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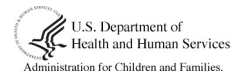
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This administrative dataset provides descriptive information about the families and children served through the federal Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF). CCDF dollars are provided to states, territories, and tribes to provide assistance to low-income families receiving or transitioning from temporary public assistance, in obtaining quality child care so they can work, or depending on their state's policy, attend training or receive education. The Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Act of 1996 requires states and territories to collect information on all family units receiving assistance through the CCDF and to submit monthly case-level data to the Child Care Bureau. States are permitted to report case-level data for the entire population or a sample of the population, under approved sampling guidelines. These sample files were created using the data that were current as of December 12, 2003.

Data Observations

A blank (space) or “-1” value in the State sample data indicates a not reported or invalid response. Invalid responses as defined by Technical Bulletin #3 were coded as -1 during processing. To further enhance understanding of the CCDF 2001 data, the following information about specific data issues is being provided:

1. American Samoa (AS), Puerto Rico (PR), and Virgin Islands (VI) have not reported ACF-801 data for FFY 2001.
2. Pennsylvania (PA) and New York (NY) modified their Monthly Average Family Counts reported on the Summary Record through communications with the Child Care Bureau and without resubmitting the data files. These changes are reflected in the Summary Records File.
3. Guam (GU) reported only 5 months of data.
4. Montana (MT), New Jersey (NJ), Tennessee (TN), and Washington (WA) sample records are based on only 11 months of data because of OIS data recovery issues.
5. Large portions of the New Hampshire (NH) data are invalid or not reported and have usually been excluded from reporting.
6. Minnesota (MN) has not accurately reported information about families receiving TANF as a source of income. For informational purposes, and **not** included in the data, MN provided in an email an estimate that about 35% of their child care caseload families also receive TANF.
7. Missouri (MO) income data is erroneous with a large proportion of the income data over \$20,000 per month, and other clearly erroneous values.
8. Tennessee (TN) reported hours-per-week (instead of hours-per-month).

Weight Information

To obtain representative national statistics, weighted statistics must be generated using the number of families and children served as the weighting factor. Sampling weight adjustments have been included in the files, where applicable. Children from the same state get the same weight and results reflect the entire sample size of the US and territories.

There are two weight variables available for analysis: A_FCHWT and U_FCHWT. A description of these weights is provided below:

- **A_FCHWT:** Annual Adjusted Weight for Families/Children Served. This sampling weight adjustment accounts for the pooling factor and weights the data by the number of families and children served by CCDF in each state/national.

- U_FCHWT: Annual Unadjusted Weight for Families/Children Served.
This sampling weight adjustment **does not** account for the pooling factor and weights the data by the number of families and children served from all reported funding sources in each state/national.

Technical Documentation

Users of these data are **strongly encouraged** to read through the accompanying technical documentation file for further discussion of methods by which to obtain weighted statistics and for guidance with the use of these methods for proper analysis of these data.

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Variable Description and Frequencies

Note: Frequencies displayed for the variables are not weighted. They are purely descriptive and may not be representative of the study population. Please review any sampling or weighting information available with the study.

Summary statistics (minimum, maximum, mean, median, and standard deviation) may not be available for every variable in the codebook. Conversely, a listing of frequencies in table format may not be present for every variable in the codebook either. However, all variables in the dataset are present and display sufficient information about each variable. These decisions are made intentionally and are at the discretion of the archive producing this codebook.

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Family Records

STATE Unique State Identification Code

Location: 1-2(width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: character

<i>STATE: Unique State Identification Code</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
AK	Alaska	2519	1.7 %
AL	Alabama	2463	1.7 %
AR	Arkansas	2888	2.0 %
AZ	Arizona	2568	1.8 %
CA	California	2474	1.7 %
CO	Colorado	2561	1.8 %
CT	Connecticut	2479	1.7 %
DC	District of Columbia	3136	2.2 %
DE	Delaware	2472	1.7 %
FL	Florida	2711	1.9 %
GA	Georgia	2664	1.8 %
GU	Guam	3448	2.4 %
HI	Hawaii	3301	2.3 %
IA	Iowa	2509	1.7 %
ID	Idaho	2621	1.8 %
IL	Illinois	2483	1.7 %
IN	Indiana	2430	1.7 %
KS	Kansas	2734	1.9 %
KY	Kentucky	2489	1.7 %
LA	Louisiana	2736	1.9 %
MA	Massachusetts	2243	1.5 %
MD	Maryland	2624	1.8 %
ME	Maine	4067	2.8 %
MI	Michigan	2470	1.7 %
MN	Minnesota	2326	1.6 %
MO	Missouri	2667	1.8 %
MP	Mariana Province	1022	0.7 %
MS	Mississippi	5556	3.8 %
MT	Montana	2300	1.6 %
NC	North Carolina	2874	2.0 %
ND	North Dakota	3300	2.3 %
NE	Nebraska	2495	1.7 %

