

Ministry of Housing and Social Development  
BC Employment and Assistance Summary Report

BCEA Cases by Program - November 2008								
BC Employment and Assistance Cases								
	Temporary Assistance					Disability Assistance		
	Expected to Work	Expected to Work - Medical Condition	Temporarily Excused	Persistent Multiple Barriers	Sub Total	Persons with Disabilities	Sub Total	Total
<b>Annual Average</b>								
1995	174,937		17,756		192,693	22,167	22,167	214,859
1996	158,020		16,654		174,674	24,391	24,391	199,064
1997	121,822		30,204		152,026	27,814	27,814	179,841
1998	106,757		29,938		136,695	30,954	30,954	167,649
1999	98,643		25,983		124,626	33,888	33,888	158,514
2000	91,661		24,389		116,049	37,902	37,902	153,952
2001	85,864		22,991		108,855	42,996	42,996	151,851
2002	68,287		20,242		88,529	45,896	45,896	134,425
2003	36,671		19,695	8,440	64,805	48,879	48,879	113,684
2004	23,657	5,805	10,660	12,282	52,403	52,933	52,933	105,336
2005	19,345	6,874	7,190	9,780	43,190	56,616	56,616	99,806
2006	16,872	6,782	6,299	7,752	37,704	59,493	59,493	97,197
2007	18,533	6,065	5,913	7,250	37,761	63,148	63,148	100,909

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2007 and 2008 annual averages)								
	16.4%	-9.2%	1.2%	-4.7%	5.8%	5.7%	5.7%	5.7%

2007 (Annual Average)	18,533	6,065	5,913	7,250	37,761	63,148	63,148	100,909
January	18,146	6,229	5,971	7,477	37,823	60,800	60,800	98,623
February	18,447	6,202	5,877	7,378	37,904	60,988	60,988	98,892
March	18,847	6,186	5,919	7,320	38,272	61,325	61,325	99,597
April	18,635	6,241	5,798	7,351	38,025	61,563	61,563	99,588
May	18,577	6,208	5,978	7,428	38,191	61,590	61,590	99,781
June	18,606	6,087	5,974	7,277	37,944	63,887	63,887	101,831
July	18,255	5,945	5,890	7,290	37,380	64,001	64,001	101,381
August	18,080	6,024	6,052	7,242	37,398	64,220	64,220	101,618
September	17,853	5,925	5,834	7,177	36,789	64,570	64,570	101,359
October	18,307	5,911	5,906	7,042	37,166	64,608	64,608	101,774
November	18,933	5,895	5,855	7,030	37,713	64,925	64,925	102,638
December	19,708	5,927	5,907	6,982	38,524	65,302	65,302	103,826

2008 (Annual Average)	21,572	5,504	5,984	6,909	39,969	66,723	66,723	106,693
January	20,800	5,671	5,891	6,975	39,337	65,477	65,477	104,814
February	21,372	5,702	5,867	6,991	39,932	65,608	65,608	105,540
March	21,371	5,709	5,973	6,981	40,034	65,852	65,852	105,886
April	21,063	5,590	5,976	7,024	39,653	66,173	66,173	105,826
May	21,185	5,550	5,955	6,922	39,612	66,467	66,467	106,079
June	20,855	5,571	5,984	6,904	39,314	66,619	66,619	105,933
July	21,246	5,339	5,978	6,842	39,405	66,884	66,884	106,289
August	21,730	5,281	5,987	6,865	39,863	67,362	67,362	107,225
September	21,793	5,370	6,011	6,927	40,101	67,520	67,520	107,621
October	22,337	5,336	6,019	6,839	40,531	67,802	67,802	108,333
November	23,535	5,425	6,188	6,734	41,882	68,194	68,194	110,076

% Change from Year Ago (November 2007 to November 2008)								
	24.3%	-8.0%	5.7%	-4.2%	11.1%	5.0%	5.0%	7.2%

% Change from Previous Month (October 2008 to November 2008)								
	5.4%	1.7%	2.8%	-1.5%	3.3%	0.6%	0.6%	1.6%

