

Effective with the July 2020 Report.

Beginning July 2020, changes were made to this report to provide more complete and accurate information about the households and individuals in Iowa receiving Family Investment Program (FIP) benefits. FIP is funded with state and federal funds from the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) block grant.

Categories for households and individuals have changed. Previously, categories were limited to Regular FIP and 2-Parent FIP. The Regular FIP category included families with only one parent in the household as well as families where needy children were living with a non-parent relative. The new report identifies and counts these Caretaker cases and individuals separate from One-Parent FIP cases and individuals.

The timing for the report also changed. Previously produced at the end of the report month, the report missed cases that were closed for any number of reasons when the report was created, only to shortly reopen. The report also missed applications processed in the month after application, but issuing payment for the prior month of application. Now the report is produced mid-month after the report month. As a result, it may appear that caseloads have increased. Instead, the new report provides more complete and accurate counts by including cases missed by the old report.

Note that data for the corresponding month from the prior year was also categorized as described above allowing for an equivalent comparison to the current report month.



One Parent FIP	Oct 2020	Sep 2020	Oct 2019
Cases	4,663	4,744	4,811
Recipients	12,269	12,433	12,751
Children	8,845	8,977	9,288
Payments	\$1,598,021.79	\$1,630,830.44	\$1,618,742.94
Avg. Cost/Family	\$1,390,021.79	\$343.77	\$336.47
Avg. Cost/Ramily Avg. Cost/Recipient	\$342.70 \$130.25	\$131.17	\$330.47 \$126.95
Avg. Cost/Recipient	\$130.25	φ131.1 <i>1</i>	\$120.95
Two Parent FIP			
Cases	339	351	305
Recipients	1,469	1,506	1,353
Children	795	813	752
Payments	\$142,945.69	\$154,521.74	\$128,630.96
Avg. Cost/Family	\$421.67	\$440.23	\$421.74
Avg. Cost/Recipient	\$97.31	\$102.60	\$95.07
Caretaker FIP			
Cases	2,195	2,233	2,483
Recipients	3,469	3,539	3,969
Children	3,455	3,522	3,954
Payments	\$569,271.51	\$579.466.62	\$646,324.82
Avg. Cost/Family	\$259.35	\$259.50	\$260.30
Avg. Cost/Recipient	\$164.10	\$163.74	\$162.84
Total FIP			
Cases	7,197	7,328	7,599
Recipients	17,207	17,478	18,073
Children	13,095	13.312	13,994
Payments	\$2,310,238.99	\$2,364,818.80	\$2,393,698.72
Avg. Cost/Family	\$321.00	\$322.71	\$315.00
	\$134.26	\$135.30	\$132.45
Avg. Cost/Recipient	Ψ104.20	ψ100.00	ψ102.40
Child Support Payments			
PA Recoveries	\$678,960	\$1,387,778	\$872,866
Returned To Federal Government	\$461,353	\$935,362	\$534,194
Credit to FIP Account	\$217,607	\$452,416	\$338,672
FIP Net Total	\$2,092,632	\$1,912,403	\$2,055,027

State Fiscal Year To Date Summary

FIP Payments	Current Year	Last Year
One Parent FIP	\$6,545,963.77	\$6,410,231.81
Two Parent Total	\$596,275.92	\$532,862.70
Caretaker Total	\$2,327,430.14	\$2,563,549.93
Total	\$9,469,669.83	\$9,506,644.44
Child Support Payments		
PA Recoveries	\$4,342,293	\$3,555,903
Returned to Federal Government	\$2,930,440	\$2,142,138
Credit to FIP Account	\$1,411,853	\$1,413,765
FIP Net Total	\$8,057,817	\$8,092,879

	FI	FIP - One Parent Families			FIP	- Two Par	ilies	FIP	- Caretak	er Famil	ies	Total FIP					
County	Number of Cases	Number of Persons	Monthly Grants	Average Grant per Case	Number of Cases	Number of Persons	Monthly Grants	Average Grant per Case	Number of Cases	Number of Persons	Monthly Grants	Average Grant per Case	Number of Cases	Number of Persons	Monthly Grants	Average Grant per Case	
Area 0 - DHS				_								_	_			314.00	
DHS	1	2	\$314	\$314.00									1	2	\$314	\$314.00	
Area Total	1	2	\$314	\$314.00									1	2	\$314	\$314.00	

