,433	Stone	22	12	24	23,498
Jefferson	1,256	1,031	2,148	1,395,816	Union	533	433	918	541,368
Johnson	41	9	64	40,905	Van Buren	41	12	71	51,629
Lafayette	84	60	136	92,167	Washington	479	328	838	524,098
Lawrence	63	23	109	68,762	White	81	29	130	83,273
Lee	276	206	461	317,014	Woodruff	113	84	182	113,072
					Yell	21	5	41	23,268
State Total					18,326	13,784	30,917	\$20,070,793	

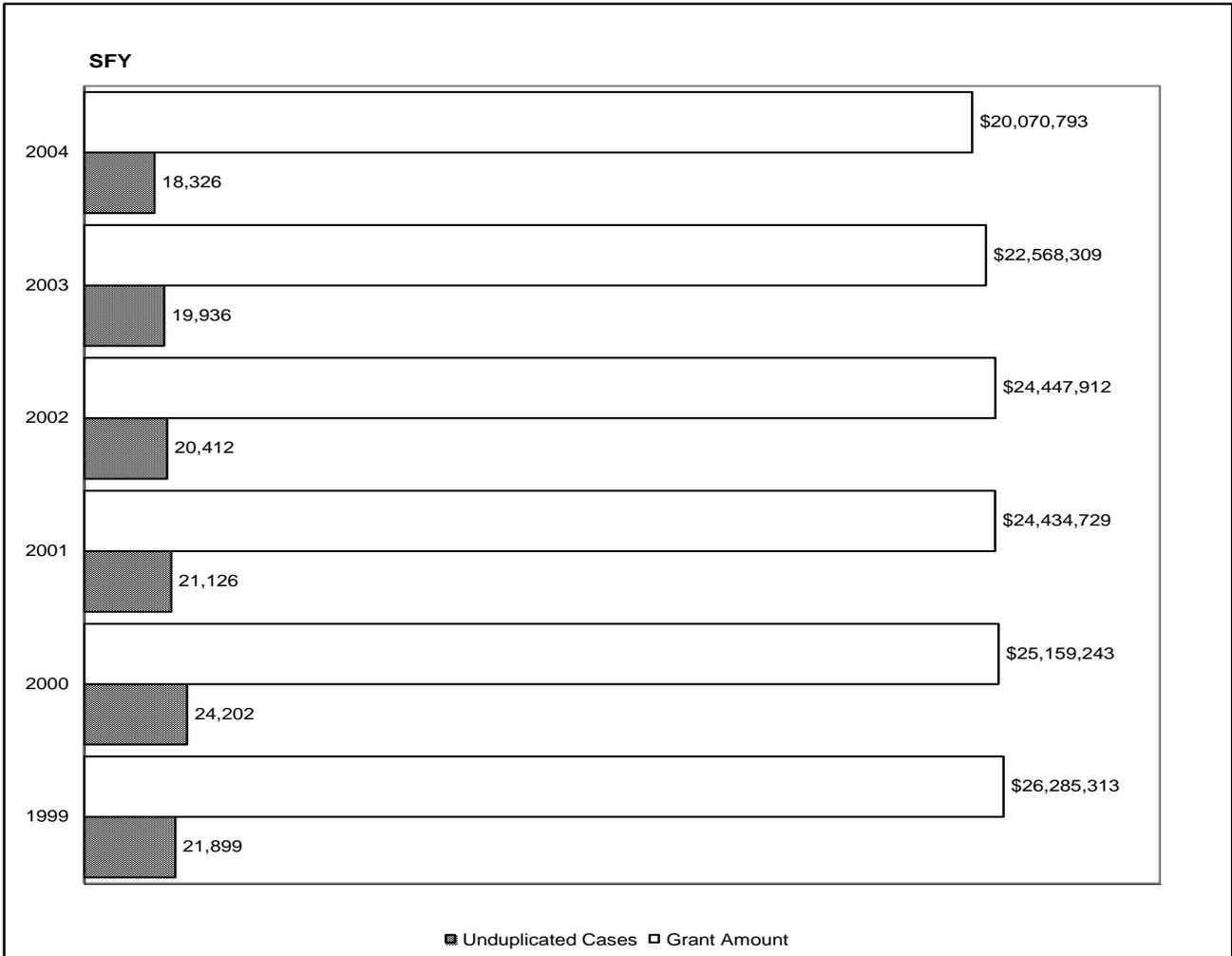
(1) Unduplicated count for TEA Category 20.

(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 1999 - 2004**



SFY	Unduplicated Cases	Grant Amount
1999	21,899	\$26,285,313
2000	24,202	\$25,159,243
2001	21,126	\$24,434,729
2002	20,412	\$24,447,912
2003	19,936	\$22,568,309
2004	18,326	\$20,070,793

Source: Monthly County Office Operational Reports and Extract From ACES Data Base

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN RECEIVING TEA
BY AGE GROUP
SFY 2004**

County	5 & Under		6 - 12		13 - 17		Total		Grand Total
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
Arkansas	69	56	52	51	23	18	144	125	269
Ashley	94	81	75	74	47	37	216	192	408
Baxter	27	22	30	25	19	20	76	67	143
Benton	53	44	49	35	32	40	134	119	253
Boone	86	82	74	69	30	30	190	181	371
Bradley	45	53	32	28	19	24	96	105	201
Calhoun	14	15	15	12	4	8	33	35	68
Carroll	10	15	14	12	1	4	25	31	56
Chicot	107	111	87	89	40	66	234	266	500
Clark	36	26	29	28	20	14	85	68	153
Clay	29	44	37	40	17	24	83	108	191
Cleburne	13	11	13	21	6	6	32	38	70
Cleveland	35	26	20	21	16	14	71	61	132
Columbia	96	95	87	80	29	49	212	224	436
Conway	21	14	7	17	12	12	40	43	83
Craighead	240	241	164	181	67	89	471	511	982
Crawford	69	68	55	42	32	34	156	144	300
Crittenden	312	346	240	260	94	130	646	736	1,382
Cross	21	38	29	27	28	23	78	88	166
Dallas	21	23	20	20	10	20	51	63	114
Desha	70	66	51	42	30	29	151	137	288
Drew	43	30	29	23	15	24	87	77	164
Faulkner	123	100	103	74	49	44	275	218	493
Franklin	5	8	11	15	14	6	30	29	59
Fulton	45	23	42	26	19	33	106	82	188
Garland	101	85	104	107	65	61	270	253	523
Grant	6	5	8	9	8	7	22	21	43
Greene	99	96	66	66	32	36	197	198	395
Hempstead	61	49	38	54	15	26	114	129	243
Hot Spring	10	16	12	22	4	17	26	55	81
Howard	21	13	15	15	11	10	47	38	85
Independence	77	71	60	65	41	31	178	167	345
Izard	16	28	12	15	11	12	39	55	94
Jackson	72	62	59	67	27	32	158	161	319
Jefferson	562	519	339	371	157	200	1,058	1,090	2,148
Johnson	9	13	15	13	9	5	33	31	64
Lafayette	37	33	17	27	10	12	64	72	136
Lawrence	17	10	26	25	12	19	55	54	109
Lee	107	105	58	86	49	56	214	247	461

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN RECEIVING TEA
BY AGE GROUP
SFY 2004**

County	<u>5 & Under</u>		<u>6 - 12</u>		<u>13 - 17</u>		<u>Total</u>		Grand Total
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
Lincoln	53	64	33	47	15	31	101	142	243
Little River	18	12	17	22	13	12	48	46	94
Logan	94	84	50	55	29	35	173	174	347
Lonoke	29	28	33	30	16	26	78	84	162
Madison	5	12	9	12	3	1	17	25	42
Marion	40	36	47	33	31	25	118	94	212
Miller	207	196	209	179	91	111	507	486	993
Mississippi	253	286	216	232	99	126	568	644	1,212
Monroe	17	7	26	21	10	16	53	44	97
Montgomery	4	2	2	7	4	5	10	14	24
Nevada	18	12	14	16	6	11	38	39	77
Newton	7	13	19	12	10	14	36	39	75
Ouachita	111	139	86	94	38	74	235	307	542
Perry	18	5	8	12	7	9	33	26	59
Phillips	249	238	158	175	83	110	490	523	1,013
Pike	12	11	13	22	6	7	31	40	71
Poinsett	123	114	98	89	59	57	280	260	540
Polk	9	8	19	15	6	12	34	35	69
Pope	50	36	32	32	23	19	105	87	192
Prairie	14	3	7	9	5	2	26	14	40
Pulaski-East	185	187	128	159	72	82	385	428	813
Pulaski-Jax	256	190	158	155	69	83	483	428	911
Pulaski-North	408	414	280	311	122	182	810	907	1,717
Pulaski-South	424	409	294	294	134	190	852	893	1,745
Pulaski-SW	502	484	354	360	139	205	995	1,049	2,044
Randolph	19	31	30	21	17	12	66	64	130
Saline	80	79	58	75	49	41	187	195	382
Scott	58	56	43	41	15	20	116	117	233
Searcy	2	7	7	15	5	7	14	29	43
Sebastian	134	146	102	116	46	69	282	331	613
Sevier	34	29	32	29	17	22	83	80	163
Sharp	36	57	54	38	26	23	116	118	234
St. Francis	250	225	177	213	86	114	513	552	1,065
Stone	4	5	2	5	2	6	8	16	24
Union	240	201	150	153	83	91	473	445	918
Van Buren	11	10	15	15	7	13	33	38	71
Washington	192	220	153	130	55	88	400	438	838
White	28	20	19	27	14	22	61	69	130
Woodruff	40	38	31	29	21	23	92	90	182
Yell	9	7	7	7	8	3	24	17	41
State Total	7,122	6,864	5,384	5,561	2,665	3,321	15,171	15,746	30,917

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADULTS RECEIVING TEA
BY AGE GROUP
SFY 2004**

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
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Total
Arkansas	6	6	4	70	6	22	1	2	2	8	19	108	127
Ashley	4	17	7	101	8	41	4	9	0	3	23	171	194
Baxter	2	6	0	18	5	20	2	3	2	5	11	52	63
Benton	3	10	1	21	0	9	4	3	0	1	8	44	52
Boone	4	14	19	90	10	46	4	13	7	7	44	170	214
Bradley	5	11	1	48	0	16	2	5	2	0	10	80	90
Calhoun	1	2	0	17	1	4	0	1	0	0	2	24	26
Carroll	1	0	0	8	0	4	0	3	0	0	1	15	16
Chicot	10	20	6	118	3	52	4	8	7	9	30	207	237
Clark	0	5	1	37	0	16	0	1	1	6	2	65	67
Clay	4	7	4	32	6	24	2	5	2	5	18	73	91
Cleburne	0	4	1	8	0	7	0	1	0	0	1	20	21
Cleveland	0	9	2	31	2	15	0	9	1	4	5	68	73
Columbia	4	17	3	117	6	42	0	7	2	3	15	186	201
Conway	2	3	0	8	0	3	0	2	1	1	3	17	20
Craighead	8	28	11	259	11	93	7	18	7	15	44	413	457
Crawford	2	8	4	46	3	27	2	3	3	2	14	86	100
Crittenden	12	74	13	339	9	100	3	20	0	15	37	548	585
Cross	3	7	0	19	0	6	0	5	1	3	4	40	44
Dallas	4	6	1	24	3	7	1	6	1	3	10	46	56
Desha	3	15	0	69	4	27	2	5	0	6	9	122	131
Drew	2	9	4	45	1	23	1	3	0	3	8	83	91
Faulkner	4	23	2	105	8	33	4	11	3	5	21	177	198
Franklin	0	4	0	1	0	8	0	1	0	1	0	15	15
Fulton	1	5	12	33	6	18	0	1	7	5	26	62	88
Garland	13	10	4	94	5	48	0	18	2	8	24	178	202
Grant	1	0	0	3	0	5	0	1	0	0	1	9	10
Greene	5	15	12	90	14	38	7	13	2	8	40	164	204
Hempstead	3	12	1	52	2	14	2	3	1	1	9	82	91
Hot Spring	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	6	7
Howard	1	3	2	13	3	7	0	2	0	0	6	25	31
Independence	2	13	10	66	7	35	2	10	0	6	21	130	151
Izard	4	2	2	21	3	8	3	2	0	0	12	33	45
Jackson	6	11	7	73	7	33	1	6	2	7	23	130	153
Jefferson	15	117	30	595	19	173	8	43	9	22	81	950	1,031
Johnson	1	2	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	8	9
Lafayette	1	3	0	42	3	9	0	1	1	0	5	55	60
Lawrence	0	1	1	11	0	5	1	2	1	1	3	20	23
Lee	10	26	11	95	1	37	1	15	2	8	25	181	206

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADULTS RECEIVING TEA
BY AGE GROUP
SFY 2004**

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
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Total
Lincoln	4	14	2	57	5	24	0	1	0	3	11	99	110
Little River	0	3	1	11	1	9	0	3	0	2	2	28	30
Logan	3	13	17	96	10	32	4	6	0	6	34	153	187
Lonoke	3	2	0	11	1	5	0	1	1	0	5	19	24
Madison	1	0	0	2	1	4	0	1	0	0	2	7	9
Marion	4	8	8	38	11	29	10	5	2	7	35	87	122
Miller	8	34	9	240	13	126	10	22	5	21	45	443	488
Mississippi	11	49	12	265	19	82	5	21	8	18	55	435	490
Monroe	4	10	0	5	0	1	0	0	1	1	5	17	22
Montgomery	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3
Nevada	1	2	0	18	1	8	1	1	0	2	3	31	34
Newton	0	1	0	9	2	13	0	1	3	3	5	27	32
Ouachita	4	32	8	132	7	52	2	10	1	11	22	237	259
Perry	1	2	0	12	1	4	0	3	0	0	2	21	23
Phillips	19	57	13	262	6	57	0	20	3	14	41	410	451
Pike	1	1	0	11	2	8	2	1	0	0	5	21	26
Poinsett	7	19	11	121	18	60	8	16	8	8	52	224	276
Polk	2	3	0	11	1	8	0	2	1	1	4	25	29
Pope	2	3	2	30	0	11	0	3	1	0	5	47	52
Prairie	1	0	0	13	1	1	0	2	0	0	2	16	18
Pulaski-East	6	29	7	229	3	78	7	21	3	16	26	373	399
Pulaski-Jax	9	39	11	246	13	99	7	22	6	12	46	418	464
Pulaski-North	11	81	11	424	9	147	6	35	3	17	40	704	744
Pulaski-South	21	81	9	459	11	172	6	41	2	21	49	774	823
Pulaski-SW	9	93	33	572	28	212	1	37	7	26	78	940	1,018
Randolph	4	3	6	28	2	11	5	2	5	1	22	45	67
Saline	6	5	7	74	6	40	4	10	1	8	24	137	161
Scott	5	7	8	46	9	35	2	5	1	2	25	95	120
Searcy	0	0	1	3	1	1	0	1	1	1	3	6	9
Sebastian	6	16	2	133	3	45	3	10	0	8	14	212	226
Sevier	1	6	3	28	1	15	0	7	4	5	9	61	70
Sharp	8	8	9	42	7	28	3	6	2	6	29	90	119
St. Francis	14	59	12	276	9	83	2	26	4	11	41	455	496
Stone	4	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	2	1	7	5	12
Union	9	40	14	243	13	79	6	18	2	9	44	389	433
Van Buren	3	1	0	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	9	12
Washington	13	24	5	182	10	62	3	7	6	16	37	291	328
White	4	5	2	12	0	4	0	1	1	0	7	22	29
Woodruff	3	10	1	36	4	20	1	5	1	3	10	74	84
Yell	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	5
State Total	363	1,291	400	7,210	386	2,747	166	636	154	431	1,469	12,315	13,784

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
MONTHLY AVERAGE OF CASES, PERSONS AND PAYMENTS
SFY 2004**

Month	Cases	Persons	Adults	Children	Payments ⁽¹⁾
July 2003	10,816	24,602	6,294	18,308	\$1,792,668
August	10,688	24,204	6,192	18,012	1,735,199
September	10,751	24,334	6,229	18,105	1,761,983
October	10,798	24,378	6,259	18,119	1,772,612
November	10,517	23,579	6,013	17,566	1,719,057
December	10,703	24,161	6,220	17,941	1,760,888
January 2004	10,434	23,443	5,970	17,473	1,679,993
February	10,313	23,080	5,898	17,182	1,673,788
March	10,087	22,405	5,674	16,731	1,607,160
April	9,743	21,476	5,340	16,136	1,546,430
May	9,558	20,967	5,178	15,789	1,519,436
June 2004	9,501	20,862	5,126	15,736	1,501,579
Monthly Average	10,326	23,124	5,866	17,258	\$1,672,566

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

Monthly Average Amount Per Case	\$161.98
Monthly Average Amount Per Person	\$72.33
Average Number of Children Per Case	1.67
Average Number of Adults Per Case	0.57

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
MONTHLY AVERAGE OF AFDC/TEA CASES
AND MONEY PAYMENT PER CASE
SFY 1938 - 2004**

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA CASES, PERSONS AND GRANT AMOUNTS
JUNE 2004**

County	Total Cases, Persons and Grant Amount				Average Persons Per Case and Grant Amount		
	Cases	Adults	Children	Grant	Adults	Children	Grant
Arkansas	81	42	140	\$13,150	0.52	1.73	\$162.35
Ashley	124	80	191	19,534	0.65	1.54	157.53
Baxter	40	19	63	6,675	0.48	1.58	166.88
Benton	92	21	158	14,183	0.23	1.72	154.16
Boone	96	70	172	16,183	0.73	1.79	168.57
Bradley	70	29	94	9,126	0.41	1.34	130.37
Calhoun	29	15	38	3,764	0.52	1.31	129.79
Carroll	21	6	29	2,719	0.29	1.38	129.48
Chicot	141	70	224	20,920	0.50	1.59	148.37
Clark	58	30	89	9,089	0.52	1.53	156.71
Clay	53	25	89	8,075	0.47	1.68	152.36
Cleburne	24	5	28	2,757	0.21	1.17	114.88
Cleveland	51	38	83	8,448	0.75	1.63	165.65
Columbia	138	81	225	22,671	0.59	1.63	164.28
Conway	25	3	35	3,163	0.12	1.40	126.52
Craighead	277	159	495	43,218	0.57	1.79	156.02
Crawford	79	27	125	11,928	0.34	1.58	150.99
Crittenden	446	283	810	76,242	0.63	1.82	170.95
Cross	55	8	102	8,659	0.15	1.85	157.44
Dallas	41	15	68	5,847	0.37	1.66	142.61
Desha	87	51	146	13,601	0.59	1.68	156.33
Drew	53	26	73	6,879	0.49	1.38	129.79
Faulkner	103	34	178	15,957	0.33	1.73	154.92
Franklin	26	5	48	3,987	0.19	1.85	153.35
Fulton	44	20	76	6,735	0.45	1.73	153.07
Garland	160	64	251	23,315	0.40	1.57	145.72
Grant	17	2	26	2,190	0.12	1.53	128.82
Greene	126	66	180	19,386	0.52	1.43	153.86
Hempstead	83	30	130	11,648	0.36	1.57	140.34
Hot Spring	34	0	51	4,219	0.00	1.50	124.09
Howard	18	6	33	2,959	0.33	1.83	164.39
Independence	98	32	169	14,568	0.33	1.72	148.65
Izard	29	13	48	4,764	0.45	1.66	164.28
Jackson	75	41	115	11,459	0.55	1.53	152.79
Jefferson	671	431	1,122	108,698	0.64	1.67	161.99
Johnson	20	2	32	2,519	0.10	1.60	125.95
Lafayette	37	11	55	5,257	0.30	1.49	142.08
Lawrence	37	4	61	4,771	0.11	1.65	128.95
Lee	150	87	252	23,869	0.58	1.68	159.13

Totals may not match due to rounding.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA CASES, PERSONS AND GRANT AMOUNTS
JUNE 2004**

County	Total Cases, Persons and Grant Amount				Average Persons Per Case and Grant Amount		
	Cases	Adults	Children	Grant	Adults	Children	Grant
Lincoln	83	40	131	\$12,506	0.48	1.58	\$150.67
Little River	32	9	53	4,488	0.28	1.66	140.25
Logan	95	59	147	14,892	0.62	1.55	156.76
Lonoke	58	1	96	7,506	0.02	1.66	129.41
Madison	14	5	31	2,387	0.36	2.21	170.50
Marion	56	39	86	9,204	0.70	1.54	164.36
Miller	271	185	454	44,816	0.68	1.68	165.37
Mississippi	390	201	659	61,809	0.52	1.69	158.48
Monroe	38	4	65	5,284	0.11	1.71	139.05
Montgomery	12	1	23	1,787	0.08	1.92	148.92
Nevada	19	8	29	2,409	0.42	1.53	126.79
Newton	15	10	26	2,807	0.67	1.73	187.13
Ouachita	167	98	257	25,681	0.59	1.54	153.78
Perry	20	10	29	3,027	0.50	1.45	151.35
Phillips	298	145	491	45,311	0.49	1.65	152.05
Pike	12	1	22	1,670	0.08	1.83	139.17
Poinsett	113	52	187	16,849	0.46	1.65	149.11
Polk	14	5	35	2,659	0.36	2.50	189.93
Pope	62	15	100	8,739	0.24	1.61	140.95
Prairie	9	1	13	1,095	0.11	1.44	121.67
Pulaski-East	266	157	446	43,672	0.59	1.68	164.18
Pulaski-Jax	312	219	504	53,213	0.70	1.62	170.55
Pulaski-North	568	317	950	89,954	0.56	1.67	158.37
Pulaski-South	594	370	988	98,203	0.62	1.66	165.32
Pulaski-SW	622	425	1,042	103,902	0.68	1.68	167.05
Randolph	57	29	87	8,351	0.51	1.53	146.51
Saline	118	54	200	19,429	0.46	1.69	164.65
Scott	65	49	114	11,112	0.75	1.75	170.95
Searcy	13	3	21	1,788	0.23	1.62	137.54
Sebastian	162	78	274	26,003	0.48	1.69	160.51
Sevier	52	28	88	8,616	0.54	1.69	165.69
Sharp	64	32	108	9,866	0.50	1.69	154.16
St. Francis	314	171	489	47,298	0.54	1.56	150.63
Stone	15	3	21	2,147	0.20	1.40	143.13
Union	271	166	455	43,508	0.61	1.68	160.55
Van Buren	25	4	44	3,660	0.16	1.76	146.40
Washington	284	142	496	47,054	0.50	1.75	165.68
White	45	9	69	6,028	0.20	1.53	133.96
Woodruff	54	29	81	7,935	0.54	1.50	146.94
Yell	13	1	21	1,782	0.08	1.62	137.08
State Total	9,501	5,126	15,736	\$1,501,579	0.54	1.66	\$158.04

Totals may not match due to rounding.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
DISTRIBUTION OF MONEY GRANT PAYMENTS
JUNE 30, 2004**

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	3	4	0	0	0.03%
41 - 50	2	2	0	0	0	0	0.02%
51 - 60	0	0	1	4	0	0	0.01%
61 - 70	86	86	7	7	0	0	0.98%
71 - 80	0	0	4	9	0	0	0.04%
81 - 90	2,416	2,416	377	378	0	0	29.40%
91 - 100	0	0	3	10	1	2	0.04%
101 - 110	2	7	121	241	8	8	1.38%
111 - 120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
121 - 130	47	98	347	427	16	30	4.32%
131 - 140	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
141 - 150	0	0	15	53	1	3	0.17%
151 - 160	26	80	163	322	10	11	2.09%
161 - 170	1,380	2,863	2,120	2,126	3	12	36.87%
171 - 180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
181 - 190	7	30	65	198	7	13	0.83%
191 - 200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
201 - 210	425	1,361	959	1,880	65	71	15.25%
211 - 220	3	17	10	40	7	20	0.21%
221 - 230	0	0	1	9	0	0	0.01%
231 - 240	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
241 - 250	123	515	372	1,103	46	108	5.69%
251 - 260	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
261 - 270	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
271 - 280	0	0	1	7	0	0	0.01%
281 - 290	40	213	103	411	25	70	1.77%
291 - 300	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
301 - 310	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
311 - 320	0	0	2	15	0	0	0.02%
321 - 330	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
331 - 340	10	65	45	228	7	23	0.65%
341 - 350	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
351 - 360	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
361 - 370	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
371 - 380	2	15	7	40	0	0	0.09%
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	2	18	4	31	1	7	0.07%
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	1	10	2	19	0	0	0.03%
Total	4,572	7,796	4,732	7,562	197	378	100.00%

	Number of Children in Case						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7+
Cases	5,277	2,806	1,000	280	102	21	15
Percent	55.54%	29.53%	10.53%	2.95%	1.07%	0.22%	0.16%
Cumulative	55.54%	85.07%	95.60%	98.55%	99.62%	99.84%	100.00%

Total percentages may not equal 100% due to rounding.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA REASONS FOR DENIALS
SFY 2004**

<u>Descriptions</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Descriptions</u>	<u>Total</u>
Age Requirement	28	Job Activity Incomplete	60
Already Active Case	182	Lifetime Limit	228
Application Registered In Error	1,032	Medical Necessity Not Established	1
Approved Diversion Assistance	695	Moved To Another State	53
Approved In Another Category	7	No Eligible Child In Home	540
Death Of Applicant	4	Not Adult Supervised	2
Did Not Furnish Medical Information	18	Not Categorically Eligible	68
Duplicate Application	224	Not Deprived Of Parental Support	15
Eligible For SSI	8	Other	827
Excess Resources	33	PWE Did Not Meet Quarters Work Required	4
Failed To Comply With Work Requirement	258	PWE Employed 100 Or More Hours	5
Failed To Furnish Information	1,538	Refuse To Sign PR Agreement	18
Failed To Keep Interview Appointment	9,323	Registered In Wrong Category	56
Failed To Meet Citizenship Requirement	8	Relationship Not Met	112
Failed To Prove Pregnancy	1	Reserved For LTC	2
Failed To Verify Age	13	Residency Not Met	71
Failed To Verify Children Living In Home	149	Striker Provision	1
Failed To Verify Income	417	Transferred To Another County	100
Failed To Verify Relationship	221	Unable To Locate	32
Failed To Verify Residency	362	Unable To Locate Mail	37
Failed To Verify Resources	58	Unable To Locate Collateral	2
Federal B Limit Of 60 Months	10	Withdrew Application, Employment	393
Income Exceeds 185% Of Standard	168	Withdrew Application, Child Support Related	810
Income Exceeds Standard	3,932	Withdrew Application, No Reason Given	840
Individual Is Sterilized	1	Withdrew Application, Other	1,925
		TOTAL	24,892

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
REASONS FOR CLOSURES
SFY 2004**

Descriptions	Total
Absent Parent Returned Home Or Deemed Not Disabled	71
Alien In Country 8 Months	1
Change In State/Local Pension	5
Child Reached Age Limit	37
Child Support Income	176
Client Requested, Stepparent Provision	2
Contributions From Outside Home	1
Countable Resources	8
Did Not Attend Classes	5
Disability No Longer Met	1
Earned Income Deductions	1
Earnings	3,297
Earnings Exceed Standard, Client Reported	108
Earnings Exceed Standard, ESD Reported	1
Earnings Exceed Standard, Other	19
Earnings, Client Requested	2,307
Eligible In Another Category	28
Employed At End Of Extension Period, No Additional Extension Given	3
Employed During Extended Period, Closure Requested	14
Employed, Reached 24-Month Limit, No Extension Given	72
Employed, Reached 60 Month Limit, No Extension Given	2
Failed To Comply With Employment Plan	60
Failed To Comply With Personal Responsibility Agreement	17
Failed To Comply With Work Activities	6
Failed To Comply With Work Activities, Progressive Sanction Had Been Applied	373
Failed To Cooperate With OCSE	7
Failed To Cooperate With OCSE, 2nd Or More Offense	2
Failed To Keep Appointment	272
Failed To Participate In VoTech For 20 Hours	1
Failed To Provide Information	477
Failed To Verify Income	120
Income Exceeds Limit	60
Income, Non-Stepparent	1
Income, Stepparent	2
Institutionalized	13
Intentional Program Violation, 1st Offense	2
Lifetime Limit Met	615

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
REASONS FOR CLOSURES
SFY 2004**

Descriptions	Total
No Eligible Child In Home	899
No Extension Given Or Continued - Not Employed	48
No Longer A Resident Of State	586
Other, Needs Related	130
Other, Non-Need Related	310
Other, Unearned Income	2
Pregnant	1
Preserve Lifetime Benefits, Client Requested	66
Progressive Sanction 25-50%, System Generated	13
Railroad Retirement Benefits	2
Reached Federal 60 Month Limit, No Extension Given Or Continued, Not Employed	15
Refused Employment	4
Refused Other Procedural Requirement(s)	10
Report Form Not Returned	2
Requested Closure, Or Drop, No Reason Given	1,298
Reevaluation Not Completed	3
Social Security Benefits	123
SSI Benefits	27
Standard Filing Unit	13
Teen Not Living Under Adult Supervision	4
Unable To Locate	446
Unable To Locate, Collateral	2
Unable To Locate, Mail Returned	272
Unemployment Benefits, ESD Reported	181
Unemployment Benefits, Not ESD Reported	93
Veterans Benefits	5
TOTAL	12,742

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
TEA
APPLICATIONS FOR ASSISTANCE
SFY 2004**

County	Applications	Total Disposals		County	Applications	Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied		Received	Approved	Denied
Arkansas	184	106	79	Lincoln	189	97	92
Ashley	326	153	176	Little River	145	37	103
Baxter	186	57	130	Logan	416	160	267
Benton	781	109	652	Lonoke	480	33	453
Boone	367	158	211	Madison	71	11	59
Bradley	195	91	93	Marion	174	74	99
Calhoun	74	25	45	Miller	979	438	544
Carroll	103	19	84	Mississippi	1,453	425	1,044
Chicot	395	179	230	Monroe	121	21	102
Clark	240	77	163	Montgomery	56	5	50
Clay	225	86	138	Nevada	180	33	144
Cleburne	151	33	124	Newton	54	26	27
Cleveland	85	51	36	Ouachita	545	230	295
Columbia	512	218	303	Perry	49	10	40
Conway	242	23	224	Phillips	690	310	396
Craighead	984	309	675	Pike	57	13	46
Crawford	472	102	388	Poinsett	600	195	424
Crittenden	1,307	478	826	Polk	98	27	71
Cross	328	48	279	Pope	547	72	473
Dallas	176	58	118	Prairie	89	15	76
Desha	370	118	265	Pulaski-East	766	243	527
Drew	266	91	174	Pulaski-Jax	1,204	405	843
Faulkner	681	209	496	Pulaski-North	1,824	505	1,333
Franklin	115	11	101	Pulaski-South	1,622	622	969
Fulton	143	81	67	Pulaski-SW	1,746	794	987
Garland	1,241	176	1,035	Randolph	307	70	247
Grant	29	11	17	Saline	795	159	643
Greene	625	218	396	Scott	168	85	85
Hempstead	600	72	515	Searcy	27	11	14
Hot Spring	300	15	286	Sebastian	1,189	241	961
Howard	193	31	162	Sevier	182	67	113
Independence	534	152	387	Sharp	261	110	145
Izard	138	29	113	St. Francis	866	457	407
Jackson	433	123	302	Stone	71	15	55
Jefferson	1,746	865	875	Union	1,125	443	701
Johnson	96	14	87	Van Buren	62	15	47
Lafayette	166	49	115	Washington	1,242	345	894
Lawrence	245	27	219	White	504	42	457
Lee	277	164	108	Woodruff	155	68	89
				Yell	84	11	74
				State Total	36,724	11,776	25,090

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

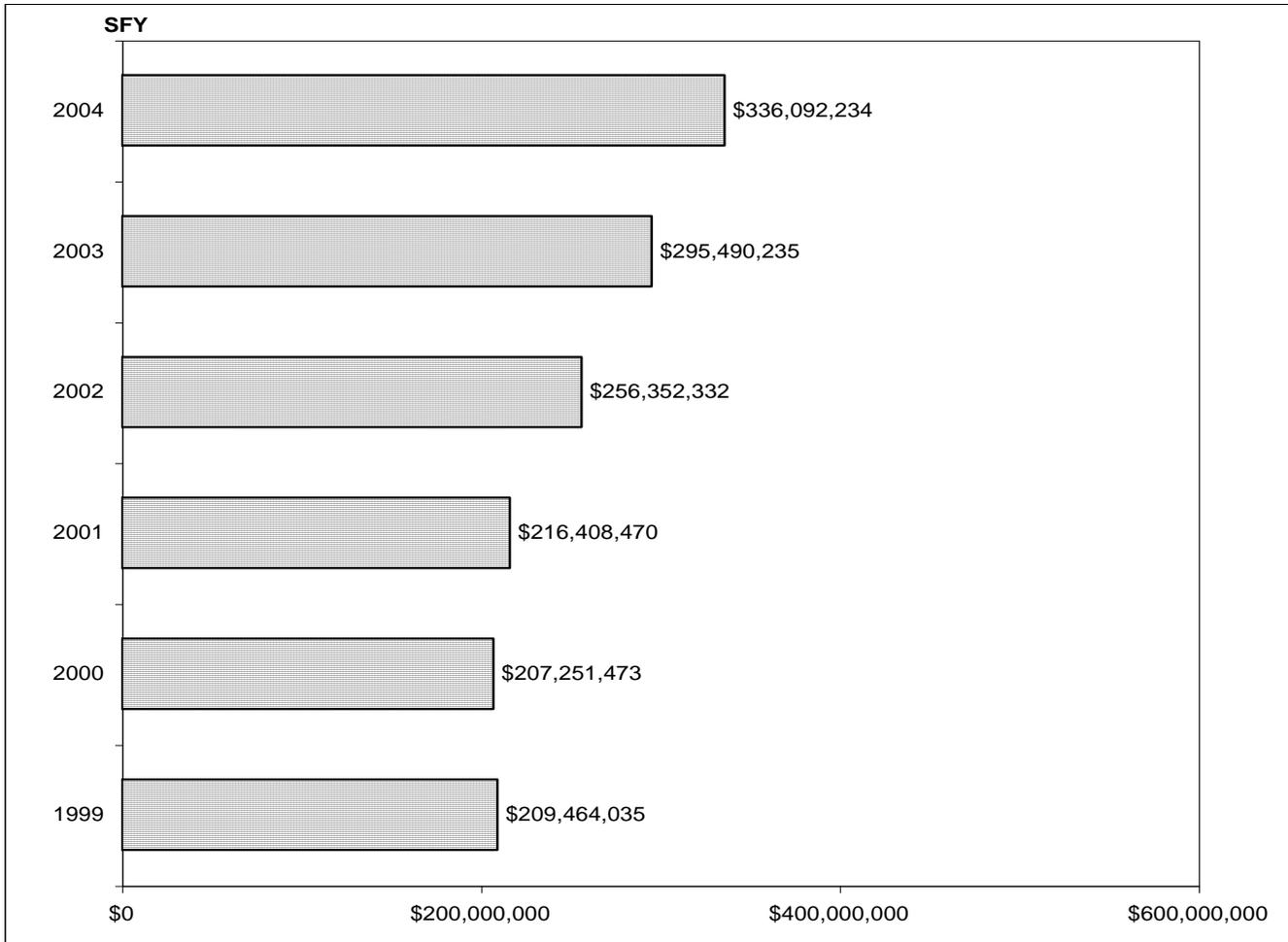
**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
SFY 2004**

County	Unduplicated Cases	Unduplicated Persons*	Total ** Coupons Issued	County	Unduplicated Cases	Unduplicated Persons*	Total ** Coupons Issued
Arkansas	1,882	4,541	\$3,314,553	Lincoln	1,154	3,034	\$2,114,331
Ashley	2,620	6,242	4,519,896	Little River	992	2,460	1,492,330
Baxter	2,107	5,440	3,487,482	Logan	1,892	5,017	3,236,759
Benton	4,944	14,431	8,846,673	Lonoke	2,433	6,962	4,405,915
Boone	2,154	5,552	3,465,466	Madison	884	2,560	1,632,272
Bradley	1,250	2,834	1,821,732	Marion	1,236	3,297	2,086,856
Calhoun	347	817	545,567	Miller	3,916	9,733	6,713,131
Carroll	1,182	3,220	1,817,068	Mississippi	5,407	14,834	10,303,228
Chicot	2,217	5,097	3,705,286	Monroe	1,141	2,732	1,887,639
Clark	1,509	3,411	2,292,106	Montgomery	601	1,525	946,154
Clay	1,119	2,902	1,526,861	Nevada	783	1,967	1,258,366
Cleburne	1,382	3,605	2,110,977	Newton	776	1,967	1,322,946
Cleveland	685	1,689	1,223,196	Ouachita	2,765	6,490	4,541,324
Columbia	2,977	6,805	5,157,516	Perry	621	1,772	1,040,753
Conway	1,784	4,458	2,924,806	Phillips	4,346	11,180	8,672,458
Craighead	5,051	13,736	9,760,473	Pike	600	1,656	1,040,002
Crawford	3,279	9,455	6,023,501	Poinsett	2,893	7,263	5,051,936
Crittenden	6,043	16,455	12,893,832	Polk	1,472	4,197	2,831,036
Cross	1,824	4,639	3,143,083	Pope	3,364	9,047	5,409,644
Dallas	892	2,093	1,343,341	Prairie	610	1,592	992,065
Desha	1,943	4,841	3,577,729	Pulaski-East	3,197	6,705	5,127,316
Drew	2,031	4,631	3,520,476	Pulaski-Jax	3,398	8,830	5,884,550
Faulkner	4,473	11,808	7,866,664	Pulaski-North	5,757	14,061	10,714,141
Franklin	1,275	3,380	2,246,364	Pulaski-South	6,057	13,211	9,989,987
Fulton	1,008	2,538	1,614,465	Pulaski-SW	5,493	14,130	10,275,352
Garland	5,674	13,759	9,516,609	Randolph	1,761	4,365	2,744,683
Grant	790	2,120	1,215,922	Saline	3,169	8,323	5,566,390
Greene	2,871	7,152	4,653,600	Scott	932	2,587	1,548,518
Hempstead	2,066	5,308	3,543,204	Searcy	626	1,593	949,505
Hot Spring	2,146	5,404	3,639,485	Sebastian	7,555	19,385	13,044,691
Howard	898	2,299	1,385,228	Sevier	1,168	3,208	1,946,535
Independence	2,458	6,591	4,018,629	Sharp	1,506	3,908	2,498,054
Izard	963	2,492	1,576,535	St. Francis	3,935	9,908	7,509,969
Jackson	1,855	4,454	3,122,047	Stone	829	2,109	1,271,985
Jefferson	9,910	22,403	18,072,803	Union	4,243	10,034	7,145,582
Johnson	1,695	4,661	2,819,612	Van Buren	1,257	3,263	2,031,551
Lafayette	954	2,270	1,515,743	Washington	6,546	17,820	10,759,845
Lawrence	1,557	4,072	2,499,410	White	3,873	10,325	7,031,794
Lee	1,855	4,318	3,272,815	Woodruff	1,154	2,610	1,751,422
				Yell	1,101	3,058	1,720,464
				State Total			
				193,113	490,641	\$336,092,234	

* Based on household size, which could include household members not eligible for participation in the Food Stamp Program.