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<b>BCEA Clients by Program - November 2008</b>									
<b>BC Employment and Assistance Clients</b>									
	<b>Temporary Assistance</b>					<b>Disability Assistance</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>% of BC Population</b>	<b>Dependent Children (1)</b>
	<b>Expected to Work</b>	<b>Expected to Work - Medical Condition</b>	<b>Temporarily Excused</b>	<b>Persistent Multiple Barriers</b>	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>Persons with Disabilities</b>			
<b>Annual Average</b>									
1995	293,710		46,970		<b>340,679</b>	26,708	<b>367,387</b>	9.7	128,153
1996	271,496		43,813		<b>315,309</b>	29,580	<b>344,889</b>	8.9	122,800
1997	212,102		58,958		<b>271,060</b>	33,913	<b>304,973</b>	7.7	105,262
1998	188,154		55,397		<b>243,550</b>	37,629	<b>281,180</b>	7.0	95,416
1999	173,739		48,232		<b>221,971</b>	41,218	<b>263,189</b>	6.5	88,036
2000	161,114		45,154		<b>206,268</b>	46,321	<b>252,589</b>	6.2	83,391
2001	149,635		42,302		<b>191,938</b>	52,884	<b>244,821</b>	6.0	78,483
2002	117,657		36,363		<b>154,020</b>	56,254	<b>210,274</b>	5.1	63,753
2003	63,968		36,332	10,436	<b>110,736</b>	59,641	<b>170,376</b>	4.1	47,313
2004	41,272	8,059	23,023	15,670	<b>88,024</b>	64,479	<b>152,502</b>	3.6	39,236
2005	32,755	9,100	17,176	12,412	<b>71,442</b>	68,690	<b>140,132</b>	3.3	33,385
2006	27,282	8,825	14,961	9,755	<b>60,822</b>	71,784	<b>132,606</b>	3.1	28,941
2007	28,376	7,709	13,959	9,285	<b>59,329</b>	75,818	<b>135,147</b>	3.1	27,868

<b>% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2007 and 2008 annual averages)</b>									
	<b>13.3%</b>	<b>-9.3%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>-3.3%</b>	<b>5.0%</b>	<b>5.1%</b>	<b>5.0%</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>

<b>2007 (Annual Average)</b>									
	<b>28,376</b>	<b>7,709</b>	<b>13,959</b>	<b>9,285</b>	<b>59,329</b>	<b>75,818</b>	<b>135,147</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>27,868</b>
January	28,362	7,950	14,046	9,418	<b>59,776</b>	73,267	<b>133,043</b>	3.1	27,873
February	28,688	7,910	13,771	9,295	<b>59,664</b>	73,464	<b>133,128</b>	3.1	27,707
March	29,062	7,881	13,815	9,214	<b>59,972</b>	73,973	<b>133,945</b>	3.1	27,776
April	28,646	7,932	13,684	9,214	<b>59,476</b>	74,235	<b>133,711</b>	3.1	27,630
May	28,372	7,862	13,918	9,535	<b>59,687</b>	74,240	<b>133,927</b>	3.1	27,738
June	28,287	7,740	14,075	9,388	<b>59,490</b>	76,678	<b>136,168</b>	3.1	27,967
July	27,870	7,557	13,975	9,431	<b>58,833</b>	76,745	<b>135,578</b>	3.1	27,920
August	27,859	7,594	14,313	9,392	<b>59,158</b>	77,044	<b>136,202</b>	3.1	28,310
September	27,436	7,580	14,031	9,315	<b>58,362</b>	77,348	<b>135,710</b>	3.1	28,123
October	27,798	7,499	13,979	9,106	<b>58,382</b>	77,218	<b>135,600</b>	3.1	27,660
November	28,586	7,478	13,889	9,065	<b>59,018</b>	77,593	<b>136,611</b>	3.1	27,716
December	29,550	7,524	14,010	9,041	<b>60,125</b>	78,011	<b>138,136</b>	3.1	28,000

<b>2008 (Annual Average)</b>									
	<b>32,147</b>	<b>6,990</b>	<b>14,152</b>	<b>8,983</b>	<b>62,271</b>	<b>79,687</b>	<b>141,959</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>28,839</b>
January	31,092	7,190	13,991	9,053	<b>61,326</b>	78,260	<b>139,586</b>	3.2	28,373
February	32,023	7,212	13,898	9,104	<b>62,237</b>	78,365	<b>140,602</b>	3.2	28,587
March	31,952	7,184	14,144	9,088	<b>62,368</b>	78,699	<b>141,067</b>	3.2	28,727
April	31,377	7,094	14,178	9,150	<b>61,799</b>	79,058	<b>140,857</b>	3.2	28,628
May	31,667	7,007	14,132	8,994	<b>61,800</b>	79,333	<b>141,133</b>	3.2	28,624
June	31,082	7,086	14,226	8,940	<b>61,334</b>	79,449	<b>140,783</b>	3.2	28,494
July	31,767	6,793	14,117	8,899	<b>61,576</b>	79,836	<b>141,412</b>	3.2	28,820
August	32,437	6,744	14,177	8,934	<b>62,292</b>	80,521	<b>142,813</b>	3.2	29,165
September	32,463	6,869	14,274	9,011	<b>62,617</b>	80,693	<b>143,310</b>	3.2	29,292
October	33,025	6,823	14,157	8,876	<b>62,881</b>	80,948	<b>143,829</b>	3.2	29,049
November	34,732	6,886	14,375	8,761	<b>64,754</b>	81,398	<b>146,152</b>	3.3	29,467

