



Alameda County
Social Services Agency

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MONTHLY REPORT

AUGUST 2023

This report provides a summary of Child Welfare Services, CalWORKs, CalFresh, Medi-Cal, General Assistance, Adult Protective Services, In-Home Supportive Services, Area Agency on Aging, and Child Care programs by persons and cases per month.

Our agency serves almost one in three Alameda County residents, totaling approximately 524,000 people. We work collectively and in partnership with over 150 organizations to serve the needs of the community. The data represent estimates of service delivery units and summary counts in July 2023 unless otherwise specified. Actual counts may vary from 0% to 5% from similarly published reports.



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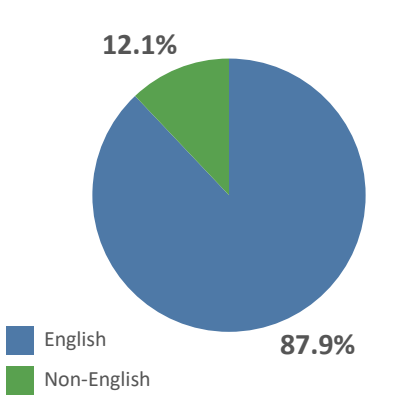
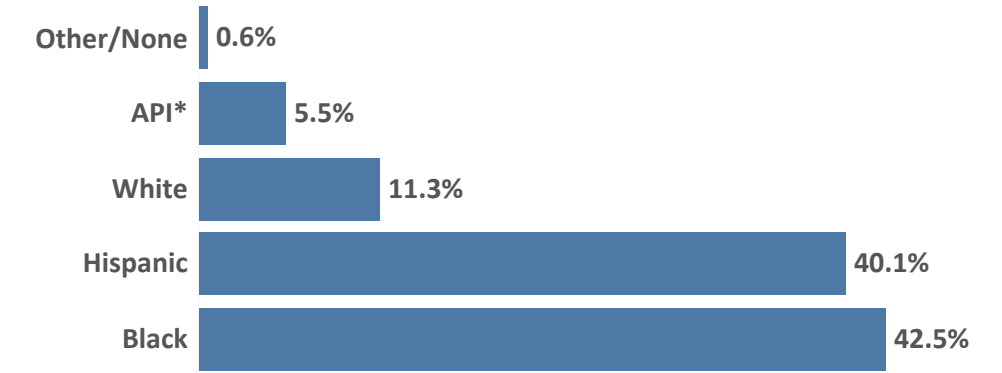
To promote the economic and social well-being of individuals, families, neighborhoods, and communities.



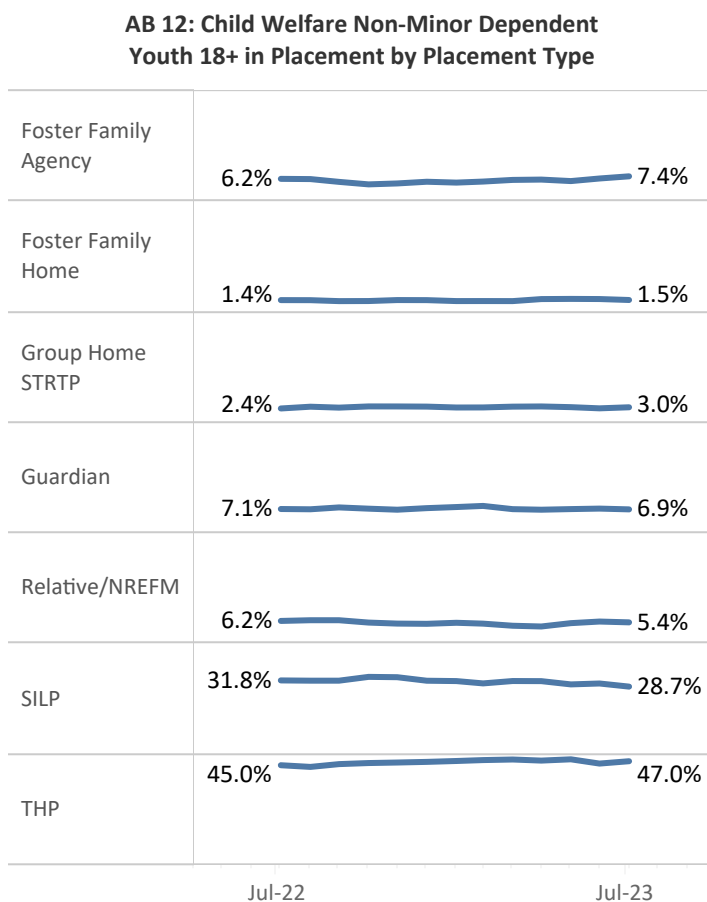
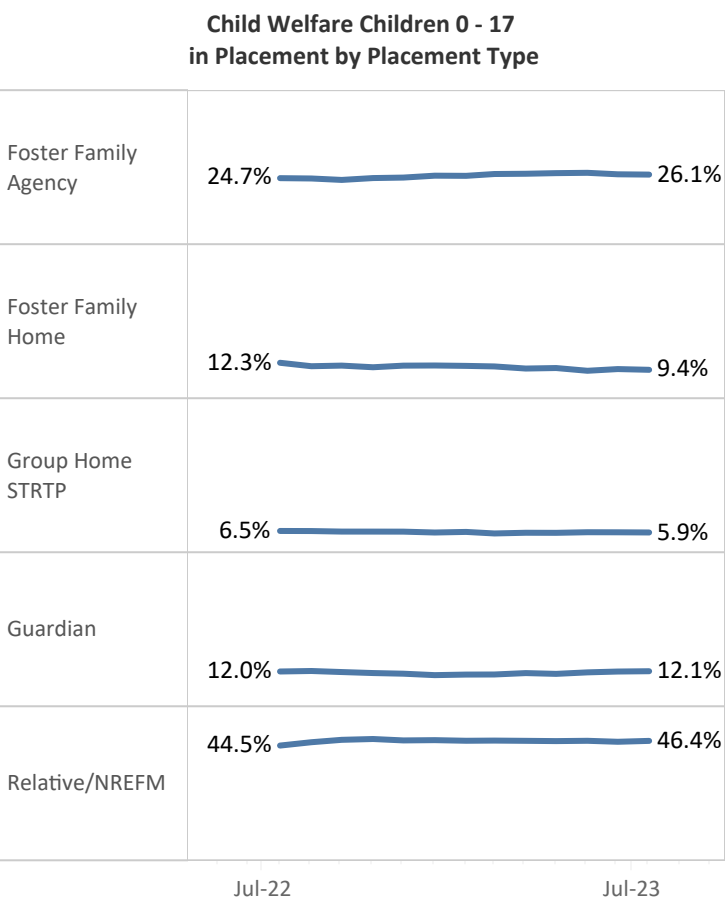
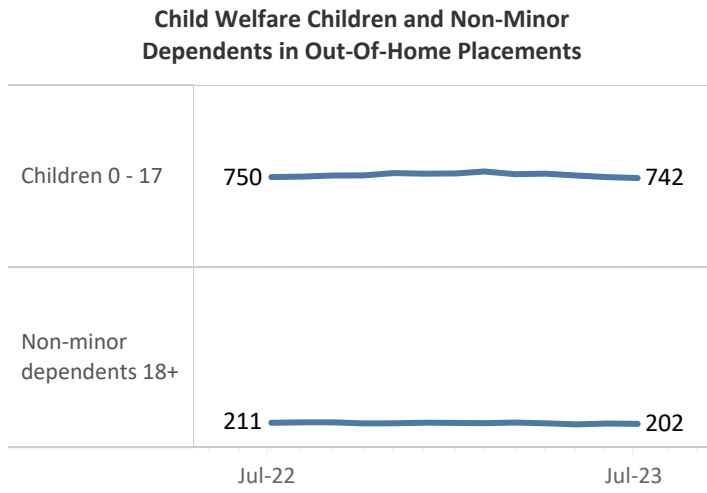
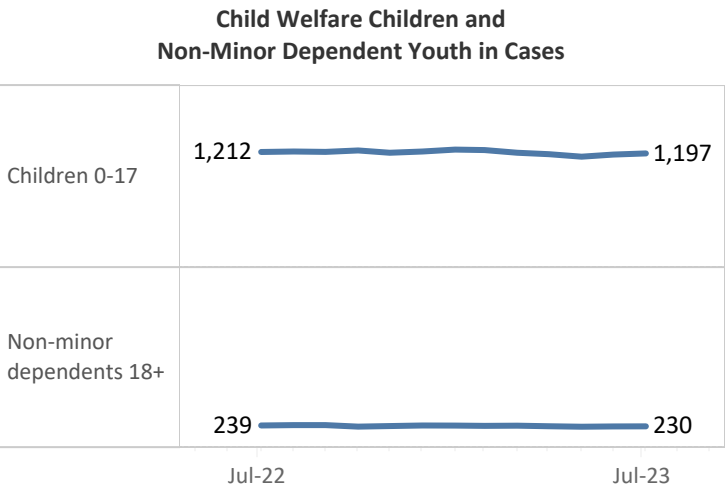
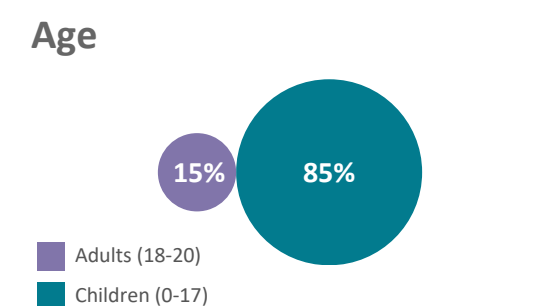
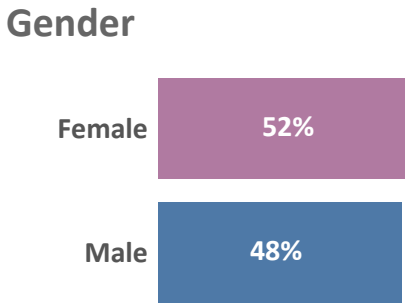
Child Welfare Caseload			% Difference
2022	July	1,451	
2023	July	1,427	-1.7%

Child Welfare (CW) provides services to improve the lives of children and families in Alameda County by serving children and youth who have experienced, or are at risk of experiencing, abuse or neglect.