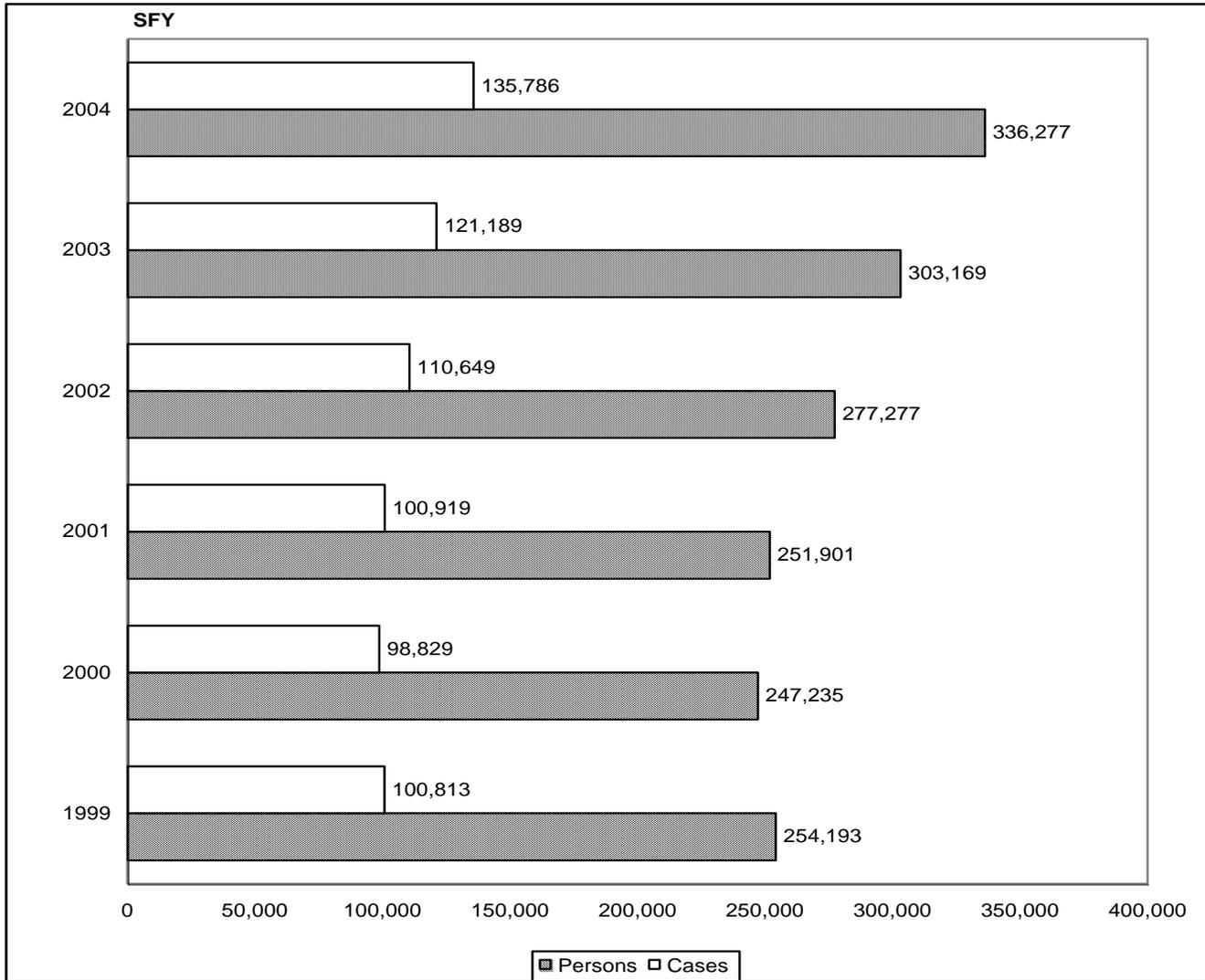
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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
COUPONS ISSUED
SFY 1999 - 2004**



State Fiscal Year	Food Stamp Coupons Issued
1999	\$209,464,035
2000	\$207,251,473
2001	\$216,408,470
2002	\$256,352,332
2003	\$295,490,235
2004	\$336,092,234

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
MONTHLY AVERAGE OF PERSONS AND CASES
SFY 1999 - 2004**



SFY	Persons	Cases
1999	254,193	100,813
2000	247,235	98,829
2001	251,901	100,919
2002	277,277	110,649
2003	303,169	121,189
2004	336,277	135,786

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP RECIPIENTS
BREAKDOWN BY AGE *
SFY 2004**

County	0 - 6	7 - 18	19 - 30	31 - 45	46 - 64	65 & Over	Total Recipients
Arkansas	917	1,186	932	762	485	259	4,541
Ashley	1,122	1,694	1,257	1,183	697	289	6,242
Baxter	1,016	1,366	987	1,093	717	261	5,440
Benton	3,447	4,026	2,829	2,525	1,155	449	14,431
Boone	1,113	1,384	1,090	1,089	585	291	5,552
Bradley	536	714	569	482	347	186	2,834
Calhoun	143	225	156	151	93	49	817
Carroll	738	784	616	554	357	171	3,220
Chicot	821	1,355	1,010	890	663	358	5,097
Clark	648	868	821	527	349	198	3,411
Clay	516	763	486	537	380	220	2,902
Cleburne	632	968	630	724	411	240	3,605
Cleveland	316	437	348	296	189	103	1,689
Columbia	1,225	1,766	1,509	1,226	765	314	6,805
Conway	875	1,065	890	840	530	258	4,458
Craighead	3,179	3,604	2,944	2,338	1,232	439	13,736
Crawford	2,052	2,633	1,796	1,753	872	349	9,455
Crittenden	3,683	5,116	2,975	2,556	1,557	568	16,455
Cross	866	1,295	897	846	488	247	4,639
Dallas	385	539	393	388	274	114	2,093
Desha	957	1,286	983	800	529	286	4,841
Drew	877	1,120	1,122	812	486	214	4,631
Faulkner	2,649	3,047	2,765	2,095	922	330	11,808
Franklin	635	878	597	655	420	195	3,380
Fulton	431	612	454	497	350	194	2,538
Garland	2,821	3,446	2,690	2,665	1,633	504	13,759
Grant	402	554	419	420	219	106	2,120
Greene	1,396	1,752	1,377	1,453	792	382	7,152
Hempstead	1,109	1,453	996	907	573	270	5,308
Hot Spring	1,044	1,406	1,092	1,035	626	201	5,404
Howard	478	600	456	403	237	125	2,299
Independence	1,376	1,587	1,317	1,258	692	361	6,591
Izard	453	614	441	515	317	152	2,492
Jackson	796	1,093	874	823	587	281	4,454
Jefferson	4,622	5,986	4,893	3,809	2,212	881	22,403
Johnson	943	1,150	978	905	485	200	4,661
Lafayette	377	587	398	400	316	192	2,270
Lawrence	703	1,051	703	787	487	341	4,072
Lee	757	1,135	783	706	585	352	4,318

* 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 RECIPIENTS
BREAKDOWN BY AGE *
SFY 2004**

County	0 - 6	7 - 18	19 - 30	31 - 45	46 - 64	65 & Over	Total Recipients
Lincoln	624	815	570	517	328	180	3,034
Little River	496	611	490	430	254	179	2,460
Logan	974	1,288	974	966	551	264	5,017
Lonoke	1,530	1,976	1,329	1,230	609	288	6,962
Madison	544	668	473	460	276	139	2,560
Marion	544	872	524	714	479	164	3,297
Miller	2,021	2,597	2,012	1,740	992	371	9,733
Mississippi	3,201	4,173	2,842	2,379	1,511	728	14,834
Monroe	476	756	483	423	359	235	2,732
Montgomery	252	437	258	293	195	90	1,525
Nevada	411	521	327	331	208	169	1,967
Newton	325	475	337	365	303	162	1,967
Ouachita	1,171	1,695	1,280	1,122	865	357	6,490
Perry	309	474	353	374	194	68	1,772
Phillips	2,277	3,303	2,210	1,595	1,159	636	11,180
Pike	333	423	327	297	175	101	1,656
Poinsett	1,370	1,818	1,310	1,349	908	508	7,263
Polk	788	1,116	832	807	498	156	4,197
Pope	1,837	2,340	1,924	1,753	822	371	9,047
Prairie	325	397	289	279	180	122	1,592
Pulaski-East	1,424	1,709	1,381	1,131	832	228	6,705
Pulaski-Jax	2,118	2,489	1,819	1,487	698	219	8,830
Pulaski-North	3,150	4,151	2,719	2,335	1,334	372	14,061
Pulaski-South	2,713	3,614	2,497	2,536	1,554	297	13,211
Pulaski-SW	3,466	4,215	2,981	2,157	1,047	264	14,130
Randolph	730	1,035	851	881	531	337	4,365
Saline	1,799	2,270	1,566	1,680	786	222	8,323
Scott	539	660	478	499	288	123	2,587
Searcy	254	393	279	305	219	143	1,593
Sebastian	4,334	4,911	3,944	3,676	1,936	584	19,385
Sevier	710	807	659	576	318	138	3,208
Sharp	670	989	709	769	501	270	3,908
St. Francis	2,019	2,746	2,042	1,543	1,074	484	9,908
Stone	395	505	375	399	281	154	2,109
Union	2,006	2,616	2,023	1,836	1,170	383	10,034
Van Buren	580	827	581	668	394	213	3,263
Washington	4,392	4,485	3,777	3,107	1,540	519	17,820
White	2,062	2,621	2,110	1,970	1,071	491	10,325
Woodruff	390	644	482	468	381	245	2,610
Yell	642	785	577	513	354	187	3,058
State Total	101,257	130,372	97,467	87,665	51,789	22,091	490,641

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP RECIPIENTS
BREAKDOWN BY RACE *
SFY 2004**

County	White	Black	Spanish American	AIAN ¹	ASIAN ²	Total Recipients
Arkansas	2,208	2,307	13	4	9	4,541
Ashley	2,776	3,323	122	0	21	6,242
Baxter	5,354	7	30	23	26	5,440
Benton	12,012	109	1,951	181	178	14,431
Boone	5,477	7	28	22	18	5,552
Bradley	1,068	1,526	193	4	43	2,834
Calhoun	393	422	0	0	2	817
Carroll	2,956	1	234	18	11	3,220
Chicot	897	4,095	93	2	10	5,097
Clark	1,679	1,605	114	6	7	3,411
Clay	2,866	5	28	1	2	2,902
Cleburne	3,567	1	19	18	0	3,605
Cleveland	1,173	497	17	0	2	1,689
Columbia	1,847	4,869	55	11	23	6,805
Conway	3,361	1,004	69	14	10	4,458
Craighead	9,278	4,023	358	28	49	13,736
Crawford	8,963	137	245	66	44	9,455
Crittenden	3,062	13,232	114	23	24	16,455
Cross	2,464	2,157	9	0	9	4,639
Dallas	635	1,417	38	0	3	2,093
Desha	1,202	3,529	97	1	12	4,841
Drew	2,299	2,300	17	2	13	4,631
Faulkner	8,252	3,226	260	33	37	11,808
Franklin	3,314	18	31	11	6	3,380
Fulton	2,501	7	5	14	11	2,538
Garland	10,502	2,826	323	63	45	13,759
Grant	2,002	92	21	3	2	2,120
Greene	7,038	26	76	6	6	7,152
Hempstead	1,979	3,027	273	7	22	5,308
Hot Spring	4,280	1,035	57	10	22	5,404
Howard	1,173	969	99	9	49	2,299
Independence	6,144	265	138	5	39	6,591
Izard	2,469	0	20	1	2	2,492
Jackson	3,011	1,347	78	12	6	4,454
Jefferson	4,169	18,123	59	16	36	22,403
Johnson	4,322	118	196	13	12	4,661
Lafayette	769	1,481	12	8	0	2,270
Lawrence	4,024	21	16	9	2	4,072
Lee	844	3,428	38	4	4	4,318

¹ Includes Native American, Alaskan Native, and American Indian. ² Includes Asian, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, Vietnamese, and Oriental.

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP RECIPIENTS
BREAKDOWN BY RACE *
SFY 2004**

County	White	Black	Spanish American	AIAN ¹	ASIAN ²	Total Recipients
Lincoln	1,524	1,433	57	17	3	3,034
Little River	1,518	885	35	14	8	2,460
Logan	4,882	79	35	19	2	5,017
Lonoke	5,633	1,198	73	19	39	6,962
Madison	2,469	1	54	13	23	2,560
Marion	3,241	1	18	28	9	3,297
Miller	4,903	4,726	49	19	36	9,733
Mississippi	5,757	8,744	318	1	14	14,834
Monroe	824	1,890	10	0	8	2,732
Montgomery	1,461	2	58	4	0	1,525
Nevada	941	1,008	17	1	0	1,967
Newton	1,941	0	4	9	13	1,967
Ouachita	2,058	4,398	18	3	13	6,490
Perry	1,740	30	0	0	2	1,772
Phillips	1,656	9,437	71	1	15	11,180
Pike	1,370	102	175	9	0	1,656
Poinsett	6,060	1,004	161	2	36	7,263
Polk	4,055	4	82	51	5	4,197
Pope	8,110	577	263	33	64	9,047
Prairie	988	599	5	0	0	1,592
Pulaski-East	1,333	5,246	71	6	49	6,705
Pulaski-Jax	4,650	3,953	145	11	71	8,830
Pulaski-North	3,047	10,801	133	36	44	14,061
Pulaski-South	1,160	11,913	99	15	24	13,211
Pulaski-SW	2,780	10,940	276	32	102	14,130
Randolph	4,258	54	35	12	6	4,365
Saline	7,686	475	99	10	53	8,323
Scott	2,396	14	164	9	4	2,587
Searcy	1,583	0	5	5	0	1,593
Sebastian	14,495	2,934	1,402	126	428	19,385
Sevier	2,087	241	784	89	7	3,208
Sharp	3,871	19	11	0	7	3,908
St. Francis	2,242	7,593	53	9	11	9,908
Stone	2,080	0	3	23	3	2,109
Union	3,338	6,606	50	6	34	10,034
Van Buren	3,211	21	26	3	2	3,263
Washington	13,838	954	2,061	121	846	17,820
White	9,247	913	103	42	20	10,325
Woodruff	1,304	1,300	3	0	3	2,610
Yell	2,674	80	254	8	42	3,058
State Total	290,741	182,757	12,826	1,454	2,863	490,641

¹ Includes Native American, Alaskan Native, and American Indian. ² Includes Asian, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, Vietnamese, and Oriental.

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
FOOD STAMP APPLICATIONS
SFY 2004**

County	Applications			County	Applications		
	Received	Total Disposals			Received	Total Disposals	
		Approved	Denied			Approved	Denied
Arkansas	2,298	1,824	483	Lincoln	1,419	1,155	249
Ashley	3,109	2,514	609	Little River	1,309	953	363
Baxter	2,566	2,026	536	Logan	2,513	1,940	575
Benton	7,720	4,966	2,811	Lonoke	4,294	2,801	1,517
Boone	2,971	2,115	847	Madison	1,195	956	241
Bradley	1,497	1,197	295	Marion	1,564	1,251	319
Calhoun	543	378	153	Miller	6,044	4,563	1,452
Carroll	1,728	1,177	565	Mississippi	7,627	5,373	2,338
Chicot	2,705	2,245	508	Monroe	1,358	1,072	278
Clark	2,242	1,508	745	Montgomery	872	701	175
Clay	1,494	1,077	423	Nevada	1,071	730	315
Cleburne	1,919	1,385	510	Newton	786	685	103
Cleveland	815	657	168	Ouachita	3,771	2,830	986
Columbia	3,835	2,936	918	Perry	821	641	187
Conway	2,003	1,655	335	Phillips	4,964	4,140	826
Craighead	7,691	5,192	2,563	Pike	777	543	233
Crawford	4,296	3,241	1,073	Poinsett	3,454	2,716	767
Crittenden	7,540	5,806	1,701	Polk	1,781	1,417	354
Cross	2,424	1,763	676	Pope	4,967	3,596	1,352
Dallas	1,083	873	222	Prairie	766	605	168
Desha	2,469	1,889	577	Pulaski-East	4,876	3,128	1,784
Drew	2,658	2,048	617	Pulaski-Jax	6,056	3,601	2,467
Faulkner	7,554	5,011	2,503	Pulaski-North	9,887	6,480	3,468
Franklin	1,619	1,254	362	Pulaski-South	11,147	7,598	3,390
Fulton	1,086	922	166	Pulaski-SW	9,036	5,783	3,148
Garland	9,302	6,460	2,763	Randolph	2,023	1,604	447
Grant	1,045	825	207	Saline	5,049	3,408	1,661
Greene	4,281	3,025	1,309	Scott	1,254	1,018	249
Hempstead	2,892	2,093	773	Searcy	811	666	154
Hot Spring	3,003	2,326	681	Sebastian	11,214	7,966	3,216
Howard	1,479	908	565	Sevier	1,559	1,223	326
Independence	3,272	2,507	771	Sharp	2,120	1,615	508
Izard	1,231	926	307	St. Francis	4,838	3,755	1,089
Jackson	2,289	1,803	462	Stone	1,009	810	204
Jefferson	12,922	9,437	3,530	Union	6,566	5,093	1,509
Johnson	2,213	1,661	568	Van Buren	1,458	1,166	284
Lafayette	1,261	961	296	Washington	11,105	6,597	4,543
Lawrence	2,032	1,480	546	White	5,596	3,871	1,722
Lee	2,130	1,787	337	Woodruff	1,420	1,086	326
				Yell	1,613	1,142	475
				State Total	275,207	198,136	77,249

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
MEDICAID ELIGIBLES
SFY 2004**

County	Medicaid Eligibles	Population	Percent Eligible	County	Medicaid Eligibles	Population	Percent Eligible
Arkansas	5,415	20,158	26.86%	Lincoln	3,675	14,403	25.52%
Ashley	7,021	23,583	29.77%	Little River	3,757	13,358	28.13%
Baxter	7,542	39,113	19.28%	Logan	6,831	22,808	29.95%
Benton	25,149	172,003	14.62%	Lonoke	11,626	56,718	20.50%
Boone	8,623	34,740	24.82%	Madison	3,598	14,354	25.07%
Bradley	3,790	12,414	30.53%	Marion	4,163	16,283	25.57%
Calhoun	1,356	5,626	24.10%	Miller	12,867	41,892	30.71%
Carroll	5,894	26,359	22.36%	Mississippi	17,743	49,041	36.18%
Chicot	5,480	13,485	40.64%	Monroe	3,723	9,633	38.65%
Clark	5,579	23,581	23.66%	Montgomery	2,596	9,120	28.46%
Clay	4,530	16,912	26.79%	Nevada	2,919	9,640	30.28%
Cleburne	5,382	24,723	21.77%	Newton	2,621	8,542	30.68%
Cleveland	2,132	8,709	24.48%	Ouachita	8,285	27,697	29.91%
Columbia	7,705	25,034	30.78%	Perry	2,727	10,461	26.07%
Conway	5,477	20,485	26.74%	Phillips	12,281	24,621	49.88%
Craighead	21,753	84,626	25.70%	Pike	3,002	11,123	26.99%
Crawford	13,226	55,647	23.77%	Poinsett	9,025	25,415	35.51%
Crittenden	18,540	51,155	36.24%	Polk	5,984	20,224	29.59%
Cross	6,113	19,203	31.83%	Pope	14,891	55,185	26.98%
Dallas	2,769	8,708	31.80%	Prairie	2,347	9,344	25.12%
Desha	5,398	14,623	36.91%	Pulaski	82,490	364,567	22.63%
Drew	5,555	18,468	30.08%	Randolph	5,637	18,171	31.02%
Faulkner	17,971	92,060	19.52%	Saline	13,997	28,517	49.08%
Franklin	4,947	18,003	27.48%	Scott	3,425	87,554	3.91%
Fulton	3,500	11,632	30.09%	Searcy	2,706	10,963	24.68%
Garland	20,965	91,188	22.99%	Sebastian	25,876	117,252	22.07%
Grant	3,214	16,933	18.98%	Sevier	4,918	7,973	61.68%
Greene	9,631	38,353	25.11%	Sharp	5,389	15,858	33.98%
Hempstead	7,256	23,429	30.97%	St. Francis	11,469	17,461	65.68%
Hot Spring	7,559	30,674	24.64%	Stone	3,534	11,632	30.38%
Howard	4,118	14,461	28.48%	Union	12,727	44,829	28.39%
Independence	9,597	34,426	27.88%	Van Buren	4,509	16,348	27.58%
Izard	3,467	13,202	26.26%	Washington	28,854	169,683	17.00%
Jackson	5,307	17,443	30.42%	White	16,513	69,981	23.60%
Jefferson	24,252	82,889	29.26%	Woodruff	3,101	8,244	37.62%
Johnson	6,811	23,592	28.87%	Yell	6,029	21,459	28.10%
Lafayette	2,715	8,310	32.67%				
Lawrence	5,835	17,553	33.24%				
Lee	4,618	11,857	38.95%				
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				State Total	682,027	2,725,714	25.02%
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* Eligibles figures for Pulaski South, North, Southwest, East and Jacksonville were combined because there was no population estimate breakdown.

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Arkansas	329	152	0	18	499	390	269	2	111	772
Ashley	310	220	2	33	565	342	556	3	121	1,022
Baxter	575	0	3	32	610	934	4	8	153	1,099
Benton	1,027	1	34	70	1,132	2,105	26	87	468	2,686
Boone	630	1	0	34	665	1,091	3	9	188	1,291
Bradley	179	144	2	12	337	283	299	11	66	659
Calhoun	56	39	0	4	99	78	111	0	19	208
Carroll	334	0	6	20	360	481	4	14	88	587
Chicot	127	340	0	42	509	165	732	4	132	1,033
Clark	262	148	1	25	436	424	248	3	106	781
Clay	418	0	0	26	444	620	13	2	134	769
Cleburne	425	0	0	36	461	576	4	4	93	677
Cleveland	146	25	1	6	178	140	92	0	35	267
Columbia	261	333	0	32	626	301	781	3	172	1,257
Conway	362	89	1	23	475	666	209	2	133	1,010
Craighead	1,091	58	2	68	1,219	2,253	498	12	584	3,347
Crawford	701	9	3	49	762	1,714	40	15	389	2,158
Crittenden	293	531	0	87	911	504	2,132	15	432	3,083
Cross	291	143	0	26	460	406	353	3	126	888
Dallas	117	137	0	6	260	169	290	2	87	548
Desha	160	252	2	24	438	212	456	4	119	791
Drew	220	163	0	26	409	313	264	4	95	676
Faulkner	727	96	2	39	864	1,736	376	8	390	2,510
Franklin	390	2	1	19	412	624	10	10	94	738
Fulton	325	2	1	15	343	480	1	0	72	553
Garland	1,009	147	6	94	1,256	2,284	538	25	531	3,378
Grant	195	19	1	13	228	296	28	2	50	376
Greene	601	0	2	50	653	1,276	7	5	239	1,527
Hempstead	212	233	3	26	474	337	444	4	140	925
Hot Spring	329	62	0	21	412	668	207	2	156	1,033
Howard	235	102	0	17	354	271	162	4	78	515
Independence	685	9	0	42	736	1,233	56	4	232	1,525
Izard	294	0	0	14	308	506	1	0	65	572
Jackson	352	96	0	28	476	658	226	1	132	1,017
Jefferson	485	994	4	104	1,587	820	2,507	11	662	4,000
Johnson	369	4	4	22	399	849	25	9	128	1,011
Lafayette	100	141	0	20	261	116	332	0	97	545
Lawrence	556	6	0	24	586	798	5	4	133	940
Lee	124	281	0	30	435	168	598	1	132	899

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Lincoln	215	117	1	21	354	226	261	4	71	562
Little River	211	98	0	19	328	227	172	4	72	475
Logan	515	1	1	16	533	898	52	4	128	1,082
Lonoke	688	134	2	33	857	974	250	4	205	1,433
Madison	231	0	1	21	253	365	1	5	70	441
Marion	274	1	0	22	297	547	2	1	102	652
Miller	429	211	2	36	678	817	682	6	317	1,822
Mississippi	583	364	3	78	1,028	1,221	1,488	20	672	3,401
Monroe	137	189	0	29	355	173	366	0	81	620
Montgomery	202	0	0	15	217	246	1	1	46	294
Nevada	136	103	0	11	250	254	246	4	68	572
Newton	241	0	0	14	255	415	3	0	55	473
Ouachita	310	355	0	32	697	450	927	2	213	1,592
Perry	164	2	0	13	179	379	5	0	57	441
Phillips	198	548	2	56	804	385	1,628	5	310	2,328
Pike	233	19	1	18	271	251	18	1	53	323
Poinsett	604	68	0	53	725	1,091	199	4	232	1,526
Polk	391	0	4	21	416	572	3	6	108	689
Pope	864	18	1	46	929	1,886	103	27	287	2,303
Prairie	199	53	1	11	264	199	108	1	46	354
Pulaski-East	234	320	4	63	621	642	999	2	279	1,922
Pulaski-Jax	267	57	3	33	360	969	391	11	286	1,657
Pulaski-North	612	364	3	72	1,051	963	1,743	9	605	3,320
Pulaski-South	283	534	5	60	882	886	1,800	23	670	3,379
Pulaski-SW	249	261	6	69	585	871	1,473	15	603	2,962
Randolph	460	2	0	30	492	644	17	2	119	782
Saline	703	30	3	27	763	1,388	196	10	236	1,830
Scott	259	0	2	13	274	421	4	3	73	501
Searcy	269	0	0	19	288	387	2	0	66	455
Sevier	1,107	109	13	174	1,403	2,891	517	63	752	4,223
Sebastian	247	30	5	9	291	302	43	13	64	422
Sharp	446	3	0	19	468	735	5	3	139	882
St. Francis	232	430	3	55	720	487	1,355	8	279	2,129
Stone	239	0	1	26	266	529	1	7	82	619
Union	523	452	2	42	1,019	688	1,445	8	282	2,423
Van Buren	384	2	0	17	403	504	3	0	84	591
Washington	1,163	16	26	109	1,314	3,081	105	75	692	3,953
White	1,050	42	2	77	1,171	1,885	123	12	322	2,342
Woodruff	204	131	0	24	359	268	251	0	56	575
Yell	490	7	4	32	533	712	23	20	129	884
State Total	31,548	10,050	182	2,812	44,592	58,116	29,918	680	16,193	104,907

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County	Aid to the Blind					ARKids				
	White	Black	Span Amer	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Span Amer	Other or Unknown	Total
Arkansas	4	6	0	1	11	1,253	923	18	7	2,201
Ashley	4	3	0	0	7	1,410	1,190	157	17	2,774
Baxter	9	0	0	3	12	3,182	5	26	40	3,253
Benton	19	0	2	5	26	9,640	120	4,177	532	14,469
Boone	8	0	0	0	8	3,566	7	25	42	3,640
Bradley	1	6	0	1	8	635	633	208	45	1,521
Calhoun	1	1	0	0	2	328	190	11	5	534
Carroll	4	0	0	1	5	2,451	6	611	32	3,100
Chicot	3	7	0	1	11	405	1,337	107	12	1,861
Clark	7	3	0	1	11	1,180	744	155	30	2,109
Clay	9	0	0	1	10	1,896	4	29	7	1,936
Cleburne	7	0	0	0	7	2,455	5	31	20	2,511
Cleveland	2	2	0	1	5	680	174	9	10	873
Columbia	2	9	0	1	12	877	1,639	35	33	2,584
Conway	5	2	0	0	7	1,744	392	92	25	2,253
Craighead	24	9	1	3	37	6,465	1,852	432	120	8,869
Crawford	12	1	0	1	14	5,614	100	399	126	6,239
Crittenden	5	22	0	1	28	1,756	5,711	68	39	7,574
Cross	3	6	0	1	10	1,661	1,029	10	18	2,718
Dallas	0	2	0	1	3	341	659	14	15	1,029
Desha	4	2	0	2	8	661	1,450	104	49	2,264
Drew	2	1	0	1	4	1,108	936	40	40	2,124
Faulkner	23	4	1	3	31	5,991	1,481	291	189	7,952
Franklin	6	0	0	0	6	2,048	7	15	45	2,115
Fulton	3	0	0	0	3	1,314	15	3	10	1,342
Garland	16	4	0	1	21	7,245	1,387	443	189	9,264
Grant	2	0	0	0	2	1,416	49	26	6	1,497
Greene	11	0	0	0	11	3,855	17	56	26	3,954
Hempstead	2	5	4	1	12	1,117	1,229	537	50	2,933
Hot Spring	9	0	0	0	9	2,908	518	96	18	3,540
Howard	0	3	0	1	4	950	477	218	19	1,664
Independence	8	3	0	2	13	3,391	139	178	43	3,751
Izard	4	0	0	1	5	1,363	5	6	5	1,379
Jackson	3	1	0	0	4	1,491	440	52	20	2,003
Jefferson	11	25	0	6	42	2,035	6,561	54	106	8,756
Johnson	5	0	0	0	5	2,677	67	440	54	3,238
Lafayette	1	5	0	2	8	390	497	17	6	910
Lawrence	3	0	0	0	3	2,308	15	12	15	2,350
Lee	0	5	0	2	7	474	1,124	12	14	1,624

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Lincoln	2	4	0	1	7	790	573	54	13	1,430
Little River	2	2	0	1	5	967	418	35	20	1,440
Logan	7	0	0	1	8	2,515	36	44	92	2,687
Lonoke	13	4	0	5	22	4,812	673	128	99	5,712
Madison	6	0	0	1	7	1,691	2	70	42	1,805
Marion	6	0	0	0	6	1,689	1	17	21	1,728
Miller	4	7	1	0	12	2,708	1,803	86	40	4,637
Mississippi	13	17	0	4	34	2,937	3,187	241	42	6,407
Monroe	0	3	0	0	3	616	855	11	12	1,494
Montgomery	2	0	0	1	3	1,198	2	66	8	1,274
Nevada	2	2	0	1	5	580	433	25	6	1,044
Newton	4	0	0	0	4	1,069	5	6	10	1,090
Ouachita	3	9	0	2	14	1,167	1,606	16	34	2,823
Perry	1	0	0	0	1	1,218	18	10	1	1,247
Phillips	2	17	0	4	23	893	3,561	20	28	4,502
Pike	5	0	0	0	5	1,172	51	186	7	1,416
Poinsett	7	2	0	1	10	2,881	366	129	26	3,402
Polk	7	0	0	3	10	2,731	3	156	39	2,929
Pope	21	0	0	1	22	5,372	300	353	157	6,182
Prairie	3	0	0	0	3	670	274	3	7	954
Pulaski-East	8	17	0	2	27	1,186	2,818	139	222	4,365
Pulaski-Jax	14	2	0	2	18	3,454	2,113	153	250	5,970
Pulaski-North	12	16	1	3	32	2,090	4,862	245	219	7,416
Pulaski-South	29	26	0	14	69	598	5,192	273	149	6,212
Pulaski-SW	13	25	0	6	44	2,153	5,987	625	468	9,233
Randolph	4	0	0	0	4	2,350	31	36	18	2,435
Saline	21	0	0	4	25	6,023	338	191	130	6,682
Scott	5	0	0	1	6	1,397	9	142	22	1,570
Searcy	2	0	0	0	2	1,186	0	10	6	1,202
Sevier	28	3	0	3	34	7,461	1,384	2,371	483	11,699
Sebastian	1	0	1	1	3	1,241	146	1,163	67	2,617
Sharp	5	0	0	0	5	2,108	12	8	4	2,132
St. Francis	10	10	0	6	26	1,225	2,758	29	29	4,041
Stone	4	0	1	0	5	1,539	0	9	10	1,558
Union	5	9	0	2	16	1,947	2,745	74	104	4,870
Van Buren	6	0	0	0	6	1,990	18	26	15	2,049
Washington	25	1	1	9	36	9,956	589	4,108	771	15,424
White	15	0	0	2	17	6,907	493	255	78	7,733
Woodruff	1	3	0	0	4	726	454	2	3	1,185
Yell	9	0	0	0	9	1,917	57	815	77	2,866
State Total	569	316	13	126	1,024	185,411	77,307	21,544	5,908	290,170

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Arkansas	524	347	8	8	887	167	112	0	0	279
Ashley	677	424	27	3	1,131	181	167	1	3	352
Baxter	1,372	3	4	6	1,385	388	2	5	2	397
Benton	2,763	22	236	47	3,068	881	12	32	21	946
Boone	1,438	0	3	8	1,449	412	0	1	3	416
Bradley	231	215	31	7	484	128	141	2	3	274
Calhoun	151	89	2	2	244	46	40	0	0	86
Carroll	870	0	63	5	938	267	1	1	6	275
Chicot	304	463	12	8	787	64	208	0	0	272
Clark	937	523	20	16	1,496	133	101	0	6	240
Clay	612	1	3	2	618	231	3	0	6	240
Cleburne	862	0	1	1	864	237	0	0	2	239
Cleveland	256	100	1	1	358	109	17	0	0	126
Columbia	836	831	2	23	1,692	147	324	0	3	474
Conway	581	144	15	4	744	216	57	3	3	279
Craighead	3,060	892	50	61	4,063	667	160	6	9	842
Crawford	1,709	24	38	34	1,805	593	20	6	7	626
Crittenden	733	1,629	25	16	2,403	159	437	3	2	601
Cross	581	275	1	8	865	132	86	0	0	218
Dallas	160	269	1	5	435	50	77	0	0	127
Desha	252	409	19	7	687	93	147	1	3	244
Drew	706	351	10	7	1,074	196	129	4	2	331
Faulkner	2,615	797	35	66	3,513	542	153	5	14	714
Franklin	825	42	3	19	889	232	3	5	3	243
Fulton	593	1	0	6	600	199	1	0	0	200
Garland	2,498	422	49	23	2,992	916	240	9	19	1,184
Grant	624	14	5	1	644	173	13	0	0	186
Greene	1,441	2	5	4	1,452	535	8	7	8	558
Hempstead	771	685	62	17	1,535	178	233	7	3	421
Hot Spring	1,078	205	4	1	1,288	307	56	0	8	371
Howard	607	344	30	12	993	92	72	0	2	166
Independence	1,641	36	25	21	1,723	480	24	3	7	514
Izard	532	0	6	1	539	195	0	0	0	195
Jackson	453	103	9	4	569	213	78	0	2	293
Jefferson	708	2,684	12	20	3,424	315	819	6	5	1,145
Johnson	1,062	12	33	9	1,116	244	3	2	1	250
Lafayette	197	246	0	4	447	91	101	0	2	194
Lawrence	830	6	1	9	846	302	2	0	4	308
Lee	171	312	6	5	494	46	137	3	0	186

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Lincoln	274	178	5	6	463	116	67	0	1	184
Little River	593	283	14	14	904	162	54	0	2	218
Logan	1,134	11	3	15	1,163	420	14	3	5	442
Lonoke	1,477	233	22	25	1,757	345	72	1	1	419
Madison	495	1	5	4	505	200	2	0	3	205
Marion	701	1	2	5	709	234	1	1	4	240
Miller	1,850	974	21	20	2,865	322	343	3	5	673
Mississippi	1,372	1,139	56	24	2,591	304	411	9	8	732
Monroe	264	302	2	5	573	68	74	0	0	142
Montgomery	445	0	4	3	452	121	1	0	1	123
Nevada	318	252	2	1	573	78	49	0	1	128
Newton	347	0	0	1	348	155	1	0	0	156
Ouachita	607	712	4	15	1,338	177	337	1	3	518
Perry	437	3	4	1	445	137	7	0	0	144
Phillips	367	845	3	10	1,225	143	421	0	10	574
Pike	544	29	10	0	583	101	5	0	5	111
Poinsett	1,111	118	15	10	1,254	410	78	5	6	499
Polk	994	0	14	17	1,025	244	2	3	2	251
Pope	2,879	117	48	36	3,080	570	27	5	6	608
Prairie	308	110	2	3	423	95	24	0	1	120
Pulaski-East	619	818	14	56	1,507	199	492	1	11	703
Pulaski-Jax	1,420	590	19	96	2,125	403	383	3	21	810
Pulaski-North	582	1,081	36	26	1,725	420	1,028	5	20	1,473
Pulaski-South	194	1,512	14	24	1,744	438	1,186	10	22	1,656
Pulaski-SW	606	1,805	36	42	2,489	257	844	5	18	1,124
Randolph	948	5	2	5	960	298	3	6	2	309
Saline	2,145	66	12	15	2,238	568	43	0	8	619
Scott	456	0	18	0	474	195	0	0	1	196
Searcy	389	0	0	0	389	135	0	1	1	137
Sevier	2,948	425	113	139	3,625	925	164	29	40	1,158
Sebastian	651	41	122	15	829	117	9	2	4	132
Sharp	740	3	2	3	748	358	3	0	1	362
St. Francis	490	822	9	3	1,324	169	468	7	2	646
Stone	596	0	0	3	599	159	3	0	1	163
Union	688	781	18	22	1,509	255	462	4	4	725
Van Buren	684	2	3	3	692	308	1	3	3	315
Washington	2,766	180	203	79	3,228	1,032	64	32	28	1,156
White	2,757	155	25	18	2,955	601	44	4	12	661
Woodruff	301	114	1	1	417	91	65	0	0	156
Yell	806	15	50	10	881	257	6	6	3	272
State Total	73,564	26,645	1,790	1,276	103,275	22,144	11,442	261	425	34,272