<b>% Change from Year Ago (November 2007 to November 2008)</b>									
	<b>21.5%</b>	<b>-7.9%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>-3.4%</b>	<b>9.7%</b>	<b>4.9%</b>	<b>7.0%</b>	<b>5.5%</b>	<b>6.3%</b>

<b>% Change from Previous Month (October 2008 to November 2008)</b>									
	<b>5.2%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>-1.3%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>

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**Disability Assistance Cases by Family Type - November 2008**

Disability Assistance Cases						
Persons with Disabilities						
	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Total
<b>Annual Average</b>						
1995	10,844	8,287	1,511	604	922	22,167
1996	11,887	9,062	1,645	675	1,123	24,391
1997	13,406	10,379	1,827	784	1,419	27,814
1998	14,820	11,676	1,987	844	1,627	30,954
1999	16,231	12,775	2,135	932	1,815	33,888
2000	18,155	14,201	2,328	1,064	2,154	37,902
2001	20,560	15,937	2,617	1,229	2,653	42,996
2002	21,972	17,059	2,700	1,235	2,930	45,896
2003	23,449	18,231	2,740	1,201	3,259	48,879
2004	25,449	19,779	2,839	1,260	3,606	52,933
2005	27,353	21,167	2,946	1,277	3,874	56,616
2006	28,842	22,395	2,957	1,286	4,014	59,493
2007	30,771	23,949	2,958	1,330	4,141	63,148

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2007 and 2008 annual averages)						
	6.4%	6.1%	0.5%	-0.6%	3.5%	5.7%

2007 (Annual Average)	30,771	23,949	2,958	1,330	4,141	63,148
January	29,522	22,928	2,975	1,312	4,063	60,800
February	29,630	23,016	2,963	1,325	4,054	60,988
March	29,802	23,083	2,986	1,342	4,112	61,325
April	29,879	23,224	2,993	1,333	4,134	61,563
May	29,891	23,285	2,957	1,324	4,133	61,590
June	31,159	24,221	2,950	1,351	4,206	63,887
July	31,223	24,312	2,932	1,342	4,192	64,001
August	31,303	24,433	2,926	1,353	4,205	64,220
September	31,523	24,580	2,947	1,344	4,176	64,570
October	31,594	24,646	2,930	1,316	4,122	64,608
November	31,780	24,740	2,971	1,307	4,127	64,925
December	31,951	24,920	2,963	1,306	4,162	65,302

2008 (Annual Average)	32,736	25,407	2,972	1,321	4,287	66,723
January	32,069	24,956	2,951	1,314	4,187	65,477
February	32,150	25,019	2,951	1,314	4,174	65,608
March	32,287	25,080	2,953	1,331	4,201	65,852
April	32,422	25,241	2,973	1,320	4,217	66,173
May	32,640	25,292	2,976	1,304	4,255	66,467
June	32,673	25,400	2,985	1,298	4,263	66,619
July	32,808	25,497	2,947	1,309	4,323	66,884
August	33,038	25,626	2,994	1,333	4,371	67,362
September	33,137	25,690	2,980	1,339	4,374	67,520
October	33,322	25,771	2,984	1,335	4,390	67,802
November	33,550	25,910	2,996	1,335	4,403	68,194

% Change from Year Ago (November 2007 to November 2008)						
	5.6%	4.7%	0.8%	2.1%	6.7%	5.0%

% Change from Previous Month (October 2008 to November 2008)						
	1.5%	1.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.7%	1.2%