Ethnicity and Language



English			87.9%
Non-English	Spanish		10.1%
	Other		1.1%
	Chinese		0.6%
	Farsi		0.1%
	Vietnamese		0.1%
	Other Asian		0.1%



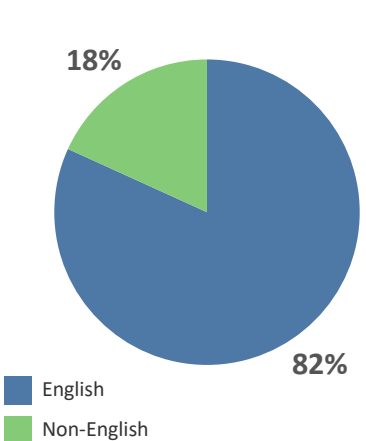
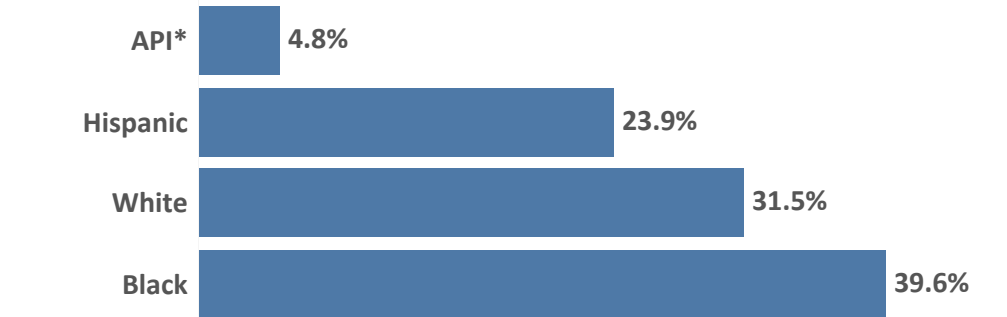
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CalWORKs Caseload

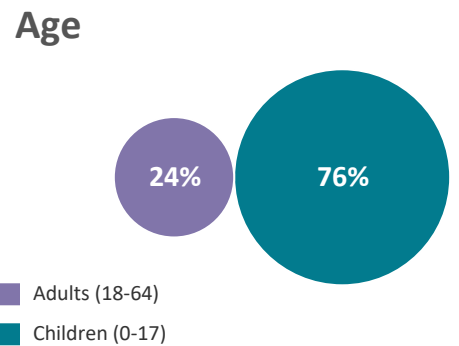
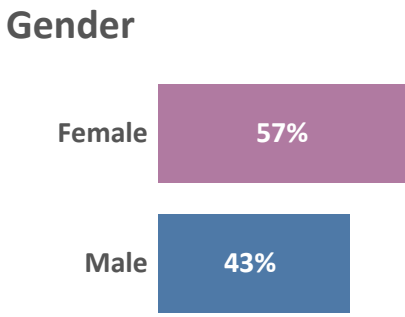
CalWORKs Caseload		% Difference
2022	July	7,707
2023	July	8,141
		+5.6%

The California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) Program provides time-limited cash aid, employment assistance and employment support services to eligible adults with children. Welfare to Work (WTW) is the mandatory employment and training program for CalWORKs adults. Clients must register for WTW unless exempted for a condition that prevents them from working.

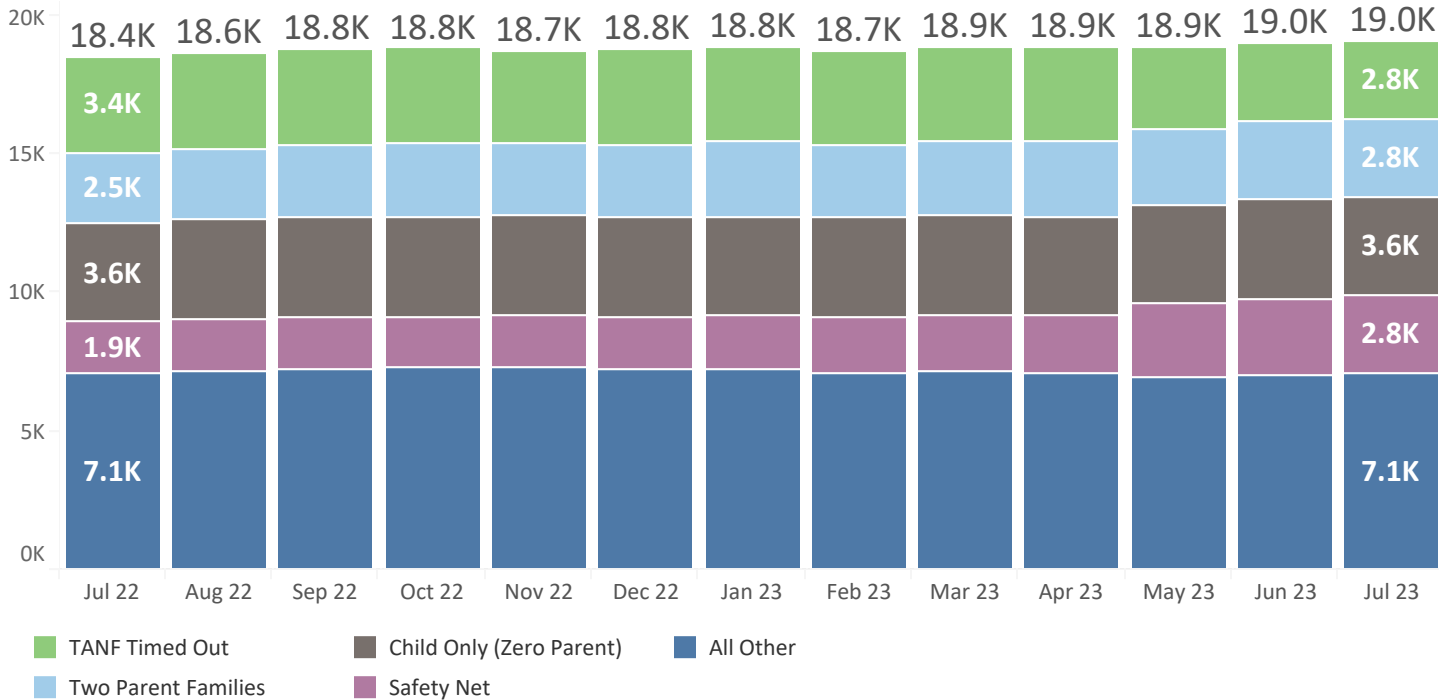
Ethnicity and Language



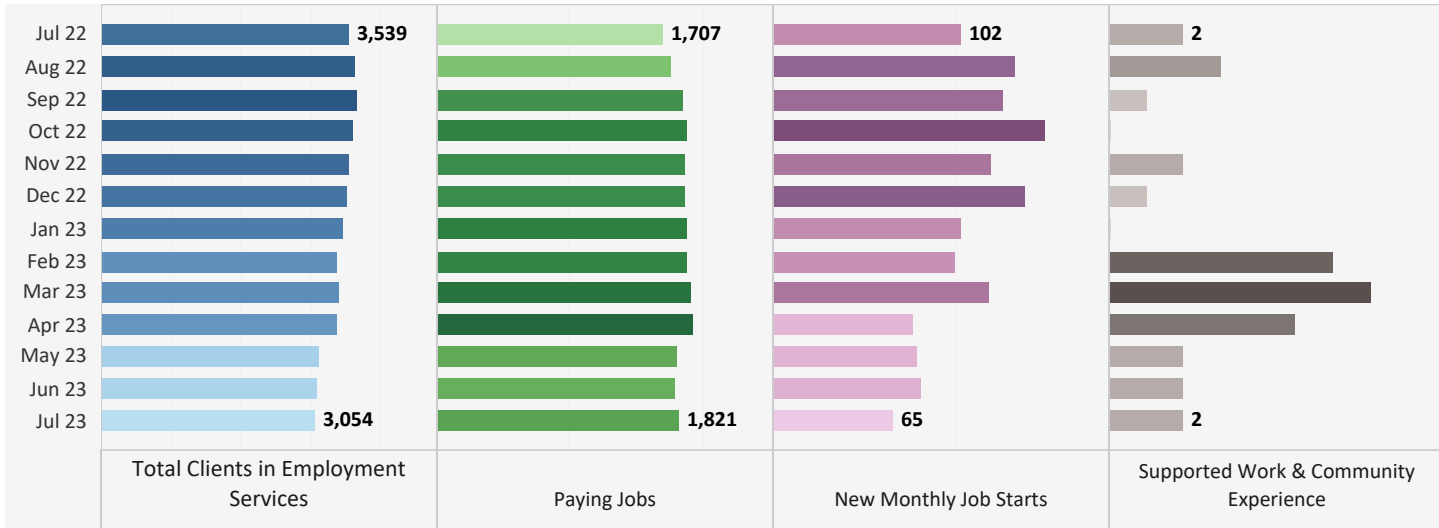
English		81.8%
Non-English	Spanish	11.7%
	Other	3.5%
	Farsi	2.5%
	Chinese	0.3%
	Vietnamese	0.1%
	Other Asian	0.0%



CalWORKs Individuals by Case Type



Welfare to Work Individuals



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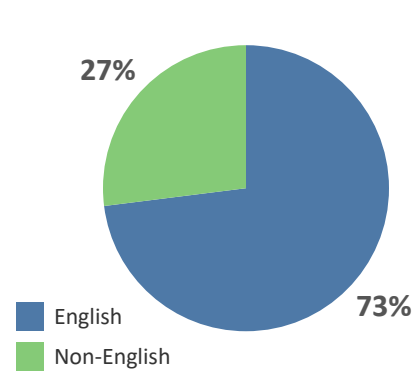
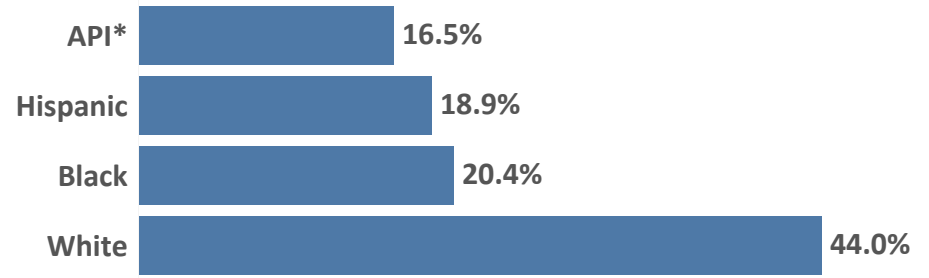
CalFresh Caseload

