



Minnesota Family Investment Program

2020 Annualized Self-Support Index

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Annualized Self-Support Index

This report provides the annualized Self-Support Index performance measure for county and tribal agencies and county consortia administering the Minnesota Family Investment Program (MFIP).

Starting with calendar year 2016, the Minnesota Department of Human Services (department) uses the annualized Self-Support Index (S-SI) to determine which county, county consortia and tribal agencies are eligible for performance bonuses. The 2014 Minnesota Legislature amended Minn. Stat. 256J.626, subd. 7, so that a service area¹ will receive 100% of its Consolidated Fund allocation, plus potential for a 2.5% bonus awarded to those agencies that perform above the service area's Range of Expected Performance on the annualized Self-Support Index. Service areas consistently performing below the customized range submit an improvement plan and face a potential cut in funding. Prior to calendar year 2015, county, consortia and tribal agencies received 95% of their Consolidated Fund allocation, earning an additional 2.5% of the base by reaching the Work Participation Rate target, and an additional 2.5% by reaching the Self-Support Index target, or submit an improvement plan. Because of this change to award performance-based funding solely on the annualized Self-Support Index, the annualized Work Participation Rate will no longer be calculated and included in this report.

The three-year Self-Support Index is an outcome measure that tracks all adults receiving MFIP or Diversionary Work Program (DWP) cash assistance in a quarter, and calculates what percentage have left cash assistance or are working at least 30 hours a week during the quarter three years later. For the 2020 annualized S-SI, the department averaged the three-year S-SI for quarters two, three and four of 2019 and the first quarter of 2020, weighted by the number of adults in each baseline quarter.

This year's report differs from others by reporting two Self-Support Index ranges. Starting with the second quarter of 2020, the Self-Support Index range will be calculated using a new model. This report includes the annualized range for the current model, used for quarters two, three and four of 2019, and the first quarter of 2020, as well as the annualized range using the updated Self-Support Index model for the same time period. For information on the updated Self-Support Index, please see [Self-Support Index: Recommended Changes to the Model](#).

This report provides the following data for each service area:

- Average (mean) number of adults eligible for MFIP or DWP for whom the county agency, consortium or tribal provider had been the most recent service agency across the four baseline quarters

¹ The service areas reported here are four county consortia, four tribal employment service providers, and the remaining 74 counties. See the "Management Indicators Report" for details.

- The annualized Self-Support Index
- The Range of Expected Performance over the entire year for the current and updated Self-Support Index
- A determination of whether the annualized Self-Support Index was above, within or below the annualized Range of Expected Performance for the current and updated Self-Support Index.

Due to rounding of scores and range limits, some agencies may appear to be at their lower or upper bounds, but shown to be below, above, or within their range. These cases are noted in footnotes.

The “MFIP Management Indicators Report” on the department’s website shows updates on these measures quarterly. See the latest and past issues of the report on the [MFIP Reports](#) page.

Annualized Self-Support Index for April 2019 to March 2020

State

Service area	Average eligible adults in baseline quarter	Weighted three-year Self-Support Index
State	33,483	65.73%

County consortia

Service area	Average eligible adults in baseline quarter	Weighted three-year Self-Support Index	Model	Range of expected performance		Result
				Lower limit	Upper limit	
Des Moines Valley HS	106	74.59%	Current	65.20%	75.62%	Within
			Update	64.96%	74.61%	Within
Faribault-Martin	153	75.61%	Current	68.08%	76.47%	Within
			Update	68.86%	77.22%	Within
Minnesota Prairie	423	72.16%	Current	67.29%	74.66%	Within
			Update	59.93%	86.48%	Within
Southwest Health and Human Services	321	76.31%	Current	72.01%	76.94%	Within
			Update	72.72%	77.77%	Within

Tribal providers

Service area	Average eligible adults in baseline quarter	Weighted three-year Self-Support Index	Model	Range of expected performance		Result
				Lower limit	Upper limit	
Leech Lake	244	50.56%	Current	52.98%	60.23%	Below
			Update	49.77%	61.76%	Within
Minnesota Chippewa Tribe	162	50.08%	Current	49.20%	57.48%	Within
			Update	46.73%	62.32%	Within
Red Lake Nation	609	50.00%	Current	50.51%	58.94%	Below
			Update	51.99%	74.64%	Below
White Earth Nation	288	56.50%	Current	59.30%	66.75%	Below
			Update	57.76%	70.38%	Below