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Disability Assistance Clients						
Persons with Disabilities						
	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Total
<b>Annual Average</b>						
1995	10,844	8,287	3,022	2,334	2,221	26,708
1996	11,887	9,062	3,289	2,600	2,742	29,580
1997	13,406	10,379	3,653	3,030	3,445	33,913
1998	14,820	11,676	3,973	3,230	3,931	37,629
1999	16,231	12,775	4,270	3,570	4,373	41,218
2000	18,155	14,201	4,656	4,123	5,185	46,321
2001	20,560	15,937	5,234	4,753	6,399	52,884
2002	21,972	17,059	5,400	4,781	7,042	56,254
2003	23,449	18,231	5,480	4,624	7,857	59,641
2004	25,449	19,779	5,678	4,857	8,716	64,479
2005	27,353	21,167	5,892	4,918	9,361	68,690
2006	28,842	22,395	5,914	4,962	9,672	71,784
2007	30,771	23,949	5,916	5,167	10,015	75,818

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2007 and 2008 annual averages)						
	6.4%	6.1%	0.5%	0.4%	4.0%	5.1%

2007 (Annual Average)	30,771	23,949	5,916	5,167	10,015	75,818
January	29,522	22,928	5,950	5,050	9,817	73,267
February	29,630	23,016	5,926	5,105	9,787	73,464
March	29,802	23,083	5,972	5,193	9,923	73,973
April	29,879	23,224	5,986	5,179	9,967	74,235
May	29,891	23,285	5,914	5,152	9,998	74,240
June	31,159	24,221	5,900	5,255	10,143	76,678
July	31,223	24,312	5,864	5,199	10,147	76,745
August	31,303	24,433	5,852	5,262	10,194	77,044
September	31,523	24,580	5,894	5,246	10,105	77,348
October	31,594	24,646	5,860	5,132	9,986	77,218
November	31,780	24,740	5,942	5,111	10,020	77,593
December	31,951	24,920	5,926	5,116	10,098	78,011

2008 (Annual Average)	32,736	25,407	5,944	5,188	10,412	79,687
January	32,069	24,956	5,902	5,152	10,181	78,260
February	32,150	25,019	5,902	5,147	10,147	78,365
March	32,287	25,080	5,906	5,215	10,211	78,699
April	32,422	25,241	5,946	5,177	10,272	79,058
May	32,640	25,292	5,952	5,112	10,337	79,333
June	32,673	25,400	5,970	5,096	10,310	79,449
July	32,808	25,497	5,894	5,165	10,472	79,836
August	33,038	25,626	5,988	5,257	10,612	80,521
September	33,137	25,690	5,960	5,273	10,633	80,693
October	33,322	25,771	5,968	5,235	10,652	80,948
November	33,550	25,910	5,992	5,239	10,707	81,398

% Change from Year Ago (November 2007 to November 2008)						
	5.6%	4.7%	0.8%	2.5%	6.9%	4.9%

% Change from Previous Month (October 2008 to November 2008)						
	0.7%	0.5%	0.4%	0.1%	0.5%	0.6%

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	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women		Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	
<b>Annual Average</b>																										
1995	78,836	34,737	7,357	14,903	39,103	174,937						0	189	680				16,887	17,756						0	192,693
1996	69,097	30,510	6,651	14,054	37,708	158,020						0	222	714				15,718	16,654						0	174,674
1997	52,966	22,121	5,108	10,983	30,644	121,822						0	7,362	5,886	861	308		15,787	30,204						0	152,026
1998	45,610	18,860	4,441	9,631	28,217	106,757						0	8,169	6,740	964	251		13,815	29,938						0	136,695
1999	41,424	17,814	4,140	8,443	26,822	98,643						0	6,821	5,971	826	163		12,202	25,983						0	124,626
2000	37,865	17,072	3,669	7,307	25,748	91,661						0	6,454	5,581	745	132		11,476	24,389						0	116,049
2001	35,480	16,376	3,352	6,514	24,143	85,864						0	6,190	5,280	671	106		10,744	22,991						0	108,855
2002	28,006	13,605	2,613	4,873	19,190	68,287						0	5,808	4,871	596	79		8,888	20,242						0	88,529
2003	14,795	7,226	1,420	2,786	10,444	36,671						0	5,718	4,194	705	290		8,787	19,695	4,111	3,022	179	58	1,069	8,440	64,805
2004	9,279	4,924	918	1,781	6,754	23,657	2,701	1,733	170	108	1,093	5,805	1,911	1,473	403	92		6,782	10,660	6,043	4,063	263	96	1,817	12,282	52,403
2005	7,744	4,345	766	1,199	5,291	19,345	3,389	2,106	137	82	1,160	6,874	680	666	242	33		5,719	7,190	4,866	3,228	186	74	1,426	9,780	43,190
2006	7,279	3,966	651	951	4,024	16,872	3,403	2,125	132	80	1,041	6,782	677	618	210	20		4,775	6,299	3,809	2,641	136	45	1,121	7,752	37,704
2007	8,764	4,471	614	893	3,791	18,533	3,170	1,884	94	51	866	6,065	705	624	171	12		4,401	5,913	3,550	2,385	171	76	1,068	7,250	37,761