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County	Pregnant Women					TEA				
	White	Black	Span Amer	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Span Amer	Other or Unknown	Total
Arkansas	239	170	6	5	420	162	184	0	0	346
Ashley	251	180	23	1	455	224	483	6	1	714
Baxter	518	0	2	2	522	254	4	2	4	264
Benton	1,685	13	441	119	2,258	492	0	43	29	564
Boone	567	0	2	7	576	553	4	7	13	577
Bradley	140	65	18	9	232	75	179	15	6	275
Calhoun	62	31	1	0	94	17	72	0	0	89
Carroll	399	1	64	41	505	122	0	2	0	124
Chicot	47	123	7	1	178	92	734	2	1	829
Clark	195	94	18	3	310	92	101	2	1	196
Clay	276	0	1	0	277	222	2	8	2	234
Cleburne	437	0	8	6	451	170	0	2	0	172
Cleveland	71	20	1	3	95	137	89	2	2	230
Columbia	156	155	2	8	321	127	594	13	5	739
Conway	375	58	14	6	453	177	72	3	4	256
Craighead	1,127	288	66	20	1,501	1,038	795	33	9	1,875
Crawford	942	13	49	69	1,073	514	12	12	9	547
Crittenden	452	871	25	5	1,353	272	2,307	6	2	2,587
Cross	272	218	0	12	502	152	298	1	1	452
Dallas	65	87	3	4	159	52	153	1	2	208
Desha	143	260	22	2	427	83	450	4	2	539
Drew	222	170	4	4	400	232	303	0	1	536
Faulkner	1,008	229	30	165	1,432	545	350	41	19	955
Franklin	353	3	2	6	364	172	4	4	0	180
Fulton	154	0	3	0	157	291	4	1	6	302
Garland	1,395	169	64	17	1,645	668	518	22	15	1,223
Grant	140	2	0	2	144	123	13	0	1	137
Greene	750	2	8	1	761	681	18	16	0	715
Hempstead	234	225	69	9	537	100	296	17	5	418
Hot Spring	468	72	10	2	552	239	107	5	3	354
Howard	181	98	18	9	306	64	49	2	0	115
Independence	714	30	18	8	770	482	60	17	6	565
Izard	225	1	0	1	227	239	0	1	2	242
Jackson	242	67	4	3	316	316	293	8	7	624
Jefferson	412	1,139	19	19	1,589	442	3,253	1	13	3,709
Johnson	475	18	65	7	565	215	6	4	2	227
Lafayette	65	57	3	1	126	46	177	0	0	223
Lawrence	392	1	0	20	413	383	2	2	1	388
Lee	65	110	0	0	175	78	714	4	2	798

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County	Pregnant Women					TEA				
	White	Black	Span Amer	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Span Amer	Other or Unknown	Total
Lincoln	176	100	9	4	289	130	251	0	5	386
Little River	182	63	7	2	254	56	70	1	6	133
Logan	374	5	8	8	395	502	7	7	4	520
Lonoke	646	72	18	289	1,025	292	103	2	4	401
Madison	212	4	4	7	227	151	1	3	0	155
Marion	224	0	2	3	229	291	2	0	7	300
Miller	574	284	16	16	890	499	765	9	6	1,279
Mississippi	590	552	60	14	1,216	541	1,739	49	3	2,332
Monroe	99	107	1	4	211	70	252	2	0	324
Montgomery	152	2	6	1	161	67	1	4	0	72
Nevada	139	83	3	0	225	41	80	1	0	122
Newton	163	0	0	2	165	128	0	0	2	130
Ouachita	195	242	2	3	442	173	666	6	16	861
Perry	166	3	3	1	173	91	5	1	0	97
Phillips	161	369	5	4	539	187	2,085	12	2	2,286
Pike	165	12	21	0	198	85	8	1	1	95
Poinsett	443	48	15	2	508	839	243	14	4	1,100
Polk	410	2	28	11	451	211	0	0	1	212
Pope	658	38	79	523	1,298	391	64	10	3	468
Prairie	114	28	0	1	143	44	42	0	0	86
Pulaski-East	267	381	21	45	714	210	1,374	8	16	1,608
Pulaski-Jax	838	344	12	40	1,234	372	615	9	7	1,003
Pulaski-North	477	755	31	49	1,312	490	2,318	18	17	2,843
Pulaski-South	156	767	37	37	997	165	2,463	7	25	2,660
Pulaski-SW	377	808	58	75	1,318	516	2,687	60	30	3,293
Randolph	401	1	0	5	407	233	8	5	2	248
Saline	1,086	37	15	15	1,153	612	59	6	9	686
Scott	181	0	28	0	209	181	0	12	0	193
Searcy	148	0	3	1	152	80	1	0	0	81
Sevier	1,745	142	259	76	2,222	979	436	55	41	1,511
Sebastian	230	11	131	18	390	195	12	24	3	234
Sharp	323	6	0	1	330	453	3	5	0	461
St. Francis	213	376	7	3	599	298	1,664	15	2	1,979
Stone	237	0	3	0	240	83	0	0	0	83
Union	381	454	19	32	886	316	946	12	5	1,279
Van Buren	296	0	0	2	298	141	8	4	2	155
Washington	1,891	81	501	103	2,576	889	104	131	27	1,151
White	1,046	63	50	62	1,221	344	65	2	2	413
Woodruff	82	25	0	0	107	92	206	0	0	298
Yell	332	17	93	30	472	97	5	6	4	112
State Total	32,464	11,322	2,645	2,086	48,517	21,878	32,058	810	432	55,178

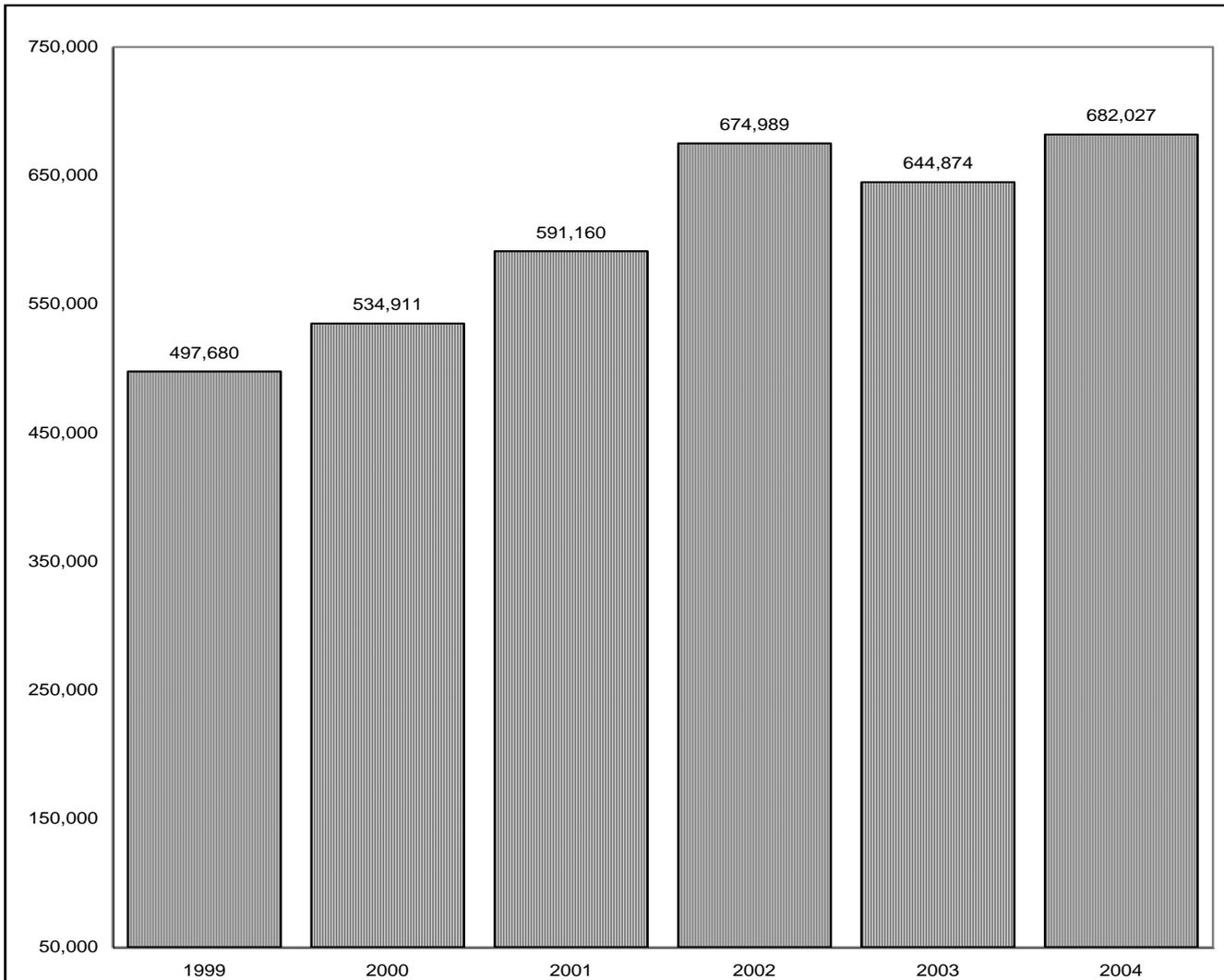
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County	U-18					Total				
	White	Black	Span Amer	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Span Amer	Other or Unknown	Total
Arkansas	0	0	0	0	0	3,068	2,163	34	150	5,415
Ashley	1	0	0	0	1	3,400	3,223	219	179	7,021
Baxter	0	0	0	0	0	7,232	18	50	242	7,542
Benton	0	0	0	0	0	18,612	194	5,052	1,291	25,149
Boone	1	0	0	0	1	8,266	15	47	295	8,623
Bradley	0	0	0	0	0	1,672	1,682	287	149	3,790
Calhoun	0	0	0	0	0	739	573	14	30	1,356
Carroll	0	0	0	0	0	4,928	12	761	193	5,894
Chicot	0	0	0	0	0	1,207	3,944	132	197	5,480
Clark	0	0	0	0	0	3,230	1,962	199	188	5,579
Clay	2	0	0	0	2	4,286	23	43	178	4,530
Cleburne	0	0	0	0	0	5,169	9	46	158	5,382
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	1,541	519	14	58	2,132
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	2,707	4,666	55	277	7,705
Conway	0	0	0	0	0	4,126	1,023	130	198	5,477
Craighead	0	0	0	0	0	15,725	4,552	602	874	21,753
Crawford	2	0	0	0	2	11,801	219	522	684	13,226
Crittenden	0	0	0	0	0	4,174	13,640	142	584	18,540
Cross	0	0	0	0	0	3,498	2,408	15	192	6,113
Dallas	0	0	0	0	0	954	1,674	21	120	2,769
Desha	0	0	0	0	0	1,608	3,426	156	208	5,398
Drew	0	1	0	0	1	2,999	2,318	62	176	5,555
Faulkner	0	0	0	0	0	13,187	3,486	413	885	17,971
Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	4,650	71	40	186	4,947
Fulton	0	0	0	0	0	3,359	24	8	109	3,500
Garland	2	0	0	0	2	16,033	3,425	618	889	20,965
Grant	0	0	0	0	0	2,969	138	34	73	3,214
Greene	0	0	0	0	0	9,150	54	99	328	9,631
Hempstead	0	1	0	0	1	2,951	3,351	703	251	7,256
Hot Spring	0	0	0	0	0	6,006	1,227	117	209	7,559
Howard	0	1	0	0	1	2,400	1,308	272	138	4,118
Independence	0	0	0	0	0	8,634	357	245	361	9,597
Izard	0	0	0	0	0	3,358	7	13	89	3,467
Jackson	5	0	0	0	5	3,733	1,304	74	196	5,307
Jefferson	0	0	0	0	0	5,228	17,982	107	935	24,252
Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	5,896	135	557	223	6,811
Lafayette	1	0	0	0	1	1,007	1,556	20	132	2,715
Lawrence	1	0	0	0	1	5,573	37	19	206	5,835
Lee	0	0	0	0	0	1,126	3,281	26	185	4,618

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County	U-18					Total				
	White	Black	Span Amer	Other or Unknown	Total	White	Black	Span Amer	Other or Unknown	Total
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	0	1,929	1,551	73	122	3,675
Little River	0	0	0	0	0	2,400	1,160	61	136	3,757
Logan	1	0	0	0	1	6,366	126	70	269	6,831
Lonoke	0	0	0	0	0	9,247	1,541	177	661	11,626
Madison	0	0	0	0	0	3,351	11	88	148	3,598
Marion	2	0	0	0	2	3,968	8	23	164	4,163
Miller	11	0	0	0	11	7,214	5,069	144	440	12,867
Mississippi	2	0	0	0	2	7,563	8,897	438	845	17,743
Monroe	0	1	0	0	1	1,427	2,149	16	131	3,723
Montgomery	0	0	0	0	0	2,433	7	81	75	2,596
Nevada	0	0	0	0	0	1,548	1,248	35	88	2,919
Newton	0	0	0	0	0	2,522	9	6	84	2,621
Ouachita	0	0	0	0	0	3,082	4,854	31	318	8,285
Perry	0	0	0	0	0	2,593	43	18	73	2,727
Phillips	0	0	0	0	0	2,336	9,474	47	424	12,281
Pike	0	0	0	0	0	2,556	142	220	84	3,002
Poinsett	1	0	0	0	1	7,387	1,122	182	334	9,025
Polk	1	0	0	0	1	5,561	10	211	202	5,984
Pope	1	0	0	0	1	12,642	667	523	1,059	14,891
Prairie	0	0	0	0	0	1,632	639	7	69	2,347
Pulaski-East	0	0	0	0	0	3,365	7,219	189	694	11,467
Pulaski-Jax	0	1	0	0	1	7,737	4,496	210	735	13,178
Pulaski-North	13	3	0	0	16	5,659	12,170	348	1,011	19,188
Pulaski-South	2	0	0	0	2	2,751	13,480	369	1,001	17,601
Pulaski-SW	7	1	0	0	8	5,049	13,891	805	1,311	21,056
Randolph	0	0	0	0	0	5,338	67	51	181	5,637
Saline	1	0	0	0	1	12,547	769	237	444	13,997
Scott	2	0	0	0	2	3,097	13	205	110	3,425
Searcy	0	0	0	0	0	2,596	3	14	93	2,706
Sevier	1	0	0	0	1	18,085	3,180	2,903	1,708	25,876
Sebastian	0	0	0	0	0	2,984	292	1,461	181	4,918
Sharp	1	0	0	0	1	5,169	35	18	167	5,389
St. Francis	2	3	0	0	5	3,126	7,886	78	379	11,469
Stone	1	0	0	0	1	3,387	4	21	122	3,534
Union	0	0	0	0	0	4,803	7,294	137	493	12,727
Van Buren	0	0	0	0	0	4,313	34	36	126	4,509
Washington	14	1	0	1	16	20,817	1,141	5,077	1,819	28,854
White	0	0	0	0	0	14,605	985	350	573	16,513
Woodruff	0	0	0	0	0	1,765	1,249	3	84	3,101
Yell	0	0	0	0	0	4,620	130	994	285	6,029
State Total	78	13	0	1	92	425,772	199,071	27,925	29,259	682,027

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID ELIGIBLES
 SFY 1999 - 2004**



State Fiscal Year	Medicaid Eligibles
1999	497,680
2000	534,911
2001	591,160
2002	674,989
2003	644,874
2004	682,027

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
APPLICATIONS FOR MEDICAID
EXCLUDING LONG-TERM CARE
SFY 2004**

County	Applications		Total Disposals		County	Applications		Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied	Received		Approved	Denied		
Arkansas	1,663	1,175	484	Lincoln	1,044	674	367		
Ashley	1,942	1,289	681	Little River	1,019	613	406		
Baxter	2,499	1,370	1,187	Logan	2,054	1,184	908		
Benton	8,964	4,489	4,673	Lonoke	4,271	2,096	2,151		
Boone	2,601	1,216	1,443	Madison	1,153	663	472		
Bradley	1,125	722	394	Marion	1,600	731	848		
Calhoun	476	264	213	Miller	3,709	1,913	1,837		
Carroll	1,926	1,088	850	Mississippi	6,088	2,867	3,246		
Chicot	1,627	821	830	Monroe	985	567	401		
Clark	1,689	879	830	Montgomery	749	423	323		
Clay	1,687	859	771	Nevada	1,159	639	512		
Cleburne	2,210	1,170	1,026	Newton	655	414	246		
Cleveland	620	384	224	Ouachita	2,200	1,240	951		
Columbia	2,287	995	1,265	Perry	627	424	204		
Conway	1,496	1,015	473	Phillips	3,229	1,823	1,423		
Craighead	6,219	3,505	2,707	Pike	745	443	308		
Crawford	4,717	2,416	2,274	Poinsett	2,907	1,627	1,314		
Crittenden	4,953	2,758	2,227	Polk	1,745	1,120	610		
Cross	1,822	1,139	699	Pope	4,900	2,820	2,103		
Dallas	924	475	457	Prairie	816	494	321		
Desha	1,895	891	1,011	Pulaski-East	3,726	1,819	1,988		
Drew	1,685	1,047	632	Pulaski-Jax	4,778	2,408	2,321		
Faulkner	5,884	3,054	2,762	Pulaski-North	6,265	3,049	3,277		
Franklin	1,493	852	673	Pulaski-South	4,797	2,577	2,184		
Fulton	857	564	295	Pulaski-SW	4,847	2,896	1,615		
Garland	7,873	3,830	4,143	Randolph	2,313	1,246	1,078		
Grant	945	624	304	Saline	6,448	3,567	2,920		
Greene	3,560	1,955	1,617	Scott	871	519	354		
Hempstead	2,688	1,286	1,342	Searcy	650	426	233		
Hot Spring	3,025	1,652	1,353	Sebastian	9,977	4,793	5,170		
Howard	1,456	667	778	Sevier	1,784	855	902		
Independence	3,334	1,926	1,464	Sharp	1,769	1,063	697		
Izard	1,000	614	403	St. Francis	2,257	1,479	757		
Jackson	1,988	1,038	933	Stone	1,120	676	456		
Jefferson	6,788	3,332	3,304	Union	4,436	2,309	2,164		
Johnson	2,292	1,431	842	Van Buren	1,261	822	426		
Lafayette	833	448	377	Washington	11,290	5,493	5,771		
Lawrence	2,120	981	1,139	White	6,956	3,057	3,735		
Lee	1,124	672	462	Woodruff	1,053	569	471		
				Yell	1,839	1,108	708		
State Total					222,379	118,399	103,720		

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

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SFY 2004**

County	Aid to the Aged			Aid to the Blind			Aid to the Disabled			Total		
	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	De- nied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	De- nied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	De- nied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	De- nied
Arkansas	131	77	56	0	0	0	39	18	21	170	95	77
Ashley	155	95	65	0	0	0	54	25	32	209	120	97
Baxter	219	120	104	0	0	0	60	31	26	279	151	130
Benton	334	155	169	0	0	0	147	89	54	481	244	223
Boone	222	108	116	0	0	0	73	46	28	295	154	144
Bradley	122	61	70	1	1	0	67	33	34	190	95	104
Calhoun	15	5	14	0	0	0	7	4	3	22	9	17
Carroll	101	49	47	0	0	0	37	21	18	138	70	65
Chicot	113	42	76	0	0	0	53	19	32	166	61	108
Clark	218	77	132	2	0	1	82	37	43	302	114	176
Clay	155	74	85	0	0	0	31	18	14	186	92	99
Cleburne	176	58	119	0	0	0	48	24	25	224	82	144
Cleveland	52	27	27	0	0	0	18	7	9	70	34	36
Columbia	185	74	105	2	1	1	59	36	24	246	111	130
Conway	192	92	91	1	1	0	88	51	33	281	144	124
Craighead	396	178	198	2	2	0	161	65	86	559	245	284
Crawford	305	155	155	1	0	1	136	55	80	442	210	236
Crittenden	238	91	143	9	0	9	138	52	83	385	143	235
Cross	181	83	101	0	0	0	64	31	38	245	114	139
Dallas	81	48	36	0	0	0	89	46	42	170	94	78
Desha	99	51	45	0	0	0	21	15	2	120	66	47
Drew	101	70	40	0	0	0	40	17	21	141	87	61
Faulkner	226	146	80	1	1	0	106	57	48	333	204	128
Franklin	115	59	52	0	0	0	43	19	21	158	78	73
Fulton	116	57	57	0	0	0	28	16	11	144	73	68
Garland	442	231	218	1	0	1	170	102	70	613	333	289
Grant	64	33	31	0	0	0	17	12	5	81	45	36
Greene	209	88	117	2	1	1	71	38	31	282	127	149
Hempstead	100	38	59	0	0	0	56	28	27	156	66	86
Hot Spring	91	44	46	0	0	0	29	22	8	120	66	54
Howard	111	56	59	0	0	0	32	18	12	143	74	71
Independence	246	119	148	0	0	0	100	56	38	346	175	186
Izard	106	50	51	1	1	0	71	36	27	178	87	78
Jackson	104	59	48	0	0	0	35	19	15	139	78	63
Jefferson	541	179	326	5	3	2	222	85	113	768	267	441
Johnson	145	67	80	0	0	0	66	39	23	211	106	103
Lafayette	59	24	39	1	0	1	31	10	20	91	34	60
Lawrence	211	93	128	0	0	0	42	20	26	253	113	154
Lee	114	59	61	0	0	0	43	15	27	157	74	88

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

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SFY 2004**

County	Aid to the Aged			Aid to the Blind			Aid to the Disabled			Total		
	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	De- nied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	De- nied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	De- nied	Re- ceived	Ap- proved	De- nied
Lincoln	66	37	26	1	1	0	28	13	15	95	51	41
Little River	76	46	33	0	0	0	19	9	12	95	55	45
Logan	183	100	100	0	0	0	62	33	35	245	133	135
Lonoke	219	144	69	0	0	0	83	53	29	302	197	98
Madison	45	21	22	0	0	0	24	9	13	69	30	35
Marion	128	63	67	0	0	0	43	26	15	171	89	82
Miller	153	84	93	0	0	0	88	48	38	241	132	131
Mississippi	296	125	160	1	1	0	132	72	63	429	198	223
Monroe	92	52	41	0	0	0	24	7	20	116	59	61
Montgomery	58	26	31	0	0	0	10	5	6	68	31	37
Nevada	64	34	27	0	0	0	46	27	18	110	61	45
Newton	42	24	18	0	0	0	28	16	13	70	40	31
Ouachita	243	113	118	0	0	0	45	17	24	288	130	142
Perry	34	21	14	0	0	0	12	9	4	46	30	18
Phillips	194	72	123	0	0	0	118	48	59	312	120	182
Pike	100	44	49	0	0	0	18	9	9	118	53	58
Poinsett	143	57	91	2	2	0	93	46	39	238	105	130
Polk	132	61	68	0	0	0	35	17	15	167	78	83
Pope	296	149	142	0	0	0	123	74	50	419	223	192
Prairie	86	40	42	0	0	0	23	14	9	109	54	51
Pulaski-East	227	105	116	0	0	0	123	70	50	350	175	166
Pulaski-Jax	82	39	39	1	1	0	79	48	28	162	88	67
Pulaski-North	247	159	84	1	1	0	119	62	46	367	222	130
Pulaski-South	244	137	97	3	3	0	206	114	87	453	254	184
Pulaski-SW	159	84	64	0	0	0	165	83	72	324	167	136
Randolph	146	77	66	0	0	0	34	18	15	180	95	81
Saline	284	128	164	1	0	1	171	73	100	456	201	265
Scott	94	39	46	0	0	0	17	8	7	111	47	53
Searcy	47	26	19	1	0	1	16	11	5	64	37	25
Sebastian	570	283	301	0	0	0	275	127	146	845	410	447
Sevier	48	30	14	1	0	1	28	11	12	77	41	27
Sharp	115	57	51	0	0	0	39	18	22	154	75	73
St. Francis	148	63	73	1	0	1	67	27	37	216	90	111
Stone	81	35	39	0	0	0	39	27	14	120	62	53
Union	327	163	169	0	0	0	117	51	61	444	214	230
Van Buren	85	60	28	0	0	0	41	24	16	126	84	44
Washington	317	185	119	0	0	0	150	78	51	467	263	170
White	391	172	221	1	0	0	126	58	57	518	230	278
Woodruff	90	40	48	0	0	0	20	14	11	110	54	59
Yell	170	122	54	1	2	0	44	22	23	215	146	77
State Total	13,313	6,509	6,740	44	22	21	5,604	2,828	2,616	18,961	9,359	9,377

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
MEDICALLY NEEDY APPLICATIONS
SFY 2004**

County	Applications	Total Disposals		County	Applications	Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied		Received	Approved	Denied
Arkansas	427	160	270	Lincoln	293	77	211
Ashley	663	301	387	Little River	281	62	219
Baxter	933	210	703	Logan	671	148	539
Benton	2,237	392	1,857	Lonoke	1,457	224	1,206
Boone	1,089	181	930	Madison	397	96	290
Bradley	398	154	243	Marion	701	89	595
Calhoun	191	50	140	Miller	1,296	225	1,059
Carroll	557	113	457	Mississippi	2,016	298	1,700
Chicot	789	248	548	Monroe	317	60	242
Clark	505	111	398	Montgomery	220	38	180
Clay	567	125	398	Nevada	486	166	307
Cleburne	660	101	554	Newton	178	35	145
Cleveland	208	59	133	Ouachita	770	181	579
Columbia	1,092	192	893	Perry	161	35	121
Conway	493	151	332	Phillips	848	197	642
Craighead	1,538	340	1,137	Pike	172	36	141
Crawford	1,476	269	1,151	Poinsett	935	239	669
Crittenden	1,254	201	1,056	Polk	415	129	276
Cross	496	108	385	Pope	1,334	251	1,099
Dallas	316	58	260	Prairie	296	100	191
Desha	745	91	644	Pulaski-East	1,399	319	1,098
Drew	611	175	422	Pulaski-Jax	1,371	300	1,067
Faulkner	1,791	258	1,503	Pulaski-North	2,360	446	1,934
Franklin	594	169	438	Pulaski-South	1,684	462	1,205
Fulton	230	75	156	Pulaski-SW	1,272	368	759
Garland	2,963	734	2,250	Randolph	673	121	551
Grant	300	112	178	Saline	2,200	575	1,630
Greene	1,029	120	919	Scott	263	64	196
Hempstead	989	230	695	Searcy	194	44	155
Hot Spring	1,108	286	811	Sebastian	3,484	397	2,999
Howard	520	73	442	Sevier	521	90	406
Independence	1,100	258	864	Sharp	552	158	373
Izard	426	124	307	St. Francis	537	148	367
Jackson	1,000	276	704	Stone	407	94	316
Jefferson	2,195	346	1,780	Union	2,080	551	1,530
Johnson	562	156	388	Van Buren	351	143	209
Lafayette	278	67	211	Washington	2,768	520	2,210
Lawrence	811	117	674	White	2,345	413	1,861
Lee	323	61	264	Woodruff	569	208	350
				Yell	496	118	361
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				State Total	72,234	15,477	55,870
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Note: Disposals may not equal applications received due to carry-over.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PREGNANT WOMEN APPLICATIONS *
SFY 2004**

County	Applications	Total Disposals		County	Applications	Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied		Received	Approved	Denied
Arkansas	711	574	131	Lincoln	429	333	101
Ashley	898	699	209	Little River	437	314	131
Baxter	957	670	370	Logan	858	653	223
Benton	5,095	2,932	2,328	Lonoke	1,887	1,103	780
Boone	979	661	350	Madison	493	382	111
Bradley	509	394	104	Marion	533	388	146
Calhoun	185	143	46	Miller	1,587	1,051	574
Carroll	950	660	283	Mississippi	2,174	1,349	859
Chicot	510	374	144	Monroe	356	273	83
Clark	798	494	317	Montgomery	327	233	96
Clay	649	448	196	Nevada	421	278	144
Cleburne	974	648	315	Newton	249	193	57
Cleveland	238	180	56	Ouachita	864	620	245
Columbia	628	462	159	Perry	302	250	56
Conway	592	525	65	Phillips	1,322	810	540
Craighead	2,913	1,776	1,168	Pike	344	224	116
Crawford	2,211	1,442	788	Poinsett	1,072	738	375
Crittenden	2,457	1,590	898	Polk	798	551	251
Cross	759	597	169	Pope	2,266	1,508	750
Dallas	327	242	99	Prairie	314	234	83
Desha	669	418	260	Pulaski-East	1,471	942	598
Drew	677	541	141	Pulaski-Jax	2,445	1,306	1,069
Faulkner	2,643	1,717	915	Pulaski-North	2,355	1,491	918
Franklin	513	382	152	Pulaski-South	2,038	1,291	737
Fulton	368	293	75	Pulaski-SW	2,607	1,748	680
Garland	3,450	2,002	1,489	Randolph	1,013	685	340
Grant	450	354	91	Saline	2,961	2,054	946
Greene	1,540	1,084	451	Scott	341	257	90
Hempstead	1,109	642	470	Searcy	283	233	50
Hot Spring	1,250	869	373	Sebastian	4,422	2,771	1,715
Howard	588	337	252	Sevier	904	523	382
Independence	1,396	1,028	384	Sharp	713	533	184
Izard	342	297	57	St. Francis	1,046	809	248
Jackson	611	463	147	Stone	453	376	85
Jefferson	3,156	1,841	1,259	Union	1,500	1,144	389
Johnson	1,163	833	337	Van Buren	504	368	130
Lafayette	296	211	81	Washington	6,612	3,675	2,989
Lawrence	757	485	289	White	3,204	1,607	1,534
Lee	457	358	96	Woodruff	296	207	84
				Yell	911	621	281
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				State Total	97,887	63,792	34,684

* PW-PL Applications Only

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ARKids FIRST APPLICATIONS
SFY 2004**

County	Applications	Total Disposals		County	Applications	Total Disposals	
	Received	Approved	Denied		Received	Approved	Denied
Arkansas	223	175	47	Lincoln	132	105	29
Ashley	204	181	23	Little River	133	118	16
Baxter	166	144	24	Logan	254	173	77
Benton	1,222	733	434	Lonoke	517	431	79
Boone	285	232	54	Madison	190	156	35
Bradley	172	141	34	Marion	120	91	27
Calhoun	62	52	10	Miller	335	253	77
Carroll	293	235	61	Mississippi	380	320	58
Chicot	131	112	20	Monroe	102	90	16
Clark	189	161	29	Montgomery	122	107	14
Clay	226	205	21	Nevada	72	64	9
Cleburne	326	247	79	Newton	79	70	9
Cleveland	99	72	26	Ouachita	253	200	54
Columbia	173	137	35	Perry	114	106	8
Conway	227	202	25	Phillips	290	233	61
Craighead	587	449	142	Pike	155	113	38
Crawford	576	471	104	Poinsett	269	221	39
Crittenden	464	388	72	Polk	166	147	15
Cross	337	267	70	Pope	481	444	38
Dallas	105	88	16	Prairie	93	75	17
Desha	174	155	18	Pulaski-East	216	159	54
Drew	249	213	36	Pulaski-Jax	343	270	76
Faulkner	636	534	99	Pulaski-North	451	370	85
Franklin	147	117	28	Pulaski-South	349	265	83
Fulton	156	125	32	Pulaski-SW	650	453	184
Garland	793	677	115	Randolph	304	255	50
Grant	220	178	43	Saline	643	567	75
Greene	437	352	81	Scott	66	55	9
Hempstead	186	161	23	Searcy	106	91	17
Hot Spring	339	301	32	Sebastian	885	662	212
Howard	132	106	22	Sevier	207	168	37
Independence	355	325	33	Sharp	206	179	27
Izard	132	108	30	St. Francis	243	214	33
Jackson	166	138	27	Stone	179	157	24
Jefferson	648	528	117	Union	404	331	73
Johnson	266	208	56	Van Buren	181	151	29
Lafayette	50	42	9	Washington	931	782	129
Lawrence	186	158	28	White	752	610	139
Lee	177	128	44	Woodruff	80	65	16
				Yell	221	203	16
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				State Total	23,190	18,770	4,283
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Note: Disposals may not equal applications received due to carry-over.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 ARKids FIRST REASONS FOR DENIAL
 SFY 2004**

Descriptions	Total
Age Requirement	8
Already Active Case	256
Application Registered In Error	997
Approved In Another Category	5
ARKids Denied For Private Insurance	521
Duplicate Application	149
Eligible For SSI	5
Excess Resources	2
Failed To Keep Interview Appointment	8
Failed To Meet Citizenship Requirement	14
Failed To Provide Medical Information	6
Failed To Verify Age	30
Failed To Verify Children Living In Home	4
Failed To Verify Income	44
Failed To Verify Relationship	22
Failed To Verify Residency	1
Inadequate Information	77
Income Exceeds 185% Of Standard	68
Income Exceeds Standard	1,551
Medical Necessity Not Established	1
Moved To Another State	2
MRT Denied-Cat 49 Adult	3
Not Categorically Eligible	31
Not Eligible Child In Home	11
Other	420
Registered In Wrong Category	7
Relationship Not Met	4
Reserved For LTC	2
Residency Not Met	6
Striker Provision	1
Transferred To Another County	4
Unable To Locate	1
Unable To Locate Mail	5
Withdrew Application, No Reason Given	4
Withdrew Application, Other	13
TOTAL	4,283

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 ARKids FIRST REASONS FOR CLOSURE
 SFY 2004**

Descriptions	Total
Child Has Health Insurance	268
Child Reached Age Limit	932
Client's Request Due To Earnings	4
Disability No Longer Met	1
Earnings Exceed 185%, Client Reported	47
Earnings Exceed 185, ESD Reported	10
Earnings Exceed 185%, Other	15
Earnings Exceed Standard, Client Reported	824
Earnings Exceed Standard, ESD Reported	41
Earnings Exceed Standard, Other	142
Eligible In Another Category	4,747
Failed To Cooperate With Child Support Enforcement Unit	5
Failed To Keep Appointment	14
Failed To Provide Information	3,520
Institutionalized	3
Lump Sum Payment	1
No Longer Eligible Child In Home	626
No Longer Resident Of State	285
Other, Needs Related	254
Other, Non-Need Related	790
Refused Referral/Trainings	1
Report Form Not Returned	1
Requested Closure, No Reason Given	244
SSI Benefits	85
Unable To Locate	120
TOTAL	12,980

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION
PROGRAM SUMMARY
SFY 2004**

Programs	Actual Number of Recipient Agencies	Average* Monthly Number of Participants	Pounds of Food	Dollar Value
Child Care	6	1,061	57,543	\$37,292.37
National School Lunch	387	291,048	14,729,526	8,621,939.20
Summer Food Services	3	240	3,788	2,293.89
TEFAP (Needy Family)	15	63,178	3,174,852	1,723,949.30
** Food Banks	4	84,927	2,335,210	1,653,869.47
TOTAL	415	440,454	20,300,919	\$12,039,344.23

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

** Food Bank totals for SFY 2004 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
Cereal Products	121,660	0.60%	\$77,432.20	0.64%
Cheese	1,703,711	8.39%	1,684,438.75	13.99%
Flour	1,681,192	8.28%	262,743.24	2.18%
Fruits	4,398,393	21.67%	2,203,251.35	18.30%
Grains	392,374	1.93%	53,355.37	0.44%
Milk/Butter	1,444,988	7.12%	1,888,988.33	15.69%
Meat/Fish	1,808,525	8.91%	2,046,869.34	17.00%
Nut Products	478,244	2.36%	372,947.24	3.10%
Oils	1,959,583	9.65%	638,372.76	5.30%
Poultry/Eggs	1,806,650	8.90%	1,380,691.57	11.47%
Pasta	42,475	0.21%	10,126.04	0.08%
Vegetables	4,463,124	21.98%	1,420,128.04	11.80%
TOTAL	20,300,919	100.00%	\$12,039,344.23	100.00%

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
THE COMMUNITY SERVICES BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM
SFY 2004**

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 causes of poverty in the state. Through the 16 Community Action Agencies (CAAs) across the state, a range of programs are offered to help low-income persons become independent and self-sufficient. These programs and services advocate, organize, and develop institutions as a means of improving community conditions. This program enables low-income persons to become more employable and better trained to handle their finances, to improve their housing and to make use of social and human services available to them.

Total of Direct FFY 2004 Service Projects by Category
(October 1, 2003 - September 30, 2004)

Service Project	FFY 2004 CSBG Funds Allocated	Estimated Number of Persons Assisted *
Employment	\$601,918	3,114
Education	620,304	36,660
Emergency Services	1,907,467	157,785
Housing	849,100	5,624
Income Maintenance	262,122	7,008
Welfare	324,631	13,324
Linkages	1,651,728	60,432
Nutrition	1,973,678	102,067
Health	496,067	32,485
Total	\$8,687,015	418,499

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

Unduplicated Demographics

Male	69,521
Female	118,501
Total	188,022
White Non-Hispanic	108,155
Black Non-Hispanic	73,383
Hispanic	3,981
Native American	749
Asian	567
Other	1,187
Total	188,022

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
FFY 2004 (October 1, 2003 - September 30, 2004)**

The Home Energy Assistance Program 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 to a household's energy supplier or, under certain circumstances, to the applicant. The Crisis Intervention Program provides assistance to eligible households facing energy-related emergencies.

