

# Child Support Statistical Overview

Nationwide, child support lifts an estimated **1 million** children out of poverty each year.

**\$639.7 M** (\$639,721,448)

**TOTAL CHILD SUPPORT INCOME COLLECTED IN 2024.**

**92%** of all the money collected goes directly to families.

Read more here: <http://bit.ly/CPHandook>

**345,507** Children under 21 on the NYC OCSS caseload.

**74%** Percentage of cases with support orders as compared with the total caseload. Once an order is established, OCSS can begin to collect child support.

**82%** Percentage of children on the OCSS caseload who are born to unmarried parents and for whom paternity has been established.

**\$8,184** Average amount collected per family for accounts receiving payments.

Reduced **\$275K** debt owed to DSS since 2009.

Referred **5,152** NCPs to employment programs since 2013.

Offered **130** Child Support Information sessions with Training Institute since 2015.

Released over **50** YouTube videos.



\*Other sources include but not limited to: Collections received from administrative enforcement in interstate cases; Payments received directly from non-custodial parents. Collections received through the IRS' full collection process, and Collections received through the Financial Institution Data Match.

1.77% UIB Offset, 0.74% Other States, 0.42% IRS Tax Offset, 0.10% State Tax Offset, 0.011% Other Countries

All data is as of December 2024, except if noted otherwise.

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