County agencies

Service area	Average eligible adults in baseline quarter	Weighted three-year Self-Support Index	Model	Range of expected performance		Result
				Lower limit	Upper limit	
Aitkin	68	74.81%	Current	65.37%	78.16%	Within
			Update	65.39%	77.17%	Within
Anoka	1,756	69.27%	Current	66.39%	71.79%	Within
			Update	63.83%	71.87%	Within
Becker	138	76.55%	Current	69.45%	77.52%	Within
			Update	69.91%	76.02%	Above
Beltrami	299	67.64%	Current	58.86%	65.60%	Above
			Update	54.29%	68.83%	Within
Benton	278	69.60%	Current	68.03%	73.66%	Within
			Update	65.64%	70.88%	Within
Big Stone	14	61.82%	Current	59.69%	82.98%	Within
			Update	55.36%	73.63%	Within
Blue Earth	376	68.71%	Current	66.84%	72.61%	Within
			Update	65.82%	71.57%	Within
Brown	88	71.95%	Current	69.17%	78.30%	Within
			Update	70.29%	77.37%	Within
Carlton	112	77.33%	Current	67.52%	76.33%	Above
			Update	70.81%	86.90%	Within
Carver	158	74.01%	Current	72.10%	79.23%	Within
			Update	71.92%	78.55%	Within
Cass	173	66.47%	Current	59.89%	68.99%	Within
			Update	60.13%	70.87%	Within
Chippewa	69	65.22%	Current	63.61%	73.31%	Within
			Update	63.54%	71.62%	Within
Chisago	116	84.42%	Current	73.68%	81.05%	Above
			Update	75.07%	81.45%	Above
Clay	503	76.13%	Current	71.29%	75.96%	Above
			Update	72.07%	76.15%	Within
Clearwater	36	75.35%	Current	62.96%	78.65%	Within
			Update	62.91%	77.27%	Within

Service area	Average eligible adults in baseline quarter	Weighted three-year Self-Support Index	Model	Range of expected performance		Result
				Lower limit	Upper limit	
Cook	25	82.18%	Current	70.68%	84.23%	Within
			Update	70.11%	83.06%	Within
Crow Wing	243	73.07%	Current	63.11%	73.28%	Within
			Update	62.39%	73.37%	Within
Dakota	1,483	65.78%	Current	63.50%	68.73%	Within
			Update	63.84%	72.60%	Within
Douglas	117	71.64%	Current	70.11%	78.95%	Within
			Update	69.09%	76.13%	Within
Fillmore	63	80.08%	Current	71.83%	81.20%	Within
			Update	76.27%	82.08%	Within
Freeborn	199	71.32%	Current	70.52%	76.96%	Within
			Update	68.85%	76.27%	Within
Goodhue	152	65.46%	Current	62.92%	72.66%	Within
			Update	61.69%	70.39%	Within
Grant	29	89.57%	Current	66.05%	80.99%	Above
			Update	74.32%	85.68%	Above
Hennepin	9,248	60.57%	Current	58.58%	62.52%	Within
			Update	51.55%	65.67%	Within
Houston	62	69.20%	Current	71.97%	80.52%	Below
			Update	72.88%	79.03%	Below
Hubbard	107	68.69%	Current	60.82%	69.31%	Within
			Update	60.51%	70.12%	Within
Isanti	156	78.14%	Current	73.27%	79.95%	Within
			Update	75.73%	81.83%	Within
Itasca	252	63.89%	Current	65.55%	75.44%	Below
			Update	62.90%	72.95%	Within
Kanabec	79	80.38%	Current	68.87%	79.31%	Above
			Update	72.45%	79.38%	Above
Kandiyohi	317	75.71%	Current	73.65%	79.39%	Within
			Update	73.27%	79.44%	Within
Kittson	8	78.12%	Current	61.96%	86.70%	Within
			Update	66.09%	86.37%	Within
Koochiching	84	75.82%	Current	62.58%	77.65%	Within