Winter Assistance Program		
Households Served		48,982
Average Benefit		\$103
Crisis Intervention Program		
Households Served		20,715
Average Benefit		\$179
Summer Regular Assistance		
Households Served		0
Average Benefit		\$0
Crisis Cooling Program		
Households Served		0
Average Benefit		\$0
Funding		
Federal LIHEAP Allotment		\$12,345,616
Carry Forward Funds		0
Major Expenditures And Transfers		
Winter Expenditures And Transfers		\$5,047,821
Crisis Intervention Program		3,702,918
Transferred To Weatherization		1,849,894
Assurance 16 And Administration		1,511,907
Summer Regular Assistance		0
Crisis Cooling Program		0

LIHEAP ASSISTED HOUSEHOLDS

Male		26,073
Female		43,624
	Total	<u>69,697</u>
White		35,442
Black		31,997
Spanish American/Hispanic		1,229
Oriental, Asian Or Pacific Island		366
American Indian/Alaskan Native		301
Indochinese		186
Other/Unknown		176
	Total	<u>69,697</u>

**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, 2003 - March 31, 2004) are as follows:**

<u>DOE</u>	<u>ESTIMATED</u>	<u>SEX</u>		<u>RACE</u>		
		Male	Female	White	Black	Native Amer.
Owner	362	123	239	231	129	2
Renter (Single)	133	45	88	85	46	2
Renter (Multi)	13	4	9	8	5	0
Mobile Home	127	43	84	81	45	1
<u>Total</u>	<u>635</u>	<u>215</u>	<u>420</u>	<u>405</u>	<u>225</u>	<u>5</u>
Elderly	283	96	187	181	102	0
Disabled	295	100	195	189	106	0
Native Americans	5	3	2	0	0	5
Child - Occupied Shelter	200	68	132	128	72	0
	10	6	4	8	2	0

<u>LIHEAP</u>	<u>ESTIMATED</u>	<u>SEX</u>		<u>RACE</u>		
		Male	Female	White	Black	Native Amer.
Owner	280	95	185	179	100	1
Renter (Single)	108	37	71	69	37	2
Renter (Multi)	6	2	4	4	2	0
Mobile Home	98	33	65	62	35	1
<u>Total</u>	<u>492</u>	<u>167</u>	<u>325</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>174</u>	<u>4</u>
Elderly	189	42	147	121	68	0
Disabled	197	67	130	126	71	0
Native Americans	4	2	2	0	0	4
Child - Occupied Shelter	160	54	106	102	58	0
	6	3	3	3	3	0

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
SHELTER PLUS CARE PROGRAM
SFY 2004**

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. Shelter Plus Care (S+C) is a program designed to provide housing and supportive services on a long-term basis for homeless persons with disabilities, (primarily those with serious mental illness, chronic problems with alcohol and/or drugs, acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS), or related diseases) and their families who are living in places not intended for human habitation (e.g., streets) or in emergency shelters. The programs allow for a variety of housing choices, and a range of supportive services funded by other sources, in response to the needs of the hard-to-reach homeless population with disabilities.

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 who operate four Shelter Plus Care grants (Greater Little Rock Community Mental Health Center, Inc.-3 and Arkansas Supported Housing Network-1).

TENANT-BASED RENTAL ASSISTANCE*

One hundred ninety-four (194) people were provided rental assistance.

* Racial breakdown:

White	69
Black	124
Hispanic	1
Asian/Pacific Islander	0
Native American	0
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Total	194

* 133 persons diagnosed with mental illness.

60 persons diagnosed with dual diagnosis
(mental illness and substance abuse)

* 20 persons with AIDS or related disease

* 28 persons diagnosed with substance abuse

* 5 persons with a physical disability

* 3 persons with developmental disabilities

* 13 persons who are victims of domestic violence

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT PROGRAM
SFY 2004**

In SFY 2004, there were twenty nine (29) new arrivals. Eleven persons represented those displaced by Bosnian conflicts. The remaining eighteen were Southeast Asian. There was approximately \$127,005 in federal funds expended during SFY 2004. This represents an increase of \$6,909 from the previous year. An increase in public assistance cost was the main factor in the rising cost of the program. A breakdown of the expenditures is shown below:

Cash Assistance	\$2,685
Medicaid Expenditures	\$11,556

**EMERGENCY SHELTER GRANTS PROGRAM
SFY 2004**

In SFY 2004, the Emergency Shelter Grants Program received \$1,078,000 in federal funds and 72 shelters were funded. 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	20	9,534	6,995	2,539	3,325	5,753	292	164
Battered Women's Shelter	22	2,840	775	2,065	701	1,922	126	91
Youth Facilities	9	1,502	774	728	399	1,031	41	31
Drug and Alcohol Rehab.	8	563	357	206	116	417	12	18
Transitional	6	682	382	300	108	503	46	25
Mentally Ill	2	884	502	382	270	609	5	0
Day Shelter	1	490	490	0	283	207	0	0
Prison Release	1	35	0	35	8	27	0	0
Teen Mother	1	11	3	8	11	0	0	0
Day Care	1	213	63	150	17	182	4	10
Food Pantry	1	74	38	36	0	74	0	0
Total	72	16,828	10,379	6,449	5,238	10,725	526	339

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2004**

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 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 1,103 individuals (as of 06/30/04) 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 96 DDS Licensed Providers and 43 Early Intervention Voucher Providers. Additionally, DDS offers wrap-around services, which include Medicaid Waiver, individual/family supports and adaptive equipment.

The mission of DDS is to provide a variety of supports to improve the quality of life for individuals with mental retardation, autism, epilepsy, cerebral palsy or other conditions that cause a person to function as if they have mental retardation. DDS also provides services for individuals with a developmental delay, ages birth to 3 years.

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT

GOALS AND SERVICES

SFY 2004

DDS continued to work toward these five goals:

- Keeping families together by providing resources to families and by funding waiver services,
- Increasing interdependence for people with developmental disabilities in areas such as housing, transportation, and employment,
- Changing attitudes about developmental disabilities,
- Expanding choices for people with developmental disabilities through person-centered, quality-driven service coordination, and
- Enhancing the quality of our services.

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.

HCBS Waiver for Children:

This sectional also administer the Home and Community Based Services for children under the Medicaid Waiver, analyzes and develops policy, researches and develops innovative programs through grant applications, and performs psychological services.

Early Intervention/First Connections and Early Childhood Services:

The Children's Services Section also 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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GOALS AND SERVICES

SFY 2004

Adult Services

This section administers the Home and Community Based Services under the Medicaid Waiver, analyzes and develops policy, researches and develops innovative programs through grant applications, oversees quality improvement activities, and performs psychological services. This is also the entry point for individuals and 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 for individuals ages 21 and above.

Quality Assurance

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

The Quality Assurance section also administers the Quality Assurance Unit 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 CMS Consumer Experience Survey tool with HCBS Wavier recipients and their families to determine satisfaction with their services. Additional quality assurance activities include the Early Childhood Paraprofessional Training and technical assistance for provider organizations.

Fiscal Management

This section administers contracts, prior authorizations, 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.

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CHILDREN'S SERVICES SECTION
SFY 2004**

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.

Integrated Wrap-Around Services:

- **Children and Adolescent Special Services Program (CASSP)** funding provided services to one **(1)** person with a dual diagnosis of mental retardation and mental illness.
- **Integrated Services** were provided through state funds to **22** individuals with multi-agency needs.
- **Act 911 Program** referrals served **18** individuals, using federal Social Security Block Grant (SSBG) funds.

Training:

- **Training** for professional/paraprofessional staff and providers in DDS licensed community and voucher programs was provided **(249 hours)**.

Services to School Aged Children:

- Special Education in the Human Development Centers was provided to **55** individuals by **12 Special Education Teacher units** authorized by the Department of Education.
- **Early Childhood Services** (VI-B) were made available to **55** individuals aged 6 to 21 in the Human Development Centers.

Services to Children (Ages: Three to Five):

- Therapeutic Services were provided to **2,426** children age 3 to 5 years in cooperation with DDS licensed community programs.
- On-going service coordination was provided statewide to **2,426** children ages 3 to 5 by 12 Developmental Specialists.

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CHILDREN'S SERVICES SECTION
SFY 2004**

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

- The Part C First Connections Program provided Early Intervention Services to **2,772** children.
- **First Connections Early Intervention-Part C** Services provided during the year:

<u>Service</u>	<u>Number of Children</u>
Assistive Technology	5
Audiology	385
Service Coordination	3,057
Health Services	16
Medical Services (Diagnostic/Evaluation)	347
Nursing Services	0
Nutrition Services	264
Occupational Therapy	955
Physical Therapy	803
Psychological	77
Respite Care	2
Social Work	31
Special Instruction	1,008
Speech/Language Therapy	1,175
Transportation	595
Vision	21

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

<u>By Race</u>		<u>By Age</u>	
American Indian or Alaska Native	5	Birth to One Year	260
Asian or Pacific Islander	19	One to Two Years	846
Black or African American	1,053	Two to Three Years	1,666
Hispanic or Latino	101		
White	1,594		
Total	<u>2,772</u>	Total	<u>2,772</u>

PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES

- Conducted pre-admission screenings for nursing home admission (PASRR) for **162** individuals with mental retardation and **47** individuals with dual diagnoses of mental retardation and mental illness.

ALTERNATIVE COMMUNITY SERVICES (HCBS) WAIVER

- **1,168** individuals ages 21 and over are eligible for HCBS Waiver services.
- There were **1,067** individuals receiving services through the HCBS Waiver.
- The total HCBS Waiver Expenditures for individuals birth to 21 in SFY 04 was \$24,651,981.76 (waiver cost only).

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CHILDREN'S SERVICES SECTION
SFY 2004**

TOGETHER WE CAN PROGRAM

The Departments of Education, Health, and Human Services Together We Can program served **103** children/adolescents and their families' multi-agency needs during SFY 2004. Of those, **68** cases were closed and **35** remained open. Several counties joined Together We Can, bringing the number of local teams participating to **34**. 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 - 94%. Families served - 49. Outcomes achieved - 46.
- 75% of families will require less intensive or no treatment needs at closure.
Achievement rate - 41%. Families served - 26. Positive outcomes for 63 children.
- 65% of delinquent offenders will complete the service plan.
Achievement rate - 75%. Children served - 4. Outcomes achieved - 3.
- 90% of delinquent offenders will not commit law violations during participation in the program.
Achievement rate - 55%. Of the eleven (11) served, six (6) were measured.
- 75% of the families served will not require protective intervention within 6 months of leaving the program.
Achievement rate - 88%. Families served - 8. Positive outcomes - 7.
- 75% of the children will return to the family unit.
Achievement rate - 94%. Children served - 63. Positive outcomes - 59.
- 75% of the children remain in the family six months after closure of TWC.
Achievement rate - 100%. Children served - 1. Positive outcomes - 1.

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

- Decrease in truancy rate for youth in the program.
Achievement rate - 65%. Youths served - 17. Positive outcomes - 11.
- Decrease in the number of homebound placements (80% of the target population will remain in a regular school setting).
Achievement rate - 88%. Youths served - 17. Positive outcomes - 15.
- Increase rates of parent training and/or employment for the families participating.
Achievement rate - 86%. Families served - 7. Completed parent or employment training - 6.
- 80% of the families served will access two (2) new community resources to help develop self-sufficiency apart from *Together We Can*.
Achievement rate - 91%. Families served - 22. Number measured - 22. Outcome achieved - 20.

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 - 100%. Served - 9. Outcomes achieved - 9.
- 95% of the children & adolescents served will be in compliance with ARK K-12 Immunization Law.
Achievement rate - 100%. Children served - 23. Positive outcomes - 23.
- 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 - 67%. Children served - 3. Positive Outcomes - 2.

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CHILDREN'S SERVICES SECTION
SFY 2004**

FOSTER GRANDPARENT PROGRAM

- Foster Grandparent Volunteers provided **93,854** hours of service to the children of Arkansas in SFY 04.
- Foster Grandparent Services were provided by **122** low-income elderly individuals.

Gender	
Male	15
Female	107
Total	122

Age	
60-69	60
70-79	50
80-84	10
85 plus	2
Total	122

Race	
Black	59
White	60
Hispanic	1
Amer. Indian	2
Total	122

- Foster Grandparent Volunteers provided services to **467** persons.

Age:	
Birth-5	250
6-12	162
13-20	40
21 plus	15
Total	467

- 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
Juvenile Delinquents	60	20
Literacy Problems	170	32
Mental Retardation	21	8
Physical Disabilities	20	7
Substance Abuse	27	5
Teen Pregnancy	20	5
Terminal Illness	10	5
Abused/Neglected	80	26
Blind/Visual Impairments	19	4
Children with AIDS	10	8
Deaf/Hearing Impairments	10	1
Emotionally Disturbed	20	1
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DDS staff conducted **210** site visits and provided **80** hours of training to Foster Grandparent Volunteers.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADULT SERVICES SECTION
SFY 2004**

Field Services (ages 21 and above)

<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

Integrated Wrap-Around Services:

- **Transition funds** were provided to **61** individuals to resolve a crisis or to facilitate a move into an alternate living environment.
- **Children and Adolescent Special Services Program (CASSP)** funding provided services to five **(5)** persons with a dual diagnosis of mental retardation and mental illness.
- **Integrated Services** were provided through state funds to **33** individuals with multi-agency needs.
- **Act 911 Program** referrals served **18** individuals, using federal Social Security Block Grant (SSBG) funds.

PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES

- Conducted pre-admission screenings for nursing home admission (PASRR) for **82** individuals with mental retardation and **84** individuals with dual diagnoses of mental retardation and mental illness.

ALTERNATIVE COMMUNITY SERVICES (HCBS) WAIVER

- HCBS Waiver services have been approved for **2,149** individuals ages 21 and over.
- There were **2,049** individuals for whom services were billed through the HCBS Waiver.
- The total HCBS Waiver Expenditures for individuals ages 21 and over in SFY 04 was \$43,876,549.29 (waiver cost only).
- Services for **155** individuals were closed and were not reopened.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
QUALITY ASSURANCE SECTION
SFY 2004**

LICENSURE UNIT

- Four program evaluators conducted **97** annual licensure review visits, one to each licensed program.
- Prepared **97** post-review reports, **27** of which necessitated follow-up compliance visits. (Quality Assurance efforts by Community Program staff and technical assistance by DDS Program Evaluators may substitute for on-site follow-up visits when the program is in substantial compliance.)
- Reviewed one-third of ACS Home and Community Based Waiver files.
- Investigated **12** service concerns. 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 214 Alternate Community Services Waiver components:

Consultation	27
Crisis Abatement	5
Physical Adaptations/Adaptive Equipment	28
Residential Habilitation/Integrated Supports	61
Supported Employment	31
Crisis Center Services (Pilot Program)	1
Case Management	61

Certified 5 Waiver Providers *:

Adaptive Equipment	4
Consultation: Psychology	2
Crisis Abatement	4

* Multiple certifications may be granted to a provider.

Certified or Recertified 441 Case Managers

Certified 214 Early Intervention Providers

Central Records*

*New case files are no longer stored in Central Records.

New Cases Opened	0
Number of Master File Referrals to HDC's	0
Number of Master Files in Central Records	2,201
Number of Consents to Release Information Processed	150

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.
 - 64** Early Intervention monitoring visits were conducted.
 - 27** Early Childhood monitoring visits were conducted.
 - 3** follow-up compliance visits were conducted.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
QUALITY ASSURANCE SECTION
SFY 2004**

QUALITY ASSURANCE UNIT (continued)

- **94** surveys to determine satisfaction with Home and Community Based Waiver services were conducted. Surveys resulted in **15** service concern referrals made to DDS Licensure Unit staff for further investigation.
- Quality Assurance staff provided training to Licensed Community Program staff in various areas:
 - 10** CORE Paraprofessional training sessions were conducted as required by the Arkansas Department of Education.
 - 3** Early Childhood Due Process training sessions were conducted.
- An additional **48** on-site technical assistance visits were conducted.

**FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT
SECTION**

GRANTS ADMINISTRATION

Administration of Contracts: Authorized and processed initial contracts for:

- **89** Community Programs, and
- **70** Waiver Providers.

Visits, Monitoring, and Technical Assistance

- **429** visits with providers/boards
- **2,862** telephone contacts to/from providers
- **22** area meetings were conducted
- **11,300** eligibility documents were reviewed and entered into the CICS system.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
COMMUNITY PROGRAM STATISTICS
SFY 2004**

Community Services Programs

The following is a list of services provided by DDS licensed/certified providers during SFY 2004.

Program	Number of Individuals	Number of Units	Paid Amount	Unit Description
Adaptive Equipment	536	802	\$405,764	Piece of equipment
Adult Development	3,972	592,311	6,833,994	Hour
Case Management	5,565	26,026	2,875,026	Month
Community Integration Companion	28	62,923	563,607	Hour
Consultation Services	187	441	19,566	Hour
Crisis Center/Intervention Services	13	94	12,178	Day
DDTCS	9,865	3,014,614	41,593,010	Hour
Developmental Rehabilitation Services	N/A	58,706	1,125,113	Two Hours
Early Intervention-DDTCS	131	1,018	96,485	Two Hours
Evaluation Services	3,016	3,053	344,289	Evaluation
Family/Individual Support	864	2,485	412,769	Year
Integrated Support	5,887	435,942	59,357,968	Day
Occupational Therapy Assistant-Individual	74	676	31,195	15 minutes
Occupational Therapy – Group	16	170	1,100	15 minutes
Occupational Therapy-Individual	4,231	156,022	5,098,765	15 minutes
Occupational Therapy-Evaluation	1,716	3,985	201,941	30 minutes
Personal Care	N/A	569,301	1,830,075	15 minutes
Physical Therapy-Individual	2,501	84,118	2,809,368	15 minutes
Physical Therapy Assistant-Individual	281	5,464	117,892	15 minutes
Physical Therapy-Evaluation	1,246	2,824	136,578	15 minutes
Preschool	4,621	605,574	9,875,820	Hour
Speech-Evaluation	2,367	6,232	307,615	30 minutes
Speech Therapy-Group	16	75	3,816	15 minutes
Speech Therapy-Individual	4,913	186,016	6,336,210	15 minutes
Speech Therapy Assistant-Individual	32	340	16,986	15 minutes
Targeted Case Management	N/A	1,287	7,064	15 minutes
Transportation-Individual	88	42,767	25,330	Mile
Transportation-DDTCS	N/A	5,522,115	8,269,153	Mile
Vocational Maintenance-Supported Employment	192	39,200	239,382	15 minutes
Work Activity	1,196	176,256	1,230,040	Hour
Total	N/A	11,600,837	\$150,178,099	N/A

Note: N/A denotes information that was not available at the time of the report.

- 297 persons accomplished 100% of the goals on their program plans.
- 257 persons accomplished 75-99% of the goals on their program plans.
- 491 persons accomplished 50-74% of the goals on their program plans.
- 367 persons accomplished 25-49% of the goals on their program plans.
- 273 persons accomplished less than 25% of the goals on their program plans.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT STATISTICS
SFY 2004**

- The six (6) state-operated Human Development Centers provided a total of 404,392 client days, a decrease of 5,503 days, or 1%, from SFY 03.
- As of June 30, 2004, services were being provided to 1,103 individuals, a decrease of 10 from SFY 03.

CHARACTERISTICS

Race	Total
White	850
Black	244
Hispanic	2
Other	7
Total	1,103

Gender	Total
Female	425
Male	678
Total	1,103

Adaptive Level of Function	Total	Percent
Profound	764	69%
Severe	214	19%
Moderate	85	8%
Mild	40	4%
Total	1,103	100%

Primary Diagnosis	Total
Mental Retardation	1,020
Cerebral Palsy	56
Epilepsy	0
Autism	27
Total	1,103

*Secondary Conditions	Total
Dual Diagnosis (mental illness/retardation)	584
Seizures	409
Challenging Behaviors	429
Vision Impairment/Blind	330
Cerebral Palsy	295
Non-Ambulatory	262
Fragile Health	145
Hearing Impairment/Deaf	123
Autism	56

Work Status	Total	Percent**
On HDC Grounds	512	46%
In the Community	52	5%
Total	564	51%

Body Alignment	Total
Wheelchairs (Supports)	254
Other (Braces, AFO)	116
Total	370

	Total	Percent**
Augmentative Communication	189	17%
Hearing Aids	19	2%
Modified Diet	792	72%

*A client can have more than one disability.

**Percent is the total divided by 1,103. Example: (Modified Diet: 792 / 1,103 = 72%)

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
HDC CONTINUUM OF SERVICES
SFY 2004**

Outlined below are the outreach services provided by the six Human Development Centers during the year July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2004.

- Provided services to 917 people.
- Performed 244 initial intakes.
- Made 2,938 contacts with individuals.
- Performed 120 psychological evaluations.
- Conducted 609 therapy sessions.
- Conducted 608 counseling sessions.
- Made 108 home visits.
- Conducted 1,326 parent/guardian conferences.
- Conducted the following consultations:

Telephone	413
School	52
- Attended and/or presented 137 trainings, meetings, workshops, support groups, community, presentations, etc.
- Provided clothing to three (3) individuals.
- Developed and initiated one (1) behavior management plan.
- Conducted four (4) classroom observations.
- Conducted four (4) PT, OT and Audiology evaluations.
- Hosted four (4) support group meetings.

Individuals Served Through Various Departments at HDCs

Seating clinics	5
Respite	34
Dental	108
Tours	34
Behavior Management Training	303
Transportation	34

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
OUTREACH ACTIVITIES
SFY 2004**

Miscellaneous Outreach Activities

Hosted SEAHDC 25th Anniversary celebration, May Day celebration, July 4th, Halloween, Harvest Festival, and National Night-Out celebrations, gospel concerts, recreational activities at local YMCA, public school concerts, spring festivals, family day, challenge day, homecoming day, sporting events, fall and spring rummage sales, golf tournament, and pastors' luncheons for the community.

Hosted 25 student nurses from Mississippi County Community College, as well as hosting additional meetings, trainings (SEAHDC is a training site for JRMC student nurses), community provider fair, and two training conferences (Beyond the Borders and Open Horizons), and Challenge Day for Special Olympics for DD community.

Conducted Positive Behavior Support Training for staff.

Sold Christmas poinsettias and Mother's Day Floral Baskets to community.

Participated in Valentine Day Dance, Annual Christmas Party, Arkansas State Fair, Chamber of Commerce, Foster Grandparents Program, and Bradley County Industrial Development Council, Pink Tomato Festival, TEA Coalition, Bocce Tournament for Area Special Olympics, development of a People first chapter, development of a transitional ICF/MR, and more than a dozen civic organizations.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DDS FUNDING
SFY 1998-2004**

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

State Fiscal Year	Total
1998	\$98,084,083
1999	\$102,144,737
2000	\$109,442,658
2001	\$111,741,932
2002	\$109,904,692
2003	\$109,539,359
2004	\$128,787,424

**TOTAL STATE GENERAL
REVENUE EXPENDITURES**

State Fiscal Year	General Revenue
1998	\$37,761,712
1999	\$37,376,693
2000	\$36,118,068
2001	\$37,126,049
2002	\$36,268,549
2003	\$35,065,765
2004	\$38,266,313

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

State Fiscal Year	General Revenue
1998	\$15,349,823 *
1999	\$13,905,279 **
2000	\$14,680,491 ***
2001	\$16,534,351 ****
2002	\$15,695,344 *****
2003	\$16,121,222 *****
2004	\$18,705,564 *****

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

State Fiscal Year	General Revenue
1998	\$79,570,591
1999	\$81,058,565
2000	\$84,395,462
2001	\$89,095,372
2002	\$89,911,431
2003	\$85,427,771
2004	\$98,899,333

- * \$7,540,347 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- ** \$9,283,025 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- *** \$11,310,218 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- **** \$14,367,073 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- ***** \$14,168,338 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- ***** \$14,145,671 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.
- ***** \$17,226,632 transferred to Medical Services for DDS' Medicaid Match.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN MEDICAL SERVICES
SFY 2004**

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Children's Medical Services provides medical and surgical treatment, therapies, appliances, medications and care coordination. All medical specialty services for children are prior approved by CMS service teams.

Any person or organization may refer a child to CMS for diagnosis and recommendations for treatment. Steps are then taken to secure an application for assistance through the DHS county office or a designated hospital. A case record is then opened and a plan of care for treatment is made and coordinated by the CMS staff.

Services were provided to 16,128 children in SFY 2004. Additional information on expenditures is provided below:

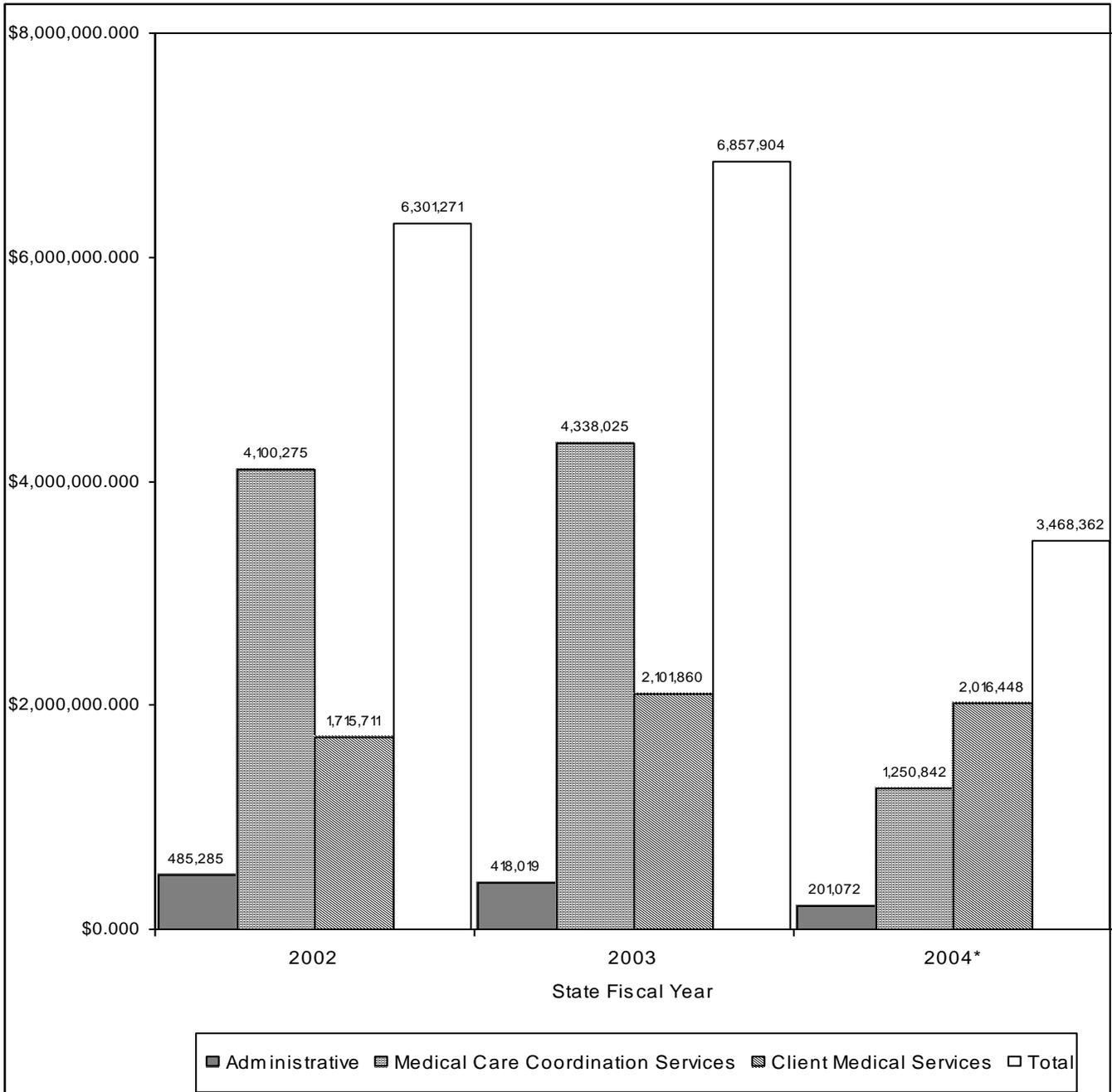
EXPENDITURES

SFY	Administrative	Medical Care Coordination Services	Client Medical Services	Total
1994	\$247,691	\$2,548,909	\$2,029,017	\$4,825,617
1995	286,134	3,169,110	2,276,381	5,731,625
1996	601,887	3,232,670	1,439,416	5,273,973
1997	575,813	5,219,932	1,670,010	7,465,755
1998	689,080	4,361,402	2,266,648	7,317,130
1999	487,265	4,531,122	2,345,591	7,363,978
2000	581,314	4,166,746	3,195,214	7,943,274
2001	642,023	5,403,295	1,017,828	7,063,146
2002	485,285	4,100,275	1,715,711	6,301,271
2003	418,019	4,338,025	2,101,860	6,857,904
2004*	201,072	1,250,842	2,016,448	3,468,362

Note: Prior to SFY 1996 Administrative Expenditures included State General Revenue funds only. From SFY 1996 forward, Administrative Expenditures include both State General Revenue and Federal Funds.

* The decrease in expenditures is a result of CMS moving from Medical Services to Developmental Disabilities Services.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN MEDICAL SERVICES
SFY 2002 - 2004**



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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN'S MEDICAL SERVICES REPORT
UNDUPLICATED CLIENT COUNT **
SFY 2004**

County	White			Black			American Indian	Spanish American			Other & Unknown		Not Identified	All Races			Total	
	M	F	N	M	F	N	M	M	F	N	M	F	M	M	F	N		
Arkansas	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	2	0	8
Ashley	10	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	17	0	0	17
Baxter	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	7
Benton	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	4	0	0	63	0	0	63
Boone	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	21	0	0	21
Bradley	8	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	10
Calhoun	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
Carroll	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Chicot	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	4
Clark	13	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	18	0	0	18
Clay	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	18
Cleburne	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	23	0	0	23
Cleveland	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	7
Columbia	11	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	15
Conway	9	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	10
Craighead	23	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	26	0	0	26
Crawford	31	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	37	0	0	37
Crittenden	6	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	12
Cross	7	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	9
Dallas	6	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	9
Desha	5	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	9	0	0	9
Drew	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	7	0	0	7
Faulkner	70	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	4	0	0	83	0	0	83
Franklin	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	9
Fulton	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
Garland	30	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	40	0	0	40
Grant	19	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	21	0	0	21
Greene	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	26
Hempstead	5	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	9
Hot Spring	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	13
Howard	12	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	15
Independence	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	27	0	0	27
Izard	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	10	0	0	10
Jackson	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
Jefferson	25	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	51	0	0	51
Johnson	19	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	24	0	0	24
Lafayette	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
Lawrence	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	21
Lee	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	4
Lincoln	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	4
Little River	5	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	11
Logan	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	15
Lonoke	56	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	65	0	0	65
Madison	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	8

* 'N' for gender equals "Not Identified".

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
CHILDREN'S MEDICAL SERVICES REPORT
UNDUPLICATED CLIENT COUNT **
SFY 2004**

County	White			Black			American Indian	Spanish American			Other & Unknown		Not Identified	All Races			Total
	M	F	N	M	F	N	M	M	F	N	M	F	M	M	F	N	
Marion	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	10
Miller	13	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	17	0	0	17
Mississippi	12	1	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	22	4	0	26
Monroe	3	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	7
Montgomery	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
Nevada	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
Newton	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	6
Ouachita	14	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	21
Perry	8	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	9
Phillips	6	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	11
Pike	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	7
Poinsett	10	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	14	0	0	14
Polk	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	17	0	0	17
Pope	20	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	25	0	0	25
Prairie	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	6
Pulaski	73	47	5	44	27	5	1	7	8	1	6	3	2	133	85	11	229
Randolph	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	22
Saline	65	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	70	0	0	70
Scott	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	11
Searcy	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
Sebastian	29	0	0	5	0	0	1	8	0	0	6	0	4	53	0	0	53
Sevier	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	1	0	0	22	0	0	22
Sharp	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	10
St. Francis	7	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	9
Stone	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	16
Union	13	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	23	0	0	23
Van Buren	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	6
Washington	44	0	0	2	0	0	1	22	0	0	6	0	0	75	0	0	75
White	43	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	46	0	0	46
Woodruff	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	6
Yell	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	7	0	0	1	0	0	13	0	0	13
Total	1,147	50	5	188	29	5	3	91	8	1	67	4	7	1,503	91	11	1,605

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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2004**

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 22,000 Arkansans who have chronic, long-term medical needs require services in long-term care facilities. These individuals live in the approximately 230 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. 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 2004 performance of these programs through financial and utilization data and narrative.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
EXPENDITURES
SFY 2004**

DMS Administration	Expenditures
00 - Regular Salaries	\$9,886,195
01 - Extra Help	51,363
02 - Maintenance & Operations	2,956,762
03 - Fringe Benefits	2,819,421
06 - Overtime	0
08 - Supplemental Salaries	0
09 - Conference Fees and Travel	131,073
10 - Professional Fees and Services	291,835
11 - Capital Outlay	27,432
44 - Purchase Data Processing	108,405
48 - Respite Care	0
Sub-Total	\$16,272,486
DMS Programs	
Private Nursing Home	\$446,594,972
Prescription Drugs	351,196,609
Hospital/Medical	1,693,192,655
ARKids	47,347,632
Child and Family Institute	0
Infant Infirmary	18,071,815
Public Nursing Home	139,838,231
Medical Expansion	14,796,096
Nursing Home Closure Costs	0
LTC Facility Receivership	0
Sub-Total	\$2,711,038,010
TOTAL	\$2,727,310,496

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID EXPENDITURES BY CATEGORY OF SERVICES
 SFY 2004**

<u>Hospital, Inpatient/Outpatient:</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>
Inpatient Hospital	\$414,806,923.65
Outpatient Hospital	95,387,843.79
Total	\$510,194,767.44

<u>Medical, Other:</u>	
Adults with Physical Disabilities Waiver	17,819,689.99
Ambulatory Surgical Center	2,520,224.76
ARKids Immunizations	591,354.75
AR Seniors	3,868,808.24
Assisted Living Agency	\$433,522.14
Assisted Living Facility	176,161.30
Audiologist	985,154.36
Chiropractor	151,367.77
CMS-Respite Care Waivers (W9&W8)	244,375.36
Day Care Facility	0.00
DDS - Non-institutionalization Waiver	67,948,689.84
Dental Services	30,722,256.17
Developmental Day Clinic Treatment Services	73,846,052.00
Domiciliary Care	0.00
Durable Medical Equipment/Oxygen	20,723,562.91
Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) (Includes EPSDT, DME, Orthotic, Prosthetics)	60,600,875.19
Elderchoices Waiver	32,506,267.40
Eyeglasses	1,838,771.85
Family Planning	4,042,848.52
Family Planning Waiver	12,008,671.34
Health Department, Communicable Diseases	462,383.65
Hearing Aids	100.51
Hemodialysis	2,949,086.02
Hyperalimentation	681,016.00
Independent Choices Waiver	4,563,351.04
Lab and X-ray Services	20,192,163.82
Maternity Clinics	2,462,021.24
Medicare Crossovers	2,138,763.48
Nurse Anesthetist (CRNA)	1,180,732.68
Nurse Midwife	161,854.25
Nurse Practitioner	319,548.29
Optometrist/Ocularist	5,600,646.64
Other Care Crossovers	16,528,287.98
Other Practitioner Crossovers	1,234,838.65
Pharmacy Administered Vaccine	0.00
Private Duty Nursing	8,530,914.17
Rehab Services	4,171,801.95
Therapy (Speech, Occupational, Physical)	32,802,298.55
Tuberculosis	45.00
Ventilator	411,960.21
Total	\$435,420,468.02

<u>Medicare Buy-In:</u>	
Medicare Buy-In	76,374,290.10
Total	\$76,374,290.10

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID EXPENDITURES BY CATEGORY OF SERVICES
 SFY 2004**

<u>Mental Health:</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>
Community Mental Health Centers (Rehabilitative Services for Persons With Mental Illness)	145,129,810.03
Inpatient Psychiatric	116,682,379.17
Psychologist	954,076.18
School-Based MH	7,497.35
Total	\$262,773,762.73

<u>Other:</u>	
Targeted Case Management (Children - Under 21-E)	38,168.45
Ages 21 to 59	13,853.25
Ages 60 and Older	2,175,281.33
Case Management/CMS	1,763,101.73
Case Management/DCFS	-129.00
Case Management/DYS	761,246.08
Miscellaneous	-4,087,294.68
Adjustments	35,376,269.89
ARKids School District Outreach	1,196.16
Program Administration	56,653,044.05
Total	\$92,694,737.26

<u>Physician:</u>	
Physician Services	231,053,027.65
Managed Care Fee	11,540,928.75
Total	\$242,593,956.40

<u>Special Care:</u>	
Community Health Centers (Federally Qualified Health Center)	5,770,438.11
Home Health Services	11,546,684.22
Hospice	2,127,443.24
Nursing Home Hospice	6,879,173.49
Personal Care Services	53,395,733.19
Rural Health Clinics	7,891,127.47
Total	\$87,610,599.72

<u>Transportation:</u>	
Ambulance	8,715,491.82
Non-profit Transportation	415,530.39
Public Transportation	-15,997.19
School District Transportation	0.00
Non-Emerg Transportation Waiver (NET)	14,213,567.43
Non-Public Transportation	8,195,049.90
Total	\$31,523,642.35

<u>Total Hospital/Medical</u>	\$1,739,186,224.02
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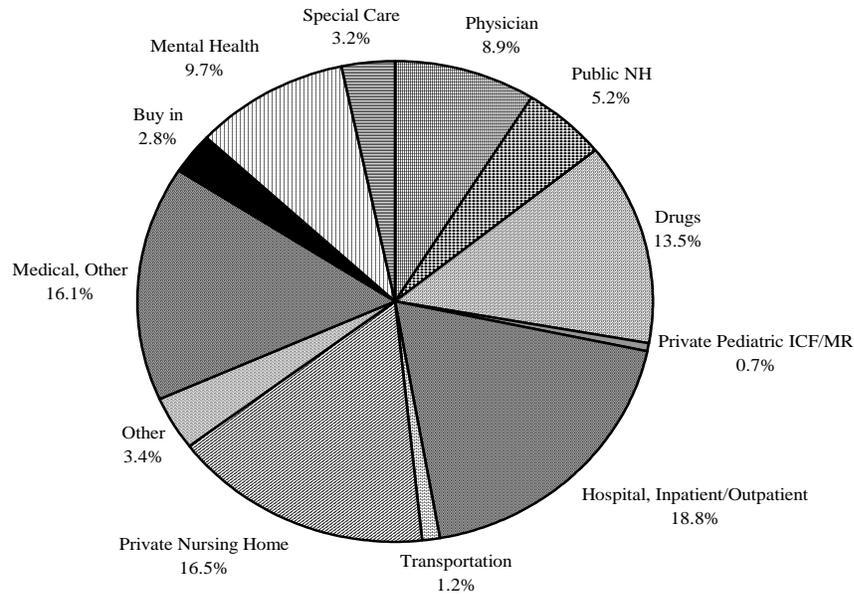
**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID EXPENDITURES BY CATEGORY OF SERVICES
 SFY 2004**

<u>Prescription Drugs:</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>
Prescription Drugs	\$364,335,647.91
Family Planning Drugs	\$2,531,395.55
Assisted Living Drugs	\$18,076.74
Contracts	265,726.00
<u>Total Prescription Drugs</u>	\$367,150,846.20
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<u>Private Nursing Home:</u>	
Private Nursing Facilities	\$444,674,677.61
Contracts	1,920,293.73
Total	\$446,594,971.34
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<u>Private Pediatric ICF/MR</u>	
Intermediate Care Facility (ICF) Infant Infirmaries	18,071,815.11
Total	\$18,071,815.11
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<u>Public Nursing Home</u>	
Public Nursing Homes	139,838,231.11
Total	139,838,231.11
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<u>Total Long Term Care</u>	\$604,505,017.56
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TOTAL MEDICAID PROGRAM	\$2,710,842,087.78
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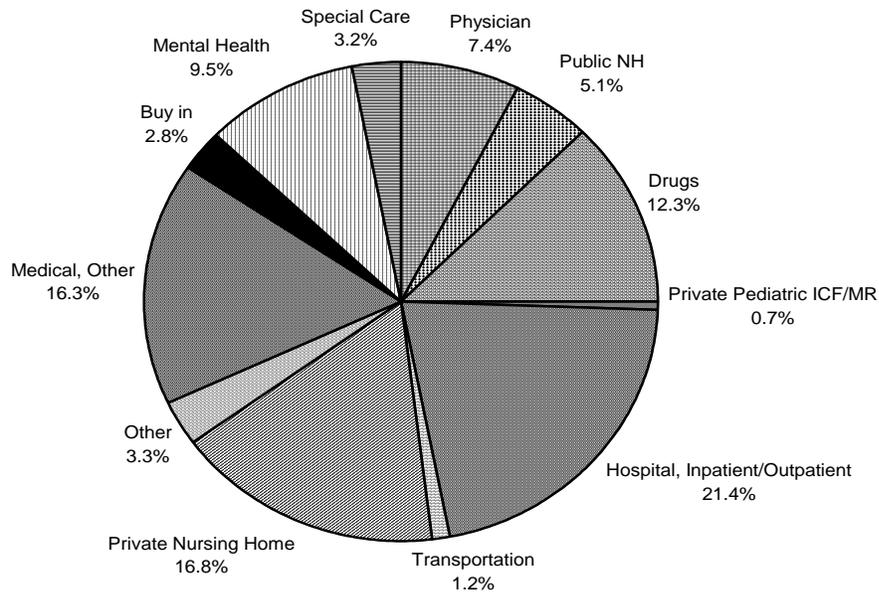
Notes: All SCOS figures are from the Provider Reimbursement Report which is derived from the 209 and 210 reports. Expenditures for Administration, Medicare Premium Buy-In, LTC and Prescription Drug contracts are obtained from weekly expenditure reports.