2022	July	89.7K	
2023	July	100.6K	+12.1%

NA CalFresh Caseload

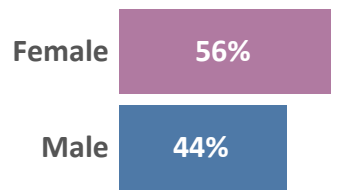
2022	July	85.1K	
2023	July	96.0K	+12.8%

Ethnicity and Language

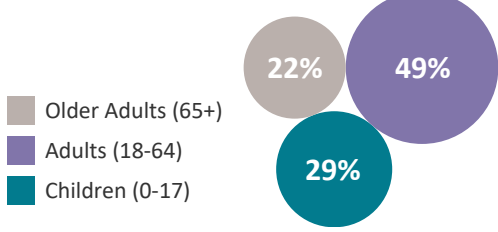


English	73.0%
Non-English	
Spanish	11.6%
Chinese	8.7%
Other	2.5%
Vietnamese	2.1%
Farsi	0.9%
Other Asian	0.9%
Cambodian	0.3%

Gender

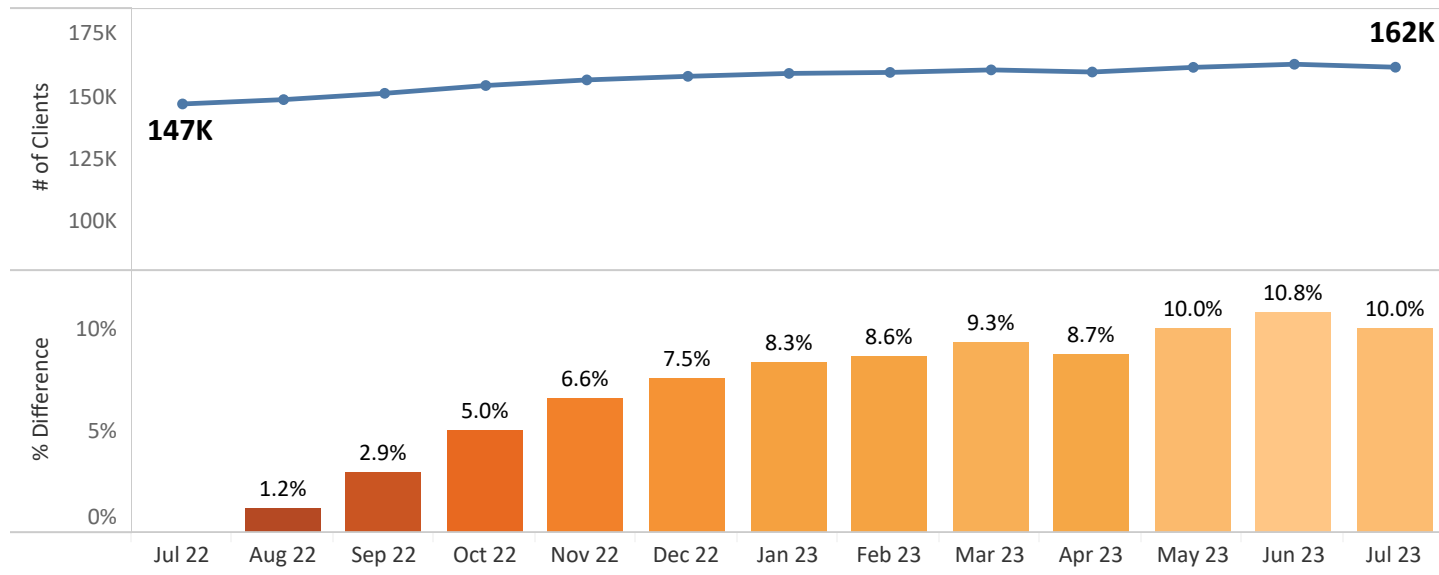


Age

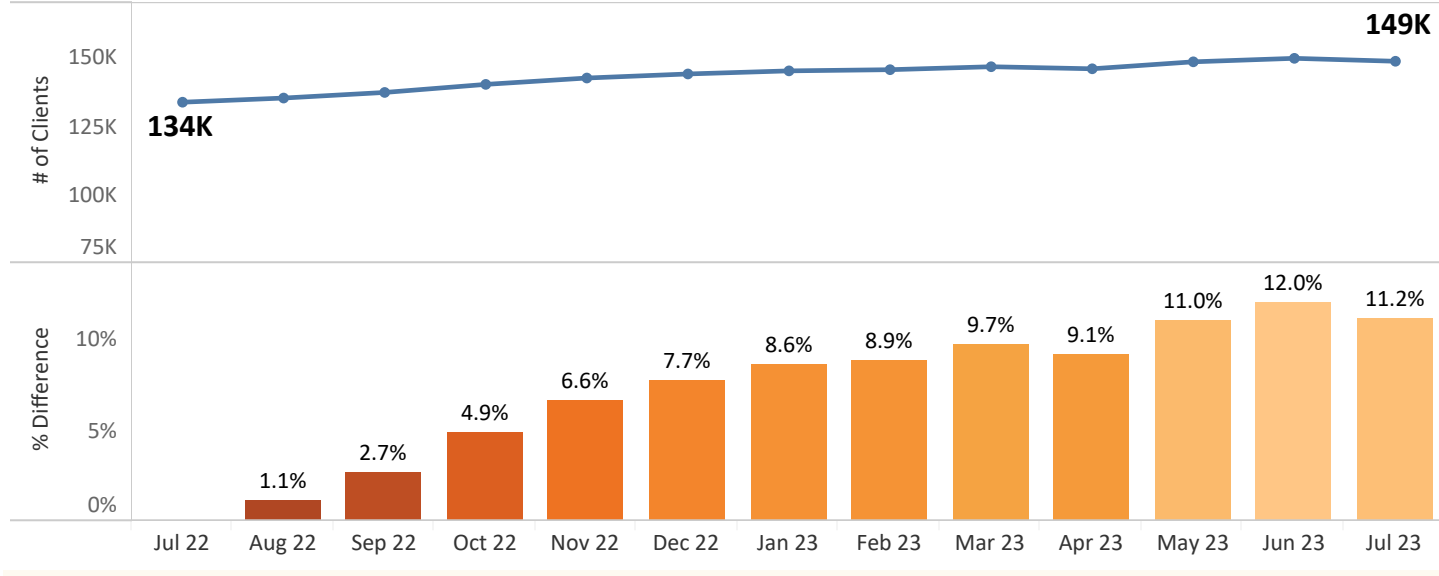


CalFresh (formerly known as Food Stamps) is California's version of the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). The CalFresh program helps to improve the health and well-being of qualified households and individuals by providing them a means to meet their nutritional needs. Non-Assistance CalFresh individuals do not receive a monthly cash grant under CalWORKs (California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids).

CalFresh Individuals



Non-Assistance (NA) CalFresh Individuals



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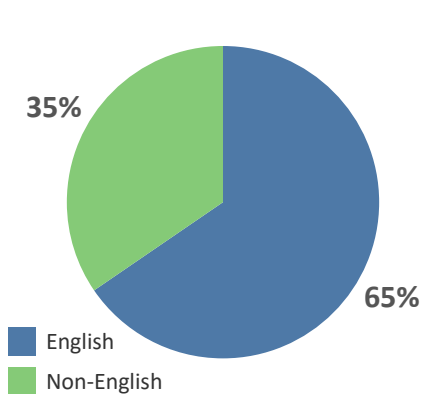
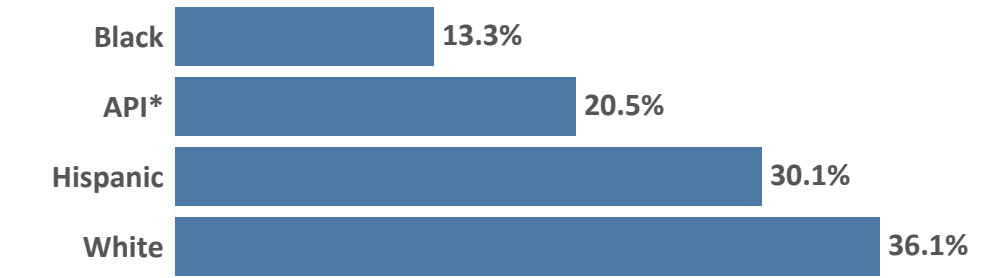
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Medi-Cal Caseload

Medi-Cal Caseload		% Difference
2022	July	255.1K
2023	July	275.0K
		+7.8%

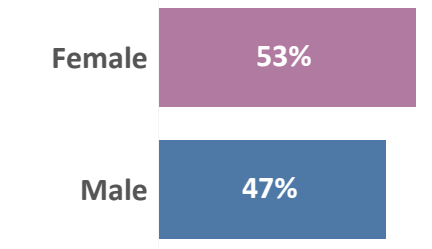
Medi-Cal is a public health insurance program which provides needed health care services for economically stressed individuals including families with children, older adults, persons with disabilities, foster care, pregnant women, and economically stressed people with specific diseases such as tuberculosis, breast cancer, or HIV/AIDS. Medi-Cal is financed equally by the state and federal government.