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2007 and 2008 annual averages)																									
	22.1%	17.1%	-5.4%	11.2%	7.2%	16.4%	-9.8%	-8.0%	-31.1%	-14.6%	-7.4%	-9.2%	3.4%	-4.8%	-7.9%	27.9%	2.0%	1.2%	-6.4%	-4.5%	8.3%	23.3%	-3.6%	-4.7%	5.8%

2007 (Annual Average)	8,764	4,471	614	893	3,791	18,533	3,170	1,884	94	51	866	6,065	705	624	171	12	4,401	5,913	3,550	2,385	171	76	1,068	7,250	37,761
January	8,449	4,218	713	1,001	3,765	18,146	3,243	1,922	119	55	890	6,229	739	622	187	21	4,402	5,971	3,694	2,514	123	41	1,105	7,477	37,823
February	8,640	4,325	719	991	3,772	18,447	3,223	1,921	105	52	901	6,202	734	610	194	18	4,321	5,877	3,647	2,478	120	42	1,091	7,378	37,904
March	8,905	4,453	731	988	3,770	18,847	3,217	1,936	113	55	865	6,186	727	626	188	11	4,367	5,919	3,638	2,442	115	43	1,082	7,320	38,272
April	8,781	4,458	692	957	3,747	18,635	3,273	1,936	109	56	867	6,241	682	597	183	15	4,321	5,798	3,651	2,463	117	38	1,082	7,351	38,025
May	8,737	4,530	621	894	3,795	18,577	3,259	1,940	94	47	868	6,208	777	656	170	8	4,367	5,978	3,621	2,438	196	97	1,076	7,428	38,191
June	8,770	4,582	597	864	3,793	18,606	3,165	1,909	90	51	872	6,087	728	639	158	9	4,440	5,974	3,549	2,362	200	100	1,066	7,277	37,944
July	8,580	4,501	558	836	3,780	18,255	3,114	1,857	88	60	826	5,945	672	630	161	7	4,420	5,890	3,539	2,375	200	93	1,083	7,290	37,980
August	8,457	4,395	547	847	3,834	18,080	3,177	1,868	90	46	843	6,024	719	646	163	9	4,515	6,052	3,509	2,363	196	97	1,077	7,242	37,398
September	8,335	4,365	538	814	3,801	17,853	3,060	1,856	79	47	883	5,925	608	581	159	8	4,478	5,834	3,483	2,335	198	94	1,067	7,177	36,789
October	8,673	4,520	530	799	3,785	18,307	3,104	1,825	82	38	862	5,911	704	613	170	11	4,408	5,906	3,438	2,280	199	91	1,034	7,042	37,166
November	9,125	4,622	547	856	3,783	18,933	3,111	1,801	77	52	854	5,895	668	645	158	9	4,375	5,855	3,438	2,293	190	90	1,019	7,030	37,713
December	9,721	4,682	570	874	3,861	19,708	3,095	1,841	79	50	862	5,927	703	620	164	19	4,401	5,907	3,388	2,278	195	90	1,031	6,982	38,524

