Bureau for Family Assistance
October 2026 Monthly Report to the Secretary
Reporting Period August 2026 / September 2026

Three (3) TANF cases were closed in August 2026 due to reaching the 60-month maximum assistance time-limit. The total number of cases closed for this reason is **3,724. No (0)** family was approved for an extension beyond 60 months, which results in a total of **922** extensions granted to date.

	August 2026	September 2026	Monthly Change
WV WORKS Caseload	4,042 Caseload	3,995 Caseload	-47 Caseloads
Support Service Payments	$171,350 Payments	$156,964 Payments	-$14,386 Payments
Electronic Fund Transfer Benefits	76 Participants	75 Participants	-1 Participants
	$32,296 Benefits	$32,213 Benefits	-$83 Benefits
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Caseload	132,987 Households	131,362 Households	-1,625 Households
	$42,137,152 Benefits	$43,182,814 Benefits	$1,045,662 Benefits
Burials	87 Individuals	110 Individuals	23 Individuals
	$84,249 Benefits	$107,719 Benefits	$23,470 Benefits
Medical Cards Issued	3,270 Cards Issued	2,897 Cards Issued	-373 Cards Issued
	499,506 Individuals	499,315 Individuals	-191 Individuals
Emergency Assistance	554 Participants	571 Participants	17 Participants
	$181,912 Benefits	$178,336 Benefits	-$3,576 Benefits