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT MEDICAID EXPENDITURES

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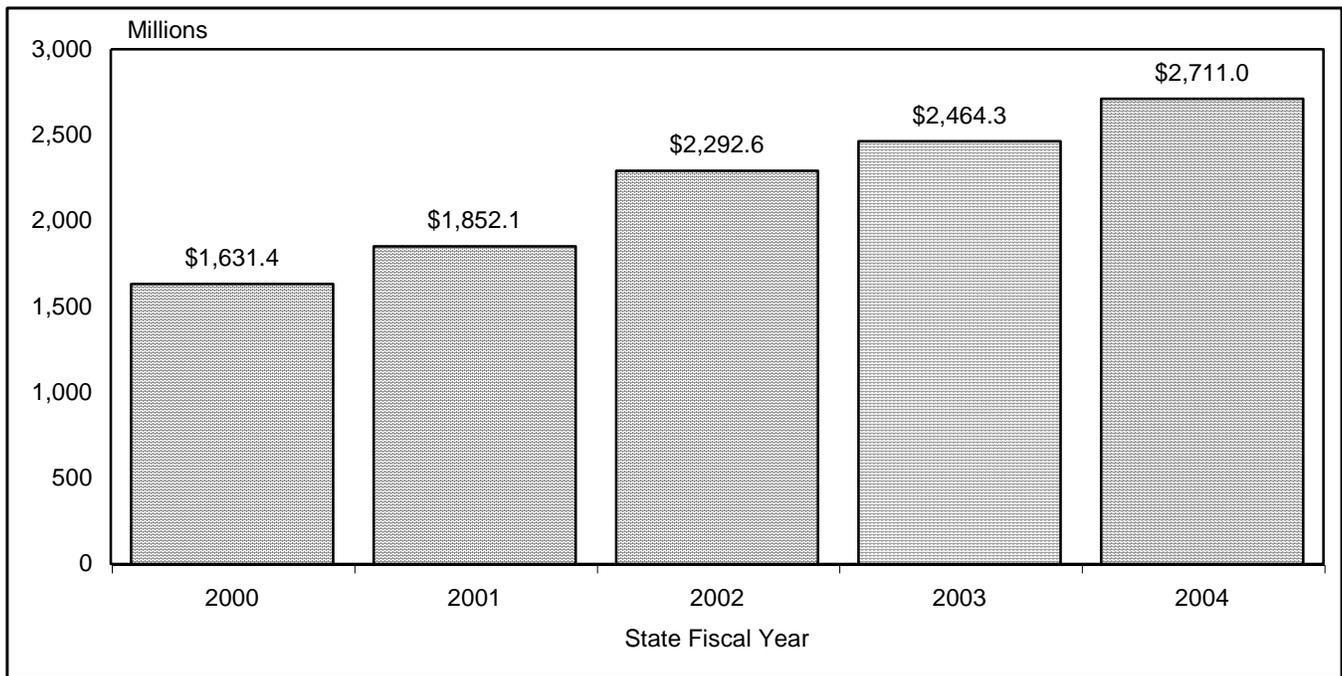
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Special Care includes Home Health, Private Duty Nursing, Personal Care, and Hospice Services.
 Transportation includes emergency and non-emergency transportation.
 Other includes administrative expenditures, Medicare co-pay and deductibles.
 ICF/MR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

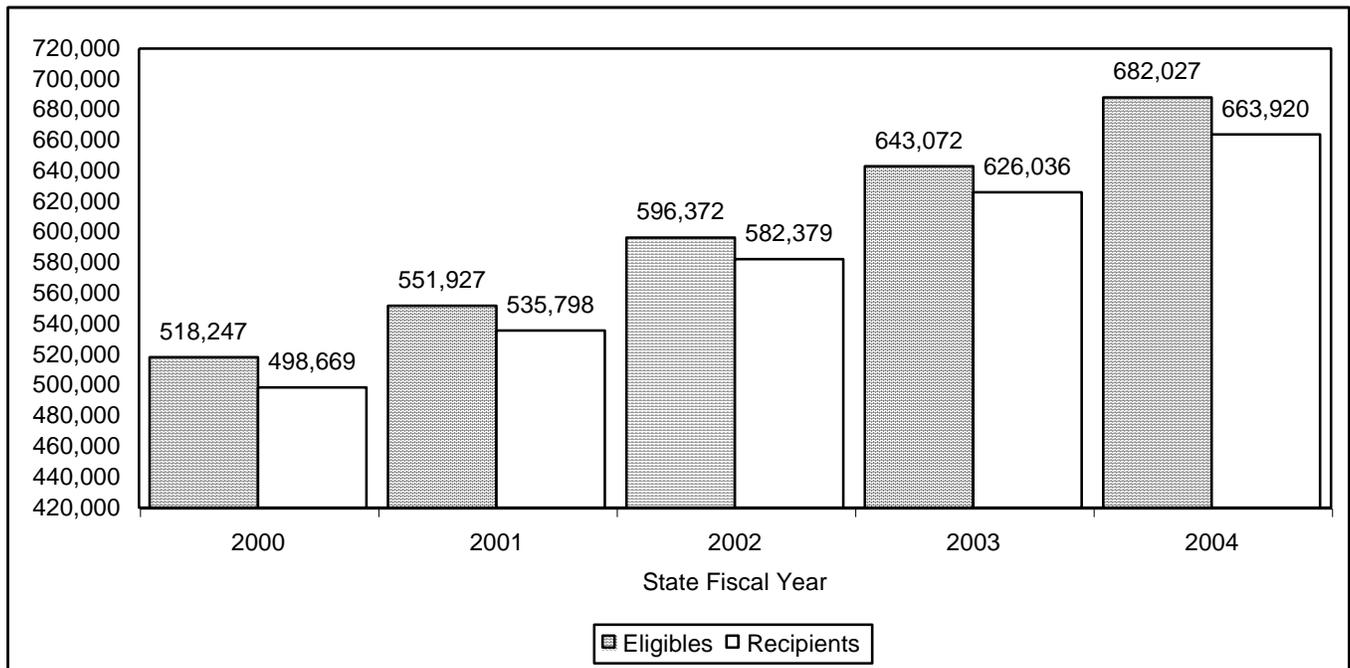
ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT MEDICAID EXPENDITURES, ELIGIBLES AND RECIPIENTS SFY 2000-2004

MEDICAID EXPENDITURES



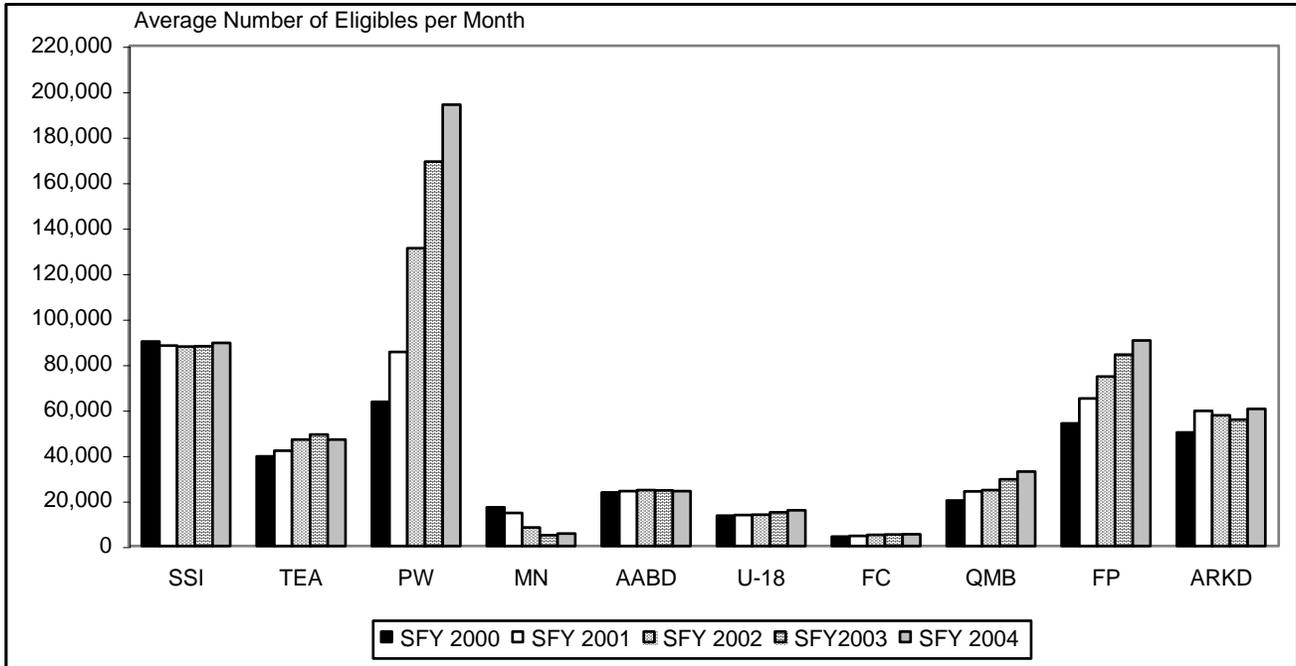
Source: Financial Activities Section

UNDUPLICATED MEDICAID ELIGIBLES AND RECIPIENTS



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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID CASELOAD
 BY AID CATEGORY
 SFY 2000-2004**



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 one (1) individual 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 2004**

Service Type	All Ages	Under 1	1-5	6-14	15-20	21-44	45-64	65-74	75-84	85+
Unduplicated Total Recipients	663,920	21,920	127,401	178,746	95,980	126,797	50,782	22,009	21,965	18,320
Inpatient Hospital	93,308	18,198	10,447	3,388	8,246	23,851	12,058	5,385	6,251	5,484
Inpt Psych Svcs, 21 and Under	5,296	0	51	2,200	2,539	297	160	21	21	7
Intensive Care Facility Svcs, Mentally Retarded	1,766	2	7	122	153	883	576	23	0	0
Skilled Nursing Facility Services	19,720	0	1	0	11	368	2,089	2,599	5,937	8,715
Physician Services	463,676	18,021	93,715	108,021	60,915	96,920	40,369	16,685	16,461	12,569
Dental Services	118,759	28	26,020	69,864	22,561	273	11	2	0	0
Other Practitioners Services	117,404	46	5,759	44,226	18,639	12,478	15,516	7,583	7,795	5,362
Outpatient Hospital Services	264,951	10,049	59,588	57,204	32,232	46,922	28,625	11,210	11,095	8,026
Clinic Services	231,553	16,859	69,657	59,546	30,712	31,292	14,075	3,880	3,189	2,343
Home Health Services	6,529	645	555	237	221	952	1,617	651	871	780
Lab & X-ray Services	184,294	5,183	25,562	27,584	24,957	44,214	27,714	10,842	10,511	7,727
Prescribed Drugs	414,659	14,938	90,919	111,886	52,937	66,756	33,277	14,438	15,826	13,682
Other Care	74,879	1,979	8,307	5,319	3,025	8,959	14,537	11,196	12,147	9,410
Managed Care Fees	416,456	14,263	111,638	153,582	67,704	48,031	19,247	1,623	270	98
Transportation	516,736	20,400	116,714	145,412	68,610	85,410	40,787	15,995	14,004	9,404
Rehabilitation Services	15,543	0	2	136	105	1,386	2,772	2,892	4,372	3,878
Therapy Services	14,906	103	1,101	1,431	2,686	106	396	2,209	3,690	3,184
Nurse Midwife	209	0	0	38	43	71	49	6	1	1
Nurse Practitioner Services	15,861	157	6,153	7,018	992	183	308	260	404	386
Private Duty Nursing	722	0	5	4	1	65	253	57	112	225
Christian Science Services	592	6	0	8	208	365	5	0	0	0
Home & Community Based Waiver	6,095	134	1,441	1,356	881	1,164	438	196	207	278

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
RECIPIENTS OF MEDICAID SERVICES BY RACE
SFY 2004**

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	663,920	405,308	200,707	1,503	2,413	28,254	25,735
Inpatient Hospital	93,308	58,524	24,218	187	342	5,002	5,035
Inpt Psych Svcs, 21 and Under	5,296	3,548	1,287	13	8	58	382
Intensive Care Facility Svcs, Mentally Retarded	1,766	1,308	361	3	4	2	88
Skilled Nursing Facility Services	19,720	15,870	3,394	12	21	17	406
Physician Services	463,676	291,746	131,993	947	1,418	18,570	19,002
Dental Services	118,759	72,531	36,911	214	327	5,134	3,642
Other Practitioners Services	117,404	74,870	33,752	254	274	2,334	5,920
Outpatient Hospital Services	264,951	163,871	77,444	574	658	9,605	12,799
Clinic Services	231,553	139,985	69,942	459	638	10,114	10,415
Home Health Services	6,529	3,683	1,968	8	14	127	729
Lab & X-ray Services	184,294	120,731	48,519	402	512	5,278	8,852
Prescribed Drugs	414,659	261,326	117,389	824	1,196	15,421	18,503
Other Care	74,879	47,995	19,695	120	165	780	6,124
Managed Care Fees	416,456	248,723	129,347	887	1,425	20,269	15,805
Transportation	516,736	301,038	165,696	1,243	2,011	23,215	23,533
Rehabilitation Services	15,543	9,594	4,585	13	27	34	1,290
Therapy Services	14,906	9,311	3,895	17	26	134	1,523
Nurse Midwife	209	115	69	3	1	1	20
Nurse Practitioner Services	15,861	9,168	3,447	35	37	327	2,847
Private Duty Nursing	722	579	103	3	1	4	32
Christian Science Services	592	408	141	3	2	26	12
Home & Community Based Waiver	6,095	4,198	1,238	25	17	362	255

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID PAYMENTS TO MEDICAL VENDORS
 MEDICAID AND ARKIDS B PAYMENTS BY RECIPIENT COUNTY
 SFY 2004**

County	Hospital/ Medical	Prescription Drugs	Long-Term Care			TOTAL
			Private NH	Public NH	ICF/MR	
Arkansas	\$10,401,929.89	\$2,942,163.42	\$5,059,025.40	\$36,429.68	\$87,866.46	\$18,527,414.85
Ashley	14,439,754.60	3,175,507.00	2,681,721.69	139,232.81	0.00	20,436,216.10
Baxter	14,828,021.31	4,523,126.47	7,417,273.68	48,273.88	0.00	26,816,695.34
Benton	39,866,314.67	10,904,539.07	11,776,454.62	44,710.40	0.00	62,592,018.76
Boone	14,695,552.98	4,588,335.23	6,407,645.09	57,567.28	0.00	25,749,100.58
Bradley	7,947,288.77	2,406,916.11	3,481,760.13	5,239,711.72	599.88	19,076,276.61
Calhoun	2,696,232.05	585,123.70	221,585.47	15,932.72	0.00	3,518,873.94
Carroll	7,615,164.68	2,149,277.30	2,799,505.04	62,846.99	0.00	12,626,794.01
Chicot	11,672,771.97	2,921,470.23	3,802,827.95	-925.00	139,769.15	18,535,914.30
Clark	11,526,910.28	3,144,852.03	5,689,667.64	9,816,597.39	0.00	30,178,027.34
Clay	9,372,418.93	3,021,217.35	4,046,927.48	33,440.00	0.00	16,474,003.76
Cleburne	9,984,689.49	2,883,023.05	4,570,212.04	17,166.16	79,074.87	17,534,165.61
Cleveland	3,355,553.26	992,422.01	1,503,533.20	-4,216.14	0.00	5,847,292.33
Columbia	13,636,452.38	3,433,687.97	6,108,551.64	47,913.61	0.00	23,226,605.60
Conway	13,834,801.00	3,201,733.87	4,902,149.44	559,354.08	30,283.92	22,528,322.31
Craighead	47,600,289.81	14,749,113.55	13,572,839.04	9,490,425.97	87,294.39	85,499,962.76
Crawford	25,479,815.41	8,043,559.89	8,707,076.30	576,798.68	1,139.45	42,808,389.73
Crittenden	33,389,162.43	7,913,721.00	7,133,974.91	1,165,387.86	195,955.53	49,798,201.73
Cross	11,764,096.72	2,971,255.60	4,143,168.93	34,679.98	52,489.50	18,965,690.73
Dallas	8,062,633.15	1,938,517.08	3,601,718.90	1,421.38	4,303,051.93	17,907,342.44
Desha	10,329,285.74	2,651,246.73	3,041,104.65	48,559.28	0.00	16,070,196.40
Drew	12,525,756.72	2,777,600.86	4,513,616.46	15,864.52	84,382.00	19,917,220.56
Faulkner	30,739,662.32	8,922,150.80	9,509,051.22	46,939,053.70	260,159.90	96,370,077.94
Franklin	8,281,791.71	2,996,987.86	5,042,265.87	0.00	16,163.86	16,337,209.30
Fulton	5,805,416.20	2,041,821.64	2,817,524.51	24,765.28	0.00	10,689,527.63
Garland	49,174,802.60	12,604,169.02	14,217,968.39	262,053.94	5,777.40	76,264,771.35
Grant	5,799,508.05	1,587,166.07	1,815,303.05	-11,970.73	0.00	9,190,006.44
Greene	21,426,501.51	7,081,153.09	6,829,537.11	121,910.46	0.00	35,459,102.17
Hempstead	13,303,713.92	2,918,223.32	4,297,434.94	760,483.70	56,436.27	21,336,292.15
Hot Spring	18,215,045.83	3,976,257.29	5,237,431.89	111,079.08	84,382.00	27,624,196.09
Howard	5,927,154.67	2,169,526.31	4,768,189.39	15,698.83	0.00	12,880,569.20
Independence	20,266,914.91	5,808,649.87	8,453,365.45	550,217.48	173,803.27	35,252,950.98
Izard	6,858,207.13	2,361,604.89	3,506,317.58	0.00	0.00	12,726,129.60
Jackson	13,218,702.17	3,461,306.88	4,759,433.72	0.00	0.00	21,439,442.77
Jefferson	47,346,525.33	11,001,604.76	16,341,801.82	1,293,553.25	146,296.71	76,129,781.87
Johnson	11,437,688.09	3,575,207.63	2,848,838.13	41,726.88	0.00	17,903,460.73
Lafayette	4,971,298.62	1,306,503.19	2,207,207.56	47,449.26	0.00	8,532,458.63
Lawrence	10,693,966.74	4,594,065.08	7,355,534.08	46,504.47	113,166.99	22,803,237.36
Lee	11,479,440.34	2,307,185.60	1,489,886.97	20,845.05	0.00	15,297,357.96
Lincoln	6,531,043.43	2,032,443.95	3,639,265.47	31,542.29	0.00	12,234,295.14

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID PAYMENTS TO MEDICAL VENDORS
 MEDICAID AND ARKIDS B PAYMENTS BY RECIPIENT COUNTY
 SFY 2004**

County	Hospital/ Medical	Prescription Drugs	Long-Term Care			TOTAL
			Private NH	Public NH	ICF/MR	
Little River	\$5,168,395.88	\$1,857,683.45	\$3,771,961.47	-\$35,698.95	\$77,444.05	\$10,839,785.90
Logan	12,041,003.97	3,758,366.93	4,680,152.13	12,779,519.92	108,765.01	33,367,807.96
Lonoke	22,180,772.07	6,878,561.80	14,318,434.58	692,174.72	323,240.22	44,393,183.39
Madison	4,428,744.22	1,536,367.39	2,015,333.58	0.00	0.00	7,980,445.19
Marion	7,031,948.49	2,117,491.91	2,970,357.77	0.00	0.00	12,119,798.17
Miller	19,373,228.51	4,941,427.72	7,511,862.79	541,544.79	0.00	32,368,063.81
Mississippi	32,875,289.79	8,940,247.15	9,515,727.30	80,264.06	0.00	51,411,528.30
Monroe	8,312,936.61	1,856,971.95	2,098,003.40	0.00	56,476.80	12,324,388.76
Montgomery	3,929,625.18	1,289,720.58	2,795,081.90	-7,840.48	0.00	8,006,587.18
Nevada	9,533,584.61	2,816,439.05	3,439,931.55	0.00	0.00	15,789,955.21
Newton	5,239,780.14	1,381,871.12	1,609,520.53	34,641.97	0.00	8,265,813.76
Ouachita	14,029,384.25	4,548,974.28	7,755,057.00	43,802.27	0.00	26,377,217.80
Perry	4,124,895.55	1,261,337.39	1,803,508.82	17,316.88	0.00	7,207,058.64
Phillips	30,253,823.73	5,897,404.10	4,035,308.84	573,933.18	6,829.80	40,767,299.65
Pike	4,658,531.90	1,500,810.57	2,857,638.61	26,898.00	57,766.65	9,101,645.73
Poinsett	16,793,566.97	5,608,127.72	5,884,007.02	14,082.33	82,255.81	28,382,039.85
Polk	8,598,890.36	3,233,723.55	2,872,753.85	4,572.11	100,597.14	14,810,537.01
Pope	27,614,646.88	9,221,836.91	9,443,378.89	672,438.58	50,817.26	47,003,118.52
Prairie	4,680,152.95	1,375,640.09	3,099,717.70	0.00	16,848.87	9,172,359.61
Pulaski	208,522,428.48	42,530,030.32	33,344,924.46	4,513,086.01	6,978,484.23	295,888,953.50
Randolph	11,537,508.58	3,374,690.38	5,064,141.67	201,719.24	0.00	20,178,059.87
Saline	40,819,359.08	9,922,897.15	7,808,721.18	36,668,639.35	0.00	95,219,616.76
Scott	5,503,404.57	2,170,636.56	2,629,288.87	15,219.78	0.00	10,318,549.78
Searcy	7,179,895.93	1,780,567.68	1,107,815.28	0.00	0.00	10,068,278.89
Sebastian	54,745,283.39	14,314,152.89	14,658,832.80	1,373,289.50	4,121,450.60	89,213,009.18
Sevier	6,710,129.18	2,020,807.44	3,271,505.87	29,791.21	0.00	12,032,233.70
Sharp	11,331,800.92	3,614,668.57	3,619,133.21	78,655.91	0.00	18,644,258.61
St. Francis	24,931,532.15	5,891,151.72	3,973,595.47	69,457.12	0.00	34,865,736.46
Stone	7,057,859.87	1,924,734.41	1,882,870.32	16,971.88	0.00	10,882,436.48
Union	23,515,466.35	6,936,362.51	12,256,150.93	1,211,662.15	84,382.00	44,004,023.94
Van Buren	8,515,379.80	2,861,900.61	4,337,648.44	20,146.95	0.00	15,735,075.80
Washington	55,953,678.13	12,877,300.05	13,278,440.87	1,676,665.28	88,363.19	83,874,447.52
White	30,210,234.91	9,306,612.99	11,749,764.00	694,555.26	0.00	51,961,167.16
Woodruff	6,667,489.54	1,781,204.23	2,862,078.49	0.00	0.00	11,310,772.26
Yell	8,749,347.30	3,196,944.49	6,492,653.10	100,383.59	0.00	18,539,328.48
State Total	\$1,379,322,280.05	\$367,192,102.43	\$441,133,999.54	\$139,809,978.80	\$18,071,815.11	\$2,345,530,175.93

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

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT

SERVICES COVERED BY ARKANSAS MEDICAID

SFY 2004

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 Dental Services
- Nursing Facility (Age 21 and Over, who are aged, blind or disabled)
- Nurse Midwife
- Nurse Practitioner (Family and Pediatric)
- Physician
- Rural Health Clinics

Optional Services Chosen by Arkansas:

- Ambulatory Surgical Center Services
- Alternatives for Adults with Physical Disabilities Waiver
- Audiological Services (EPSDT, Under Age 21)
- Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist (CRNA)
- Child Health Management Services (EPSDT, Under Age 21)
- Children's Services Respite Care Waivers (2) (Under Age 21)
- Chiropractic Services
- DDS Alternative Community Services Waiver
- Dental Services (EPSDT, Under Age 21)
- Developmental Day Treatment Clinic Services (DDTCS)
- Developmental Rehabilitation Services
- Domiciliary Care Services
- Durable Medical Equipment
- ElderChoices Waiver
- End-Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) Facility Services
- Hearing Services
- Hyperalimentation Services
- Hospice Services
- Inpatient Psychiatric Services Under Age 21
- Inpatient Rehabilitative Hospital Services
- Intermediate Care Facility Services for Mentally Retarded
- Licensed Mental Health Practitioner Services (Under Age 21)
- Medical Supplies
- Medicare/Medicaid Crossover Only
- Nursing Facility Services (Under Age 21)
- Occupational, Physical, Speech Therapy Services
- Orthotic Appliances
- Personal Care Services
- Podiatrist Services
- Portable X-Ray Services
- Pregnant Women – Unborn Child
- Prescription Drugs
- Private Duty Nursing Services (for Ventilator-Dependent All Ages and High-Tech Non-Ventilator Dependent Persons (EPSDT, Under 21))
- Prosthetic Devices
- Rehabilitative Services for Youth and Children (RSYC)
- Rehabilitative Services for Persons with Mental Illness (RSPMI)
- Rehabilitative Services for Persons with Physical Disabilities (RSPD)
- Respiratory Care Services (EPSDT, Under Age 21)
- School-Based Mental Health Services (Under Age 21)
- State Child Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) Title XXI
- Targeted Case Management for Pregnant Women
- Targeted Case Management for Recipients Age 22 and Over with a Developmental Disability
- Targeted Case Management for Recipients (EPSDT Under Age 21 with a Developmental Disability)
- Targeted Case Management Services for Recipients (EPSDT, Under Age 21)
- Targeted Case Management Services for Recipients Age 0 Through 20 (Who are at Risk of Delinquency as Evidenced by being in the Care or Custody of DYS)
- Targeted Case Management Services for Recipients (Who are either at Risk of Abuse or Neglect or are Abused or Neglected Children and are in the Care or Custody of DCFS)
- Targeted Case Management Services for recipients age 0-21 who meet eligibility criteria of Children's Services, the state's Title V children with Special Health Care Needs Agency or SSI/TEFRA Disabled Children's Program clients ages 0-16 with any diagnoses
- Targeted Case Management Services for Recipients Age 60 and Older
- Transportation Services (Ambulance, Non-Emergency)
- Ventilator Equipment
- Visual Services

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
SERVICES COVERED BY ARKANSAS MEDICAID
SFY 2004**

Major Benefit Limitations on Services:

- Twelve (12) visits per state fiscal year to any combination of physicians (home, office, nursing home), certified nurse midwife, medical services performed by an optometrist or a dentist, Rural Health Clinics.
- Twelve (12) visits per state fiscal year for hospital non-emergency outpatient services (including assessment) and related physician or nurse practitioner services.
- Twelve (12) Federally Qualified Health Center encounters per state fiscal year.
- One (1) basic family planning visit and three (3) periodic family planning visits per state fiscal year, in addition to the twelve (12) outpatient professional visits.
- Lab and x-ray services are limited to total benefit payment of \$500 per state fiscal year, except for EPSDT recipients.
- Three pharmaceutical prescriptions, including refills, allowed per month (certain prescriptions are not counted against benefit limit; unlimited prescriptions are allowed for nursing facility recipients and EPSDT recipients under age 21). Extensions will be considered up to a maximum of six (6) prescriptions per month for recipients at risk of institutionalization.
- Inpatient hospital days are limited to 24 per state fiscal year, except for EPSDT recipients and some organ transplant patients. Stays longer than 4 days, and all transfer admissions, require certification unless the patient is under the age of one year.
- Home health visits are limited to 50 per state fiscal year. For recipients age 21 and older, extensions are considered for patients at risk of institutionalization. Extensions are considered for recipients under age 21 if medically necessary.
- Personal care services are limited to 64 hours per calendar month for age 21 and older. Services for recipients under age 21 require prior authorization.
- Benefit limits do not generally apply to individuals under 21. Some diagnoses are exempt from benefit limitations. All exceptions to benefit limits are based on medical necessity.

Cost Sharing Requirements:

- Some recipients must pay 10% of the first Medicaid covered day of a hospital stay, \$0.50 to \$3 for each prescription, and \$2 on the dispensing fee for prescription services for eyeglasses. Individuals under 18 and certain other individuals are excluded from these cost-sharing requirements. Some services and prescriptions are excluded from these cost sharing requirements.
- Individuals eligible in the Working Disabled category, whose gross income is below 100% of the Federal Poverty Level, have the same cost sharing requirements as those specified above. However, individuals under 18 are not excluded from cost sharing. Individuals eligible in the Working Disabled category, whose gross income is at or above 100% of the Federal Poverty level, pay \$10.00 per service for most services. Cost sharing for some services is a percentage of the Medicaid maximum allowable amount. Some services do not require cost sharing.
- Individuals eligible in the ARKids First B category pay \$10.00 per service for most services. Cost sharing for inpatient hospitalization is 20% of the first Medicaid covered day of the hospital stay. Cost sharing for prescription drugs is \$5.00 per prescription. Some services do not require cost sharing.
- Based on family income, individuals in the TEFRA waiver program may or may not be required to pay a premium.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
MEDICAL ASSISTANCE SECTION
SFY 2004**

The Medical Assistance Section is responsible for enrolling providers in Medicaid and the ARKids First Program. At the end of the State Fiscal Year 2004 (SFY 2004), there were more than 19,400 enrolled providers in the above programs. More than 8,500 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 2004, 86,937 telephone inquiries were handled in all Assistance Sections including the Early Periodic, Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) program and the Medical Assistance Units with over 55,600 of those inquiries being handled by the Program Communications Unit. In addition, since the start of the ARKids Program in September of 1997, over 171,000 ARKids participants' telephone enrollment contacts have been processed. The ARKids 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 and Visual programs.

	SFY 2004	SFY 2003	SFY 2002
Telephone Inquiries	86,937	93,917	80,914
Written Correspondence	3,737	3,671	3,021
Recipient Denial Letters	129	139	129
Fair Hearings	358	322	315

SYSTEMS AND SUPPORT

A major responsibility centered in the Systems and Support section is the administration and monitoring of the Arkansas Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS). This automated claims processing, data, and management reporting system was initially certified in 1975 by Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA) now currently known as Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). The Arkansas MMIS was one of the first systems of its kind to receive federal certification.

The MMIS and fiscal agent operation is provided under contract with Electronic Data Systems (EDS), which assumed the contract for Medicaid claims payment processing on October 1, 1985. EDS began its fourth contract with Arkansas Medicaid on July 1, 2002. The latest contract provided for continued enhancements, maintenance and operation of the MMIS and related fiscal agent (FA) services. Included in these were the ARKids/SCHIPS expansion, implementation of the new Tuberculosis (TB) Program, Assisted Living Waiver Program, Children's Medical Services Respite Waiver Services, Private Duty Nursing in the Schools and the mandatory compliance of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA Privacy Standards) was implemented April 14, 2003. The new enhancements significantly enhanced the quality of service provided by DHS to its recipients, its providers, and to the taxpayers of Arkansas.

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 2004 were as follows:

Other Collections (Health & Casualty Insurance)	\$7,006,062.39
Cost Avoidance (Health Insurance)	<u>\$11,485,237.77</u>
Total Savings	\$18,491,300.16

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
UTILIZATION REVIEW
SFY 2004**

The purpose of the Utilization Review section is to identify possible fraud or abuse, to monitor the quality of services delivered and to pre-authorize the necessary medical service. This section assures that both quality and efficient care are provided to the Medicaid clients through competent providers. Utilization Review accomplishes its purpose through staff efforts directed in the following areas:

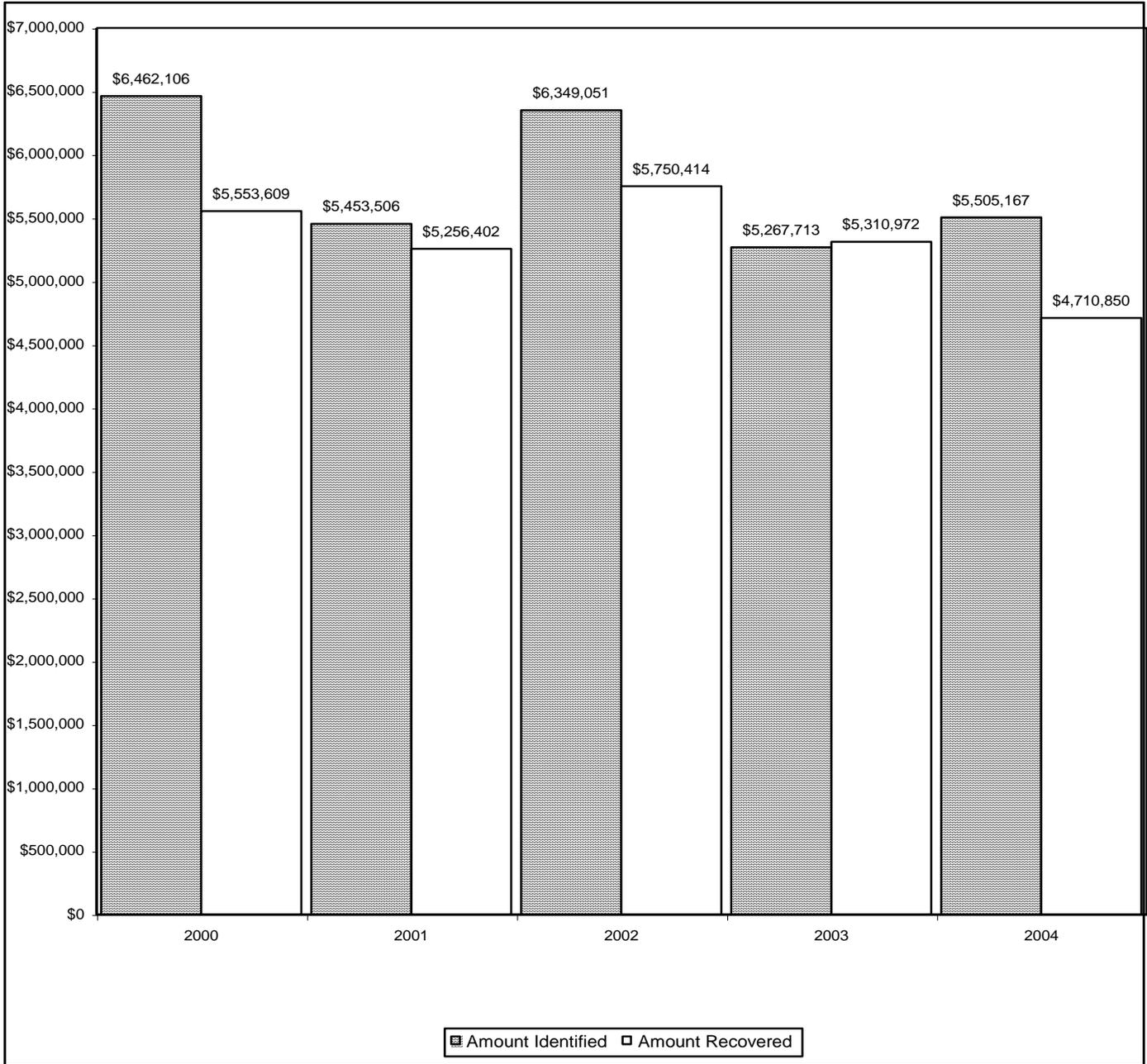
1. Pre-pay and Post-Payment reviews of medical services.
2. Prior authorization for Durable Medical Equipment (DME), Private Duty Nursing, Hyperalimentation, Hearing Aid Repairs and Out of State Emergencies.
3. Monitor contractors that perform prior authorizations and extension of benefits for quality assurance reviews for the following programs: In-patient Psych, In-patient and Out-patient Hospital, Primary Care Physician, Targeted Case Management, Therapy, RSPMI, Out Patient Mental Health Services, Child Health Management Services Personal Care Under-21 and Organ Transplants.
4. Review requests for extension of benefits for Out Patient Visits, Office Visits, Lab & X-ray, Speech & Physical for Under 21, Psychiatric Pharmacologic Management, Medical Supplies, Personal Care Over-21, Home Health and Diapers.
5. Arrange out-of-state transportation for recipients and their companions to receive medical service not available in-state.