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<i>STATE: Unique State Identification Code</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
NH	New Hampshire	2658	1.8 %
NJ	New Jersey	2245	1.5 %
NM	New Mexico	2634	1.8 %
NV	Nevada	3176	2.2 %
NY	New York	4693	3.2 %
OH	Ohio	2563	1.8 %
OK	Oklahoma	2714	1.9 %
OR	Oregon	2754	1.9 %
PA	Pennsylvania	3328	2.3 %
RI	Rhode Island	2475	1.7 %
SC	South Carolina	2688	1.8 %
SD	South Dakota	2608	1.8 %
TN	Tennessee	2245	1.5 %
TX	Texas	2629	1.8 %
UT	Utah	2447	1.7 %
VA	Virginia	2462	1.7 %
VT	Vermont	2783	1.9 %
WA	Washington	2808	1.9 %
WI	Wisconsin	2609	1.8 %
WV	West Virginia	2695	1.8 %
WY	Wyoming	2836	1.9 %

Based upon 145680 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

FAMID	Family ID number
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Location: 3-14(width: 12; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

Based upon 145680 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 1445.95
- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 5556.00
- Standard Deviation: 938.32

FREPORT	Month/year of report period DDMMYYYY
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Location: 15-25(width: 11; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: character

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<i>FREPORT: Month/year of report period DDMMYYYY</i>		
<i>Value</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
01-APR-2001	12281	8.4 %
01-AUG-2001	12323	8.5 %
01-DEC-2000	12182	8.4 %
01-FEB-2001	12094	8.3 %
01-JAN-2000	1	0.0 %
01-JAN-2001	11923	8.2 %
01-JUL-2001	11921	8.2 %
01-JUN-2001	12210	8.4 %
01-MAR-2000	1	0.0 %
01-MAR-2001	11839	8.1 %
01-MAY-2001	12361	8.5 %
01-NOV-1999	1	0.0 %
01-NOV-2000	12802	8.8 %
01-OCT-2000	12278	8.4 %
01-OCT-2001	1	0.0 %
01-SEP-2001	11462	7.9 %

Based upon 145680 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

SINGPAR Is head of household a single parent?

Location: 26-31(width: 6; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: numeric
 Range of Missing Values (M): -1

<i>SINGPAR: Is head of household a single parent?</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
0	No	16085	11.0 %
1	Yes	119883	82.3 %
9	Not applicable; child is reported as head of household	1855	1.3 %
-1 (M)	MISSING DATA	7857	5.4 %

Based upon 137823 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 0.99
- Median: 1.00
- Mode: 1.00
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 9.00
- Standard Deviation: 0.99

REASON Reason for receiving subsidized child care

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Location: 32-37(width: 6; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: numeric
 Range of Missing Values (M): -1

<i>REASON: Reason for receiving subsidized child care</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
1	Employment, including on-the-job training	112317	77.1 %
2	Training/Education	14014	9.6 %
3	Both Employment and Training/Education	6545	4.5 %
4	Protective Services	4069	2.8 %
5	Other	5024	3.4 %
-1 (M)	MISSING DATA	3711	2.5 %

Based upon 141969 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 1.42
- Median: 1.00
- Mode: 1.00
- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 5.00
- Standard Deviation: 0.97

COPAY Total monthly co-payment by family

Location: 38-43(width: 6; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: numeric
 Range of Missing Values (M): -1

<i>COPAY: Total monthly co-payment by family</i>	
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>
-1 (M)	MISSING DATA

* Frequencies not displayed for this variable.

Based upon 145426 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 59.87
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 1000.00
- Standard Deviation: 84.74

DATEST Month/year child care assistance started DDMMYYYY

Location: 44-54(width: 11; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: character

Based upon 145680 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

INCOME Total monthly income for determining eligibility

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Location: 55-60(width: 6; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: numeric
 Range of Missing Values (M): -1

<i>INCOME: Total monthly income for determining eligibility</i>	
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>
-1 (M)	MISSING DATA

* Frequencies not displayed for this variable.