2008 (Annual Average)	10,699	5,237	581	993	4,062	21,572	2,861	1,733	65	43	802	5,504	729	594	158	15	4,488	5,984	3,322	2,279	185	94	1,029	6,909	39,969
January	10,343	4,901	615	946	3,995	20,800	2,982	1,747	68	48	826	5,671	696	618	158	14	4,405	5,891	3,376	2,282	187	98	1,032	6,975	39,337
February	10,648	5,032	620	1,015	4,057	21,372	2,992	1,776	78	44	812	5,702	702	597	150	12	4,406	5,867	3,355	2,300	190	101	1,045	6,991	39,932
March	10,595	5,125	607	991	4,053	21,371	3,011	1,779	74	47	798	5,709	721	597	154	12	4,489	5,973	3,360	2,294	184	101	1,042	6,981	40,034
April	10,457	5,113	563	969	3,961	21,063	2,916	1,761	72	50	791	5,590	731	576	156	12	4,501	5,976	3,370	2,305	190	98	1,061	7,024	39,653
May	10,464	5,131	586	1,003	4,001	21,185	2,873	1,785	66	38	788	5,550	705	596	154	15	4,485	5,955	3,326	2,275	194	94	1,033	6,922	39,612
June	10,254	5,129	563	960	3,949	20,855	2,873	1,775	59	43	821	5,571	684	589	153	17	4,541	5,984	3,336	2,286	181	97	1,004	6,904	39,314
July	10,396	5,271	534	980	4,065	21,246	2,778	1,668	55	41	797	5,339	726	579	155	10	4,508	5,978	3,287	2,264	178	94	1,019	6,842	39,405
August	10,689	5,343	547	992	4,159	21,730	2,717	1,664	60	41	799	5,281	733	577	159	24	4,494	5,987	3,292	2,271	184	89	1,029	6,865	39,663
September	10,762	5,374	555	967	4,135	21,793	2,728	1,727	60	41	814	5,370	719	562	163	19	4,548	6,011	3,329	2,286	187	86	1,039	6,927	40,101
October	11,185	5,504	558	1,017	4,073	22,337	2,755	1,687	62	43	789	5,336	760	586	165	14	4,494	6,019	3,287	2,267	181	87	1,017	6,839	40,531
November	11,894	5,684	640	1,084	4,233	23,535	2,843	1,697	57	41	787	5,425	843	655	167	21	4,502	6,188	3,226	2,237	178	90	1,003	6,734	41,882

% Change from Year Ago (November 2007 to November 2008)																									
	30.3%	23.0%	17.0%	26.6%	11.9%	24.3%	-8.6%	-5.8%	-26.0%	-21.2%	-7.8%	-8.0%	26.2%	1.6%	5.7%	133.3%	2.9%	5.7%	-6.2%	-2.4%	-6.3%	0.0%	-1.6%	-4.2%	11.1%

% Change from Previous Month (October 2008 to November 2008)																									
	6.3%	3.3%	14.7%	6.6%	3.9%	5.4%	3.2%	0.6%	-8.1%	-4.7%	-0.3%	1.7%	10.9%	11.8%	1.2%	50.0%	0.2%	2.8%	-1.9%	-1.3%	-1.7%	3.4%	-1.4%	-1.5%	3.3%

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Temporary Assistance Clients																										
	Expected to Work						Expected to Work - Medical Condition						Temporarily Excused						Persons with Persistent Multiple Barriers						Total	
	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total	Single Men	Single Women	Couples	Two Parent Families	Single Parent Families	Sub Total		
<b>Annual Average</b>																										
1995	78,836	34,737	14,715	60,722	104,700	<b>293,710</b>						0	189	680				46,100	<b>46,970</b>						0	340,679
1996	69,097	30,510	13,303	57,434	101,153	<b>271,496</b>						0	222	714				42,877	<b>43,813</b>						0	315,309
1997	52,966	22,121	10,215	44,862	81,937	<b>212,102</b>						0	7,362	5,886	1,723	1,242		42,746	<b>58,958</b>						0	271,060
1998	45,610	18,860	8,881	39,268	75,535	<b>188,154</b>						0	8,169	6,740	1,927	992		37,569	<b>55,397</b>						0	243,550
1999	41,424	17,814	8,280	34,416	71,805	<b>173,739</b>						0	6,821	5,971	1,652	651		33,137	<b>48,232</b>						0	221,971
2000	37,865	17,072	7,339	29,859	68,979	<b>161,114</b>						0	6,454	5,581	1,491	521		31,108	<b>45,154</b>						0	206,268
2001	35,480	16,376	6,703	26,711	64,365	<b>149,635</b>						0	6,190	5,280	1,342	422		29,069	<b>42,302</b>						0	191,938
2002	28,006	13,605	5,226	19,993	50,826	<b>117,657</b>						0	5,808	4,871	1,193	312		24,180	<b>36,363</b>						0	154,020
2003	14,795	7,226	2,840	11,488	27,620	<b>63,968</b>						0	5,718	4,194	1,410	1,177		23,833	<b>36,332</b>	4,111	3,022	359	232	2,712	<b>10,436</b>	110,736
2004	9,279	4,924	1,836	7,337	17,896	<b>41,272</b>	2,701	1,733	341	445	2,839	<b>8,059</b>	1,911	1,473	806	365		18,469	<b>23,023</b>	6,043	4,063	527	387	4,650	<b>15,670</b>	88,024
2005	7,744	4,345	1,532	5,056	14,078	<b>32,755</b>	3,389	2,106	275	325	3,005	<b>9,100</b>	680	666	484	127		15,219	<b>17,176</b>	4,866	3,228	373	295	3,650	<b>12,412</b>	71,442
2006	7,279	3,966	1,302	4,008	10,727	<b>27,282</b>	3,403	2,125	264	327	2,706	<b>8,825</b>	677	618	421	76		13,169	<b>14,961</b>	3,809	2,641	271	175	2,858	<b>9,755</b>	60,822
2007	8,764	4,471	1,227	3,785	10,129	<b>28,376</b>	3,170	1,884	188	217	2,250	<b>7,709</b>	705	624	343	49		12,238	<b>13,959</b>	3,550	2,385	342	308	2,701	<b>9,285</b>	59,329

