



Division of Public Assistance

September 2025
Preliminary

240,845

Alaskans receive
public assistance

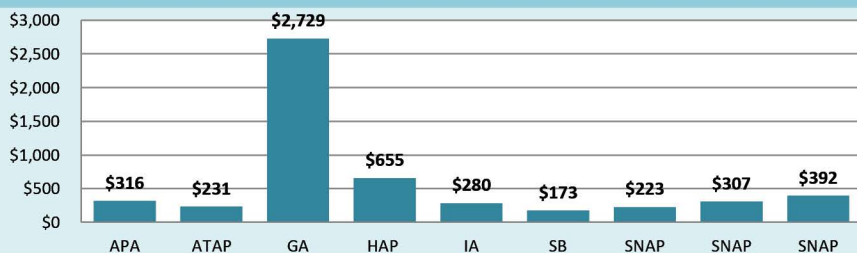
Demographics of DPA recipients

Clients	0-18	19-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
	102,542	50,819	31,372	19,490	19,549	17,073

Recipients of the:

APA, ATAP, GA, HAP, IA, ME,
SB, SNAP and WIC programs.

Average benefit per person



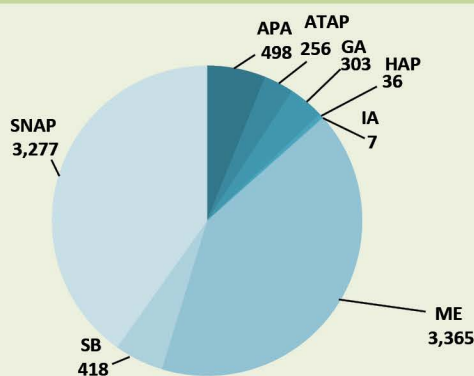
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Recipients in each program

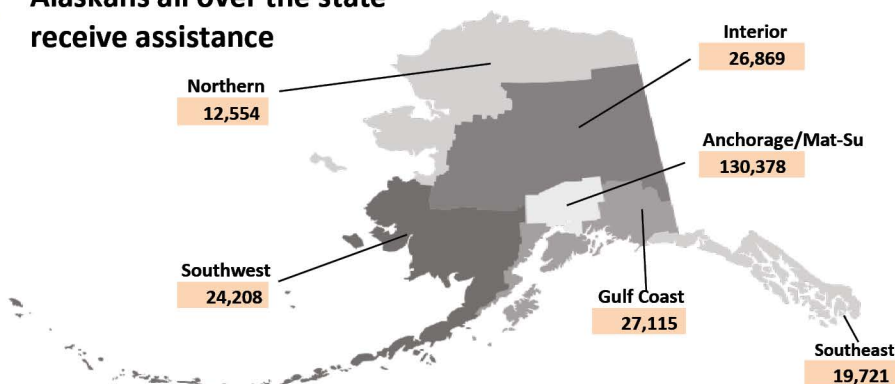
APA	12,359
ATAP	2,634
GA	29
HAP	7,667
IA	58
ME	214,294
SB	11,248
SNAP	65,022
WIC	13,810

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Applications received

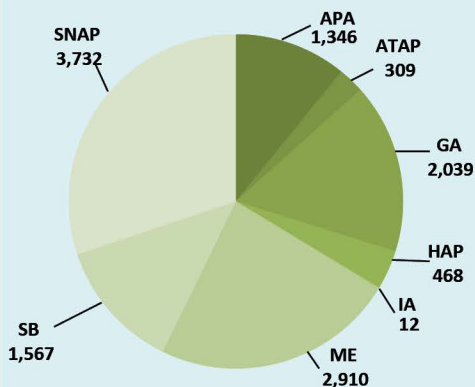


Alaskans all over the state receive assistance



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Work completed



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Public Assistance Programs

- APA Adult Public Assistance** Gives monthly cash payments and medical assistance to eligible elderly, blind, and disabled persons.
- ATAP Alaska Temporary Assistance Program** Gives monthly cash payments to eligible families with children.
- GA General Relief Assistance** Helps eligible individuals and families with emergency rent and utility needs. Also helps with burial costs.
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- IA Interim Assistance** Provides monetary assistance on a month-by-month basis to eligible individuals while their eligibility for APA is being determined.
- ME Medicaid** Offers medical coverage to eligible low-income Alaskans. Also helps with Medicare Parts A and B premiums.
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- SNAP Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program** Helps people buy food.
- WIC Women, Infants and Children** Provides nutrition education, breastfeeding support and cash payments for supplemental food to eligible women and young children.

