

FACT SHEET

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Family Independence Program (FIP)

FIP	Cases – March	Cases – April	Difference +/-(-)	Recipients – March	Recipients – April	Difference +/-(-)
Regular FIP	20,385	19,984	(401)	48,133	46,939	(1,194)

Regular FIP includes families with children receiving cash assistance who qualify by income standards.

Other Assistance Programs

Program	Cases – March	Cases – April	Difference +/-(-)	Recipients – March	Recipients – April	Difference +/-(-)
Food Assistance	732,906	726,446	(6,460)	1,383,576	1,370,584	(12,992)
Child Development and Care (CDC)*	18,685	18,350	(335)	32,423	31,949	(474)
Medicaid	1,058,215	1,058,238	23	1,811,749	1,810,936	(813)
Healthy Michigan Plan (HMP)	613,077	616,405	3,328	675,478	679,215	3,737

Food Assistance (formerly known as food stamps) provides assistance that can be expended on food and food-related items.

CDC* cases that received payments during the month for child care services provided.

Medicaid includes low-income families and individuals eligible for medical assistance.

HMP: HMP data added to fact sheet October 2014.

Children's Services Monthly Report

Children's Services	March	April	Difference +/-(-)
Foster Care	12,991	13,029	38
Residing in licensed foster care homes *	5,741	5,723	(18)
Residing with licensed relatives **	1,274	1,273	(1)
Residing with unlicensed relatives **	2,965	2,954	(11)
In child caring institution *	967	974	7
In own home/independent living *	1,971	1,998	27
Other***	1,347	1,380	33
Adoption Goal	1,404	1,330	(74)

Children's Services Fiscal Year Report

Children's Protective Services (CPS)	March	April	Difference +/-(-)	Total for Fiscal Year
Abuse-neglect complaints filed	15,512	13,600	(1,912)	97,077
Assigned investigations	8,161	7,139	(1,022)	52,358
Confirmed cases of abuse and/or neglect	2,293	1,968	(325)	14,623
Confirmed victims of abuse and/or neglect	3,625	3,041	(584)	23,110

CPS complaints, assigned investigations, confirmed cases and child victims of abuse & neglect during month.

Foster care children in foster care statewide at end of month and their living arrangement.

* Includes out-of-state placements.

**Licensed vs. unlicensed relatives is determined using the license of the provider.

*****Other** placements include adoptive home; emergency shelter home/facility; community justice center; detention; jail; MDHHS training school; mental health facility; court treatment facility; boarding school; runaway (AWOL); service facility; hospital; unrelated caregiver.

Dual Wards youth serviced by Foster Care and Juvenile Justice (identified using legal status), as of the end of the month.

Adoption Program children by the adoption program (not finalized) as of the end of the month.

Adoption Goal is children in foster care under MDHHS management at the end of the month with a goal of adoption. They are state or court wards whose parental rights have been terminated.

Adult Services Monthly Report

Adult Services	March	April	Difference +/-(-)
Adult Community Placement (ACP) – Total active cases	1,544	1,532	(12)
Adult Community Placement (ACP) – New referrals open for services	27	36	9
Independent Living Services (ILS) – Total active cases	55,923	56,005	82
Independent Living Services (ILS) – New referrals open for services	821	733	(88)
Adult Protective Services – Total active cases	2,966	2,936	(30)
Adult Protective Services – New referrals open for services	2,469	1,936	(533)

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Adult Services Fiscal Year Report

Adult Services	March	April	Difference +/-	Total for Fiscal Year
Adult Community Placement (ACP) – New referrals during the month	69	47	(22)	403
Independent Living Services (ILS) – New referrals during the month	2,583	2,165	(418)	16,003
Adult Protective Services (APS) – New referrals during the month	4,130	3,546	(584)	26,030

ACP reflects adults who cannot live independently residing in licensed adult foster care and homes for the aged at end of month.

ILS reflects services and payments to individuals who require services to support functioning in a home or independent living facility.

APS assists persons age 18 or older who have been or are at risk of being abused, neglected or exploited and who are vulnerable and unable to take the necessary steps to correct their situation.

Michigan Rehabilitation Services Monthly and Fiscal Year Report

Michigan Rehabilitation Services (MRS)	March	April	Difference +/-	Total for Fiscal Year
Case Applications	1,709	1,339	(370)	10,433
Eligibility determined	1,444	1,325	(119)	8,741
Services initiated	1,075	1,082	7	6,138
Closed rehabilitated	487	487	0	3,652
Total open caseload	20,731	20,782	51	30,155 (total served)

Applications: Number of individuals with disabilities who submitted an application for vocational rehabilitation services.

Eligibility determined: Number of applicants for vocational rehabilitation services who MRS determined meet the eligibility requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

Services initiated: Number of individuals with disabilities who have an individualized plan for employment and are receiving services to assist them in preparing for, securing, retaining, or regaining an employment outcome as specified in the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

Closed rehabilitated: Number of MRS customers who obtained and maintained employment for 90 days or more.

Total open caseload: Number of MRS customers currently with open cases.

Child Support Program (For the quarter ending December 31, 2016)

- Child support cases totaled 846,743 at the end of December 2016, which included 882,353 children. Since December 2015, the caseload has increased by 6,543 cases.
- From October 1, 2016, through December 31, 2016 \$291,759,153 was distributed directly to families; \$18,033,992 was distributed to cover medical costs for children; and \$7,071,944 was collected to reimburse federal and state governments for public assistance provided to families.
- Past due support that was distributed from October 1, 2016, through December 31, 2016, totaled \$73,319,890, which is a decrease of \$10,434,697 over the same time period last year.
- From October 1, 2016, through December 31, 2016, total child support distributions in Michigan totaled \$324,531,831, which is a decrease of \$11,625,810 over the same time period last year.