% Change from Previous Year (difference between 2007 and 2008 annual averages)																									
	22.1%	17.1%	-5.4%	10.3%	7.4%	13.3%	-9.8%	-8.0%	-31.1%	-13.4%	-7.6%	-9.3%	3.4%	-4.8%	-7.9%	13.0%	1.8%	1.4%	-6.4%	-4.5%	8.3%	29.3%	-3.2%	-3.3%	5.0%

2007 (Annual Average)	8,764	4,471	1,227	3,785	10,129	<b>28,376</b>	3,170	1,884	188	217	2,250	<b>7,709</b>	705	624	343	49	12,238	<b>13,959</b>	3,550	2,385	342	308	2,701	<b>9,285</b>	59,329
January	8,449	4,218	1,426	4,202	10,067	<b>28,362</b>	3,243	1,922	238	235	2,312	<b>7,950</b>	739	622	374	88	12,223	<b>14,046</b>	3,694	2,514	246	161	2,803	<b>9,418</b>	59,776
February	8,640	4,325	1,438	4,149	10,136	<b>28,688</b>	3,223	1,921	210	232	2,324	<b>7,910</b>	734	610	388	77	11,962	<b>13,771</b>	3,647	2,478	240	165	2,765	<b>9,295</b>	59,664
March	8,905	4,453	1,462	4,167	10,075	<b>29,062</b>	3,217	1,936	226	243	2,259	<b>7,881</b>	727	626	376	43	12,043	<b>13,815</b>	3,638	2,442	230	171	2,733	<b>9,214</b>	59,972
April	8,781	4,458	1,384	4,008	10,015	<b>28,646</b>	3,273	1,936	218	233	2,272	<b>7,932</b>	682	597	366	65	11,974	<b>13,684</b>	3,651	2,463	234	149	2,717	<b>9,214</b>	59,476
May	8,737	4,530	1,242	3,772	10,091	<b>28,372</b>	3,259	1,940	188	197	2,278	<b>7,862</b>	777	656	340	27	12,118	<b>13,918</b>	3,621	2,438	392	384	2,700	<b>9,535</b>	59,687
June	8,770	4,582	1,194	3,672	10,069	<b>28,287</b>	3,165	1,909	180	208	2,278	<b>7,740</b>	728	639	316	35	12,357	<b>14,075</b>	3,549	2,362	400	397	2,680	<b>9,388</b>	59,490
July	8,580	4,501	1,116	3,577	10,096	<b>27,870</b>	3,114	1,857	176	249	2,161	<b>7,557</b>	672	630	322	27	12,324	<b>13,975</b>	3,539	2,375	400	375	2,742	<b>9,431</b>	58,833
August	8,457	4,395	1,094	3,631	10,282	<b>27,859</b>	3,177	1,868	180	196	2,173	<b>7,594</b>	719	646	326	35	12,587	<b>14,313</b>	3,509	2,363	392	393	2,735	<b>9,392</b>	59,158
September	8,335	4,365	1,076	3,491	10,169	<b>27,436</b>	3,060	1,856	158	205	2,301	<b>7,580</b>	608	581	318	29	12,495	<b>14,031</b>	3,483	2,335	396	386	2,715	<b>9,315</b>	58,362
October	8,673	4,520	1,060	3,413	10,132	<b>27,798</b>	3,104	1,825	164	165	2,241	<b>7,499</b>	704	613	340	49	12,273	<b>13,979</b>	3,438	2,280	398	371	2,619	<b>9,106</b>	58,382
November	9,125	4,622	1,094	3,640	10,105	<b>28,586</b>	3,111	1,801	154	223	2,189	<b>7,478</b>	668	645	316	34	12,226	<b>13,889</b>	3,438	2,293	380	368	2,586	<b>9,065</b>	59,018
December	9,721	4,682	1,140	3,696	10,311	<b>29,550</b>	3,095	1,841	158	221	2,209	<b>7,524</b>	703	620	328	80	12,279	<b>14,010</b>	3,388	2,278	390	370	2,615	<b>9,041</b>	60,125