Ethnicity and Language

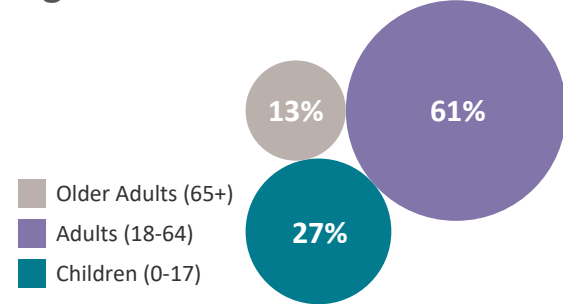


English		65.5%
Non-English	Spanish	22.1%
	Chinese	7.0%
	Other	2.2%
	Vietnamese	1.8%
	Other Asian	0.9%
	Farsi	0.5%
	Cambodian	0.1%

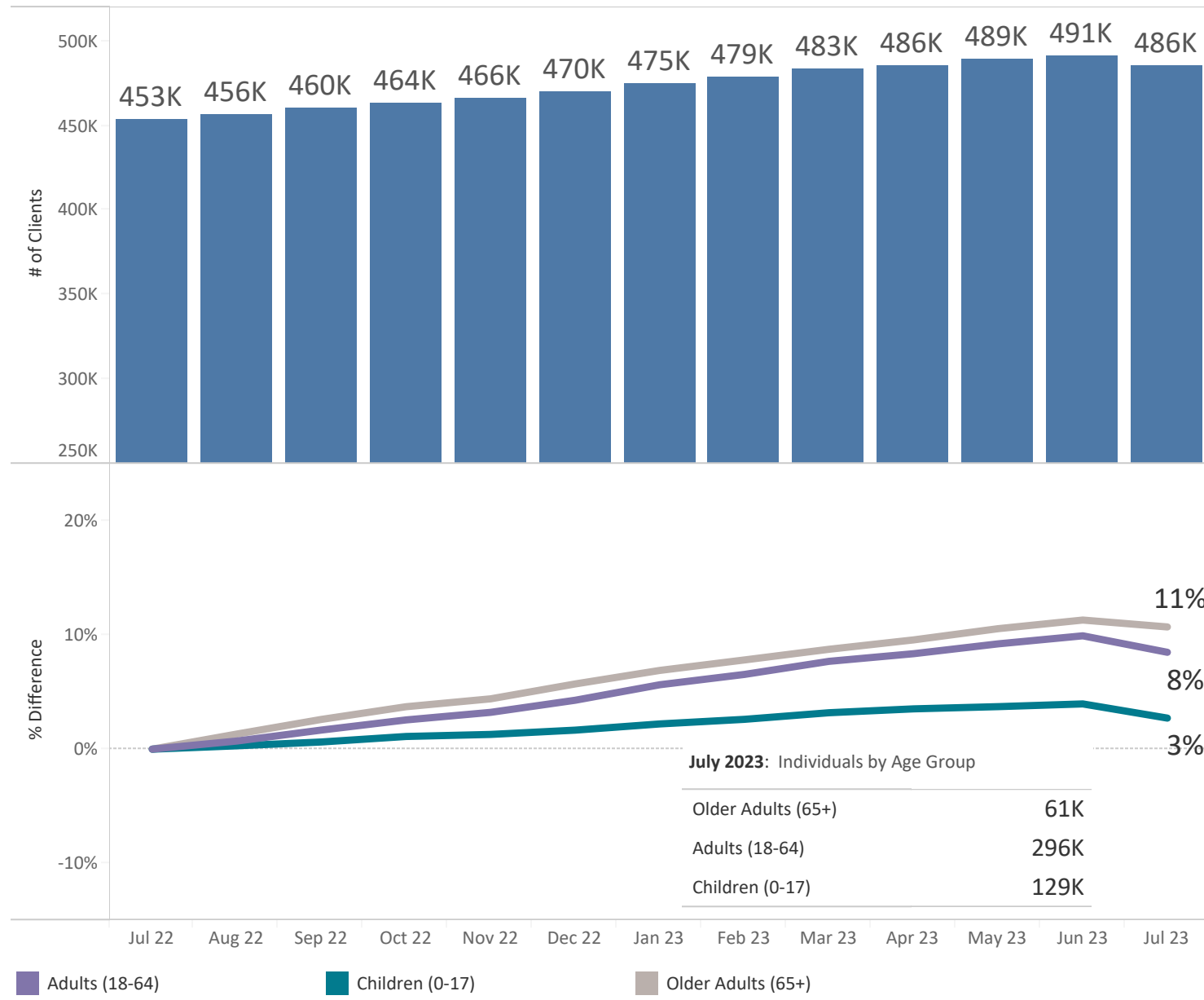
Gender



Age



Medi-Cal Individuals



July 2023: Individuals by Age Group

Older Adults (65+)	61K
Adults (18-64)	296K
Children (0-17)	129K

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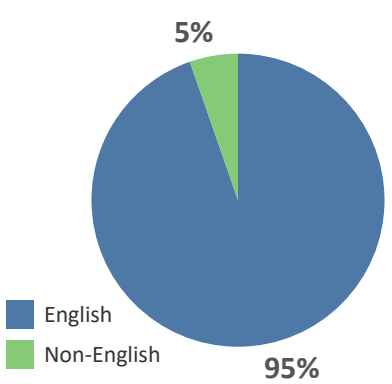
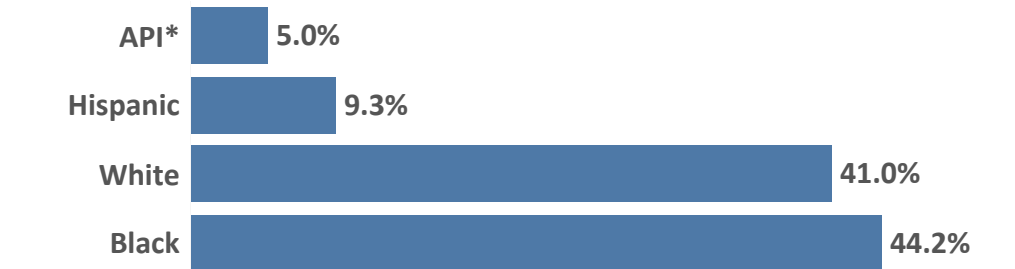
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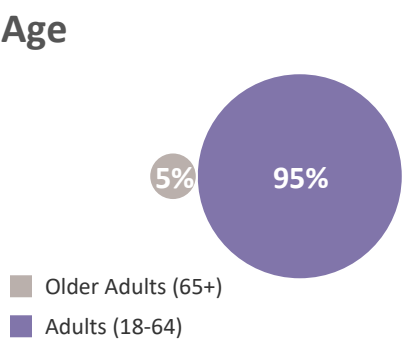
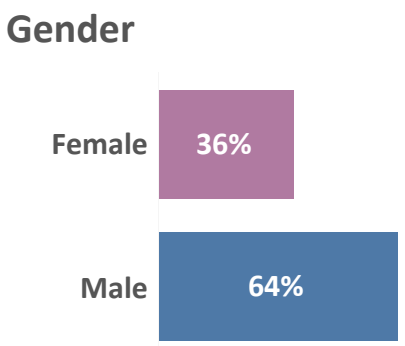
GA Caseload			% Difference
2022	July	6,302	
2023	July	7,139	+13.3%

General Assistance (GA) provides cash aid to adults and emancipated minors who are legal residents of Alameda County and who have no other means of financial support.

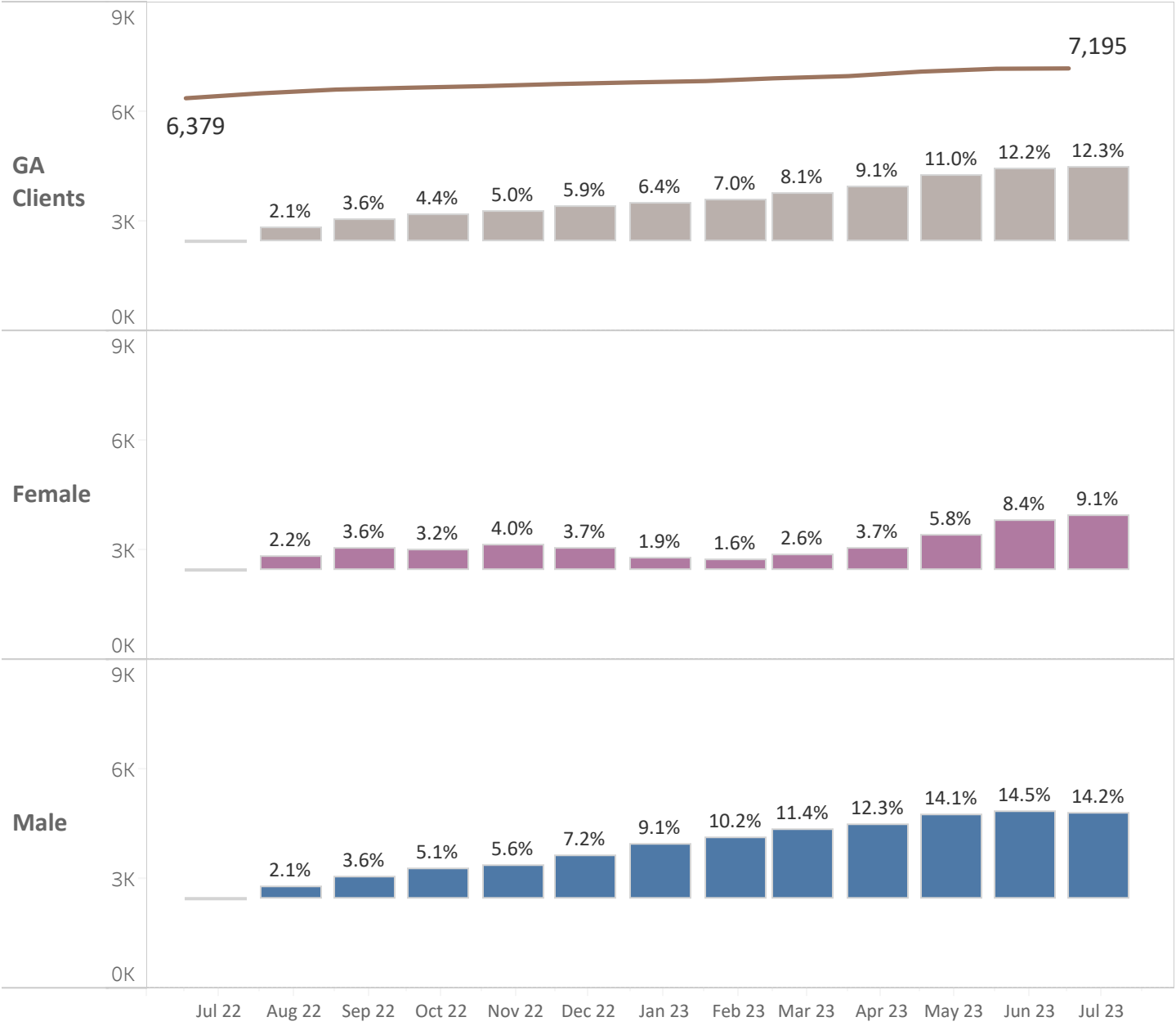
Ethnicity and Language



English			94.7%
Non-English			
	Spanish		1.8%
	Chinese		1.2%
	Other		1.1%
	Vietnamese		0.5%
	Other Asian		0.4%
	Farsi		0.2%
	Cambodian		0.1%



