



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT

# HUMAN SERVICES REGISTER

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## I. DEPARTMENT

Human Services Department

## II. SUBJECT

2023 Caseload Reduction Credit Report

## III. PROGRAMS AFFECTED

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

## IV. ACTION

TANF Caseload Reduction Credit Report

## V. BACKGROUND

The United States Department of Health and Human Services requires the New Mexico Human Services Department to meet certain Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) work participation requirements. To assist in meeting these requirements, federal regulations (45 CFR 261.40) allow New Mexico to decrease its work participation rate percentage by the number of percentage points that the FY 2022 caseload fell in comparison to the FY 2005 caseload. This is termed the TANF Caseload Reduction Credit.

## VI. FINAL REPORT

The final TANF Caseload Reduction Credit Report is available on the Human Services Department website at: [Income Support Division Registers | New Mexico Human Services Department \(state.nm.us\)](https://www.state.nm.us/human-services/income-support-division-registers). If you do not have Internet access, a copy of the report may be requested by contacting Stephanie Roybal, Income Support Division Work and Family Support Bureau (WFSB) at [Stephanie.Roybal@hsd.nm.gov](mailto:Stephanie.Roybal@hsd.nm.gov). If you are a person with a disability and require this information in an alternative format, please contact the American Disabilities Act Coordinator at (505) 827-7701 or through the New Mexico Relay system at 711 or toll free at 1-800-659-1779.

The Department offered a comment period that began at 8:00 a.m. on November 8, 2022 and ended at 4:00 p.m. on December 8, 2022. No comments were received.

**VII. EFFECTIVE DATE**

Federal Fiscal Year 2023

**VIII. PUBLICATION**

Publication of this report approved on \_\_\_\_\_ by:

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