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County	Number of Cases	Number of Persons	Monthly Grants	Average Grant per Case	Number of Cases	Number of Persons	Monthly Grants	Average Grant per Case	Number of Cases	Number of Persons	Monthly Grants	Average Grant per Case	Number of Cases	Number of Persons	Monthly Grants	Average Grant per Case
Area 1 - Western Serv	ice Area															
AUDUBON	7	18	\$1,846	\$263.71					1	1	\$183	\$183.00	8		\$2,029	
BUENA VISTA	20	57	\$7,664	\$383.20					16	25	\$4,143	\$258.94	36		\$11,807	\$327.97
CARROLL	47	126	\$17,205	\$366.06	3	12	\$1,168	•	11	19	\$3,102	\$282.00	61	157	\$21,475	•
CASS	16	46	\$6,065	\$379.06	2		\$921	\$460.50	7	8	\$1,399	\$199.86	25	61	\$8,385	•
CHEROKEE	6	14	\$1,807	\$301.17	2	9	\$678	\$339.00	5	7	\$1,271	\$254.20	13	30	\$3,756	
CLAY	19	56	\$6,278	\$330.43	2	8	\$150	\$75.00	13	19	\$3,067	\$235.92	34	83	\$9,495	\$279.27
CRAWFORD	29	86	\$11,320	\$390.35	2	7	\$612	\$306.00	11	12	\$2,081	\$189.18	42	105	\$14,013	\$333.65
DICKINSON	10	21	\$3,281	\$328.10					8	13	\$2,128	\$266.00	18	34	\$5,409	\$300.50
EMMET	8	18	\$2,722	\$340.24	1	6	\$162	\$162.00	10	17	\$2,854	\$285.40	19	41	\$5,738	\$301.99
FREMONT	6	16	\$2,211	\$368.50	1	4	\$495	\$495.00	5	6	\$1,093	\$218.60	12	26	\$3,799	\$316.58
GREENE	10	27	\$3,240	\$324.00					10	15	\$2,607	\$260.70	20	42	\$5,847	\$292.35
GUTHRIE	9	27	\$3,633	\$403.67					11	15	\$2,499	\$227.18	20	42	\$6,132	\$306.60
HARRISON	12	25	\$3,106	\$258.83					12	18	\$3,151	\$262.58	24	43	\$6,257	\$260.71
IDA	4	14	\$1,562	\$390.50					7	10	\$1,545	\$220.71	11	24	\$3,107	\$282.45
KOSSUTH	5	14	\$1,786	\$357.20	3	12	\$1,052	\$350.67	8	16	\$2,553	\$319.13	16	42	\$5,391	\$336.94
LYON	4	13	\$1,294	\$323.50					3	3	\$512	\$170.67	7	16	\$1,806	\$258.00
MILLS	8	19	\$3,011	\$376.38	2	9	\$1,039	\$519.70	14	24	\$4,120	\$294.29	24	52	\$8,170	\$340.43
MONONA	9	33	\$3,744	\$416.00					7	17	\$2,197	\$313.86	16	50	\$5,941	\$371.31
MONTGOMERY	26	56	\$8,227	\$316.42	2	8	\$590	\$295.00	11	16	\$2,854	\$259.45	39	80	\$11,671	\$299.26
O BRIEN	11	28	\$3,494	\$317.64					5	6	\$1,093	\$218.60	16	34	\$4,587	\$286.69
OSCEOLA	4	12	\$1,693	\$423.25	1	3	\$241	\$241.00	4	7	\$1,153	\$288.25	9	22	\$3,087	\$343.00
PAGE	18	39	\$5,110	\$283.89	1	5	\$543	\$542.52	8	14	\$2,157	\$269.63	27	58	\$7,810	\$289.24
PALO ALTO	7	19	\$2,392	\$341.71					5	5	\$915	\$183.00	12	24	\$3,307	\$275.58
PLYMOUTH	17	46	\$5,759	\$338.76	1	4	\$495	\$495.00	7	12	\$2,058	\$294.00	25	62	\$8,312	\$332.48
POTTAWATTAMIE	208	572	\$73,339	\$352.59	9	39	\$3,590	\$398.89	100	162	\$26,233	\$262.33	317	773	\$103,162	\$325.43
SAC	2	4	\$587	\$293.30	1	5	\$548	\$548.00	4	10	\$1,190	\$297.50	7	19	\$2,325	\$332.09
SHELBY	12	26	\$3,923	\$326.92					2	4	\$722	\$361.00	14	30	\$4,645	\$331.79
SIOUX	11	28	\$3,236	\$294.18					5	8	\$1,336	\$267.20	16	36	\$4,572	\$285.75
TAYLOR	7	18	\$2,390	\$341.43	1	4	\$495	\$495.00	5	11	\$1,648	\$329.60	13	33	\$4,533	\$348.69
WOODBURY	219	645	\$81,169	\$370.64	14	64	\$6,345	\$453.21	107	204	\$30,174	\$282.00	340	913	\$117,688	\$346.14
Area Total	771	2,123	\$273,094	\$354.21	48	206	\$19,124	\$398.41	422	704	\$112,038	\$265.49	1,241	3,033	\$404,255	\$325.75