General Assistance Individuals



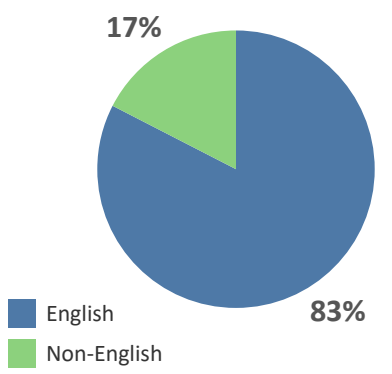
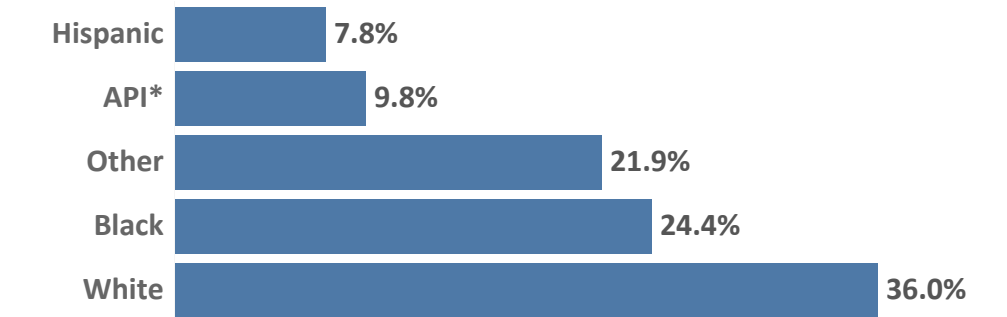
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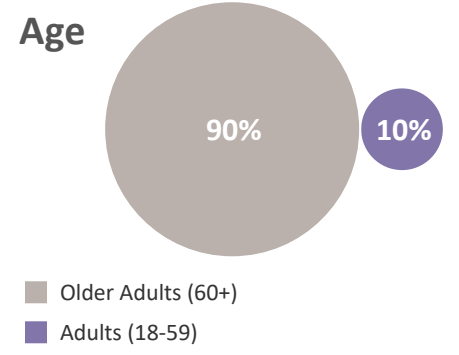
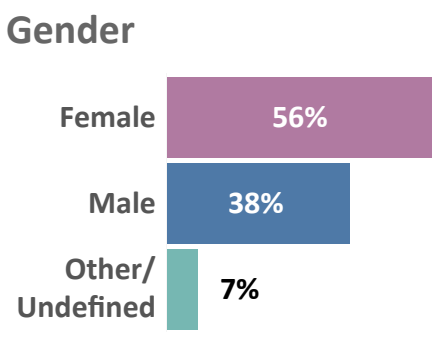
APS Caseload

APS Caseload		% Difference
2022	July	1,516
2023	July	2,082
		+37.3%

Ethnicity and Language

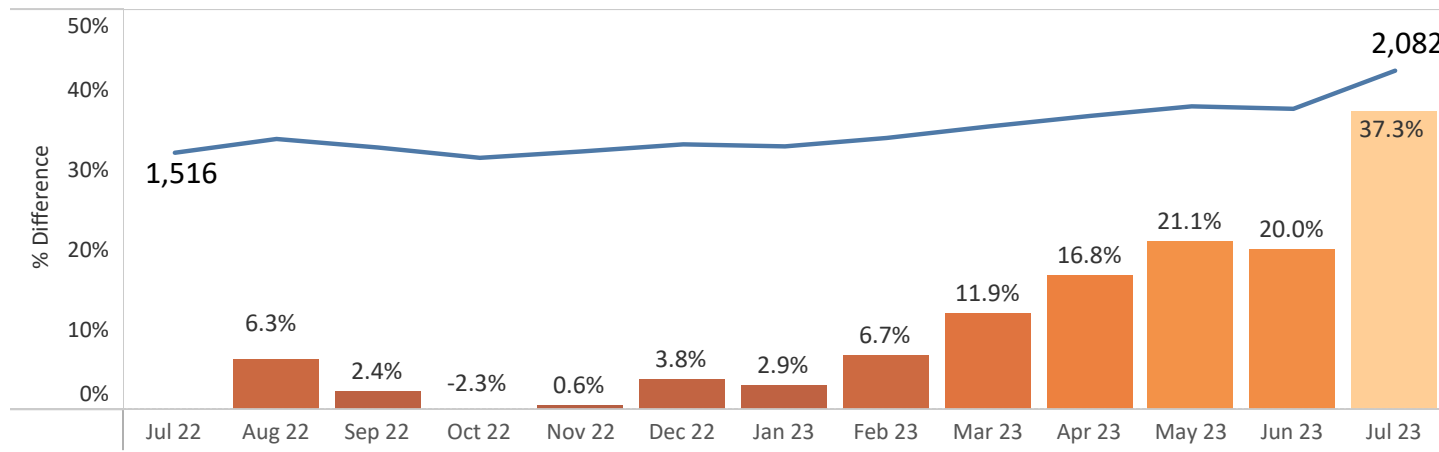


English		82.6%
Non-English	Other	10.3%
	Spanish	2.9%
	Chinese	2.2%
	Other Asian	1.2%
	Farsi	0.4%
	Vietnamese	0.4%

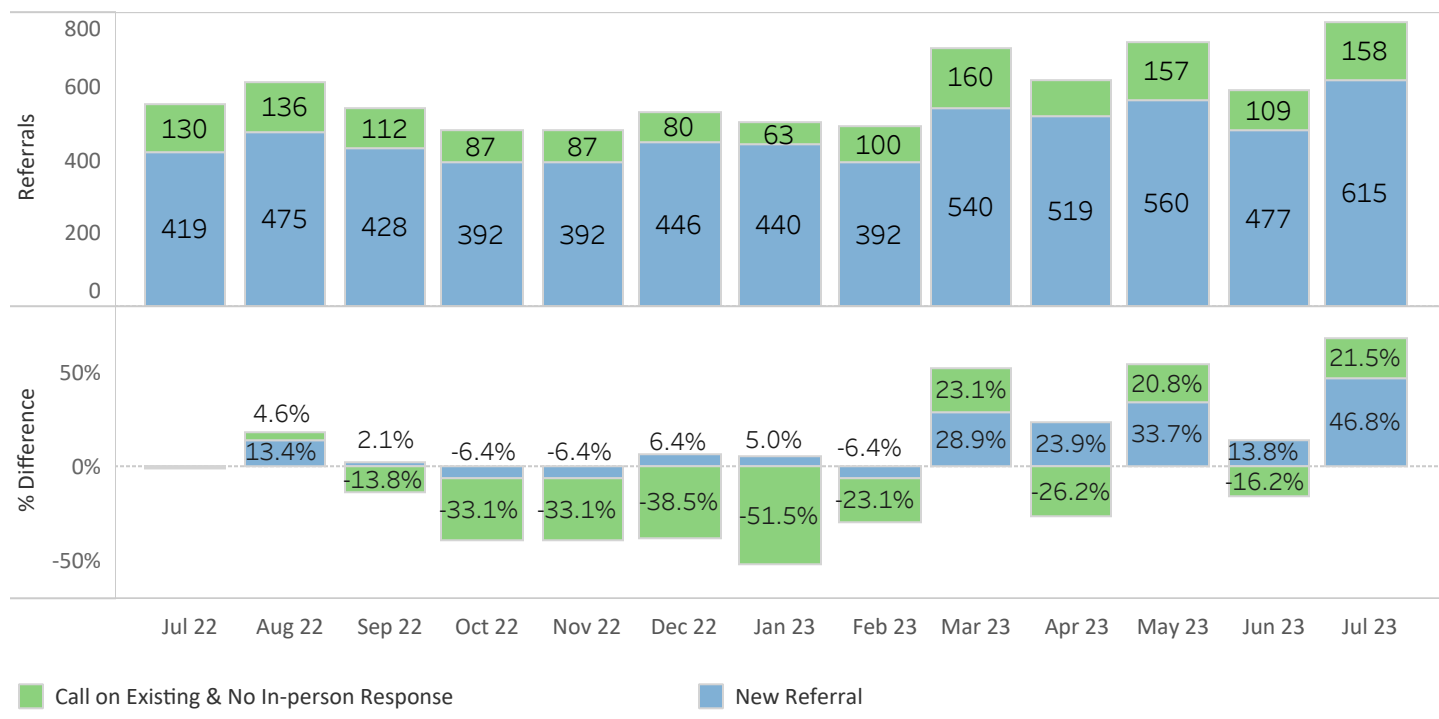


Alameda County Division of Adult Protection (DAP) consists of Adult Protective Services (APS), Office of the Public Guardian-Conservator (PG/PC), and the Public Administrator's Office (PA). Together these programs provide a continuum of services that form a safety net for vulnerable adults.