Service area	Average eligible adults in baseline quarter	Weighted three-year Self-Support Index	Model	Range of expected performance		Result
				Lower limit	Upper limit	
Lac qui Parle	21	63.86%	Update	66.47%	80.61%	Within
			Current	62.17%	82.33%	Within
			Update	66.46%	82.55%	Below
Lake	24	85.42%	Current	69.00%	82.96%	Above
			Update	75.97%	81.96%	Above
Lake of the Woods	12	82.98%	Current	59.24%	82.52%	Above
			Update	71.93%	82.49%	Above
Le Sueur	99	80.30%	Current	71.42%	79.96%	Above
			Update	72.98%	79.96%	Above
Mahnomon	30	78.69%	Current	56.16%	74.39%	Above
			Update	57.38%	77.52%	Above
Marshall	14	63.64%	Current	66.89%	85.79%	Below
			Update	69.26%	83.93%	Below
Mcleod	92	82.29%	Current	70.27%	78.09%	Above
			Update	72.48%	80.07%	Above
Meeker	68	76.84%	Current	72.88%	80.71%	Within
			Update	75.03%	81.12%	Within
Mille Lacs	138	75.41%	Current	69.31%	78.16%	Within
			Update	69.75%	77.98%	Within
Morrison	148	74.87%	Current	69.93%	76.66%	Within
			Update	72.50%	77.98%	Within
Mower	306	76.27%	Current	73.61%	80.07%	Within
			Update	74.14%	80.86%	Within
Nicollet	264	73.35%	Current	74.29%	80.05%	Below
			Update	72.35%	79.79%	Within
Nobles	110	78.59%	Current	76.42%	83.74%	Within
			Update	77.62%	84.23%	Within
Norman	39	83.87%	Current	77.96%	87.51%	Within
			Update	76.81%	87.84%	Within
Olmsted	943	72.29%	Current	71.63%	76.28%	Within
			Update	71.53%	77.83%	Within
Otter Tail	235	77.32%	Current	73.26%	79.43%	Within
			Update	74.19%	79.42%	Within

Service area	Average eligible adults in baseline quarter	Weighted three-year Self-Support Index	Model	Range of expected performance		Result
				Lower limit	Upper limit	
Pennington	74	78.45%	Current	72.11%	80.29%	Within
			Update	76.02%	81.87%	Within
Pine	214	76.70%	Current	75.11%	80.47%	Within
			Update	76.27%	81.46%	Within
Polk	296	71.34%	Current	67.26%	74.31%	Within
			Update	68.22%	74.30%	Within
Pope	31	79.20%	Current	73.31%	83.95%	Within
			Update	73.78%	85.54%	Within
Ramsey	6,194	61.67%	Current	60.49%	63.23%	Within
			Update	57.66%	65.90%	Within
Red Lake	22	82.56%	Current	69.19%	85.87%	Within
			Update	75.98%	86.80%	Within
Renville	66	79.77%	Current	74.02%	84.28%	Within
			Update	74.35%	83.23%	Within
Rice	272	78.26%	Current	71.73%	78.25%	Above
			Update	72.14%	79.58%	Within
Roseau	53	73.93%	Current	65.88%	77.36%	Within
			Update	68.72%	75.78%	Within
Scott	317	80.38%	Current	72.74%	79.63%	Above
			Update	74.37%	80.69%	Within
Sherburne	256	68.72%	Current	68.97%	77.48%	Below
			Update	68.93%	75.56%	Below
Sibley	68	79.78%	Current	75.56%	83.94%	Within
			Update	79.87%	85.76%	Below
St. Louis	1,350	60.30%	Current	58.12%	63.07%	Within
			Update	56.81%	77.95%	Within
Stearns	1,120	72.33%	Current	67.55%	74.05%	Within
			Update	65.75%	74.12%	Within
Stevens	39	72.44%	Current	58.92%	72.85%	Within
			Update	62.17%	70.73%	Above
Swift	45	75.00%	Current	54.69%	67.62%	Above
			Update	58.36%	68.49%	Above
Todd	79	81.39%	Current	69.24%	77.65%	Above

Service area	Average eligible adults in baseline quarter	Weighted three-year Self-Support Index	Model	Range of expected performance		Result
				Lower limit	Upper limit	
Traverse	35	68.57%	Update	67.77%	75.14%	Above
			Current	53.37%	72.89%	Within
			Update	61.83%	77.66%	Within
Wabasha	52	75.00%	Current	68.65%	78.65%	Within
			Update	70.97%	77.00%	Within
Wadena	92	64.58%	Current	60.49%	70.67%	Within
			Update	56.75%	67.71%	Within
Washington	590	68.29%	Current	67.22%	72.35%	Within
			Update	65.48%	71.31%	Within
Watonwan	48	72.40%	Current	72.38%	84.08%	Within
			Update	74.01%	85.38%	Below
Wilkin	46	91.89%	Current	74.07%	83.14%	Above
			Update	80.45%	86.00%	Above
Winona	189	63.05%	Current	63.40%	71.66%	Below
			Update	63.47%	70.52%	Below
Wright	245	73.39%	Current	68.91%	77.13%	Within
			Update	70.88%	78.04%	Within
Yellow Medicine	35	82.14%	Current	60.04%	77.06%	Above
			Update	62.47%	77.01%	Above