

VIRGINIA CHILD SUPPORT 2018

MORE MONEY FOR FAMILIES

COLLECTIONS

74% 

of child support is collected by income withholding from a parent's paycheck

\$620 million 

in child support collected

95% 

went to families

5% reimbursed public assistance dollars

CASELOAD

Number of children served

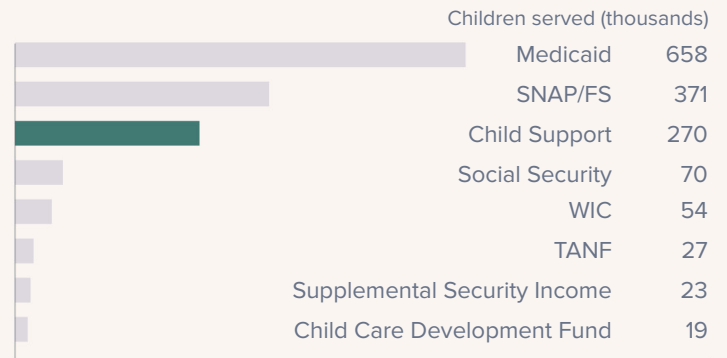
270,000 statewide

14.7 million nationwide



1 in 5
children
in the U.S.

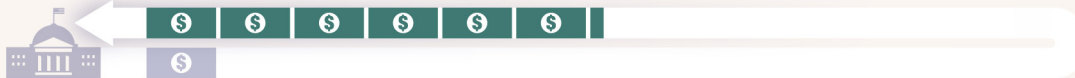
In comparison to other programs*



Child support accounts for about half the average income of low-income parents who receive it, lifting nearly 3/4 million people out of poverty in 2017**

COST-EFFECTIVENESS

\$6.19 collected by the child support program for every **\$1.00** spent



Source: [Office of Child Support Enforcement](#).

* Combined CHIP Enrollment Total Report and Form CMS-64.EC, 2019; Characteristics of SNAP Households, FY 2017; WIC Program Monthly Data-State Level Participation, FY 2018; Annual Statistical Supplement, 2018; TANF: Total Number of Child Recipients, FY 2018; CCDF Preliminary Data Table 1, 2017; SSI Annual Statistical Report, 2017.

** Bureau of Census: Current Population Reports P60-261 (Appendix Table 5) and P60-265 (Appendix Table A-7).