

Public Assistance Facts County vs. State Administrated Federal Work Participation Rates PA 6

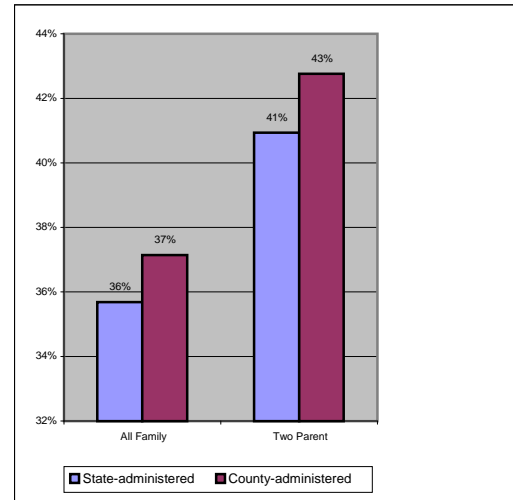
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- Nationally, there are 13 county-administered public assistance states.
- Regardless of the administrative model, there is no difference in states achieving work participation rates.
- Colorado has met its federally negotiated work participation rate for 2010.

COMPARISON OF ALL FAMILY AND TWO-PARENT FEDERAL WORK PARTICIPATION RATES IN COUNTY AND STATE-ADMINISTERED SYSTEMS.

State-Administered States			County-Administered States		
State	All Family	Two Parent	State	All family	Two parent
Alabama	37.4	28.1	California	25.1	26.5
Alaska	42.8	47	Colorado	32.3	30.8
Arizona	27.8	64.3	Georgia	59	
Arkansas	38.8	32	Maryland	36.9	
Connecticut	25.3		Minnesota	29.9	
Delaware	48.8		Nevada	42.1	51.4
Florida	42.4	37.5	New York	37.3	
Hawaii	34.4		North Carolina	24.5	51.3
Idaho	59.5		North Dakota	50.2	
Illinois	42.6		Ohio	24.5	27.9
Indiana	29.4	31.4	Pennsylvania	38.6	79.8
Iowa	41.1	39.8	Virginia	45.4	
Kansas	19.6	15.5	Wisconsin	37.1	31.6
Kentucky	38	38.8	Average	37%	43%
Louisiana	40				
Maine	11.4	8.6			
Massachusetts	44.7	96.4			
Michigan	33.6				
Mississippi	63.2				
Missouri	14.2				
Montana	44.2	51.6			
Nebraska	51.2				
New Hampshire	47.4				
New Jersey	18.9				
New Mexico	37.5	50.9			
Oklahoma	29.2				
Oregon	24.1	11.1			
Rhode Island	17.5	94.5			
South Carolina	51.7				
South Dakota	62.2				
Tennessee	25.2	11.9			
Texas	29.3				
Utah	37.6				
Vermont	23.2	31.8			
Washington	18.3	17.2			
West Virginia	17.6				
Wyoming	50.5	69.4			
Average	36%	41%			



Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 2008