APS Caseload



APS Referrals



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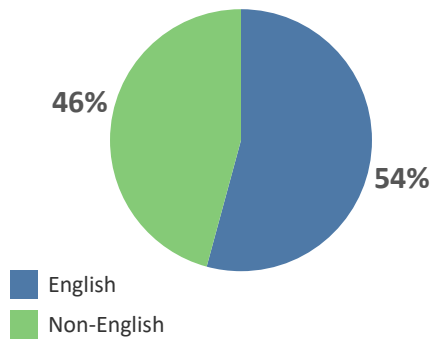
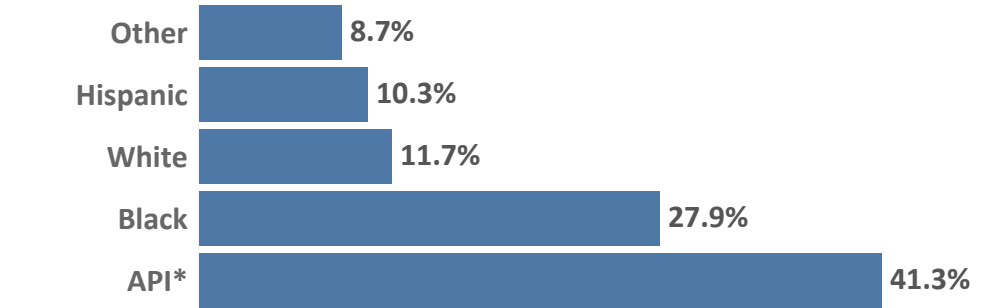
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IHSS Caseload

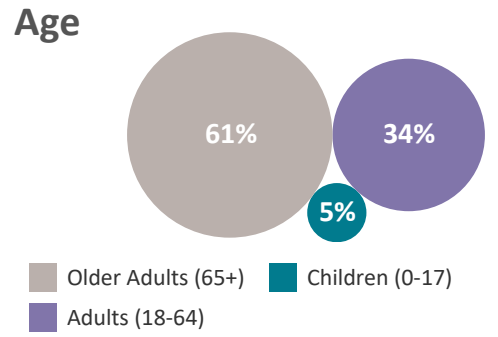
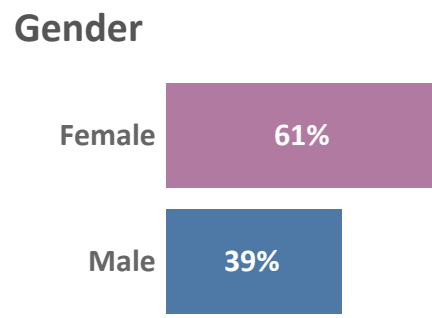
IHSS Caseload			% Difference
2022	July	26.7K	
2023	July	28.0K	+4.6%

IHSS (In-Home Supportive Services) provides in-home care for the elderly and persons with disabilities to support them in their own homes and communities, rather than placing them in more restrictive and expensive institutional care settings.

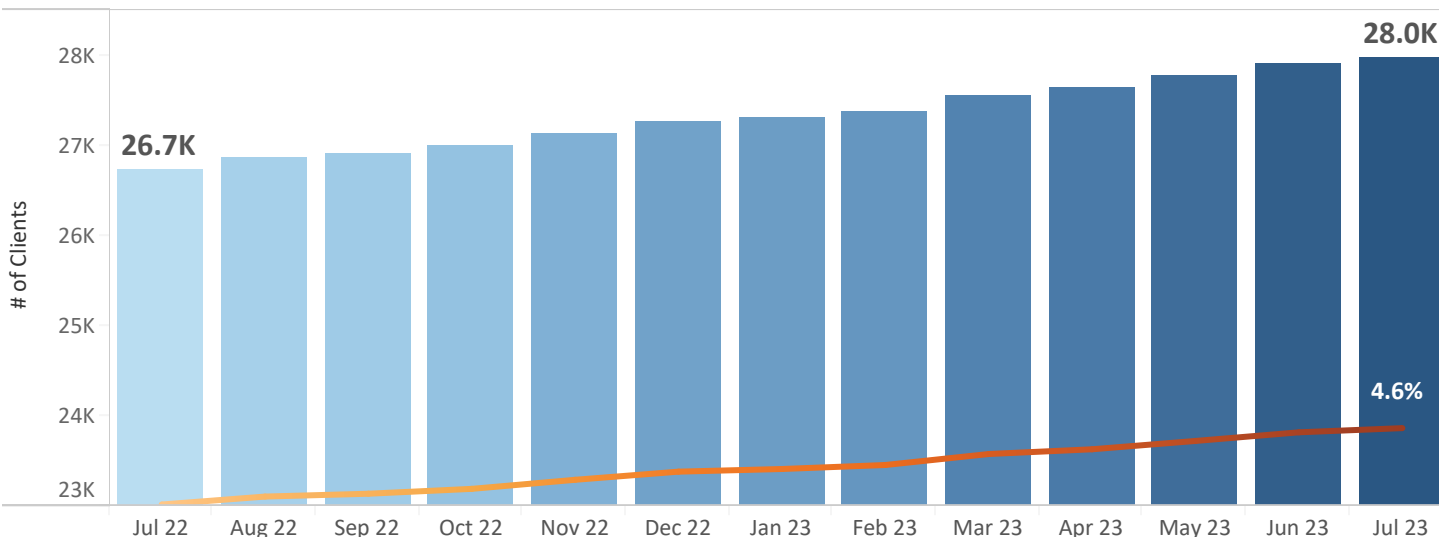
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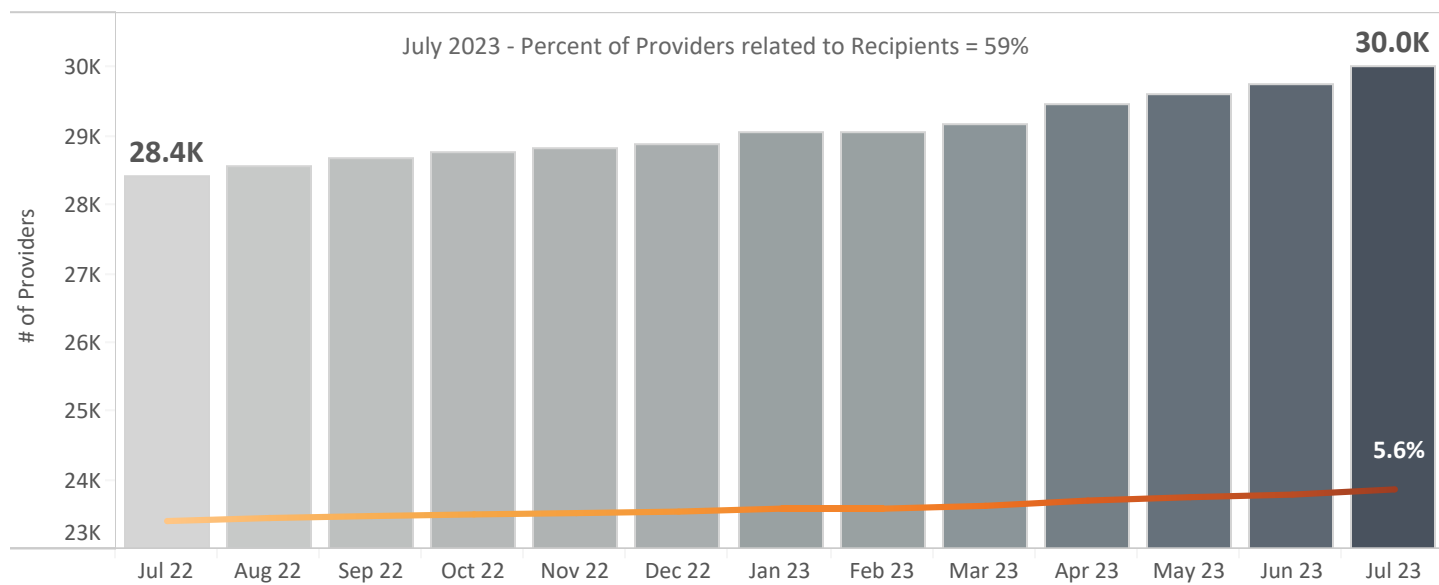
English			54.2%
Non-English	Chinese	21.4%	
	Spanish	6.5%	
	Other	6.2%	
	Vietnamese	4.0%	
	Other Asian	3.7%	
	Farsi	3.1%	
	Cambodian	1.0%	



IHSS Recipients



IHSS Providers



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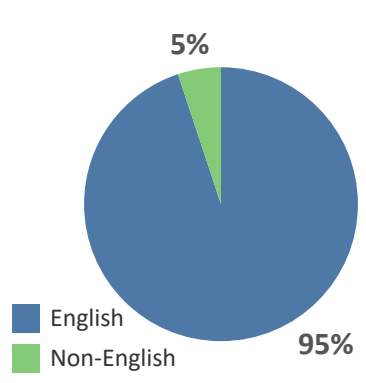
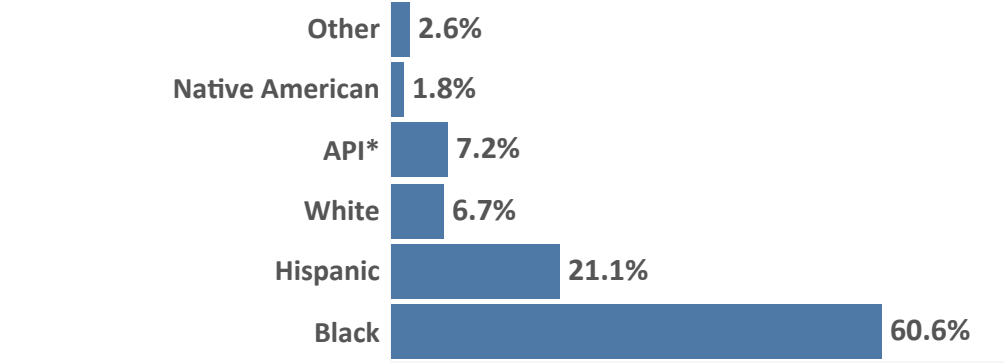
Child Care Subsidies

Child Care Subsidies		% Difference
2022	July	1,461
2023	July	1,753
		+20.0%

Child care subsidies are made available to eligible families on a time-limited basis. These subsidies are vital to finding and maintaining employment, education, and training for families and providing an opportunity to support a child's development.

