## **Bureau for Children and Families**

## April 2012 Monthly Report to the Secretary Reporting Period March 2012 / February 2012 Division of Family Assistance

## <u>Updates</u>

**Sixteen (16)** TANF cases were closed in March 2012 due to reaching the 60-month maximum assistance time-limit. Total number of cases closed for this reason is **2,626**. **Nine (9)** family(ies) were approved for an extension beyond 60 months, which results in a total of **651** extensions granted to date.

	February 2012	March 2012	Change
WV WORKS Caseload	10,583 Caseload	10,302 Caseload	-281
Support Service Payments	\$1,194,310 Payments	\$1,260,699 Payments	\$66,389
Electronic Fund Transfer Benefits	437 Participants	452 Participants	15
	\$123,208 Benefits	\$128,327 Benefits	\$5,119
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	144,979 Households	144,326 Households	-653
Caseload (Formerly known as the Food Stamp Program)	\$36,537,121 Benefits	\$35,741,537 Benefits	-\$795,584
Burials	192 Individuals	248 Individuals	56
	\$239,589 Benefits	\$307,964 Benefits	\$68,375
Non-Emergency Medical Transportation	34,316 Recipients	42,348 Recipients	8,032
	\$1,614,716 Benefits	\$2,043,171 Benefits	\$428,455
Medical Cards Issued	209,259 Cards Issued	208,982 Cards Issued	-277
	315,882 Individuals	314,968 Individuals	-854
Emergency Assistance	1,004 Participants	1,254 Participants	250
	\$207,997 Benefits	\$266,196 Benefits	\$58,199