



# Self-Sufficiency at a Glance

An overview of the Self-Sufficiency Programs of the Department of Human Services for the month of:  
**July 2018**

Helping low income people and families achieve self-sufficiency:

## Self-Sufficiency Services

**Pre-TANF Program:** *The purpose of Pre-TANF is to meet immediate and basic needs and begin the assessment process while determining eligibility for TANF.*

0 participants      + from last month      + from a year ago

**JOBS Program:** *Provides employment preparation, training and placement services to people receiving public assistance, to help them find and keep work. Services include basic education, "Life Skills" classes and job-search assistance.*

10,135 people in activities      -655 from last month  
-2,093 from a year ago

### Placements validated in the report month for applicants and TANF clients finding employment

722 validated placements      -69 from last month  
-150 from a year ago

## Temporary Cash Assistance for Needy Families

*Provides cash benefits for one-and two-parent families who meet eligibility for the following programs.*

Single-parent program (TANF-Basic):  
17,735 families served      -30 from last month      -764 from a year ago  
-0.2% from last month      -4.1% from a year ago

Two-parent program (TANF-UN):  
2,918 families served      -25 from last month      -356 from a year ago  
-0.8% from last month      -10.9% from a year ago

State Family Pre-SSI/SSDI Program  
330 families served      -11 from last month      -85 from a year ago

\*Note: The Post-TANF program was suspended and is not funded at this time.

## Helping people remain self-sufficient:

### Employment Related Day Care

*Assists low-income employed families in paying child-care costs, so they can remain on the job. Families pay a portion of their day care bills, based on their income.*

8,177 families served  
15,509 children served

+94 from last month  
+184 from last month

-557 from a year ago  
-951 from a year ago

### Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program \*\*

*Provided to families on public assistance, employed low-income families and individuals, the elderly, and people with disabilities, to help them purchase food. The cost of benefits is paid by the federal government; administrative costs are shared by the state and federal governments.*

362,389 statewide households served

-1,905 from previous month  
-18,192 from a year ago

626,038 persons served

-4,147 from previous month  
-38,363 from a year ago

Total SNAP benefits issued: \$76,635,643.00

-\$507,874 from previous month  
-\$6,208,154 from a year ago

Average benefit amount per household: \$0.00

\*\*The Food Stamps program name changed to Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) on January 1, 2010.