Based upon 144687 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 1405.42
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 31479.00
- Standard Deviation: 2235.50

INCEMP **Income source: Employment, including self-employment**

Location: 61-66(width: 6; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: numeric
 Range of Missing Values (M): -1

<i>INCEMP: Income source: Employment, including self-employment</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
0	No	26374	18.1 %
1	Yes	114527	78.6 %
-1 (M)	MISSING DATA	4779	3.3 %

Based upon 140901 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 0.81
- Median: 1.00
- Mode: 1.00
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 1.00
- Standard Deviation: 0.39

INCTANF **Income source: Title IV of the Social Security Act (TANF)**

Location: 67-72(width: 6; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: numeric
 Range of Missing Values (M): -1

<i>INCTANF: Income source: Title IV of the Social Security Act (TANF)</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
0	No	115717	79.4 %

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<i>INCTANF: Income source: Title IV of the Social Security Act (TANF)</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
1	Yes	26998	18.5 %
-1 (M)	MISSING DATA	2965	2.0 %

Based upon 142715 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 0.19
- Median: 0.00
- Mode: 0.00
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 1.00
- Standard Deviation: 0.39

INCSTPRG **Income source: State program for which state spending is**

Location: 73-78(width: 6; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: numeric
 Range of Missing Values (M): -1

<i>INCSTPRG: Income source: State program for which state spending is</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
0	No	132161	90.7 %
1	Yes	4193	2.9 %
-1 (M)	MISSING DATA	9326	6.4 %

Based upon 136354 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 0.03
- Median: 0.00
- Mode: 0.00
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 1.00
- Standard Deviation: 0.17

INCHOUS **Income source: Housing voucher or cash assistance**

Location: 79-84(width: 6; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: numeric
 Range of Missing Values (M): -1

<i>INCHOUS: Income source: Housing voucher or cash assistance</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
0	No	128700	88.3 %
1	Yes	8277	5.7 %

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<i>INCHOUS: Income source: Housing voucher or cash assistance</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
-1 (M)	MISSING DATA	8703	6.0 %

Based upon 136977 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 0.06
- Median: 0.00
- Mode: 0.00
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 1.00
- Standard Deviation: 0.24

INCFDST **Income source: Assistance under the Food Stamps Act of**

Location: 85-90(width: 6; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: numeric
 Range of Missing Values (M): -1

<i>INCFDST: Income source: Assistance under the Food Stamps Act of</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
0	No	94587	64.9 %
1	Yes	44067	30.2 %
-1 (M)	MISSING DATA	7026	4.8 %

Based upon 138654 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 0.32
- Median: 0.00
- Mode: 0.00
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 1.00
- Standard Deviation: 0.47

INCOTHER **Income source: Other Federal Cash Income**

Location: 91-96(width: 6; decimal: 0)
 Variable Type: numeric
 Range of Missing Values (M): -1

<i>INCOTHER: Income source: Other Federal Cash Income</i>			
<i>Value</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
0	No	133512	91.6 %
1	Yes	7846	5.4 %
-1 (M)	MISSING DATA	4322	3.0 %

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Based upon 141358 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 0.06
- Median: 0.00
- Mode: 0.00
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 1.00
- Standard Deviation: 0.23

U_FCHWT

Annual Unadjusted Weight for Families/Children Served

Location: 97-112(width: 16; decimal: 8)

Variable Type: numeric

<i>U_FCHWT: Annual Unadjusted Weight for Families/Children Served</i>		
<i>Value</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
0.08537182	1022	0.7 %
0.20029002	3448	2.4 %
0.66772567	2836	1.9 %
0.75075731	4067	2.8 %
0.83656058	2608	1.8 %
0.91962121	3300	2.3 %
1.25408468	5556	3.8 %
1.29722922	3176	2.2 %
1.33926338	2783	1.9 %
1.49212470	2519	1.7 %
1.68645865	3301	2.3 %
1.75401430	2658	1.8 %
1.82628261	2300	1.6 %
1.95511798	3136	2.2 %
2.25264021	2621	1.8 %
2.26047438	2888	2.0 %
2.26076011	2447	1.7 %
2.92010518	2472	1.7 %
3.01234455	2734	1.9 %
3.01392786	2495	1.7 %
3.34545455	2475	1.7 %
3.75361897	2509	1.7 %
3.76703896	2695	1.8 %
3.99776604	2462	1.7 %
4.42231027	2688	1.8 %
4.77343750	2624	1.8 %
5.00426652	2754	1.9 %