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July 2025
Final

241,384

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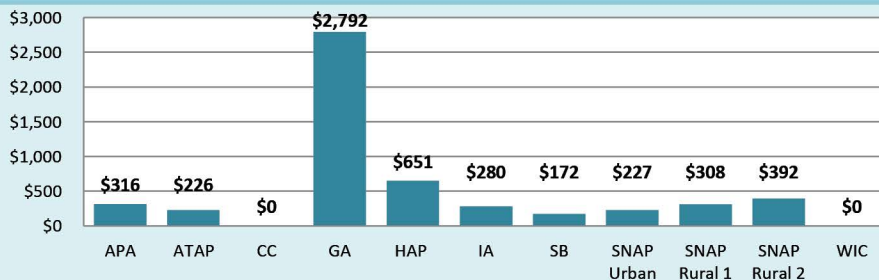
Demographics of DPA recipients

Clients	0-18	19-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
	102,538	52,047	31,743	19,527	19,235	16,294

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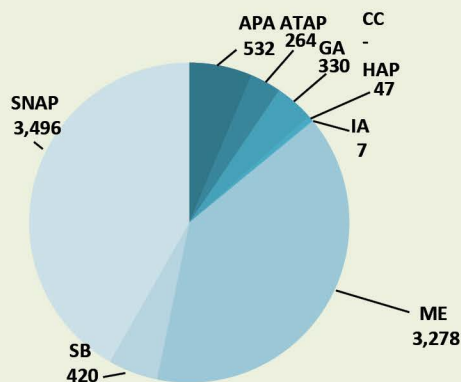
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GA	23
HAP	6,803
IA	55
ME	220,231
SB	11,336
SNAP	67,313
WIC	0

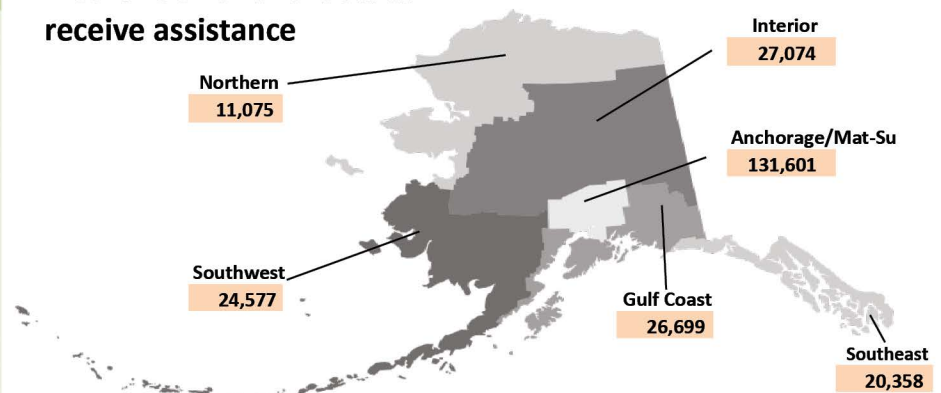
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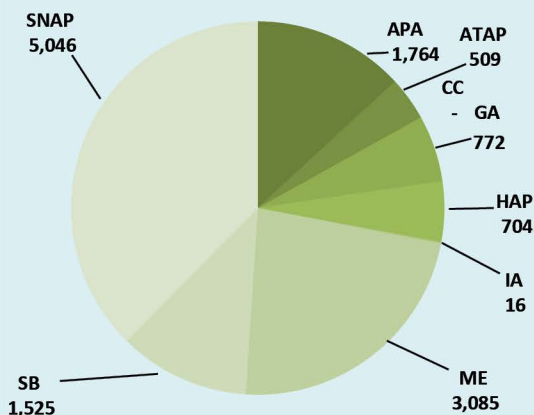


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Division of Public Assistance Dashboard

2025 September Preliminary

- 240,845 Alaskans receive public assistance.

Alaskans all over the state receive assistance:

- Anchorage/Mat-Su: 130,378
- Gulf Coast: 27,115
- Interior: 26,869
- Northern: 12,554
- Southeast: 19,721
- Southwest: 24,208

Demographics of DPA recipients:

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Applications received:

- APA: 498
- ATAP: 256
- GA: 303
- HAP: 36
- IA: 7
- ME: 3,365
- SB: 418
- SNAP: 3,277

Applications are new applications for benefits received during the month.

Work Completed:

- APA: 1,346
- ATAP: 309
- GA: 2,039
- HAP: 468
- IA: 12
- ME: 2,910
- SB: 1,567
- SNAP: 3,732

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Average benefit per person:

- APA: \$316
- ATAP: \$231
- GA: \$2,729
- HAP: \$655
- IA: \$280
- SB: \$173
- SNAP Urban: \$223
- SNAP Rural 1: \$307
- SNAP Rural 2: \$392

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- IA: 55
- ME: 220,231
- SB: 11,336
- SNAP: 67,313
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Applications received:

- APA: 532
- ATAP: 509
- CC: 0
- GA: 330
- HAP: 47
- IA: 7
- ME: 3,278
- SB: 420
- SNAP: 3,496

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Work Completed:

- APA: 1,764
- ATAP: 509
- CC: 0
- GA: 772
- HAP: 704
- IA: 16
- ME: 3,085
- SB: 1,525
- SNAP: 5,046

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Average benefit per person:

- APA: \$321.14
- ATAP: \$236.53
- GA: \$986.68
- HAP: \$858.81
- IA: \$280.00
- SB: \$153.20
- SNAP Urban: \$231.42
- SNAP Rural 1: \$311.53
- SNAP Rural 2: \$385.13

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