



WHAT IS PROGRAM INTEGRITY?

WE'RE MAKING SURE ASSISTANCE ONLY GOES TO THOSE WHO ARE ELIGIBLE, THAT WE CAN DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY IN THE MOST COST-EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT WAY FOR RECIPIENTS, AND WE'RE HOLDING PROVIDERS ACCOUNTABLE THROUGH LICENSING AND MONITORING.

Helping those who need it



Demonstrating accountability

98.2% accuracy

when issuing Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) to eligible households in Feb. 2016

↑ ABOVE NATIONAL AVERAGE OF 96.34%

98% of payments

go directly to providers who distribute services to individuals in need

99% accuracy

in Temporary Assistance for Needy Families payments

↑ A 2% INCREASE FROM 2014-15

\$648 million

total recoveries/cost avoidance, 2015-16

A \$65 MILLION INCREASE FROM 2014-15 ↑

\$45 million

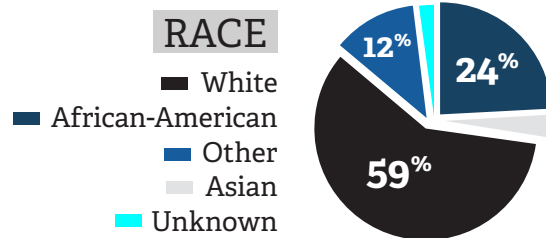
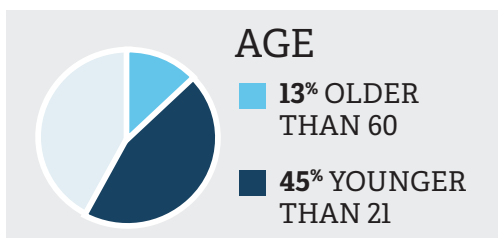
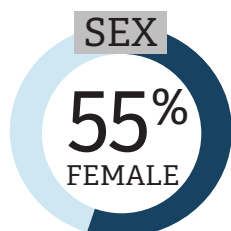
in costs were avoided due to improved accuracy when issuing SNAP benefits

\$55 million

saved as a result of 2,362 Medical Assistance recipient restrictions in 2015-16

A \$9.8 MILLION INCREASE FROM 2014-15 ↑

ALMOST 3.2 MILLION UNIQUE INDIVIDUALS SERVED IN DHS PROGRAMS, JUNE 2016



For more information about the data included here, please email the DHS Press Office at RA-PWDHSPRESSOFFICE@pa.gov