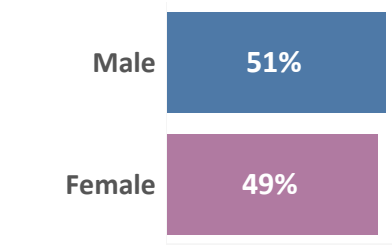
1,753 <small>Children July 2023</small>	81% <small>CalWORKs Stage 1</small>	16% <small>California Alternative Payment Program (CAPP)</small>	3% <small>Foster Care Child Care Allowance Program (FCCCAP)</small>
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Ethnicity and Language

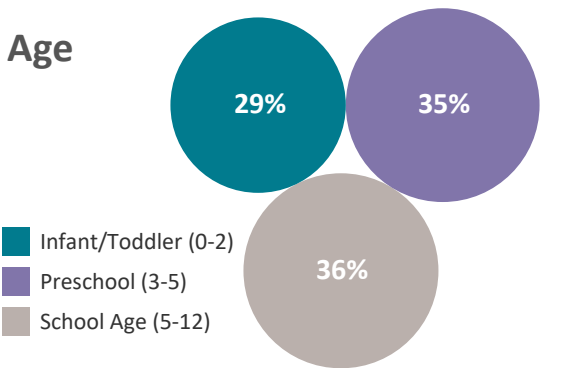


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Non-English	
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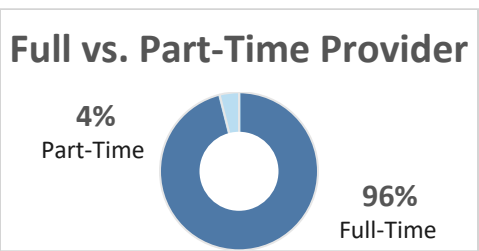
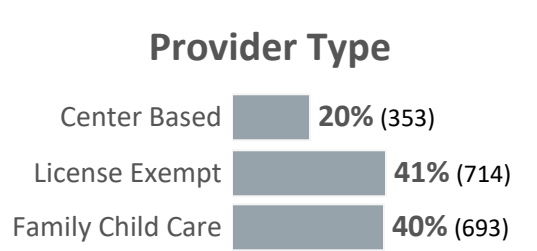
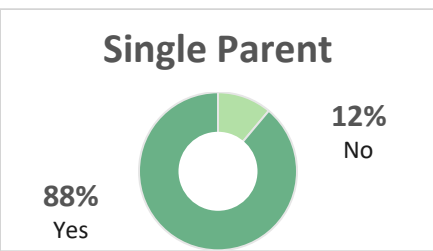
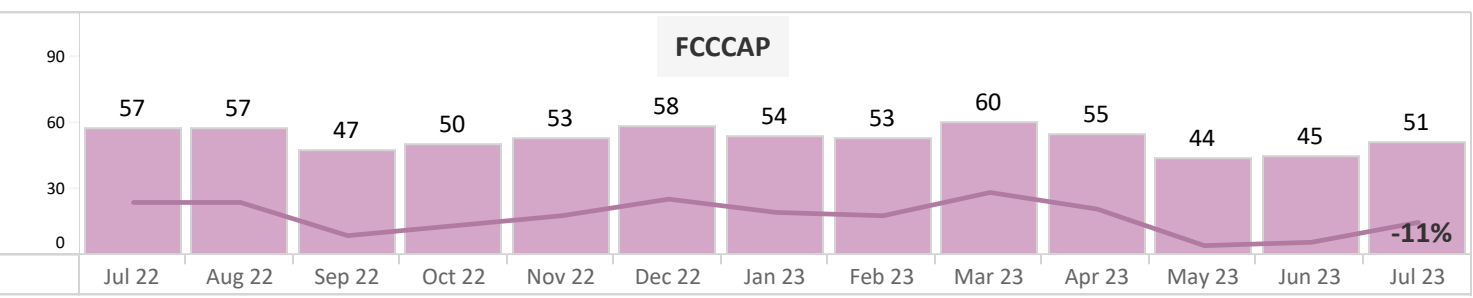
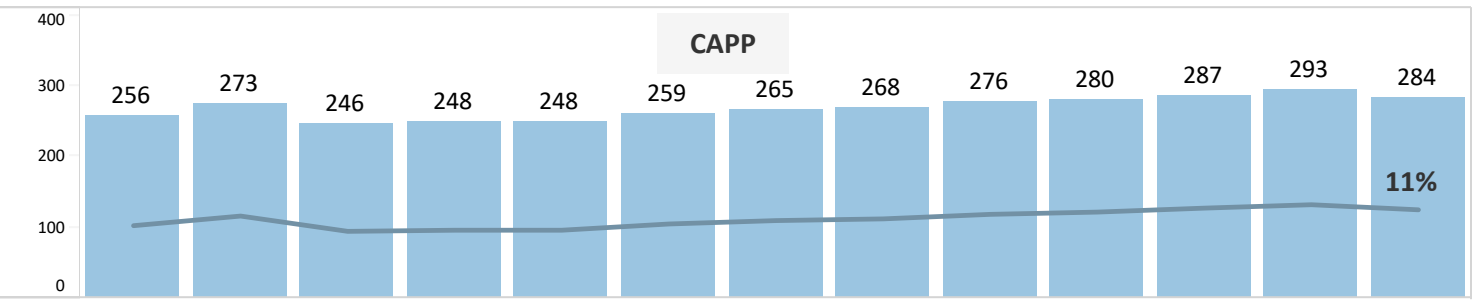
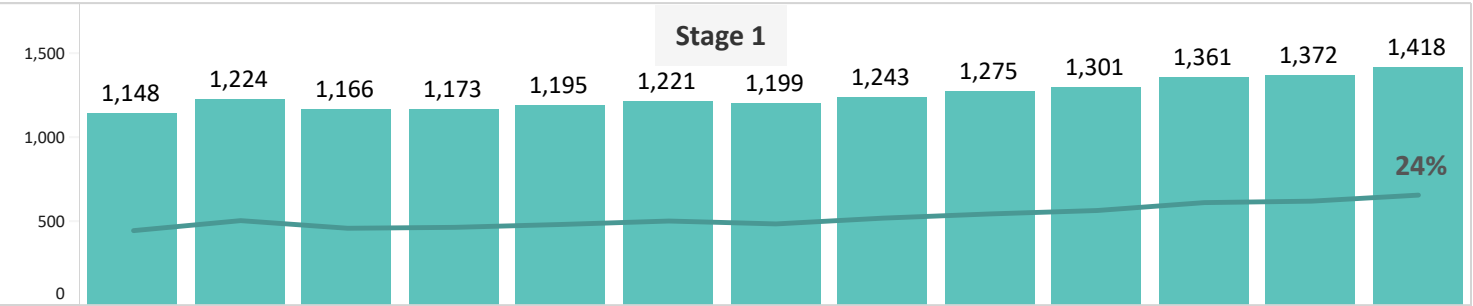
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Age



Child Care Individuals



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Demographics by Program - Individuals

August 2023

		Medi-Cal		CalFresh		CalWORKs		General Assistance		IHSS		APS**		Child Welfare		Child Care	
Grand Total		485,549	100.0%	161,708	100.0%	19,033	100.0%	7,195	100.0%	27,969	100.0%	2,082	100.0%	1,427	100.0%	1,753	100.0%
Older Adults (65+)	Female	35,400	7.3%	21,288	13.2%	3	0.0%	209	2.9%	9,564	34.2%	1,069	51.3%	0	0.0%	308	17.6%
	Male	25,580	5.3%	14,413	8.9%	10	0.1%	155	2.2%	4,497	16.1%	680	32.7%	0	0.0%	318	18.1%
	Undefined	6	0.0%	4	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	132	6.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Adults (18-64)	Female	159,182	32.8%	46,306	28.6%	3,585	18.8%	2,392	33.2%	6,843	24.5%	95	4.6%	131	9.2%	319	18.2%
	Male	136,359	28.1%	33,534	20.7%	921	4.8%	4,438	61.7%	5,056	18.1%	102	4.9%	99	6.9%	300	17.1%
	Undefined	12	0.0%	12	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	0.2%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%
Children (0-17)	Female	63,195	13.0%	22,686	14.0%	7,243	38.1%	0	0.0%	646	2.3%	0	0.0%	615	43.1%	230	13.1%
	Male	65,813	13.6%	23,464	14.5%	7,271	38.2%	0	0.0%	1,363	4.9%	0	0.0%	581	40.7%	276	15.7%
	Undefined	2	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	1	0.1%

Grand Total	485,549	100.0%	161,708	100.0%	19,033	100.0%	7,195	100.0%	27,969	100.0%	2,082	100.0%	1,427	100.0%	1,753	100.0%
API*	99,447	20.5%	26,629	16.5%	908	4.8%	362	5.0%	11,560	41.3%	205	9.8%	78	5.5%	123	7.0%
Black	64,387	13.3%	32,985	20.4%	7,533	39.6%	3,179	44.2%	7,811	27.9%	509	24.4%	607	42.5%	1,072	61.2%
Hispanic	145,691	30.0%	30,575	18.9%	4,558	23.9%	670	9.3%	2,882	10.3%	162	7.8%	572	40.1%	364	20.8%
Native American	994	0.2%	350	0.2%	42	0.2%	34	0.5%	81	0.3%	14	0.7%	3	0.2%	32	1.8%
Other	153	0.0%	12	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2,353	8.4%	442	21.2%	6	0.4%	43	2.5%
White	174,877	36.0%	71,157	44.0%	5,992	31.5%	2,950	41.0%	3,282	11.7%	750	36.0%	161	11.3%	119	6.8%

Language	485,549	100.0%	161,708	100.0%	19,033	100.0%	7,195	100.0%	27,969	100.0%	2,082	100.0%	1,427	100.0%	1,753	100.0%
English	317,864	65.5%	118,103	73.0%	15,569	81.8%	6,812	94.7%	15,125	54.1%	1,719	82.6%	1,255	87.9%	1,664	94.9%
Cambodian	531	0.1%	408	0.3%	6	0.0%	6	0.1%	271	1.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%
Chinese	33,896	7.0%	14,091	8.7%	59	0.3%	84	1.2%	5,964	21.3%	46	2.2%	8	0.6%	9	0.5%
Farsi	2,441	0.5%	1,495	0.9%	470	2.5%	15	0.2%	857	3.1%	8	0.4%	2	0.1%	17	1.0%
Other	10,899	2.2%	3,965	2.5%	673	3.5%	82	1.1%	1,798	6.4%	215	10.3%	14	1.0%	11	0.6%
Other Asian	3,990	0.8%	1,387	0.9%	9	0.0%	26	0.4%	1,026	3.7%	25	1.2%	2	0.1%	2	0.1%
Spanish	107,136	22.1%	18,784	11.6%	2,219	11.7%	133	1.8%	1,810	6.5%	60	2.9%	144	10.1%	49	2.8%
Vietnamese	8,792	1.8%	3,475	2.1%	28	0.1%	37	0.5%	1,118	4.0%	9	0.4%	1	0.1%	1	0.1%