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Area 2 - Northern Ser	vice Area				'											
ALLAMAKEE	9	17	\$2,861	\$317.89					6	9	\$1,491	\$248.50	15	26	\$4,352	\$290.13
BLACK HAWK	465	1,223	\$160,893	\$346.01	20	84	\$8,498	\$424.90	118	180	\$29,676	\$251.49	603	1,487	\$199,067	\$330.13
BREMER	12	30	\$3,682	\$306.83	1	3	\$426	\$426.00	6	9	\$1,546	\$257.67	19	42	\$5,654	\$297.58
BUCHANAN	17	56	\$5,556	\$326.85	3	15	\$1,510	\$503.33	14	18	\$2,876	\$205.43	34	89	\$9,942	\$292.42
BUTLER	14	43	\$4,623	\$330.23	1	4	\$495	\$495.00	11	15	\$2,464	\$224.00	26	62	\$7,582	\$291.63
CALHOUN	9	26	\$3,507	\$389.67	2	8	\$346	\$173.00	6	6	\$975	\$162.50	17	40	\$4,828	\$284.00
CERRO GORDO	58	160	\$21,487	\$370.47	5	17	\$2,268	\$453.60	30	43	\$7,378	\$245.93	93	220	\$31,133	\$334.76
CHICKASAW	2	7	\$904	\$452.00	1	5	\$548	\$548.00	1	1	\$183	\$183.00	4	13	\$1,635	\$408.75
CLAYTON	8	24	\$2,697	\$337.13	1	4	\$495	\$495.00	14	21	\$3,582	\$255.86	23	49	\$6,774	\$294.52
DELAWARE	21	53	\$7,153	\$340.62	2	8	\$459	\$229.50					23	61	\$7,612	\$330.96
FAYETTE	34	92	\$9,193	\$270.38	4	15	\$1,819	\$454.75	19	28	\$4,684	\$246.53	57	135	\$15,696	\$275.37
FLOYD	29	82	\$9,946	\$342.96	1	3	\$426	\$426.00	11	20	\$3,280	\$298.18	41	105	\$13,652	\$332.97
FRANKLIN	12	39	\$4,023	\$335.25	2	6	\$582	\$291.00	5	5	\$915	\$183.00	19	50	\$5,520	\$290.53
GRUNDY	11	28	\$3,030	\$275.49					5	6	\$1,093	\$218.60	16	34	\$4,123	\$257.71
HAMILTON	15	38	\$4,895	\$326.33					5	15	\$1,892	\$378.40	20	53	\$6,787	\$339.35
HANCOCK	10	29	\$3,844	\$384.40					2	3	\$447	\$223.50	12	32	\$4,291	\$357.58
HARDIN	16	46	\$5,518	\$344.88	3	13	\$1,136	\$378.67	14	24	\$3,882	\$277.29	33	83	\$10,536	\$319.27
HOWARD	11	32	\$3,575	\$325.00					6	7	\$1,276	\$212.67	17	39	\$4,851	\$285.35
HUMBOLDT	9	21	\$2,611	\$290.11					5	8	\$1,336	\$267.20	14	29	\$3,947	\$281.93
MARSHALL	55	153	\$19,779	\$359.62	8	39	\$4,347	\$543.38	39	67	\$10,955	\$280.90	102	259	\$35,081	\$343.93
MITCHELL	9	17	\$2,452	\$272.44	1	4	\$495	\$495.00	5	7	\$1,271	\$254.20	15	28	\$4,218	\$281.20
POCAHONTAS	7	14	\$2,261	\$323.00	1	4	\$495	\$495.00	7	14	\$2,305	\$329.29	15	32	\$5,061	\$337.40
WEBSTER	95	248	\$32,934	\$346.67	7	38	\$3,687	\$526.71	33	47	\$8,102	\$245.52	135	333	\$44,723	\$331.28
WINNEBAGO	7	18	\$2,343	\$334.70					7	16	\$2,277	\$325.29	14	34	\$4,620	\$329.99
WINNESHIEK	4	9	\$1,386	\$346.50					4	7	\$1,044	\$261.00	8	16	\$2,430	\$303.75
WORTH	8	20	\$2,094	\$261.75	1	5	\$548	\$548.00	5	7	\$1,271	\$254.20	14	32	\$3,913	\$279.50
WRIGHT	29	77	\$9,847	\$339.57	1	3	\$426	\$426.00	5	9	\$1,368	\$273.60	35	89	\$11,641	\$332.61
Area Total	976	2,602	\$333,094	\$341.29	65	278	\$29,006	\$446.25	383	592	\$97,569	\$254.75	1,424	3,472	\$459,669	\$322.80