2008 (Annual Average)	10,699	5,237	1,161	4,176	10,874	<b>32,147</b>	2,861	1,733	129	188	2,078	<b>6,990</b>	729	594	315	55	12,458	<b>14,152</b>	3,322	2,279	370	398	2,614	<b>8,983</b>	62,271
January	10,343	4,901	1,230	3,964	10,654	<b>31,092</b>	2,982	1,747	136	204	2,121	<b>7,190</b>	696	618	316	63	12,298	<b>13,991</b>	3,376	2,282	374	411	2,610	<b>8,953</b>	61,326
February	10,648	5,032	1,240	4,257	10,846	<b>32,023</b>	2,992	1,776	156	197	2,091	<b>7,212</b>	702	597	300	41	12,258	<b>13,898</b>	3,355	2,300	380	425	2,644	<b>9,104</b>	62,237
March	10,595	5,125	1,214	4,172	10,846	<b>31,952</b>	3,011	1,779	148	212	2,034	<b>7,184</b>	721	597	308	40	12,478	<b>14,144</b>	3,360	2,294	368	424	2,642	<b>9,088</b>	62,368
April	10,457	5,113	1,126	4,086	10,595	<b>31,377</b>	2,916	1,761	144	218	2,055	<b>7,094</b>	731	576	312	39	12,520	<b>14,178</b>	3,370	2,305	380	417	2,678	<b>9,150</b>	61,799
May	10,464	5,131	1,172	4,199	10,701	<b>31,667</b>	2,873	1,785	132	171	2,046	<b>7,007</b>	705	596	308	57	12,466	<b>14,132</b>	3,326	2,275	388	391	2,614	<b>8,994</b>	61,800
June	10,254	5,129	1,126	4,001	10,572	<b>31,082</b>	2,873	1,775	118	192	2,128	<b>7,086</b>	684	589	306	60	12,587	<b>14,226</b>	3,336	2,286	362	405	2,551	<b>8,940</b>	61,334
July	10,396	5,271	1,068	4,139	10,893	<b>31,767</b>	2,778	1,668	110	173	2,064	<b>6,793</b>	726	579	310	31	12,471	<b>14,117</b>	3,287	2,264	356	392	2,600	<b>8,899</b>	61,576
August	10,689	5,343	1,094	4,190	11,121	<b>32,437</b>	2,717	1,664	120	173	2,070	<b>6,744</b>	733	577	318	97	12,452	<b>14,177</b>	3,292	2,271	368	380	2,623	<b>8,934</b>	62,292
September	10,762	5,374	1,110	4,100	11,117	<b>32,463</b>	2,728	1,727	120	174	2,120	<b>6,869</b>	719	562	326	62	12,605	<b>14,274</b>	3,329	2,286	374	370	2,652	<b>9,011</b>	62,617
October	11,185	5,504	1,116	4,293	10,927	<b>33,025</b>	2,755	1,687	124	184	2,073	<b>6,823</b>	760	587	330	45	12,435	<b>14,157</b>	3,287	2,267	362	372	2,588	<b>8,876</b>	62,881
November	11,894	5,684	1,280	4,536	11,338	<b>34,732</b>	2,843	1,697	114	172	2,060	<b>6,886</b>	843	655	334	75	12,468	<b>14,375</b>	3,226	2,237	356	388	2,554	<b>8,761</b>	64,754

% Change from Year Ago (November 2007 to November 2008)																									
	30.3%	23.0%	17.0%	24.6%	12.2%	21.5%	-8.6%	-5.8%	-26.0%	-22.9%	-5.9%	-7.9%	26.2%	1.6%	5.7%	120.6%	2.0%	3.5%	-6.2%	-2.4%	-6.3%	5.4%	-1.2%	-3.4%	9.7%

% Change from Previous Month (October 2008 to November 2008)																									
	6.3%	3.3%	14.7%	5.7%	3.8%	5.2%	3.2%	0.6%	-8.1%	-6.5%	-0.6%	0.9%	10.9%	11.6%	1.2%	66.7%	0.3%	1.5%	-1.9%	-1.3%	-1.7%	4.3%	-1.3%	-1.3%	3.0%