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<i>U_FCHWT: Annual Unadjusted Weight for Families/Children Served</i>		
<i>Value</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
5.02179954	2634	1.8 %
5.44038657	2561	1.8 %
6.69853570	2479	1.7 %
7.95848559	2463	1.7 %
8.35486842	2736	1.9 %
8.82376612	2326	1.6 %
8.84468461	2489	1.7 %
8.84776345	2714	1.9 %
9.11146807	2568	1.8 %
9.21729398	2609	1.8 %
11.00493827	2430	1.7 %
11.06482176	2667	1.8 %
12.30974850	2664	1.8 %
13.25207572	2245	1.5 %
13.79566592	2245	1.5 %
14.41717141	3328	2.3 %
14.43795363	2243	1.5 %
14.86755342	2808	1.9 %
18.23753305	2874	2.0 %
21.37621909	2629	1.8 %
22.11015607	2563	1.8 %
24.06372896	4693	3.2 %
26.80802834	2470	1.7 %
28.71942414	2711	1.9 %
35.89720097	2483	1.7 %
53.38968472	2474	1.7 %

Based upon 145680 valid cases out of 145680 total cases.

- Mean: 8.80361362
- Median: 4.77343750
- Mode: 1.25408468
- Minimum: 0.08537182
- Maximum: 53.38968472
- Standard Deviation: 10.09659025

A_FCHWT	Annual Adjusted Weight for Families/Children Served
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Location: 113-128(width: 16; decimal: 9)
 Variable Type: numeric

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<i>A_FCHWT: Annual Adjusted Weight for Families/Children Served</i>		
<i>Value</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
0.085371820	1022	0.7 %
0.200290023	3448	2.4 %
0.352857143	4067	2.8 %
0.661047250	2836	1.9 %
0.786368865	2608	1.8 %
0.816949335	2783	1.9 %
0.919621212	3300	2.3 %
1.104000000	2475	1.7 %
1.254084685	5556	3.8 %
1.297229219	3176	2.2 %
1.492124702	2519	1.7 %
1.686458649	3301	2.3 %
1.701392024	2658	1.8 %
1.732838590	2695	1.8 %
1.810465210	2472	1.7 %
1.826282609	2300	1.6 %
1.921402355	2888	2.0 %
1.955117985	3136	2.2 %
2.140007631	2621	1.8 %
2.147723743	2447	1.7 %
3.012344550	2734	1.9 %
3.013927856	2495	1.7 %
3.148309802	2479	1.7 %
3.716086090	2509	1.7 %
3.997766044	2462	1.7 %
4.422310268	2688	1.8 %
4.773437500	2624	1.8 %
5.004266521	2754	1.9 %
5.021799544	2634	1.8 %
5.385985943	2561	1.8 %
5.622548869	2609	1.8 %
6.353112640	2326	1.6 %
6.378029595	2568	1.8 %
7.878899716	2463	1.7 %
8.354868421	2736	1.9 %
8.473802469	2430	1.7 %
8.519913696	2667	1.8 %
8.759288873	2714	1.9 %
8.844684612	2489	1.7 %

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<i>A_FCHWT: Annual Adjusted Weight for Families/Children Served</i>		
<i>Value</i>	<i>Unweighted Frequency</i>	<i>%</i>
10.106567098	2243	1.5 %
10.455133603	2470	1.7 %
10.853315527	2808	1.9 %
11.101223501	3328	2.3 %
12.309748498	2664	1.8 %
13.252075724	2245	1.5 %
13.795665924	2245	1.5 %
16.944459210	2711	1.9 %
18.237533055	2874	2.0 %
19.116441670	2563	1.8 %
20.820378574	2483	1.7 %
21.376219095	2629	1.8 %
24.063733220	4693	3.2 %
53.389692805	2474	1.7 %

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- Mean: 7.343675228
- Median: 4.422310268
- Mode: 1.254084685
- Minimum: 0.085371820
- Maximum: 53.389692805
- Standard Deviation: 8.810548175