The Utilization Review Section is continually seeking new methods to eliminate waste and unnecessary services from the Medicaid program while assuring that the quality of care provided is equal to that of privately insured Arkansans.

SUMMARY

Prior Authorization Approvals:	15,473	Prior Authorization Denials:	10,546
Durable Medical Equipment		Durable Medical Equipment	
Hyperalimentation		Hyperalimentation	
Private Duty Nursing		Private Duty Nursing	
Hearing Aid Repairs		Hearing Aid Repairs	
Out of State Emergencies		Out of State Emergencies	
Extension of Benefits Approvals:	42,725	Extension of Benefits Denials:	20,369
Office Visits		Office Visits	
Out Patient Visits		Out Patient Visits	
Lab & X-ray		Lab & X-ray	
Speech & Physical Therapy for Under 21		Speech & Physical Therapy for Under 21	
Personal Care Over 21		Personal Care Over 21	
Home Health		Home Health	
Diapers		Diapers	
Medical Supplies		Medical Supplies	
SURS/PRO Overpayments Identified	\$4,379,742	SURS/PRO Overpayments Recouped	\$4,207,080
Pre-Pay Claim Reviews	45,313	Pre-Pay Claim Adjustments	1,017
Organ Transplant Requests Received	80	Organ Transplant Dollars Expended	\$6,334,841
Explanation of Medical Benefits	8,376		
PCP Changes Requested and	469		
Fair Hearings Requests Received	139		
Patient Travel Requests Received	149	Patient Travel Dollars Expended	\$33,734
Companion Travel Requested	180	Companion Travel Dollars Expended	\$55,958
Mental Health Post Admission Eligibility	1,596	Mental Health Post Admission	2,036
Telephone Inquires (Average)	47,043		
Field Audit On-Site Audits Conducted	125	Field Audit In-House Reviews Conducted	131
Field Audit Overpayment Identified	\$1,125,425	Field Audit Overpayment Recouped	\$503,770

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
OVERPAYMENTS IDENTIFIED AND RECOUPED
SFY 2000 - 2004**



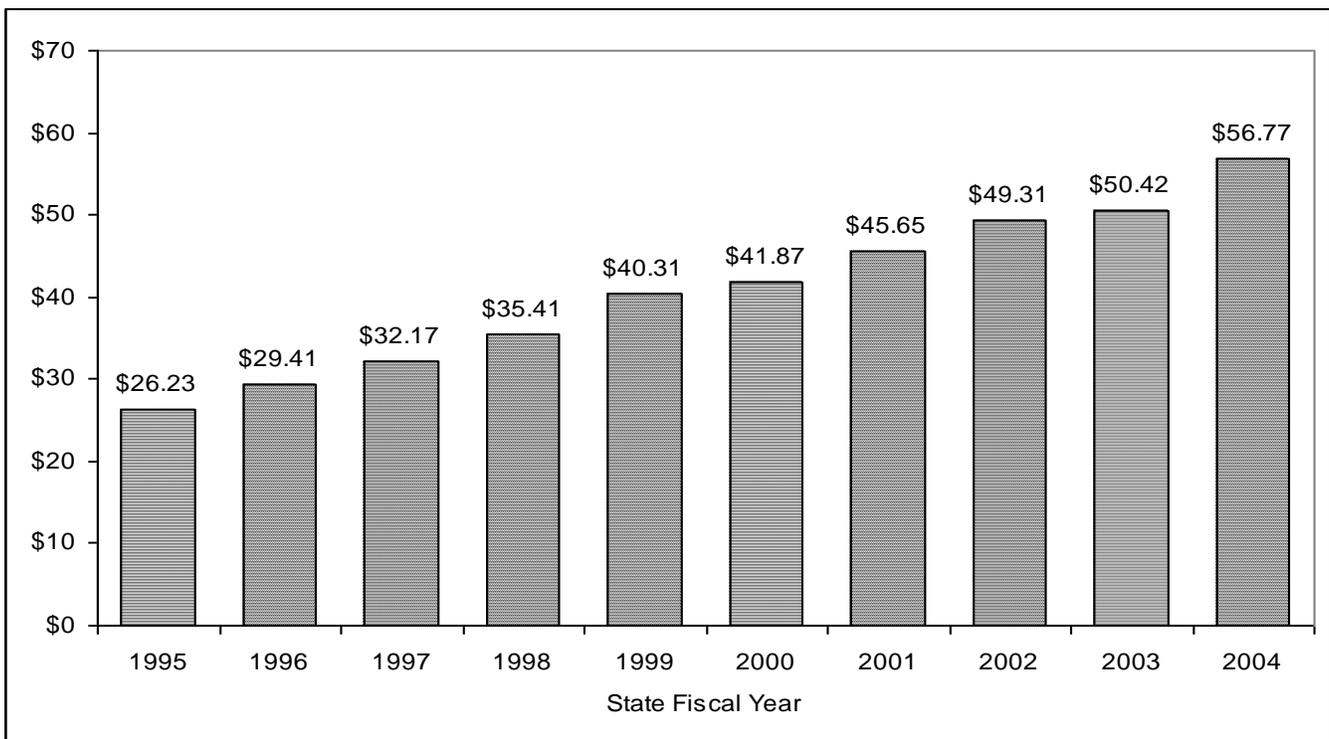
ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT PRESCRIPTION DRUG PROGRAM SFY 2004

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 820 enrolled pharmacies in the state. During SFY 2004, a total of 420,554 Medicaid recipients used their prescription drug benefits. A total of 6.4 million prescriptions were reimbursed by Arkansas Medicaid for cost of \$367.1 million dollars thus making the average cost per prescription approximately \$57. An average cost for a brand name prescription was \$89 dollars, although representing 55% of the claims it accounted for 83% of our expenditures. The average cost for a generic prescription was \$22 dollars, representing 45% of our claims and accounted for 17% 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.

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 we established a differential fee of \$2.00 applied to generic prescriptions for which there is not an upper limit. The average cost per prescription in SFY 2004 was \$56.77.

AVERAGE COST PER PRESCRIPTION



**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
OFFICE OF LONG TERM CARE
SFY 2004**

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' 230 Nursing Facilities and in the state's 41 Intermediate Care Facilities for the Mentally Retarded including six (6) Human Development Centers. Annual surveys are also conducted in 37 Adult Day Care and Adult Day Health Care facilities and one Post Acute Head Injury Facility throughout the state. Semi-annual surveys are conducted in the 108 Residential Care Facilities, nine (9) Assisted Living Facilities and thirteen (13) Alzheimer's Special Care Units. ***But the OLTC does so much more!***

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. In SFY 04, the Office of Long Term Care devoted nearly 400 hours of staff time to provide training and education to facilities throughout the State of Arkansas. OLTC staff members presented fourteen (14) educational programs and participated in 23 more sessions presented by various professional organizations statewide. Approximately 2,475 individuals working in the industry attended these programs. In addition, approximately 460 submitted agendas were reviewed to determine allowable credits for continuing education hours for nursing home administrators.

The Nursing Home Administrator Licensure Unit processed renewals for 640 licensed administrators, processed and issued 66 applications for new and temporary licenses, and administrated the state nursing home administrator examination to 63 individuals.

The Criminal Record Check Program applies to all categories of licensed long-term care facilities consisting of over 450 affected facilities. During SFY 04, there were 30,132 "state" record checks processed through OLTC with 825 disqualifications (2.74%) and 11,807 "federal" record checks processed with 220 disqualifications (1.85%).

At the end of SFY 04, the Registry for Certified Nursing Assistants (CNAs) contained 22,039 "active" and 42,715 "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 1,120 Medicaid nursing facility applications per month while maintaining approximately 14, 000 active cases and processing about 1,296 changes of condition requests during the year. In addition, almost 9,826 applications/reviews for other medical programs within DHS were made during SFY 04.

The OLTC Complaint Unit staffs a registered nurse and licensed social worker that 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. OLTC received 1,273 nursing home complaints during SFY 04.

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 2004**

County	<u>RACE</u>							<u>GENDER</u>				
	White	Black	Native Amer.	Spanish Amer.	Asian Amer.	Other	Un-known	Total	Male	Female	Un-known	Total
Arkansas	211	68	0	0	0	0	4	283	71	212	0	283
Ashley	119	51	0	0	0	0	10	180	52	127	1	180
Baxter	356	41	0	0	0	0	3	400	106	294	0	400
Benton	565	2	1	2	0	4	12	586	147	431	8	586
Boone	262	0	0	0	0	0	8	270	76	194	0	270
Bradley	188	72	0	0	0	0	4	264	96	168	0	264
Calhoun	22	8	0	0	0	0	0	30	8	22	0	30
Carroll	120	0	0	0	0	1	0	121	32	89	0	121
Chicot	46	94	0	0	0	0	7	147	58	89	0	147
Clark	278	108	0	0	0	3	13	402	180	222	0	402
Clay	181	0	0	0	0	0	2	183	63	120	0	183
Cleburne	209	1	0	0	0	0	3	213	43	169	1	213
Cleveland	52	8	0	0	0	0	1	61	14	47	0	61
Columbia	151	85	0	0	0	0	2	238	65	173	0	238
Conway	169	29	0	0	0	1	4	203	57	146	0	203
Craighead	721	62	0	0	0	2	12	797	271	526	0	797
Crawford	448	8	1	0	0	1	7	465	140	325	0	465
Crittenden	169	153	0	0	0	2	6	330	106	223	1	330
Cross	139	41	0	0	0	0	2	182	69	113	0	182
Dallas	131	96	1	0	0	1	13	242	121	121	0	242
Desha	49	57	0	0	0	0	2	108	25	83	0	108
Drew	128	61	0	0	0	0	6	195	56	138	1	195
Faulkner	877	138	2	0	0	1	14	1,032	417	613	2	1,032
Franklin	209	0	0	0	0	1	2	212	60	152	0	212
Fulton	136	0	0	0	0	0	3	139	31	108	0	139
Garland	562	82	1	0	0	3	24	672	215	454	3	672
Grant	92	0	0	0	0	0	1	93	21	72	0	93
Greene	268	2	2	0	0	4	5	213	75	206	0	281
Hempstead	118	67	0	0	0	1	3	203	53	136	0	189
Hot Spring	261	54	0	0	0	0	5	1032	107	213	0	320
Howard	204	65	0	0	0	1	6	199	88	188	0	276
Independence	356	18	0	0	0	0	3	781	112	265	0	377
Izard	191	0	0	0	0	0	0	95	56	135	0	191
Jackson	166	35	0	0	0	0	5	458	64	141	1	206
Jefferson	315	405	0	0	0	2	8	166	238	490	2	730
Johnson	194	3	0	0	0	0	2	78	42	157	0	199
Lafayette	56	38	0	0	0	0	2	177	31	65	0	96
Lawrence	287	3	0	0	0	0	5	563	72	223	0	295
Lee	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	114	0	0	0	0
Lincoln	139	54	0	0	0	0	4	301	61	134	2	197

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BY GENDER AND RACE
SFY 2004**

County	<u>RACE</u>							<u>GENDER</u>				
	White	Black	Native Amer.	Spanish Amer.	Asian Amer.	Un-Other	Un-known	Total	Male	Female	Un-known	Total
Little River	173	39	0	0	0	0	4	216	50	166	0	216
Logan	364	27	1	0	0	3	4	399	178	221	0	399
Lonoke	676	100	0	0	0	4	1	781	199	582	0	781
Madison	78	0	0	0	0	0	1	79	19	60	0	79
Marion	122	0	0	0	0	0	2	124	41	83	0	124
Miller	247	101	0	0	0	1	6	355	93	261	1	355
Mississippi	305	142	0	0	0	3	16	466	155	310	1	466
Monroe	47	31	0	0	0	0	3	81	36	45	0	81
Montgomery	110	0	0	0	0	1	2	113	20	93	0	113
Nevada	104	47	0	0	0	0	2	153	43	110	0	153
Newton	86	0	0	0	0	0	1	87	24	63	0	87
Ouachita	187	119	0	0	0	0	11	317	83	234	0	317
Perry	95	0	0	0	0	0	0	95	20	75	0	95
Phillips	84	116	0	0	0	0	2	202	86	116	0	202
Pike	111	12	0	0	0	1	2	126	38	88	0	126
Poinsett	316	65	0	0	0	0	7	388	133	253	2	388
Polk	132	0	0	0	0	0	1	133	24	109	0	133
Pope	448	4	0	0	0	2	4	458	100	358	0	458
Prairie	131	30	0	0	0	1	4	166	45	121	0	166
Pulaski-East	76	123	0	0	0	1	3	203	58	142	3	203
Pulaski-Jax	104	14	0	0	0	1	2	121	31	90	0	121
Pulaski-North	407	91	1	0	0	4	21	524	121	403	0	524
Pulaski-South	278	391	1	0	0	3	21	694	212	476	6	694
Pulaski-SW	155	46	0	0	0	1	14	216	79	137	0	216
Randolph	226	0	0	0	0	0	3	229	51	178	0	229
Saline	710	110	0	0	0	8	19	847	369	478	0	847
Scott	150	0	0	0	0	1	3	154	44	110	0	154
Searcy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sebastian	671	53	1	0	0	11	16	752	237	515	0	752
Sevier	113	7	0	0	0	1	3	124	34	90	0	124
Sharp	184	0	0	0	0	0	4	188	50	138	0	188
St. Francis	68	105	0	0	0	1	3	177	61	116	0	177
Stone	72	0	0	0	0	1	5	78	25	53	0	78
Union	381	155	0	0	0	0	9	545	159	386	0	545
Van Buren	171	2	0	0	0	0	4	177	38	139	0	177
Washington	619	5	0	0	0	3	17	644	181	462	1	644
White	525	27	0	0	0	2	9	563	153	409	1	563
Woodruff	78	34	0	0	0	0	2	114	34	80	0	114
Yell	291	4	0	0	0	0	6	301	83	218	0	301
State Total	18,240	4,009	12	2	0	82	450	22,795	7,006	15,752	37	22,795

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
LONG-TERM CARE MEDICAID PROGRAM
SERVICES AND STATISTICS
SFY 2004**

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 pediatric, one (1) private nonprofit pediatric facility, and 31 ten-bed facilities serving adults.

	NURSING FACILITIES	ICF/MR
Public	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
Private	Private Nursing Homes (229) (For Profit and Nonprofit)	Private ICF/MR Pediatric facilities: Arkansas Pediatric Brownwood Millcreek Private Nonprofit ICF/MR Pediatric: Easter Seals Private Nonprofit ICF/MR: 15 Bed or Less Facilities for Adults (31)

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (FOI) REQUESTS

FOI requests processed	812
Total pages copies	626,535
Staff man-hours required	5,855

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
 MEDICAID LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY PROGRAM STATISTICS
 SFY 2004**

DISTRIBUTION OF PATIENTS BY LEVEL OF CARE WITH PER DIEM RATES

FACILITY TYPE	NO. OF FACIL.	TOTAL BEDS	TOTAL[1] RECIPIENTS	AVERAGE WEIGHTED RATE BY FACILITY TYPE (2)
Nursing Facilities				
Private Nursing Facilities	224	23,709	19,390	111.76
Public-AHC	1	320	338	286.36
ICF/MR Facilities				
Private Pediatric Over 15 beds	4	204	247	245.97
Private Adult 15 beds	31	322	341	161.36
HDC	6	1,157	1,182	250.90
Total Medicaid	266	25,712	21,498	
Non-Medicaid				
NF Medicare	1	60		
NF Private	4	324		
Total Non-Medicaid	5	384		
Total	271	26,096		

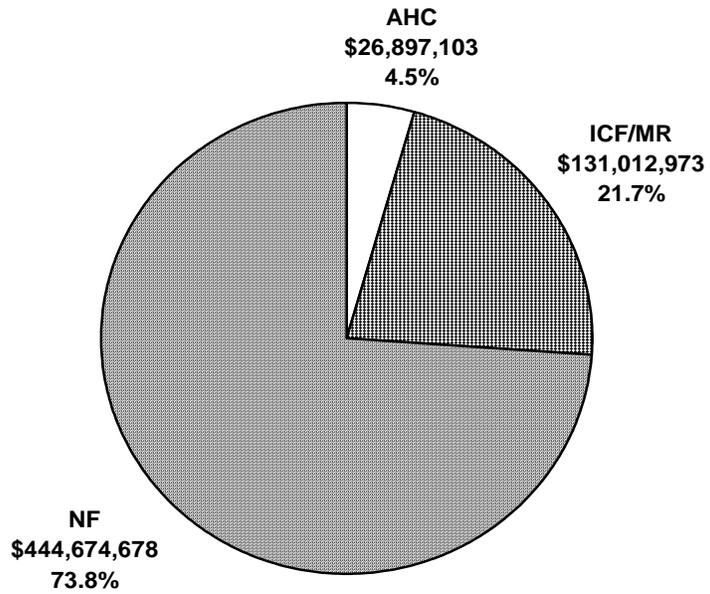
[1] Recipients reflect unduplicated count of persons residing in specified facilities during July 1, 2003 - June 30, 2004.
 [2] Nursing Facility (NF) Rate Methodology changed January 1, 2001 and March 9, 2001 from a class rate based on level of care to facility specific rates. The rate reflected here is the average weighted rate for SFY 2004.

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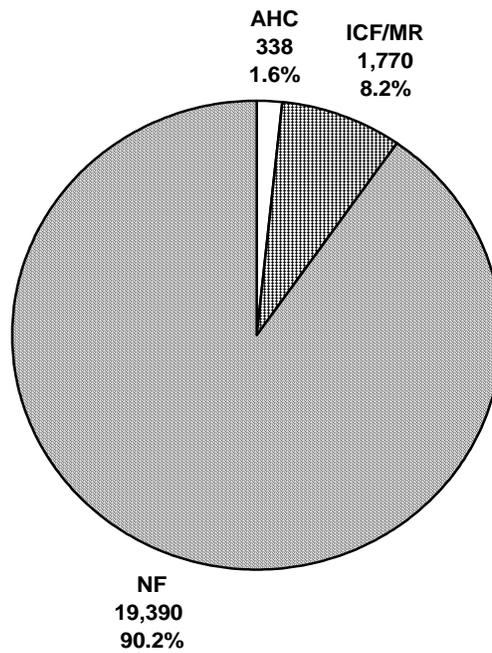
FACILITY CLASS	PATIENT DAYS	EXPEN-DITURES	AVERAGE DAILY PAYMENTS	AVG. ANNUAL PAYMENTS PER INDIVIDUAL
Private NF	4,603,704	\$444,674,678	\$96.59	\$22,933
Arkansas Health Care	99,823	26,897,103	269.45	79,577
Human Development Centers ICF/MR	398,511	95,832,439	240.48	81,077
Private ICF/MR - Over 15 beds	73,923	18,071,815	244.47	73,165
Private ICF/MR - 15 beds or less	115,273	17,108,719	148.42	50,172
TOTAL	5,291,234	\$602,584,754		

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

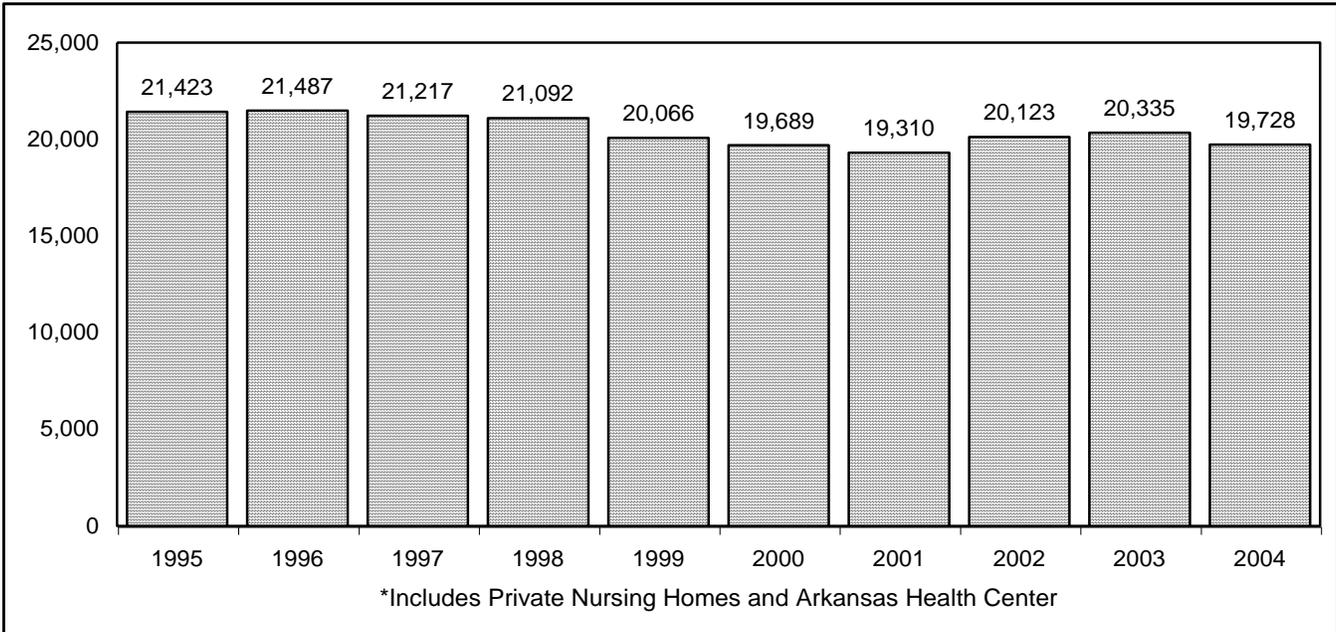
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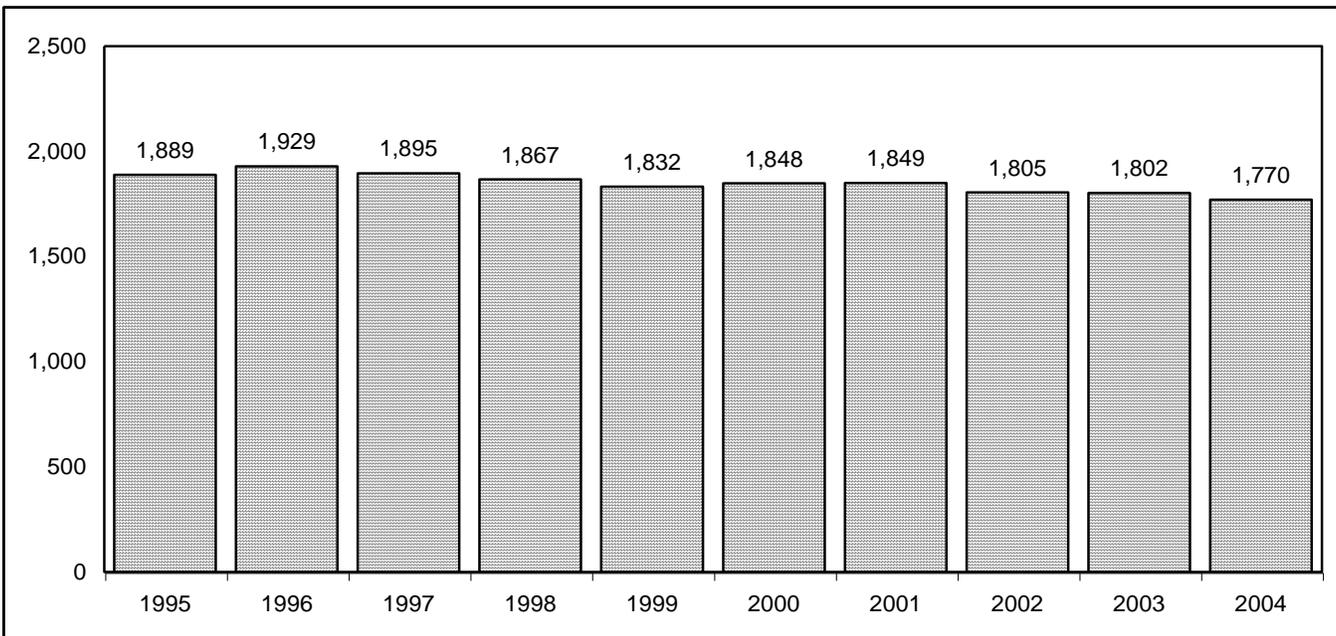
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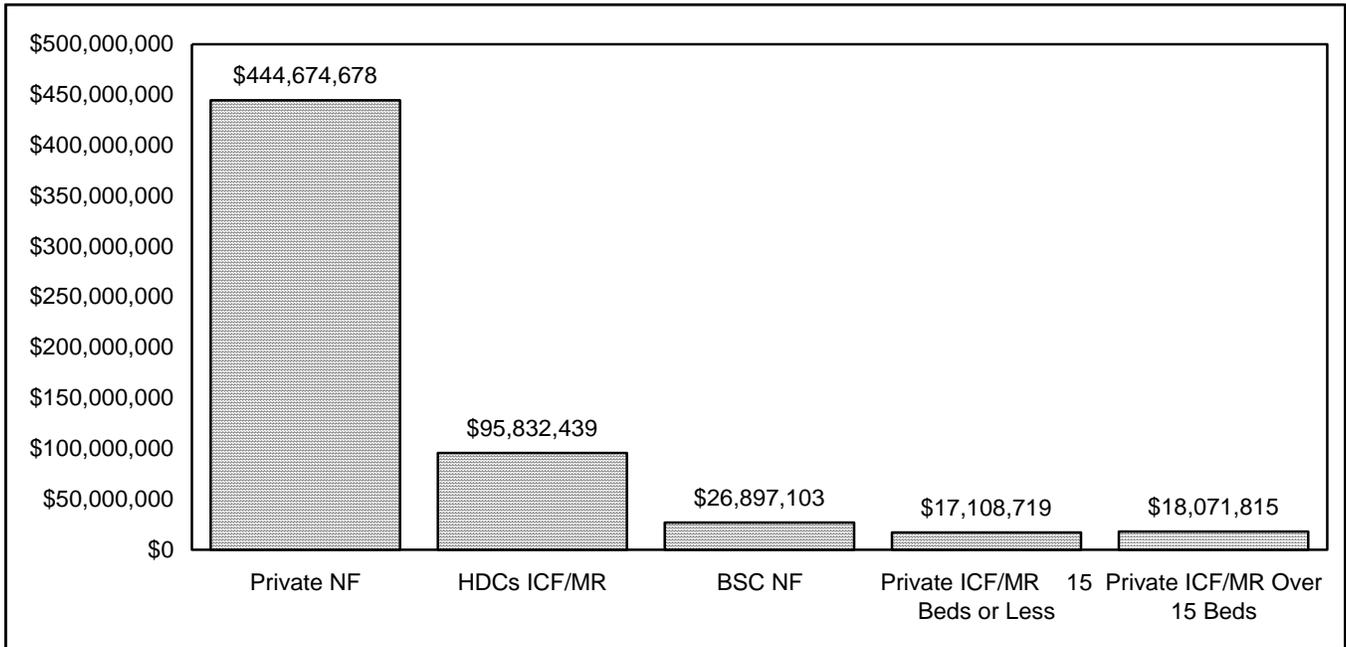


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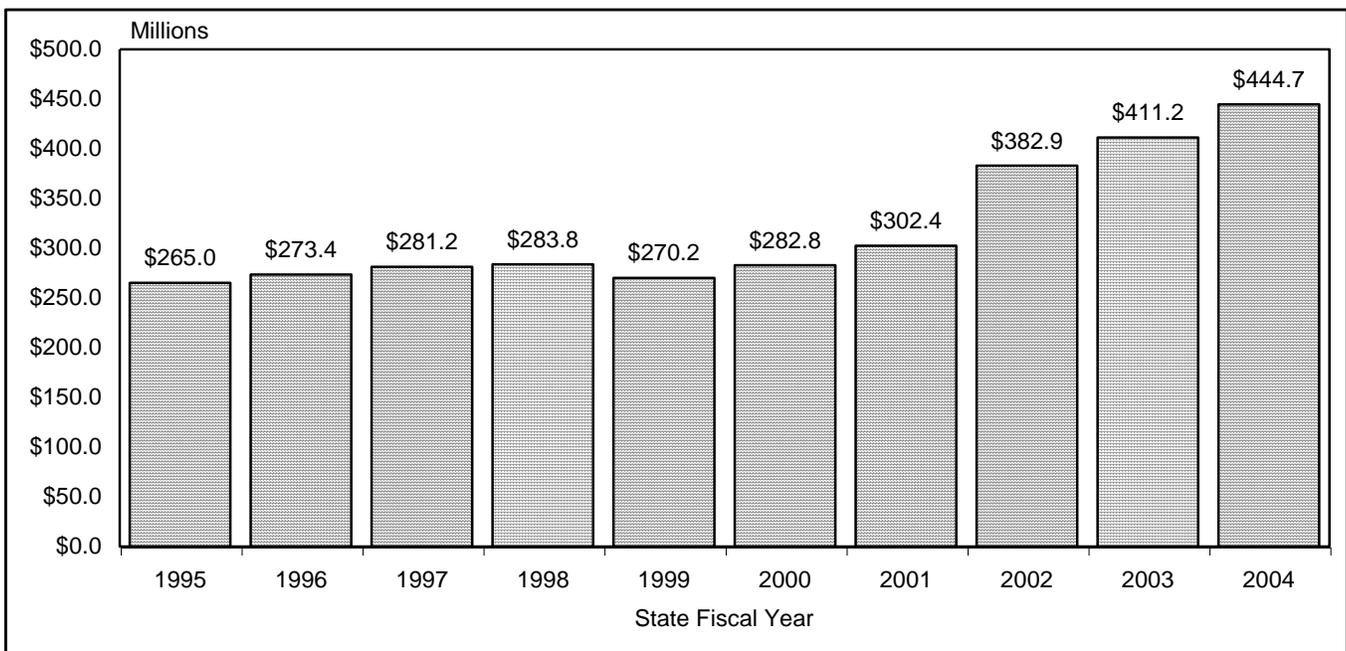


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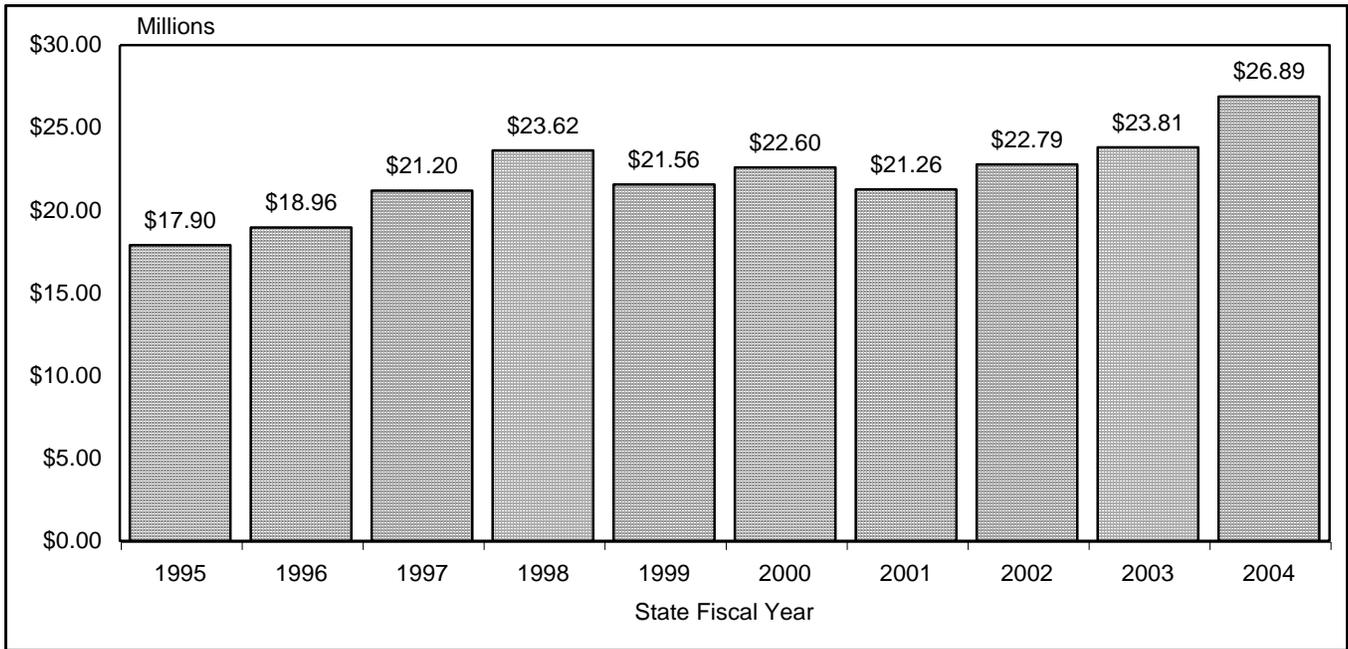
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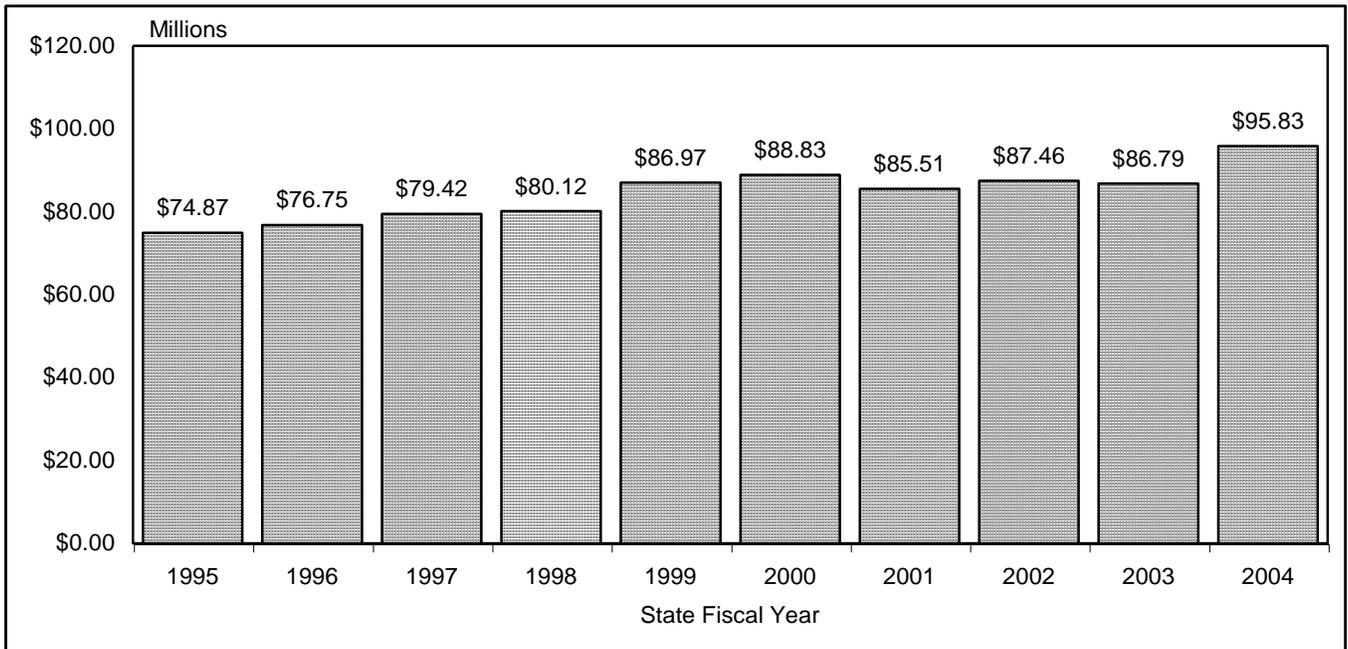
PRIVATE NURSING FACILITY EXPENDITURES



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NURSING FACILITY EXPENDITURES
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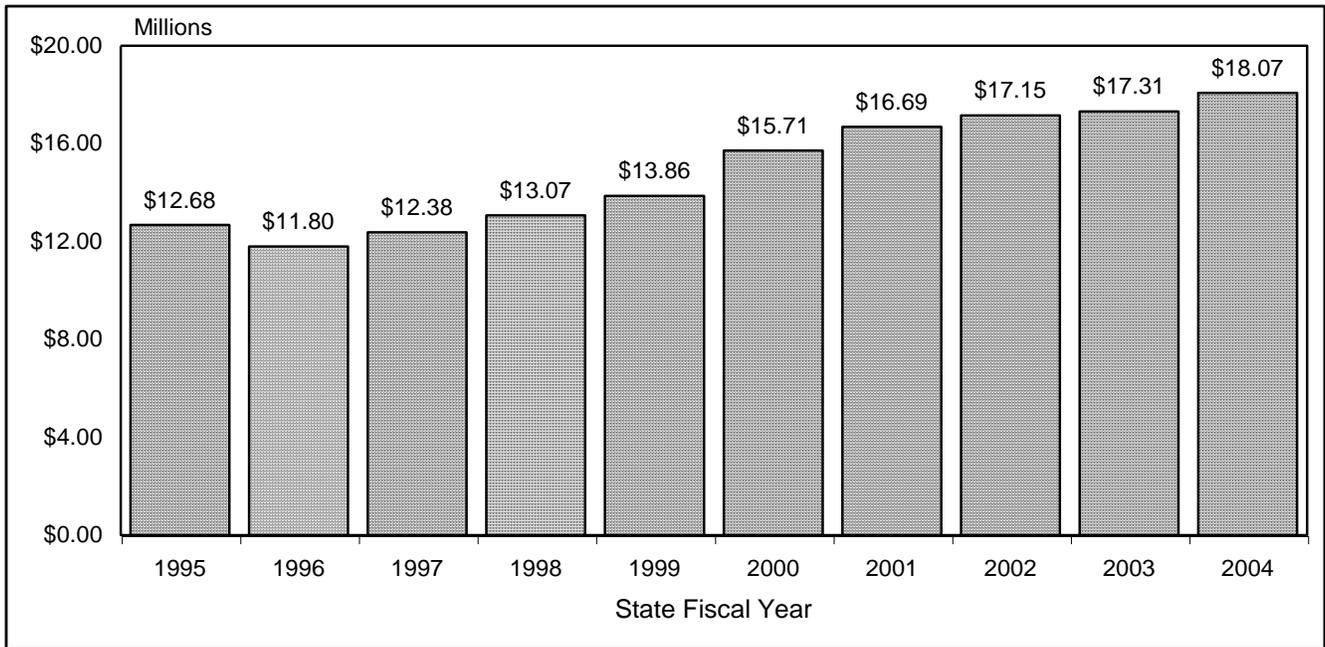