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Area 3 - Eastern Servi	ce Area															
CEDAR	6	17	\$1,533	\$255.50	1	4	\$495	\$495.00	9	17	\$2,736	\$304.00	16	38	\$4,764	\$297.75
CLINTON	103	248	\$34,239	\$332.41	13	60	\$5,351	\$411.62	67	108	\$17,559	\$262.07	183	416	\$57,149	\$312.29
DES MOINES	103	291	\$37,842	\$367.40	7	33	\$2,421	\$345.86	58	85	\$14,221	\$245.20	168	409	\$54,485	\$324.31
DUBUQUE	189	482	\$62,921	\$332.91	6	26	\$2,804	\$467.33	36	60	\$10,073	\$279.81	231	568	\$75,798	\$328.13
HENRY	28	69	\$9,495	\$339.10	2	6	\$852	\$426.00	25	40	\$6,832	\$273.28	55	115	\$17,179	\$312.34
JACKSON	29	74	\$9,954	\$343.23	1	6	\$610	\$610.00	15	26	\$4,368	\$291.20	45	106	\$14,932	\$331.82
LEE	70	188	\$24,044	\$343.48	11	42	\$3,974	\$361.27	43	69	\$11,545	\$268.49	124	299	\$39,563	\$319.06
LOUISA	14	32	\$4,149	\$296.36					11	25	\$3,903	\$354.82	25	57	\$8,052	\$322.08
MUSCATINE	73	210	\$25,418	\$348.19	7	30	\$2,992	\$427.43	36	52	\$8,755	\$243.19	116	292	\$37,165	\$320.38
SCOTT	455	1,202	\$156,707	\$344.41	23	114	\$8,764	\$381.04	155	219	\$37,028	\$238.89	633	1,535	\$202,499	\$319.90
Area Total	1,070	2,813	\$366,300	\$342.34	71	321	\$28,263	\$398.07	455	701	\$117,020	\$257.19	1,596	3,835	\$511,584	\$320.54

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Area 4 - Cedar Rapid	ls Service Area															
APPANOOSE	16	40	\$5,155	\$322.19					11	16	\$2,903	\$263.91	27	56	\$8,058	\$298.45
BENTON	13	26	\$3,594	\$276.46					10	13	\$2,364	\$236.40	23	39	\$5,958	\$259.04
DAVIS	2	5	\$454	\$227.00					7	9	\$1,214	\$173.43	9	14	\$1,668	\$185.33
IOWA	6	15	\$1,882	\$313.67					7	9	\$1,637	\$233.86	13	24	\$3,519	\$270.69
JASPER	38	94	\$12,988	\$341.79	2	8	\$990	\$495.00	30	40	\$6,958	\$231.93	70	142	\$20,936	\$299.09
JEFFERSON	18	43	\$5,913	\$328.49	5	21	\$1,762	\$352.40	16	25	\$4,091	\$255.69	39	89	\$11,766	\$301.69
JOHNSON	150	413	\$49,853	\$332.35	10	60	\$4,558	\$455.80	42	68	\$11,181	\$266.21	202	541	\$65,592	\$324.71
JONES	20	54	\$7,171	\$358.55	4	18	\$1,736	\$434.00	10	14	\$2,335	\$233.50	34	86	\$11,242	\$330.65
KEOKUK	13	39	\$4,602	\$354.00	1	4	\$495	\$495.00	11	19	\$3,090	\$280.91	25	62	\$8,187	\$327.48
LINN	333	857	\$113,636	\$341.25	24	106	\$11,233	\$468.04	128	208	\$33,576	\$262.32	485	1,171	\$158,445	\$326.69
MAHASKA	27	70	\$8,887	\$329.15	5	18	\$1,695	\$339.00	16	25	\$4,082	\$255.13	48	113	\$14,664	\$305.50
MONROE	14	39	\$5,230	\$373.57	2	9	\$1,043	\$521.50	13	20	\$3,399	\$261.46	29	68	\$9,672	\$333.52
POWESHIEK	14	37	\$4,207	\$300.50	1	5	\$548	\$548.00	8	15	\$1,982	\$247.75	23	57	\$6,737	\$292.91
TAMA	18	52	\$5,654	\$314.11	4	17	\$1,130	\$282.50	12	22	\$3,128	\$260.67	34	91	\$9,912	\$291.53
VAN BUREN	10	20	\$2,994	\$299.40					7	10	\$1,730	\$247.14	17	30	\$4,724	\$277.88
WAPELLO	101	240	\$32,069	\$317.51	7	31	\$3,420	\$488.57	52	79	\$13,627	\$262.06	160	350	\$49,116	\$306.98
WASHINGTON	18	41	\$5,685	\$315.83					15	25	\$3,677	\$245.13	33	66	\$9,362	\$283.70
Area Total	811	2,085	\$269,973	\$332.89	65	297	\$28,610	\$440.15	395	617	\$100,974	\$255.63	1,271	2,999	\$399,558	\$314.36

