



## CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION

The DHR Child Support Enforcement Administration (CSEA) contributes to the success of Maryland families by helping them stay economically independent. CSEA establishes paternity for children born to unmarried parents and collects and distributes child support payments.

**Collections:** Last year, the CSEA collected the most child support on behalf of Maryland's children in the State's history.



**2014** 2011  
\$558 Million September  
\$519 Million September



**237,956**

Number of children with open cases



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Amount disbursed to former recipients of Temporary Cash Assistance who may very well have otherwise been relying on the state for economic stability.

## Non-Custodial Parent Employment Program (NPEP):

Since 2007, DHR connected **18,135** participants to employment services start paying **child support**.



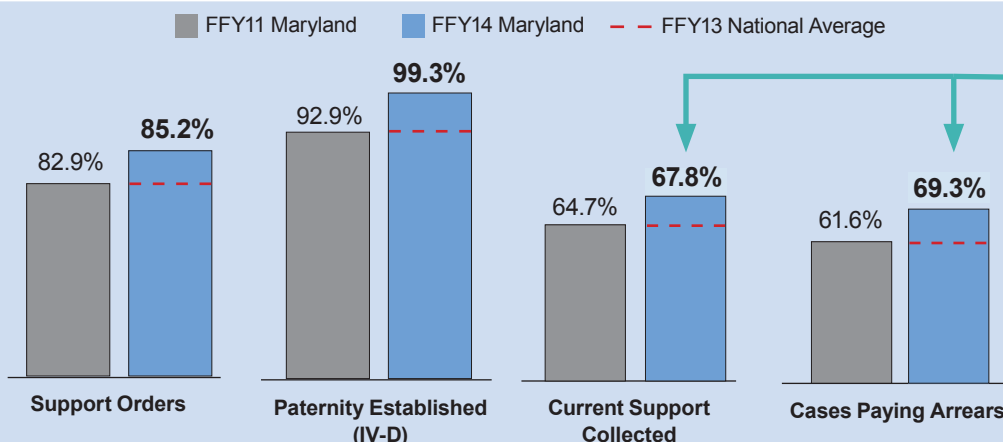
**\$112**  
Million

Amount of support paid by NPEP participants.



Increase in child support paid FFY14 over FFY13

**Child Support Goals:** Maryland is performing above the national average in four key areas.



Maryland's a Top 10 state for cases paying arrears.