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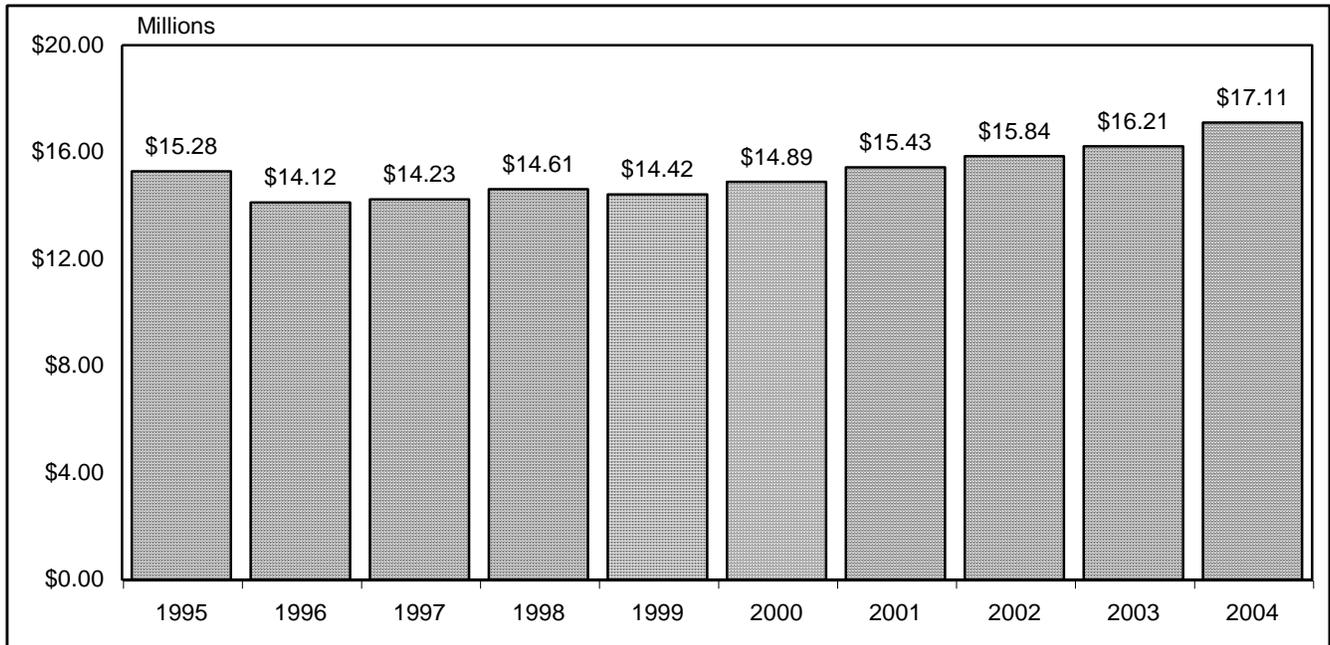


**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PRIVATE ICF/MR FACILITY EXPENDITURES
SFY 1995-2004**

OVER 15 BEDS (PEDIATRIC)



15 BEDS OR LESS (ADULTS)



**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ANALYSIS OF PRIVATE FACILITY EXPENDITURES
SFY 2004**

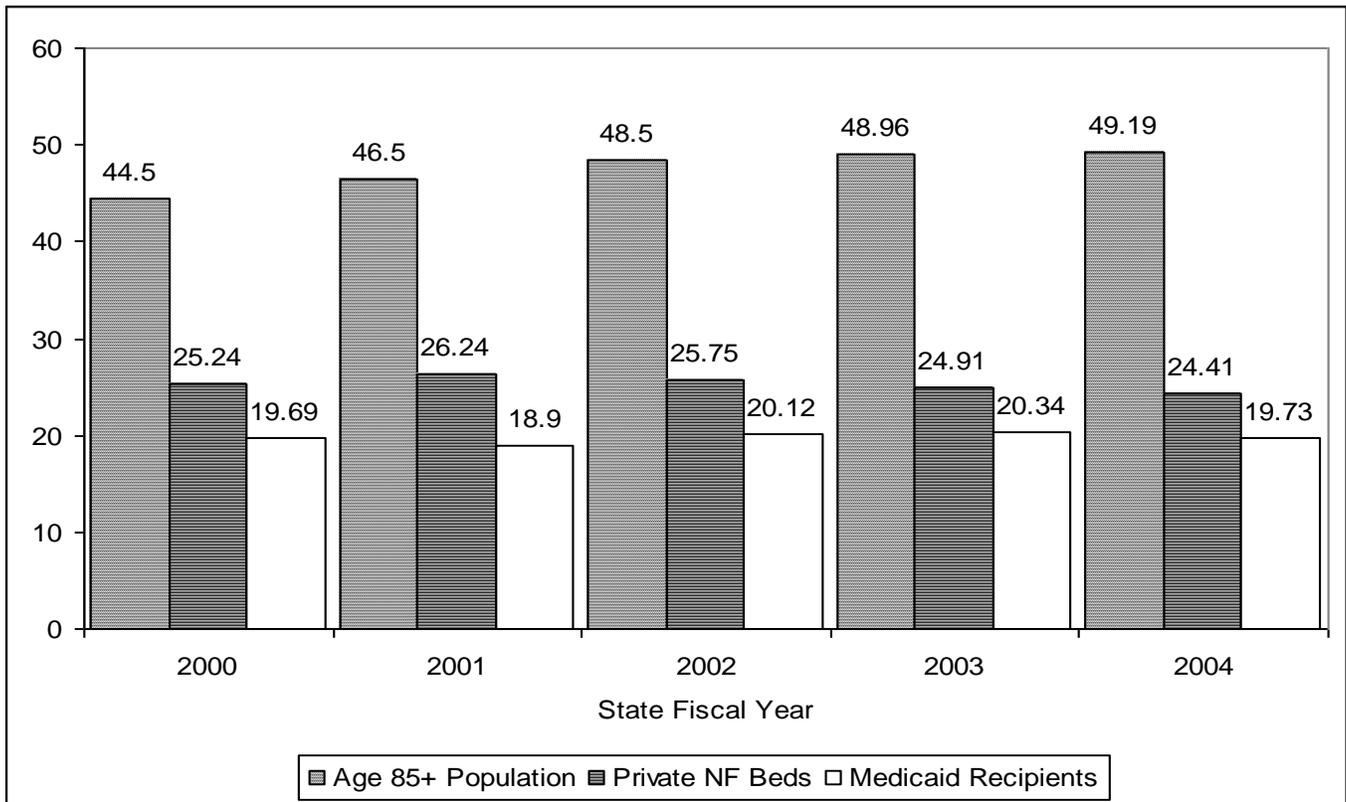
Since approximately 90% of all Medicaid long-term facility care is provided in private nursing facilities, additional information is provided for this service category. Expenditures in SFY 2004 increased 8.15% from SFY 2003 with an increase of 57.24% over the past 5 years ago.

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 increased by 0.20% in the past 5 years, while the estimated over-age-85 population has increased 10.5% 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 ARKANSAS' 85+ POPULATION, PRIVATE
NURSING FACILITY BEDS AND MEDICAID RECIPIENTS**



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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
OFFICE OF LONG-TERM CARE
SURVEY & CERTIFICATION
SFY 2004**

Standard Surveys Performed	285
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New Facilities Licensed/Certified	1
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Initial Medicaid Surveys Conducted	2
State Licensure Surveys Conducted	297
Facilities Cited with Substandard Quality of Care	75
Complaint Reports Received	1,273
Complaint Surveys Conducted	564 *
*Multiple complaints investigated during a single survey.	
Average Number of Deficiencies Cited During Standard Surveys	8.25

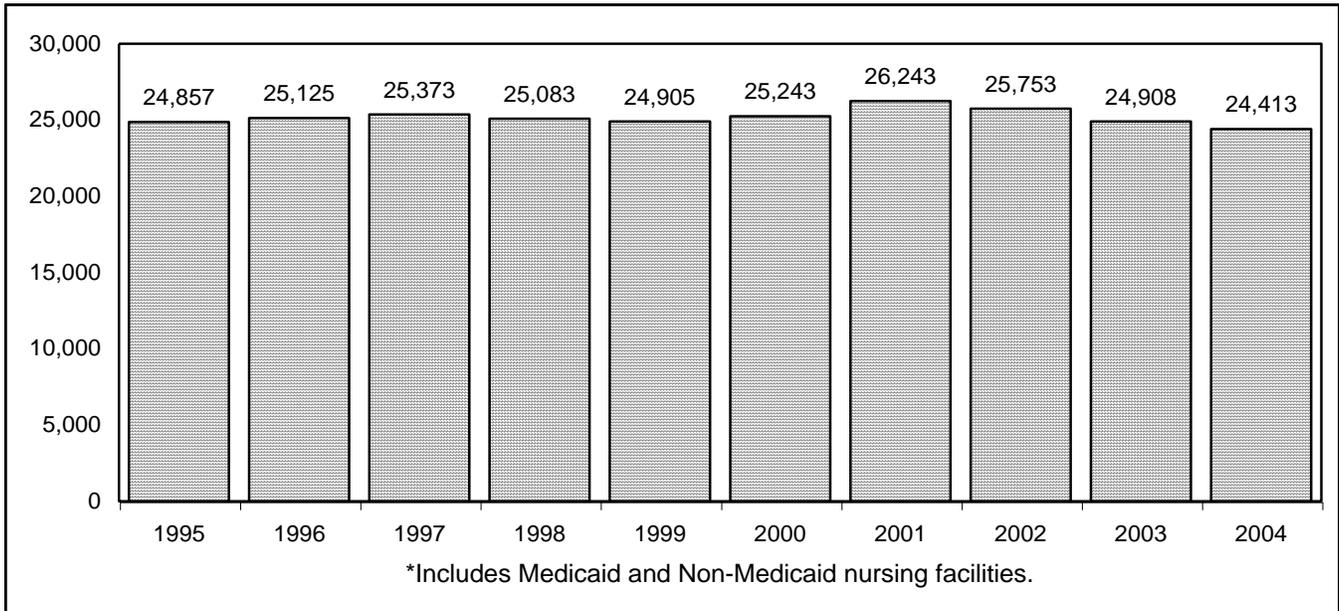
ENFORCEMENT

State Civil Money Penalties Collected from Facilities**

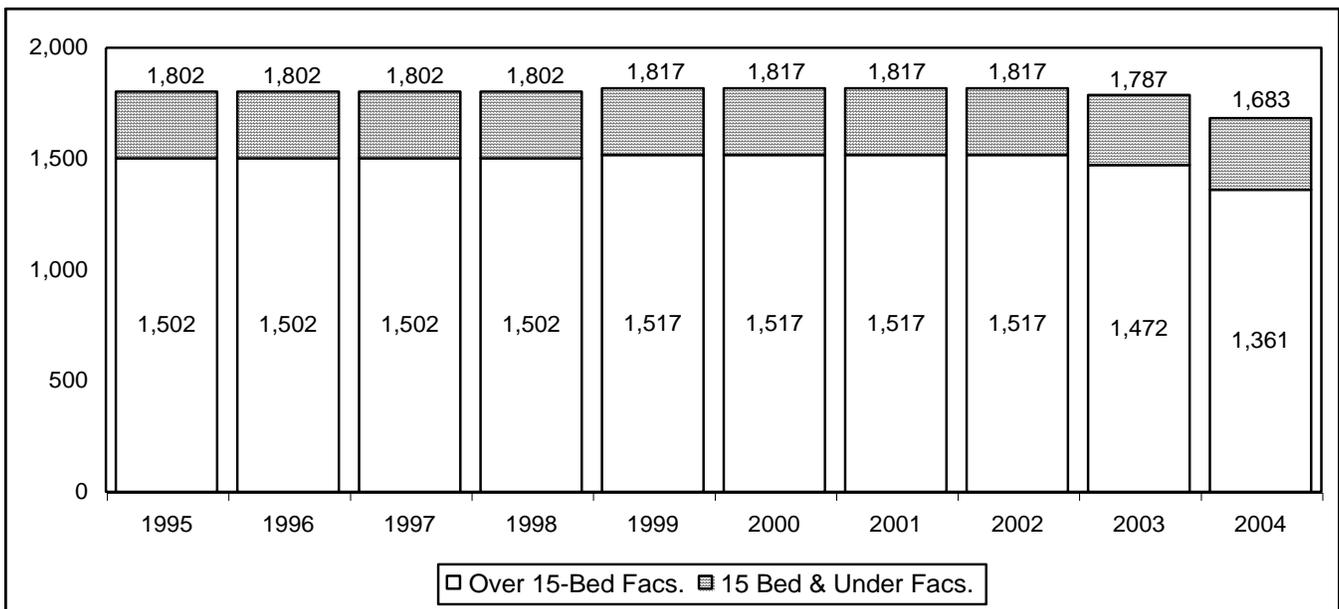
Standard and Complaint Surveys	\$114,250
State Licensure Surveys	\$40,200
Residential Care and Adult Day Care	\$14,500

** Excludes Federal Civil Money Penalties imposed by the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (formerly HCFA) and civil money penalties in the appeal process.

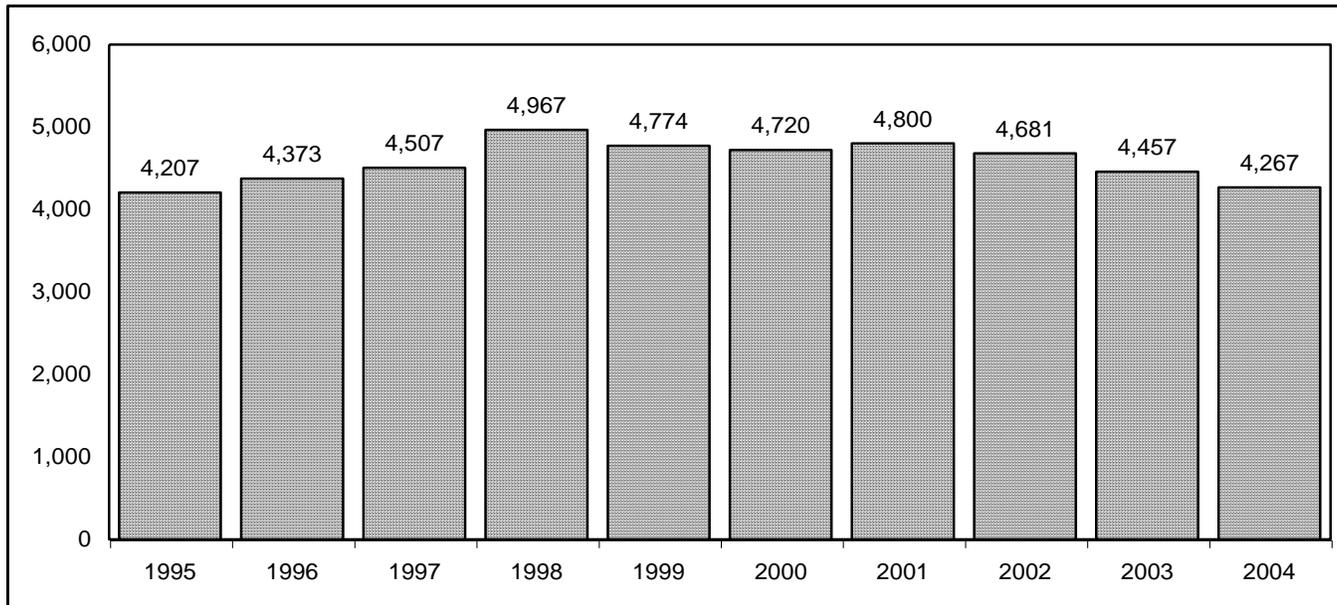
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LICENSED NURSING FACILITY BEDS*
SFY 1995 - 2004**



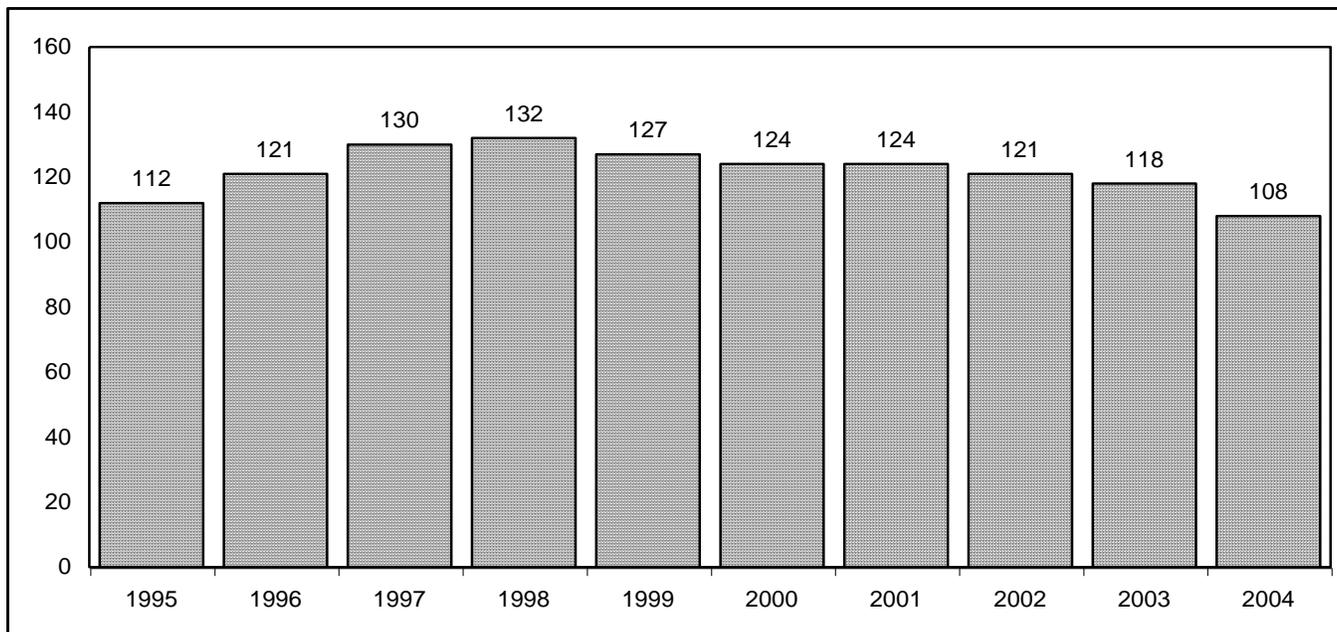
**LICENSED ICF/MR BEDS
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**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
RESIDENTIAL CARE BEDS*
SFY 1995 - 2004**

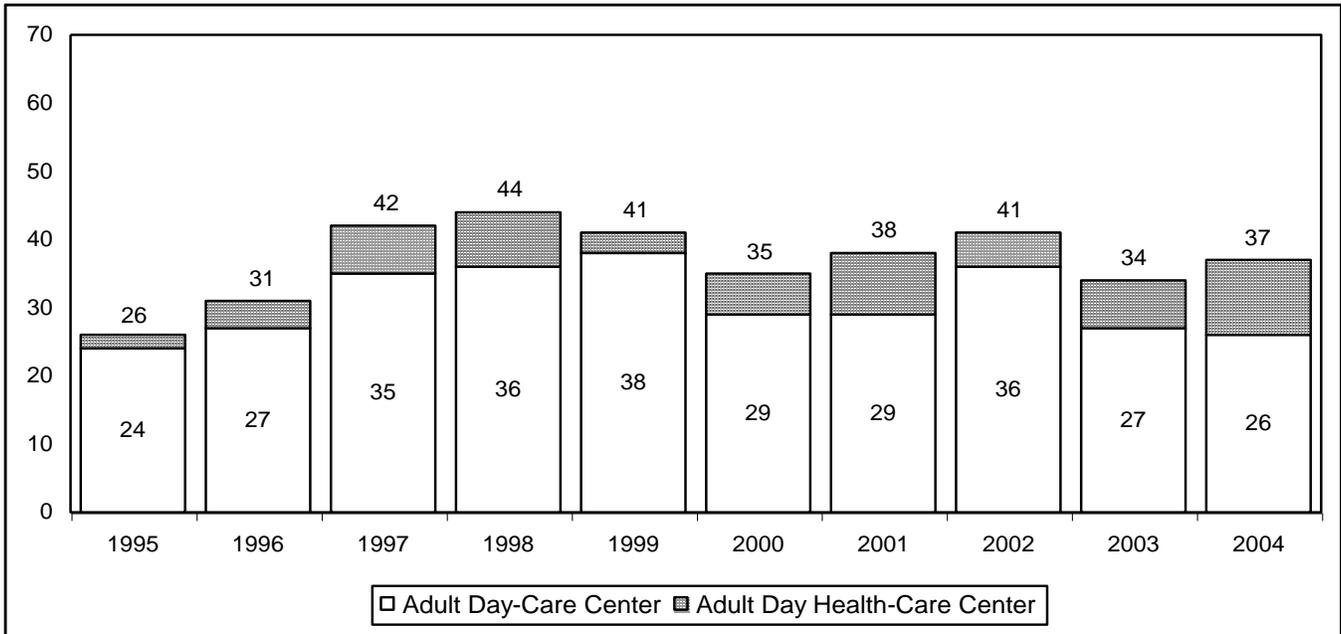


**RESIDENTIAL CARE FACILITIES*
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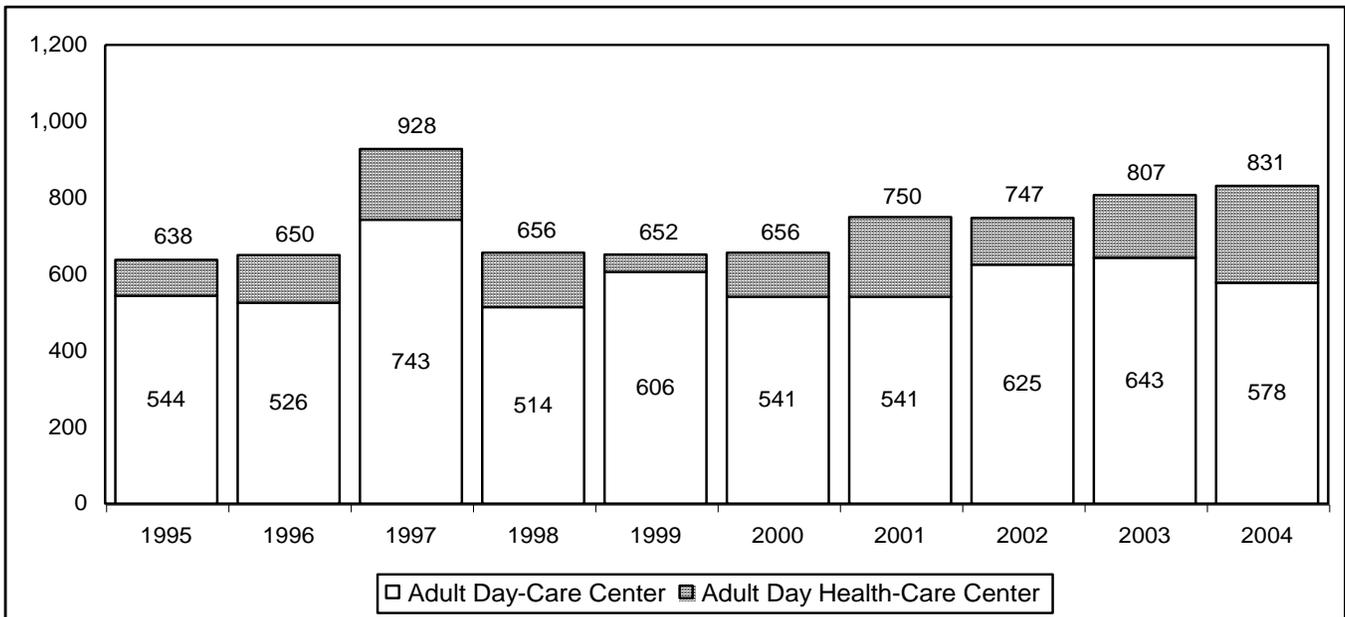


* Does not include one (1) post acute head injury Residential Care Facility with sixty (60) beds.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADULT DAY-CARE FACILITIES
SFY 1995 - 2004**



**ADULT DAY-CARE FACILITY SLOTS
SFY 1995 - 2004**



**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF SERVICES FOR THE BLIND
INTRODUCTION
SFY 2004**

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 consumers 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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INTRODUCTION
SFY 2004**

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 stabilizing vision, and, where possible, restoring vision.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF SERVICES FOR THE BLIND
SFY 2004**

During the 2004 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 Radio 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; and 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, with priority given to the individual with the most significant visual disability. **In SFY 2004, DSB served 1,287 vocational rehabilitation consumers, of which 100% were severely disabled. Of this number, 338 blind or severely visually impaired individuals successfully achieved employment outcomes.**

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION (VR) DEMOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN

GENDER	
Male	637
Female	650
Total	1,287

RACE	
White	900
Black	334
Hispanic	26
Indian	20
Asian	2
Other	5
Total	1,287

AGE RANGE	
14-21	241
22-39	316
40-49	284
50-59	265
60-69	155
70+	26
Total	1,287

Jump Start- Under the Vocational Rehabilitation Program, again this year, DSB 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. **22 students successfully completed JUMP START 2004.**

JUMP START DEMOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN

GENDER	
Male	11
Female	11
Total	22

RACE	
White	13
Black	6
Hispanic	2
Pacific Islander	0
Other	1
Total	22

AGE RANGE	
16	7
17	4
18	8
19	2
20	1
Total	22

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
DIVISION OF SERVICES FOR THE BLIND
SFY 2004**

DSB FIELD SERVICES (continued)

Living Independence for Elders (LIFE)- The LIFE 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 LIFE 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 Arkansas Department of Health work very closely together to support the independence of older blind persons within the state. **During SFY 2004, DSB served 836 older blind persons.**

LIFE PROGRAM DEMOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN

GENDER	
Male	199
Female	637
Total	836

RACE	
White	722
Black	88
Hispanic	2
Indian	22
Asian	2
Other	0
Total	836

AGE RANGE	
55-60	70
61-65	66
66-70	63
71-75	97
76-80	151
81-85	181
86+	208
Total	836

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 2004, 111 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 classes 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 2004, there were 486 visits made to the Consumer Technology Lab with technology specialists providing consultation and training to 339 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 2004, \$91,821 was personally spent by the vendors upgrading existing facilities. Licensed blind vendors operated 28 vending locations with sales of over \$1.9 million dollars. There were also 16 mechanical vending locations on Arkansas highways generating income of \$151,952. Vending managers earned commissions on sales totaling \$494,726, an average of \$17,669 annually.**

Volunteer Coordination- In SFY 2004, DSB volunteers participated in various activities with a total of 647 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 130 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, 2003 through June 30, 2004, the Braille/Tape Production unit received a total of 192 requests for alternative format to print. One Hundred Eighty-Five (185) requests asked for Braille, resulting in the production of 12,276 braille pages; as well as 928 large print pages; 77 duplicated cassette tapes and 5 computer diskettes.**

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 Arkansas Radio Reading Services for the Blind Network (ARRSBN).

Arkansas Radio Reading Services for the Blind Network (ARRSBN)- Operating from the newly expanded 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 ARRSBN. **In 2004, the Arkansas Radio Reading Services for the Blind Network served approximately 659 consumer throughout Arkansas, 236 of whom utilized the telephone reader service that provides the reading of selected text upon demand.**

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The Arkansas Office of Volunteerism was created in 1974 by order of the Governor 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 recruit, train, and coordinate volunteers and volunteer organizations in meeting those needs. The division also assists in special projects to meet community needs and 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. AR Code 25-10-102 officially made the agency a Division of DHS. **The mission of the Division of Volunteerism (DOV) is to encourage, promote and support volunteerism and community service as a means of local, state and national problem solving through leadership, information sharing, program development, training and technical assistance.** AR Code §25-10-128 (Act of 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 the DOV publishes the study of "THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF ARKANSAS VOLUNTEERS". The results of the most recent study (2003) are as follows: Seven hundred ninety-three (793) volunteer organizations reported a total of 22,100,013 hours for an estimated total dollar value of **\$410,146,312**. Had the State of Arkansas paid for the time involved to provide the services donated by volunteers, an additional \$6,440,466,752 in personal income would have been required to generate that sum in general revenues.

Arkansas' Promise:

As part of America's Promise – **Arkansas' Promise** supports efforts for youth to give back to their communities through the placement of 12 AmeriCorps Promise Fellows in various communities. Promise Fellows activities for the program year 2003-2004 is listed below.

- Projects 81
- Youth participants 831
- Hours 2,649

AMIGOS "Friends Learning Together":

This is a new program to help **English as a Learned Language Students (ELLS)** deal with culture shock and new learning environments. As a result of the program students' academic performance improves. During the 2003-2004 school year 12 Amigos mentors were recruited for 20 English as a Learned Language Students.

Training & Technical Assistance Provided:

- Faith Based & Community Organizations 1,008
- Other 1,027
- Total Attendance 9,566
- Grant Station Research 26

Act 648 of 1993:

In partnership with the State Board of Education, the act provides an opportunity for students in grades 9 through 12 to perform volunteer service at sites that have applied to, and been approved by the State Board of Education. Students may then earn an extra credit toward graduation. There are 770 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. Points of Light Volunteer Centers in Arkansas are in the following locations:

- Garland County
- Miller County
- Pulaski County
- United Way of Benton County
- Union County

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Arkansas Service Commission:

The **Arkansas Service Commission**, located in the DHS Division of Volunteerism, has 17 governor-appointed members and a staff of five. It serves as a conduit for 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.

Program and Service Area

Competitive	Amount	Members
Alternative Classroom Experience (Little Rock)	\$120,882	9FT/4PT
Arkansas HIPPCorps (Statewide)	\$215,549	12FT/8PT
Improved Reading Readiness (Stuttgart)	\$111,604	9FT
SEARK Digital Divide (7 counties in SE Ark.)	\$396,800	32FT
SEARK Smart Start GI (7 counties in SE Ark.)	\$257,090	16FT/10PT
Formula		
AmeriCorps Case Management (Jefferson County)	\$74,104	12PT
AmeriCorps Parents as Teachers (10 counties, SE Ark)	\$123,557	10FT
Community Education Outreach (Crittenden Cy.)	\$142,997	8FT/15PT
Lonoke School District	\$117,628	6FT/7PT
Making Kids Count (Faulkner County)	\$122,007	20PT
MEND (Cotton Plant)	\$91,404	1FT/13PT
SEARK Tutoring Program (7 counties in SE Ark.)	\$257,090	2FT/37PT
Education Award		
Arkansas HIPPCorps EduCorps (Statewide)	\$12,000	10FT/40PT
Arkansas' Promise Fellows		
Ark. Service Commission (Statewide)	\$144,600	12FT
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14 Programs	\$2,187,312	127 FT 162 PT 4 QT

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 13 years it has been active in 47 counties at one time or the other. It is currently in 11 counties with two more counties trained to start in January 2005. Local programs are faith and community based as well as state run with most being a partnership of both. The DOV provides start up, on going training and technical assistance to local programs. Periodically 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 next page for table.**

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Arkansas Mentors Program (continued):

County & Name of Coordinator(s)	Mentors	Mentees	Mentees Working	Total Clients Served*
Benton-Mindy Walker	9	23	17	136
Crawford-Kay Dishner	10	19	8	115
Cross-Shirley Tyson	4	3	0	89
Grant-Lillian Thompson	31	54	19	1,286
Poinsett-Tracy Cobbs	15	10	4	26
Jefferson-Efrem Elliott	64	115	61	115
Mississippi-Addine Minor	42	195	53	373
Montgomery-Keya Shroul	18	15	5	71
Phillips-Carolyn Jordan	8	4	14	29
Polk-Sylvia Duff	11	10	6	206
Searcy-Carol Baker	0	0	0	24
Sebastian-Kay Winter	5	11	8	100
Total:	217	459	195	2,570

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

Recognition Services Statistics:

The 2004 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 2004 Arkansas Community Service Award Winners are as follows:

- Robert (Bob) Abbott of Pine Bluff
- Shirley Davis of Little Rock
- Flo & Dave Dietz of Hot Springs Village
- Paul Hyatt of Benton
- Wayne Ridings of Dardanelle
- Rennie Tarpley of Conway
- Rodney Worthington of Little Rock.
- Daniel Cayce of Thornton received the Youth Humanitarian Award.
- Ellison Enterprises of Russellville and Northrop Grumman Corporation of Little Rock received the Corporate Humanitarian Awards.
- Governor Mike Huckabee presented the Distinguished Citizen Award to Bob Robbins.

The 2004 Community of the Year Award Winners:

The division collaborates with the Governor's Office and the Arkansas Municipal League to present the Volunteer Community of the Year Awards to communities for outstanding volunteer efforts. The 2004 winners were:

Bull Shoals, Clarkridge, Dumas, Eureka Springs, Gamaliel, Heber Springs, Maumelle, McCroy, Mountain Home, Mountain View, Tuckerman, Warren.

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Recognition Services Statistics (continued):

Recognition Mail Out:

Certificates Provided	
DOV Certificate of Appreciation	1,071
Governor's Volunteer Excellence Awards:	
*One Star	978
**Two Stars	368
***Three Stars	105
****Four Stars	65
Governor's Letters	195
State Seal for Volunteer Fire Departments	311
State Seal (Other)	174
Specially Designed Certificates	198
Mentor/Mentee Certificates	29
Corporate Good Neighbor Awards	23
Total Certificates Awarded	3,517

Bookmarks Provided	
Many Thanks!	3,240
Volunteering is a Natural	2,414
Kaleidoscope	1,369
Volunteer Arkansas (Flag)	160
VOLUNTEER	2,635
Play Your Part	150
Other (pens, dir/svc, recogpak)	339
Total Bookmarks/Other	10,307

Promotional Packets (Statewide Mail-outs)	
Community Service Awards	2,600
Arkansas Volunteer Month	2,600
Volunteer Community of the Year Awards	2,600
Total Promotional Packets	7,800

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DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES
INTRODUCTION
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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 2004, 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, Intensive Casework Management-Serious Offender, Interstate Compact, Emergency Shelter and Residential Treatment. In addition, the Community Based Providers provided sanction services that included Restorative Justice, 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 Serious Offender Programs were funded for \$10,029,312. The Community Based Programs were funded for \$17,048,996. The Alternate Placement Programs were funded for \$11,131,725. Total funding was \$38,210,033.

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
North Arkansas Human Services - Batesville
Ouachita Children's Center - Hot Springs
Our Farm, Inc. - Rogers
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
Therapeutic Family Services, Inc. - Gurdon
Treatment Homes, Inc. - Little Rock
University of Arkansas - Fayetteville
Vera Lloyd - Little Rock
Youth Bridge Therapeutic Group Home - Fayetteville
Youth Home - Little Rock

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Substance Abuse Treatment Contractors

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

Serious Offender Programs

Jump - Alexander Youth Services Center - Alexander
 East Arkansas Regional Juvenile Program - Colt
 Northeast Arkansas Regional Juvenile Program - Harrisburg
 Northwest Arkansas Female Juvenile Program - Mansfield
 Northwest Arkansas Regional Juvenile Program - Mansfield
 Southeast Arkansas Regional Juvenile Program - Dermott
 Southeast Arkansas 18-21 Program - Dermott
 Southwest Arkansas Regional Juvenile Program - Lewisville

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 comment on all juvenile justice and delinquency grant applications. In 2003 and 2004, the primary goal of the ACJJ and DYS continued to be the removal of juveniles from adult jails and lockups, while 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 32 agencies/organizations in December 2004.

Of the 32 subgrants, twelve sub grants offer Gender Specific Services (GS). Eight subgrants offer Disproportionate Minority Confinement Services (DMC) with the goal of reducing over representation of minority youth along the entire continuum of the juvenile justice system. Eleven subgrants provide alternatives to the De-institutionalization of Status Offenders (DSO). One subgrant is for Public Information aimed at increasing statewide awareness of relevant issues concerning the juvenile justice system and three Title V prevention subgrants. These subgrants and others continued from last fiscal year are listed below.