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Area 5 - Des Moines	Service Area																
ADAIR	7	15	\$1,949	\$278.43					2	2 3	\$544	\$272.00	9	18	\$2,493	\$ \$277.00	
ADAMS	11	25	\$3,593	\$326.64	1	5	\$262	\$262.00	4	. 5	\$910	\$227.50	16	35	\$4,765	\$297.81	
BOONE	16	39	\$4,780	\$298.75	1	3	\$426	\$426.00	14	. 19	\$3,438	\$245.57	31	61	\$8,644	\$278.84	
CLARKE	12	42	\$4,438	\$369.84	4	. 18	\$1,338	\$334.50	10	23	\$3,303	\$330.30	26	83	\$9,079	\$349.19	
DALLAS	24	67	\$7,750	\$322.92	3	11	\$940	\$313.33	20	41	\$6,724	\$336.20	47	119	\$15,414	\$327.96	
DECATUR	14	31	\$4,162	\$297.29					6	16	\$1,543	\$257.12	20	47	\$5,705	\$285.24	
LUCAS	19	38	\$5,320	\$280.00	3	13	\$1,252	\$417.33	6	12	\$1,831	\$305.17	28	63	\$8,403	\$300.11	
MADISON	8	20	\$2,633	\$329.13					11	19	\$2,640	\$240.00	19	39	\$5,273	\$277.53	
MARION	27	70	\$8,515	\$315.37	2	10	\$1,105	\$552.50	12	20	\$3,620	\$301.67	41	100	\$13,240	\$322.93	
POLK	792	2,130	\$276,018	\$348.51	60	256	\$25,296	\$421.60	385	604	\$98,600	\$256.10	1,237	2,990	\$399,914	\$323.29	
RINGGOLD	4	12	\$1,708	\$427.00					4	. 4	\$732	\$183.00	8	16	\$2,440	\$305.00	
STORY	52	149	\$19,027	\$365.91	8	33	\$3,631	\$453.88	27	37	\$6,608	\$244.74	87	219	\$29,266	\$336.40	
UNION	23	72	\$7,354	\$319.74	5	20	\$2,386	\$477.20	11	20	\$3,167	\$287.91	39	112	\$12,907	\$330.95	
WARREN	23	53	\$7,411	\$322.20	3	14	\$1,307	\$435.67	25	40	\$6,797	\$271.88	51	107	\$15,515	\$304.21	
WAYNE	2	5	\$588	\$294.00					3	8	\$1,213	\$404.33	5	13	\$1,801	\$360.20	
Area Total	1,034	2,768	\$355,246	\$343.56	90	383	\$37,943	\$421.59	540	871	\$141,670	\$262.35	1,664	4,022	\$534,859	\$321.43	
State Total	4,663	12,393	\$1,598,022	\$342.70	339	1,485	\$142,946	\$421.67	2,195	3,485	\$569,272	\$259.35	7,197	17,363	\$2,310,239	\$321.00	