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Definitions of terms appear on the last page

* Asian and Pacific Islander

** as of January 2022, APS Age Groups are Adults (18-59) and Older Adults (60+)

Individuals by Program and City of Residence

August 2023

		Medi-Cal		CalFresh		CalWORKs		General Assistance		IHSS		APS		Child Welfare		Child Care	
Total Persons		485,549	100.0%	161,708	100.0%	19,033	100.0%	7,195	100.0%	27,969	100.0%	2,082	100.0%	1,427	100.0%	1,753	100.0%
North County	Alameda	17,005	3.5%	6,066	3.8%	671	3.5%	168	2.3%	1,166	4.2%	134	6.4%	38	2.7%	49	2.8%
	Albany	3,482	0.7%	732	0.5%	71	0.4%	13	0.2%	87	0.3%	17	0.8%	4	0.3%	4	0.2%
	Berkeley	18,351	3.8%	9,905	6.1%	470	2.5%	408	5.7%	1,299	4.6%	238	11.4%	34	2.4%	48	2.7%
	Emeryville	2,788	0.6%	1,090	0.7%	128	0.7%	58	0.8%	245	0.9%	31	1.5%	4	0.3%	25	1.4%
	Oakland	179,104	36.9%	71,841	44.4%	9,849	51.7%	4,340	60.3%	11,952	42.7%	712	34.2%	474	33.2%	893	50.9%
	Piedmont	603	0.1%	138	0.1%	4	0.0%	6	0.1%	33	0.1%	6	0.3%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%
Tri-City	Fremont	44,048	9.1%	11,766	7.3%	1,350	7.1%	380	5.3%	2,747	9.8%	143	6.9%	47	3.3%	100	5.7%
	Newark	11,404	2.3%	2,872	1.8%	247	1.3%	66	0.9%	674	2.4%	40	1.9%	15	1.1%	27	1.5%
	Union City	19,084	3.9%	5,303	3.3%	461	2.4%	104	1.4%	1,317	4.7%	59	2.8%	21	1.5%	56	3.2%
Central County	Castro Valley	11,882	2.4%	3,050	1.9%	243	1.3%	78	1.1%	586	2.1%	69	3.3%	24	1.7%	23	1.3%
	Hayward	73,895	15.2%	20,789	12.9%	2,587	13.6%	810	11.3%	3,246	11.6%	242	11.6%	123	8.6%	226	12.9%
	San Leandro	42,024	8.7%	13,328	8.2%	1,309	6.9%	327	4.5%	2,357	8.4%	156	7.5%	95	6.7%	130	7.4%
	San Lorenzo	11,227	2.3%	3,275	2.0%	305	1.6%	103	1.4%	507	1.8%	25	1.2%	22	1.5%	19	1.1%
Tri-Valley	Dublin	9,117	1.9%	2,406	1.5%	204	1.1%	37	0.5%	601	2.1%	41	2.0%	19	1.3%	23	1.3%
	Livermore	15,652	3.2%	3,936	2.4%	449	2.4%	135	1.9%	579	2.1%	76	3.7%	38	2.7%	73	4.2%
	Pleasanton	9,025	1.9%	2,006	1.2%	166	0.9%	41	0.6%	479	1.7%	63	3.0%	17	1.2%	26	1.5%
Other	Other	16,858	3.5%	3,205	2.0%	519	2.7%	121	1.7%	94	0.3%	30	1.4%	451	31.6%	31	1.8%

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These are individuals receiving aid from one or more county programs, listed by city of residence. This total does not include Adult & Aging nor add up to the total of all seven programs because individuals may be enrolled in several programs.

Cases by Program and City of Residence

August 2023

		Medi-Cal		CalFresh		CalWORKs		General Assistance		IHSS		APS		Child Welfare		Child Care	
Total Cases		274,963	100.0%	100,643	100.0%	8,141	100.0%	7,139	100.0%	27,969	100.0%	2,082	100.0%	1,427	100.0%	1,753	100.0%
North County	Alameda	9,821	3.6%	3,677	3.7%	259	3.2%	166	2.3%	1,166	4.2%	134	6.4%	38	2.7%	49	2.8%
	Albany	1,913	0.7%	443	0.4%	25	0.3%	13	0.2%	87	0.3%	17	0.8%	4	0.3%	4	0.2%
	Berkeley	13,251	4.8%	8,394	8.3%	218	2.7%	408	5.7%	1,299	4.6%	238	11.4%	34	2.4%	48	2.7%
	Emeryville	1,843	0.7%	776	0.8%	54	0.7%	58	0.8%	245	0.9%	31	1.5%	4	0.3%	25	1.4%
	Oakland	101,717	37.0%	44,966	44.7%	4,393	54.0%	4,320	60.5%	11,952	42.7%	712	34.2%	474	33.2%	893	50.9%
	Piedmont	412	0.1%	95	0.1%	2	0.0%	6	0.1%	33	0.1%	6	0.3%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%
Tri-City	Fremont	24,524	8.9%	6,762	6.7%	496	6.1%	371	5.2%	2,747	9.8%	143	6.9%	47	3.3%	100	5.7%
	Newark	6,189	2.3%	1,736	1.7%	107	1.3%	65	0.9%	674	2.4%	40	1.9%	15	1.1%	27	1.5%
	Union City	10,520	3.8%	3,074	3.1%	183	2.2%	102	1.4%	1,317	4.7%	59	2.8%	21	1.5%	56	3.2%
Central County	Castro Valley	6,590	2.4%	1,830	1.8%	107	1.3%	77	1.1%	586	2.1%	69	3.3%	24	1.7%	23	1.3%
	Hayward	39,112	14.2%	12,122	12.0%	1,054	12.9%	799	11.2%	3,246	11.6%	242	11.6%	123	8.6%	226	12.9%
	San Leandro	22,414	8.2%	7,740	7.7%	563	6.9%	327	4.6%	2,357	8.4%	156	7.5%	95	6.7%	130	7.4%
	San Lorenzo	5,983	2.2%	1,939	1.9%	138	1.7%	101	1.4%	507	1.8%	25	1.2%	22	1.5%	19	1.1%
Tri-Valley	Dublin	5,168	1.9%	1,354	1.3%	78	1.0%	35	0.5%	601	2.1%	41	2.0%	19	1.3%	23	1.3%
	Livermore	8,618	3.1%	2,283	2.3%	190	2.3%	131	1.8%	579	2.1%	76	3.7%	38	2.7%	73	4.2%
	Pleasanton	5,296	1.9%	1,254	1.2%	72	0.9%	40	0.6%	479	1.7%	63	3.0%	17	1.2%	26	1.5%
Other	Other	11,592	4.2%	2,198	2.2%	202	2.5%	120	1.7%	94	0.3%	30	1.4%	451	31.6%	31	1.8%

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Total cases in Medi-Cal, CalFresh, CalWORKs, and General Assistance programs represent the total number of families aided while total cases in IHSS, APS, Child Welfare, and Child Care represent total number of individuals aided as a case in these programs account for an individual.

CalWORKs

Two Parent Families: Families with children living in the home with two non-disabled, natural or adoptive parents.

Safety Net: Families with children living in the home whose natural or adoptive parents are ineligible or excluded from receiving assistance.

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Timed-Out: Families with children living in the home whose parents are ineligible to receive assistance because an adult head-of-household or spouse of a head-of-household has received federal TANF assistance for a total of 48 cumulative months.

Child-Only (Zero Parent): Families with children living in the home whose parents are ineligible to receive assistance.

Total Clients in Welfare to Work: All active CalWORKs adults who have been registered into the Welfare to Work (WTW) program. WTW is the mandatory employment and training program for CalWORKs adults. Clients must register for WTW unless exempted for a condition that prevents them from working. Not all registered WTW clients are actively engaged in the program, as they may be scheduled for activities that have not yet begun, between activities, or non-compliant prior to sanction.

Subsidized Work and Community Experience: Includes public or private sector employment under the close supervision of the activity provider that helps provide basic job skills and can help lead to eventual unsubsidized employment.

Paying Jobs: Includes unsubsidized and subsidized, public and private sector jobs and self-employment.

CalFresh

Non-Assistance CalFresh Individuals: Client receives CalFresh assistance but does not receive a monthly cash grant under the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) program or other state-funded program.

All CalFresh Individuals: All clients receiving CalFresh.

Non-Assistance CalFresh Caseloads: Non-Assistance CalFresh recipients are those who get CalFresh each month, but do not receive a monthly cash grant under the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) program.

All CalFresh Caseloads: All cases receiving CalFresh.

Child Welfare

Non-Minor Dependents: Youth ages 18-20 in Extended Foster Care under AB12.

SILP: Supervised Independent Living Placement.

Guardian Home: Placement with court-appointed legal guardian.

Relative/NREFM: Relative/Non-Relative Extended Family Member.

Group Home: 24-Hour staffed residential and/or treatment facility for foster youth.

Foster Family Home: County licensed foster care home.

Foster Family Agency Home: Foster home certified by a Foster Family Agency.

STRTP: Short Term Residential Therapeutic Program.

THP+FC: Transitional Housing Program plus Foster Care, which provides supportive housing for older teens and non-minor dependents.

Child Care

CalWORKs Stage One: Supports a family's access to immediate and continuous child care as parents/caregivers participate in their welfare-to-work activities.

California Alternative Payment Program (CAPP): Provides child care to low to moderate income families. Families must be working, enrolled in training towards a vocational goal, physically or mentally incapacitated, or seeking employment.

Foster Care Child Care Allowance Program (FCCCAP): Provides a time limited "bridge" to longer term child care solutions. The program is used at the time of placement to stabilize children in the best possible setting.

Single Parent: Sole parent/caretaker who lives with and is legally/financially responsible for the child.

Licensed Family Child Care (FCC): A business which provides child care in an individual's private home. FCCs vary widely from a home that can care for a few children up to a large family child care home that cares for up to 14 children.

Center-Based Program (also known as "Child Care Center" or "Day Care Center"): Any child care facility of any capacity, other than a family child care home as defined in Education Code Section 102352f.(1).

License-Exempt: Child care providers who can operate legally without a license.