JJDP Title II Formula Grants

Subgrantee	County	Type of Service	# Of Clients Served	Counties Served	Subgrant Period
Delta Counseling	Drew	Disproportionate Minority Confinement (DMC)	180	Ashley, Bradley, Chicot and Drew	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Earle School District	Crittenden	DMC	375	Crittenden	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Future Builders, Inc.	Pulaski	DMC	20	Pulaski	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Hours of Joy Child Care Inc.	Clark	DMC	170	Clark, Nevada, Hempstead	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Phoenix Youth & Family	Ashley	DMC	72	Ashley	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Turrell School District	Crittenden	DMC	200	Crittenden	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
United Family	Jefferson	DMC	82	11th East & West Judicial District	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Watershed, Inc.	Pulaski	DMC	52	Pulaski	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Bald Knob School	White	De-institutionalization of Status Offender (DSO)	69	White	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Baxter Co. Juvenile Services	Baxter	DSO	86	Baxter	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Columbia County	Columbia	DSO	57	Columbia	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
East Arkansas Youth Services	Crittenden	DSO	207	Crittenden	03/01/03 - 02/28/04

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**JJDP Title II Formula Grants
(continued)**

Subgrantee	County	Type of Service	# Of Clients Served	Counties Served	Subgrant Period
El Dorado School District	Union	DSO	101	Union	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Faith Love & Hope Youth	Miller	DSO	534	Miller	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Independence Co.	Independence	DSO	422	Independence	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Jefferson Co. Juvenile Court	Jefferson	DSO	52	Jefferson	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Nettleton School District	Craighead	DSO	401	Craighead	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Saline County*	Saline	DSO	18	Saline	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
YMCA	Crittenden	DSO	29	Crittenden	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
6 th Judicial District	Pulaski	Gender Specific (GS)	18	Pulaski	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
AR River Valley Co-op*	Jefferson	GS	19	Jefferson	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Beebe Public School*	White	GS	6	White	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Boys & Girls Club of El Dorado	Union	GS	0	Union	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
City of Hope Housing Authority	Hempstead Nevada	GS	14	Hempstead Nevada	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Comprehensive Juvenile Services	Sebastian Crawford	GS	9	Sebastian Crawford	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Conway Community Service, Inc.	Faulkner	GS	0	Faulkner	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Ouachita Children's Center	Garland	GS	130	Garland	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Ouachita Village*	Montgomery	GS	21	Montgomery	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
SCAN Volunteer Services	Mississippi	GS	57	Mississippi	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Tri-County Development	Miller	GS	15	Miller	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Youth Home, Inc.	Pulaski	GS	17	Pulaski	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Scotty Scholl, Inc.**	State Wide	Public Information	-	Statewide	03/01/03 - 02/28/04

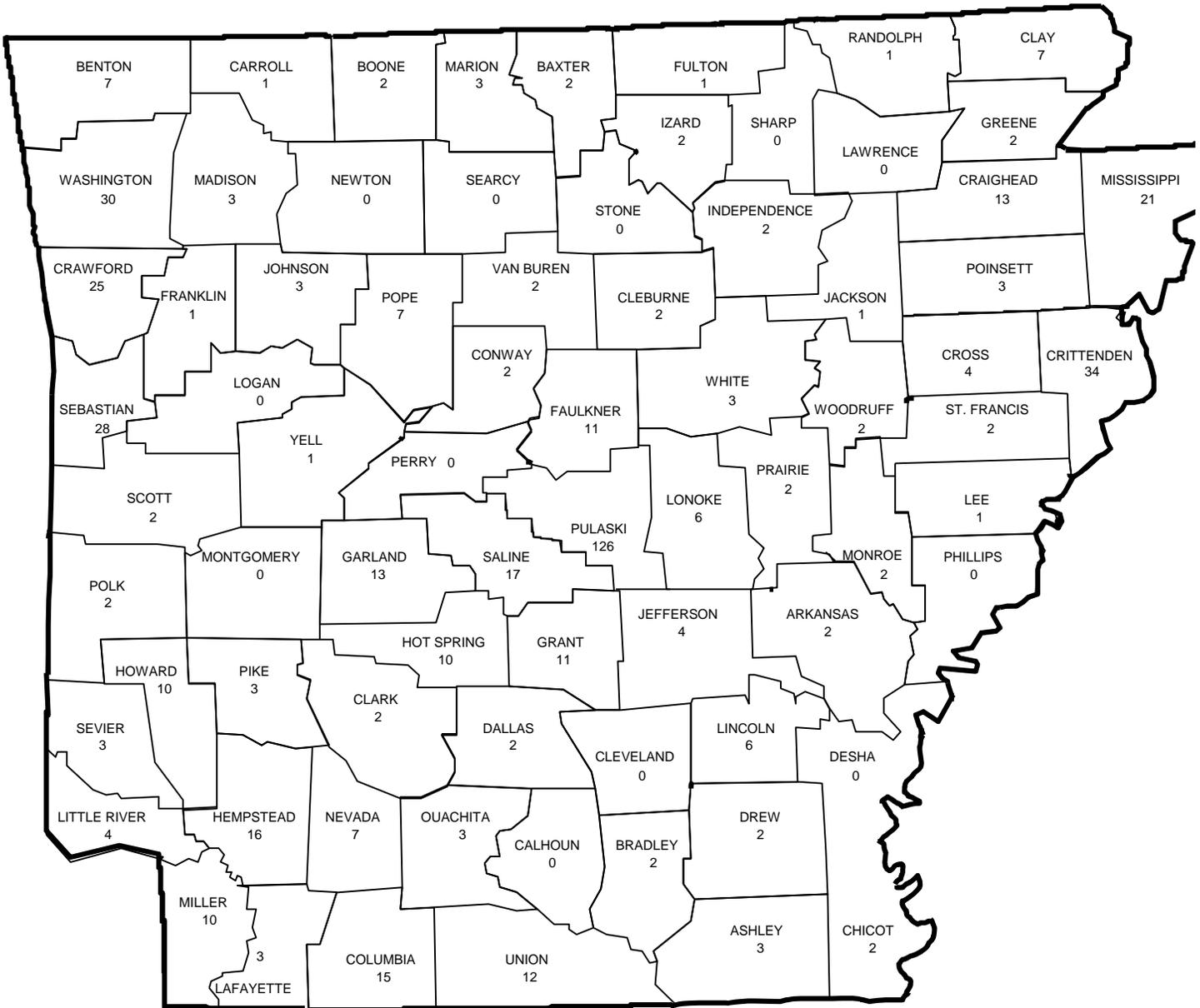
JJDP Title V Grants

Subgrantee	County	Type of Service	# Of Clients Served	Counties Served	Subgrant Period
City of Pine Bluff*	Jefferson	Prevention/Intervention	407	Jefferson	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Garland County*	Garland	Prevention/Intervention	132	Garland	03/01/03 - 02/28/04
Pulaski County*	Pulaski	Prevention/Intervention	34	Pulaski	03/01/03 - 02/28/04

* Decline Award

** Statewide public information grant

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COMMITMENTS TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS*
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Total Number of Commitments: 531

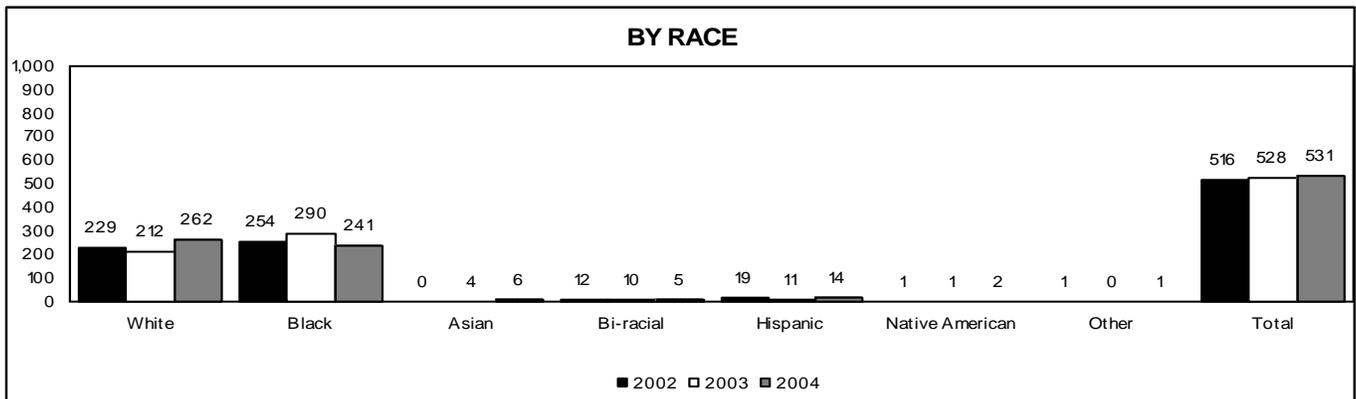
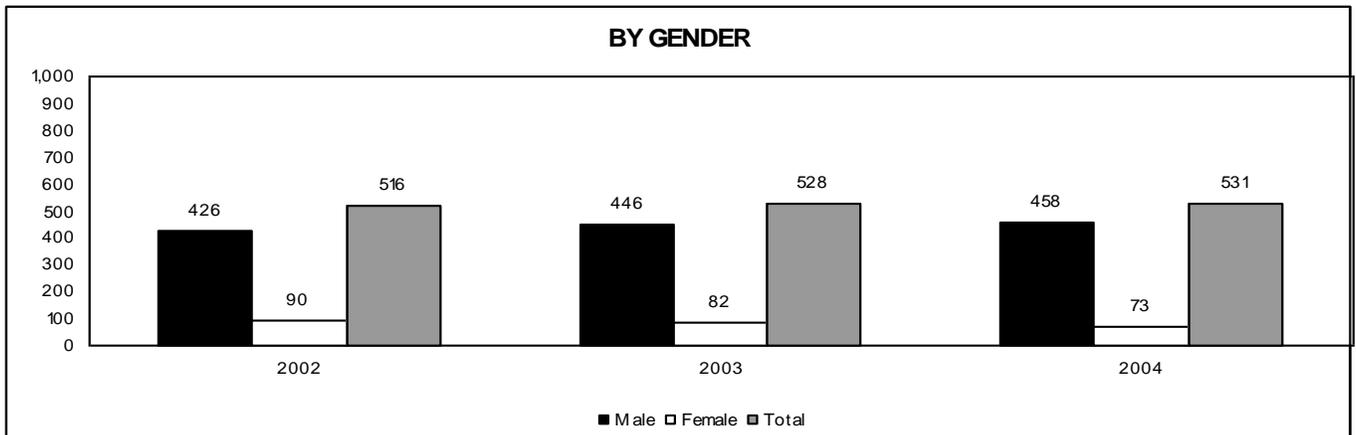
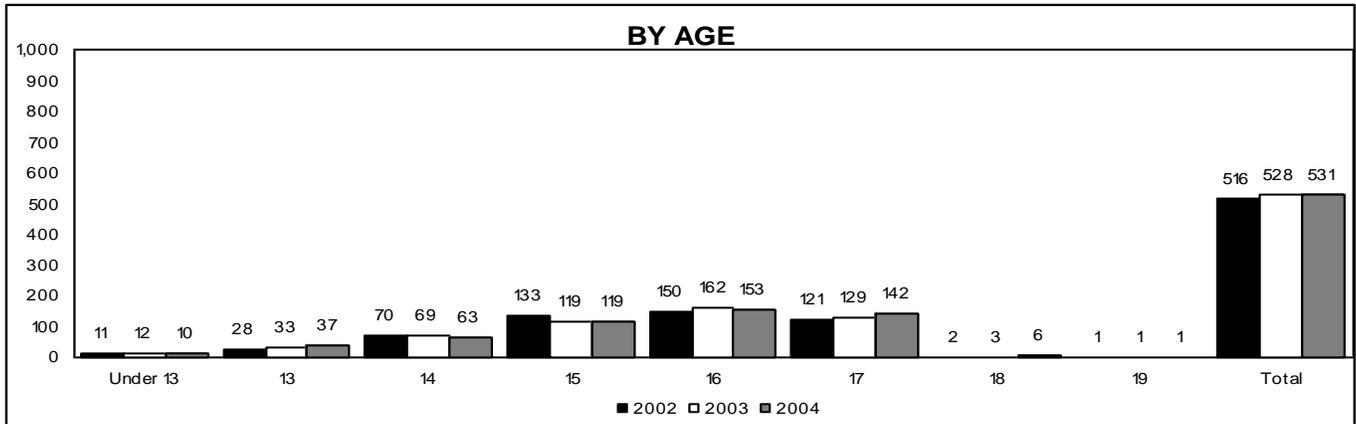
* Individuals that have been sentenced to facilities specifically designed to house criminals twenty-one years old and under. The criminal offenses can range from Felony classification Y being the most serious to Misdemeanor classification U being the least serious.

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COMMITMENTS TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
BY JUDICIAL DISTRICT
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Judicial District	Committing County	Number of Commitments		Judicial District	Committing County	Number of Commitments		
		By County	District Total			By County	District Total	
1st	Cross	4		11th East	Arkansas	2	2	
	Lee	1			11th West	Jefferson	4	
	Monroe	2		Lincoln		6	10	
	Phillips	0		12th		Sebastian	28	28
	St. Francis	2				2nd	Clay	7
	Woodruff	2	11	13th	Calhoun		0	
2nd	Clay	7		Cleveland	0			
	Craighead	13		Columbia	15			
	Crittenden	34		Dallas	2			
	Greene	2		Ouachita	3			
	Mississippi	21		Union	12	32		
	Poinsett	3	80	3rd	Jackson	1		
3rd	Jackson	1			14th	Baxter	2	
	Lawrence	0			Boone	2		
	Randolph	1			Marion	3		
	Sharp	0	2	Newton	0	7		
4th	Madison	3		4th	Madison	3		
	Washington	30	33		Washington	30	33	
5th	Franklin	1			5th	Franklin	1	
	Johnson	3				Johnson	3	
	Pope	7	11	Pope		7	11	
6th	Perry	0		6th		Perry	0	
	Pulaski	126	126		Pulaski	126	126	
7th	Grant	11			7th	Grant	11	
	Hot Spring	10	21			Hot Spring	10	21
8th	Hempstead	16		8th		Hempstead	16	
	Lafayette	3				Lafayette	3	
	Miller	10			Miller	10		
	Nevada	7	36		Nevada	7	36	
9th East	Clark	2	2	9th East	Clark	2	2	
	9th West	Howard	10			Howard	10	
Little River		4			Little River	4		
Pike		3			Pike	3		
Sevier		3	20	Sevier	3	20		
10th	Ashley	3		10th	Ashley	3		
	Bradley	2			Bradley	2		
	Chicot	2			Chicot	2		
	Desha	0			Desha	0		
10th	Drew	2	9	10th	Drew	2	9	
	10th	Ashley	3			11th East	Arkansas	2
Bradley		2		11th West	Jefferson	4		
Chicot	2		Lincoln	6	10			
Desha	0		12th	Sebastian	28	28		
Drew	2	9	13th	Calhoun	0			
10th	Ashley	3		Cleveland	0			
	Bradley	2		Columbia	15			
	Chicot	2		Dallas	2			
	Desha	0		Ouachita	3			
Drew	2	9	Union	12	32			
10th	Ashley	3		14th	Baxter	2		
	Bradley	2			Boone	2		
	Chicot	2			Marion	3		
	Desha	0			Newton	0	7	
Drew	2	9	15th	Conway	2			
10th	Ashley	3			Logan	0		
	Bradley	2			Scott	2		
	Chicot	2			Yell	1	5	
	Desha	0		16th	Cleburne	2		
Drew	2	9	Fulton		1			
10th	Ashley	3			Independence	2		
	Bradley	2			Izard	2		
	Chicot	2		Stone	0	7		
	Desha	0		17th East	Prairie	2		
Drew	2	9	White		3	5		
10th	Ashley	3		18th East	Garland	13	13	
	Bradley	2			18th West	Montgomery	0	
	Chicot	2		Polk		2	2	
	Desha	0		19th East	Carroll	1	1	
Drew	2	9	19th West		Benton	7	7	
10th	Ashley	3			20th	Faulkner	11	
	Bradley	2		Searcy		0		
	Chicot	2		Van Buren	2	13		
	Desha	0		21st	Crawford	25	25	
Drew	2	9	22nd		Saline	17	17	
10th	Ashley	3			23rd	Lonoke	6	6
	Bradley	2		TOTAL		531	531	
	Chicot	2						
	Desha	0						
Drew	2	9						

Source: Division of Youth Services

ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT YOUTH SERVICES CENTER COMMITMENTS SFY 2002 - 2004



**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS COMMITTED
TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
BY MOST SERIOUS FELONY OFFENSES
SFY 1995 to 2004**

Felony Offense	Fiscal Year									
	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Arson	4	12	3	3	4	1	2	8	3	0
Battery, First Degree	8	10	5	3	5	4	1	3	5	1
Burglary (d)	148	170	146	158	119	108	59	91	70	74
Kidnapping	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Murder (a) (1)	3	2	1	1	4	2	0	0	0	0
Rape (2)	15	13	11	10	16	16	17	15	17	22
Robbery (b)	42	41	57	31	25	12	4	8	9	4
Total Commitments of Selected Offenses	220	249	223	207	173	143	83	126	104	101

Total Commitments of All Offenses (c)	811	1,005	808	815	745	750	597	516	528	531
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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
1995	584	227	811
1996	634	371	1,005
1997	561	247	808
1998	559	256	815
1999	489	256	745
2000	468	276	744 *
2001	307	261	568 **
2002	327	186	513 ***
2003	306	217	523 ****
2004	336	194	530 *****

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

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

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

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

***** One (1) commitment was a result of violation/revocation of probation; not included in the total above.

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS COMMITTED
TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
BY CATEGORY OF OFFENSE AND SEVERITY
SFY 2004**

Offense Category	Sex	Felony							Misdemeanor					Total Offenses
		Y	A	B	C	D	U	Total	A	B	C	U	Total	
Person	Male	27	4	17	5	39	0	92	43	4	3	0	50	142
	Female	1	0	0	0	13	0	14	7	3	1	0	11	25
	Total	28	4	17	5	52	0	106	50	7	4	0	61	167
Property	Male	0	0	87	57	34	0	178	47	3	0	0	50	228
	Female	0	0	5	7	2	0	14	15	1	0	0	16	30
	Total	0	0	92	64	36	0	192	62	4	0	0	66	258
Public Order	Male	1	0	0	0	5	0	6	17	1	16	1	35	41
	Female	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	6	1	9	10
	Total	1	0	0	0	6	0	7	19	1	22	2	44	51
Drug Law Violation	Male	5	0	1	13	3	0	22	17	0	0	0	17	39
	Female	1	0	1	1	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	3	6
	Total	6	0	2	14	3	0	25	20	0	0	0	20	45
Other	Male	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	2	1	0	0	3	8
	Female	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	2
	Total	0	0	0	0	1	5	6	3	1	0	0	4	10
Totals	Male	33	4	105	75	81	5	303	126	9	19	1	155	458
	Female	2	0	6	8	17	0	33	28	4	7	1	40	73
	Total	35	4	111	83	98	5	336	154	13	26	2	195	531

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

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OFFENSE AGAINST PERSON
SFY 2001 - 2004**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2001	SFY 2002	SFY 2003	SFY 2004
Felony	A	Attempted Aggravated Robbery	0	0	0	0
	A	Attempted Capital Murder	1	0	0	0
	A	Battery, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	A	Carnal Abuse	8	6	1	1
	A	Criminal Attempt	1	0	5	3
	A	Rape - Criminal Attempt	0	0	0	0
	A	Sexual Abuse	0	0	0	0
	B	Arson	0	0	0	0
	B	Battery, First Degree	1	3	5	1
	B	Carnal Abuse, First Degree	0	1	0	0
	B	Conspiracy to Commit Robbery	0	0	0	0
	B	Domestic Battery	0	0	0	0
	B	Murder, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	B	Robbery	4	9	9	4
	B	Sexual Abuse, Second Degree	0	0	2	0
	B	Sexual Assault, Second Degree	0	1	5	10
	B	Terroristic Act	1	0	1	2
	B	Terroristic Threatening	0	0	0	0
	C	Domestic Battery, Second Degree	0	0	1	1
	C	Engage Child in Sex Explot, First Offense	0	0	0	1
	C	Furnishing Prohibited Articles	0	4	0	0
	C	Incest	0	1	0	1
	C	Intimidating a Witness	0	0	0	1
	C	Manslaughter	0	1	0	0
	C	Sexual Abuse	0	0	0	0
	C	Sexual Abuse, First Degree	13	2	4	0
	C	Sexual Abuse, Third Degree	0	0	0	1
	C	Trans/Dstrbtn Mat Depct Child, First Offense	0	0	0	0
	D	Aggravated Assault	7	8	8	8
	D	Aggravated Assault on Family of Household Member	2	0	1	2
	D	Battery, Second Degree	11	15	15	14
	D	Communicating False Alarm	0	0	1	2
	D	Domestic Battery, Second Degree	0	0	1	0
	D	Domestic Battery, Third Degree	1	0	0	3
	D	Failure to Stop After Accident W/Injury or Death	0	1	0	1
	D	Negligent Homicide	0	1	0	0
	D	Sexual Solicitation of a Child	0	0	3	2
	D	Terroristic Threatening, First Degree	20	17	16	20
	Y	Aggravated Robbery	16	6	9	6
	Y	Murder, First Degree	0	0	0	0
	Y	Capital Murder	0	0	0	0
	Y	Kidnapping	0	0	0	0
	Y	Rape	17	17	17	22
Total Felony Offenses			103	93	104	106

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PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OFFENSE AGAINST PERSON
SFY 2001 - 2004**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2001	SFY 2002	SFY 2003	SFY 2004
Misdemeanor	A	Assault, First Degree	1	4	4	3
	A	Assault Family or Household Member, First Degree	1	1	0	0
	A	Battery, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	A	Battery, Third Degree	18	29	28	28
	A	Battery, Fourth Degree	0	0	0	0
	A	Communicating False Alarm	0	1	1	1
	A	Domestic Battery	0	0	0	0
	A	Domestic Battery, Third Degree	10	10	5	7
	A	Sexual Abuse	0	0	0	0
	A	Sexual Abuse, Second Degree	1	2	1	1
	A	Sexual Misconduct	1	1	1	0
	A	Terroristic Threatening	0	0	0	0
	A	Terroristic Threatening, Second Degree	11	17	17	10
	B	Assault, Second Degree	2	2	2	3
	B	Sexual Misconduct	0	0	0	1
	B	Assault Family of Household Member, Second Degree	1	0	3	2
	B	Terroristic Threatening, Second Degree	1	0	0	1
	C	Assault, Third Degree	0	0	2	3
	C	Assault Family or Household Member, Third Degree	3	3	1	1
	C	Domestic Assault, Third Degree	0	0	0	0
C	Domestic Battery	0	0	0	0	
U	Insult or Abuse of a Teacher	1	0	0	0	
U	Unlawful Distribution of Prescription Drugs	0	0	0	0	
Total Misdemeanor Offenses			51	70	65	61
Total Commitments for Offense Against Person			154	163	169	167

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OFFENSE AGAINST PROPERTY
SFY 2001 - 2004**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2001	SFY 2002	SFY 2003	SFY 2004
Felony	A	Arson	0	3	0	0
	A	Criminal Attempt	0	0	0	0
	B	Arson	1	2	2	0
	B	Burglary	40	1	1	0
	B	Criminal Attempt	0	0	0	1
	B	Forgery, First Degree	0	0	1	3
	B	Residential Burglary	0	53	55	56
	B	Robbery	0	0	0	0
	B	Theft of Services	0	1	0	0
	B	Theft of Property	22	28	27	24
	B	Theft by Receiving	11	18	9	8
	C	Arson	1	0	0	0
	C	Burglary	0	0	0	0
	C	Commercial Burglary	19	13	14	18
	C	Criminal Attempt	3	2	5	2
	C	Criminal Mischief	0	9	0	0
	C	Criminal Mischief, First Degree	10	0	6	15
	C	Defacing Objects of Public Interest>\$250	1	0	0	0
	C	Forgery	0	0	0	0
C	Forgery, Second Degree	4	9	4	6	
C	Fraudulent Use of a Credit Card	0	1	2	0	
C	Impairing the Operation of a Vital Public Facility	0	1	0	0	
C	Theft of Property	25	22	15	16	
C	Theft of Services	0	0	1	0	
C	Theft by Receiving	3	7	7	7	
D	Attempted Commercial Burglary	0	0	0	0	
D	Breaking or Entering	26	22	22	33	
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	3	1	0	1	
D	Criminal Attempt, Commercial Burglary	0	0	0	0	
D	Criminal Attempt, Burglary	0	0	0	0	
D	Criminal Mischief	0	2	3	1	
D	Reckless Burning	0	0	0	0	
D	Theft by Receiving	0	0	0	0	
D	Theft of Property	0	2	0	1	
Y		Arson \$100,000 or more	0	1	1	0
Total Felony Offenses			169	198	175	192

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PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OFFENSE AGAINST PROPERTY
SFY 2001 - 2004**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2001	SFY 2002	SFY 2003	SFY 2004	
Misdemeanor	A	Arson less than \$500	0	1	0	0	
	A	Consolidation of Offenses, Shoplifting Presumption, Amount of Theft	0	0	1	0	
	A	Criminal Attempt	1	0	1	1	
	A	Criminal Impersonation	0	0	0	0	
	A	Criminal Mischief, First Degree	9	7	6	12	
	A	Criminal Mischief, Second Degree	5	2	0	2	
	A	Defacing Public Building	0	0	1	0	
	A	Fraudulent Use of a Credit Card	0	0	1	0	
	A	Possession of Instrument of Crime	0	0	0	0	
	A	Shoplifting	0	0	0	0	
	A	Theft of Property	52	23	36	36	
	A	Theft by Receiving	7	4	3	3	
	A	Theft of Services	2	0	1	0	
	A	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle	10	10	5	8	
		B	Criminal Mischief, Second Degree	3	0	0	1
		B	Criminal Mischief	0	0	2	0
	B	Criminal Trespass	6	2	4	3	
	C	Criminal Mischief	0	0	0	0	
	C	Criminal Trespass (Non-Occupied Structure or Vehicle) (Non-Occupied Structure or Vehicle)	2	0	0	0	
	C	Criminal Trespass	0	0	3	0	
	C	Theft by Receiving	0	0	0	0	
	U	Shoplifting	3	2	5	0	
Total Misdemeanor Offenses			100	51	69	66	
Total Commitments for Offense Against Property			269	249	244	258	

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OFFENSE AGAINST PUBLIC ORDER
SFY 2001 - 2004**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2001	SFY 2002	SFY 2003	SFY 2004
Felony	B	Unlawful Discharge of Firearm Veh, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	C	Failure to Appear	0	0	1	0
	C	Fleeing	1	0	1	0
	C	Hindering Apprehension	0	0	0	0
	C	Intimidating a Witness	0	0	0	0
	D	Absconding	8	9	3	1
	D	Escape, Second Degree	0	0	2	1
	D	Fleeing	2	2	1	1
	D	Handgun Poss Pub School Property/Bus	4	2	0	1
	D	Handgun Minor in Possession, Second Offense	1	1	1	2
	D	Inciting a Riot	0	2	0	0
	D	Indecent Exposure	0	0	0	0
	D	Threatening to Cause a Catastrophe	0	0	0	0
	U	Engage In Continuous Crime Gang, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	Y	Simult Poss of Drugs and Firearms	0	0	1	1
Total Felony Offenses			16	16	10	7
Misdemeanor	A	Disorderly Conduct	0	0	0	0
	A	Escape	0	0	0	0
	A	Escape, Third Degree	1	1	1	1
	A	Failure to Appear	0	0	3	2
	A	Fleeing	1	1	4	1
	A	Handgun Minor in Possession, First Offense	2	0	2	1
	A	Harassing Communications	0	0	1	1
	A	Harassment	3	3	2	4
	A	Hindering Apprehension	1	0	1	0
	A	Indecent Exposure	1	0	0	2
	A	Minor in Possession of Handgun	0	0	0	0
	A	Obstructing Governmental Operations	2	1	0	1
	A	Public Intoxication	0	0	0	0
	A	Public Sexual Indecency	0	1	0	1
	A	Refusal to Submit to Arrest	0	0	0	0
	A	Resisting Arrest	6	3	6	5
	B	Fail to Report Suspected Abuse of Adults	0	0	0	0
	B	Fleeing	0	1	0	1
	B	Prostitution, First Offense	0	1	1	0
	C	Battery, Third Degree	0	0	0	0
	C	Disorderly Conduct	35	18	26	16
	C	Fleeing	7	1	2	3
	C	Littering, First Offense	1	0	0	0
	C	Loitering	1	0	0	0
	C	Obstructing Governmental Operations	6	3	2	2
	C	Public Intoxication	6	3	3	1
	U	Contempt of Court	0	0	1	2
	U	No Driver's License	0	1	0	0
Total Misdemeanor Offenses			73	38	55	44
Total Commitments for Offense Against Public Order			89	54	65	51

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
DRUG LAW VIOLATIONS
SFY 2001 - 2004**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2001	SFY 2002	SFY 2003	SFY 2004
Felony	A	Delivery of Controlled Substance	0	0	0	0
	A	Conspiracy to Manufacture Controlled Substance	0	0	0	0
	B	Deliver Drug Paraphernalia to anyone < 18	0	0	2	0
	B	Manf Etc Controlled Substance, Sch I, II, III	0	0	0	1
	B	Possession of a Counterfeit Substance	0	0	0	0
	B	Possession of a Counterfeit Substance (Intent to Deliver)	2	2	0	1
	B	Possession of Controlled Substance (Intent to Deliver)	0	0	0	0
	B	Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	0	0	0	0
	C	Delivery of a Controlled Substance	0	0	0	0
	C	Delv, Poss, Manu, etc Drug Paraphernalia	0	0	1	0
	C	Manf Etc Controlled Substance, Sch IV, V	0	2	1	1
	C	Possession of a Counterfeit Substance (Intent to Deliver)	1	0	1	3
	C	Possession of Controlled Substance (Intent to Deliver)	0	0	0	0
	C	Possession of a Controlled Substance (Cocaine)	0	0	0	0
	C	Possession of Controlled Substance	5	2	4	3
	C	Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	0	1	0	2
	C	Possession of Marijuana > = 10 < 100 lbs	0	1	1	2
	C	Possession of Marijuana <10 lbs	0	1	1	1
	C	Possession of Marijuana with Intent to Deliver	0	0	0	0
	C	Possession of Methamphetamines	0	0	0	0
	C	Prescription, Third Offense	4	3	0	2
	D	Possession of Controlled/Counterfeit Substance Without Prescription	0	1	1	2
	D	Possession of Controlled Substance (Intent to Deliver)	0	0	0	1
	D	Possession of Controlled Substance (Marijuana)	0	0	0	0
	U	Unlawful Poss Depressants Stimulants	0	0	1	0
	U	Unlawful Sale Delv Depressants Stimulants	0	0	1	0
	Y	Manufactured Etc Controlled Substance ≥\$400<28gms	0	0	0	0
	Y	Manf Etc Controlled Substance Sch 1, 11 ≥28<200g	1	0	0	0
	Y	Manufactured Etc Controlled Substance Sch 1, 11	3	3	0	6
	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	Manf, Del, Possession Controlled Subs Sch 1, 11 <28	2	3	2	0
	Y	Simultaneous Possession of Drugs & Firearms	0	0	0	0
Total Felony Offenses			18	19	16	25
Misdemeanor	A	Possession of a Controlled Substance	0	0	0	0
	A	Possession of a Controlled Substance on School Property	0	0	0	0
	A	Possession of a Controlled/Counterfeit Substance Without Prescription	12	16	15	19
	A	Possession of a Counterfeit Substance	0	0	0	1
	A	Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	0	1	0	0
	A	Possession of Marijuana	0	0	0	0
Total Misdemeanor Offenses			12	17	15	20
Total Commitments for Drug Law Violation			30	36	31	45

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OTHER OFFENSES
SFY 2001 - 2004**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2001	SFY 2002	SFY 2003	SFY 2004
Felony	B	Arson	0	0	0	0
	B	Criminal Possession of Explosives	0	0	0	0
	B	Criminal Use of a Prohibited Weapon, First Degree	0	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	Forgery	0	0	0	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	1	0	0
	D	Criminal Use of a Prohibited Weapon, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	D	Escape, Second Degree	0	0	0	0
	D	Filing False Report of Criminal Wrong Doing	0	0	1	1
	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	1	0	0	0
	D	Possession of a Handgun on School Property	0	0	0	0
	U	Engaging in Violent Criminal Group Activity	0	0	0	5
Total Felony Offenses			1	1	1	6

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PRIMARY OFFENSES OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
COMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
OTHER OFFENSES
SFY 2001 - 2004**

Offense Classification	Offense Grade	Offense Title	SFY 2001	SFY 2002	SFY 2003	SFY 2004	
Misdemeanor	A	Carrying Certain Prohibited Weapons	4	1	5	2	
	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	2	1	0	0	
	A	Filing False Rept of Crim Wrong Doing	0	1	1	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	0	0	0	0	
	A	Possession of a Instrument of Crime	4	2	2	1	
	A	Shoplifting	0	0	0	0	
	A	Threatening a Fire or Bombing	0	0	1	0	
		B	Criminal Trespass	0	0	0	0
		B	Refusal to Submit to Arrest	2	2	4	1
	C	Criminal Trespass	0	0	0	0	
	C	Disorderly Conduct	0	0	0	0	
	C	Failure to Appear	0	1	0	0	
	C	Possession of Paging Device at School	0	0	0	0	
	U	Carrying a Knife	1	0	0	0	
	U	Contempt of Court	1	2	0	0	
	U	Criminal Contempt	0	1	0	0	
	U	Purchase/Poss Intox Liquor by Minor	0	0	0	0	
	U	Minor in Possession of Alcohol	0	0	0	0	
	U	Revocation of Probation	26	3	5	0	
	U	Violation of Probation	3	0	0	0	
Total Misdemeanor Offenses			44	14	18	4	
Total Commitments for Other Offenses			45	15	19	10	

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
NUMBER OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS
RECOMMITTED TO YOUTH SERVICES CENTERS
SFY 2001 - 2004**

SFY	Sex	Total Commitments	Number of Prior Commitments								N/A	
			0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7+		
2001	Male	497	421	65	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Female	100	81	16	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	597	502	81	13	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Recommitment Rate = 15.91%

2002	Male	426	367	46	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Female	90	80	9	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	516	447	55	11	3	0	0	0	0	0	0

Recommitment Rate = 13.37%

2003	Male	446	400	41	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Female	82	71	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	528	471	52	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Recommitment Rate = 10.80%

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	0	0	0	0	0	0

Recommitment Rate = 4.90%

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
NUMBER OF JUVENILES REFERRED
TO ALTERNATE PLACEMENT FACILITIES
SFY 2004**

Facility	Number of Placements		
	Male	Female	Total
Arkansas State Hospital	19	3	22
Behavioral Healthcare Corporation (BHC) - Pinnacle Pointe Hospital	0	1	1
Centers for Youth and Families/Psych	5	0	5
Centers for Youth and Family/Sex Off/ASAP	3	0	3
Consolidated Youth Services - CYS/ASAP	10	0	10
Harbor House, Inc.	1	0	1
Living Hope	38	27	65
Millcreek of Arkansas	13	5	18
Piney Ridge	15	0	15
Rivendell Behavioral Health Services	17	3	20
South Arkansas Youth Services, Inc.	17	0	17
Therapeutic Family Services, Inc.	6	1	7
Treatment Homes, Inc.	2	6	8
Vera Lloyd	23	21	44
Youth Bridge, Inc. (YB/SAT)	27	1	28
Youth Bridge, Inc. (YBTH)	45	0	45
Youth Home, Inc.	5	1	6
Total	246	69	315

AVERAGE LENGTH-OF-STAY OF ADJUDICATED DELINQUENTS*

A. Alexander Youth Services Center	75 days
B. Alternate Placement Facilities	81 days
C. Serious Offender Programs	200 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
E. Arkansas Regional Juvenile Program (Was DYS 2)	76	0
Juvenile Upward Bound Program (JUMP)	61	0
N.E. Arkansas Regional Juvenile Program (Was NEAJOP)	101	0
N.W. Arkansas Regional Juvenile Program (Was DYS 1)	94	0
N.W. Arkansas Female Juvenile Program	0	58
S.E. Arkansas Regional Juvenile Program (Was DYS 3)	113	0
S.W. Arkansas Regional Juvenile Program (Was SWARWC)	99	0
18 to 21 Program at Dermott	52	0
Total	596	58

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COMMUNITY-BASED YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAMS
SFY 2004**

The Community-based program network consists of 14 privately-operated non-profit organizations for SFY 2004. 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	Male	Female	Total
Comprehensive Juvenile Services	350	167	517
Consolidated Youth Services	538	278	816
Conway County Community Services	528	244	772
Counseling Clinic	538	477	1,015
East Arkansas Youth Services, Inc.	159	65	224
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	262	133	395
Ouachita Children's Center, Inc.	233	120	353
Our Farm, Inc.	27	8	35
Phoenix Youth and Family Services	85	41	126
Professional Counseling Associates	103	63	166
South Arkansas Youth Services	182	115	297
Southwest AR Counseling and Mental Health Center	253	62	315
United Family Services, Inc.	920	518	1,438
Youth Bridge, Inc.	516	291	807
TOTAL	4,694	2,582	7,276

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COMMUNITY-BASED INTAKES
BY AGE
SFY 2004**

Program	AGE							Total Intakes
	12 & Younger	13	14	15	16	17	18 & Older	
Comprehensive Juvenile Services	47	44	68	101	121	129	7	517
Consolidated Youth Services	79	94	120	175	190	157	1	816
Conway County Community Services	131	75	128	122	163	128	25	772
Counseling Clinic	131	120	128	185	232	210	9	1,015
East Arkansas Youth Services, Inc.	32	28	39	48	47	29	1	224
Health Resources of Arkansas, Inc.	30	53	70	67	98	74	3	395
Ouachita Children's Center	44	52	47	73	80	52	5	353
Our Farm, Inc.	1	0	6	8	12	8	0	35
Phoenix Youth and Family Services	20	13	27	23	25	13	5	126
Professional Counseling Associates	34	15	26	31	39	20	1	166
South Arkansas Youth Services	23	26	65	64	73	42	4	297
Southwest AR Counseling and Mental Health Center	33	26	44	63	69	75	5	315
United Family Services	133	120	212	311	370	276	16	1,438
Youth Bridge, Inc.	78	61	122	157	200	181	8	807
TOTAL	816	727	1,102	1,428	1,719	1,394	90	7,276

**ARKANSAS DHS STATISTICAL REPORT
INTERSTATE COMPACT ON JUVENILES
SFY 2004**

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	113
Probation Referrals	83
Parole Referrals	30
Requests for Home Evaluation/Supervision Received by Arkansas from Other States	132
Probation Referrals	108
Parole Referrals	24
Number of Runaways Returned (Non-Delinquent Youth)	79
Number of Escapees (Youth Committed to Facility)	2
Number of Absconders (Youth on Probation or Parole)	41

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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.

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 monitor 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.

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).

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.

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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.

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.)

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.

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.

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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.

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.

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.

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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.

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.

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.