SOCIAL SERVICES QUARTERLY STATISTICAL REPORT 2ND QUARTER 2009

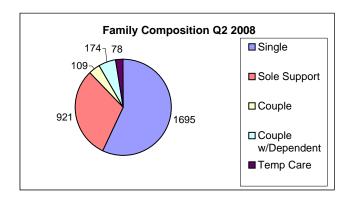


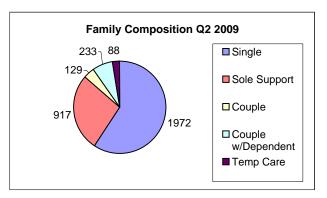


Report CSSSJSSC09-012 - Appendix A **1. ONTARIO WORKS**

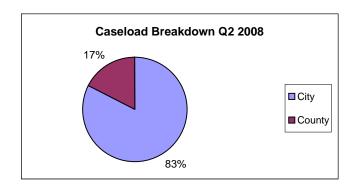
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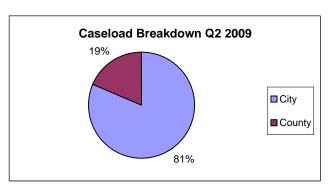
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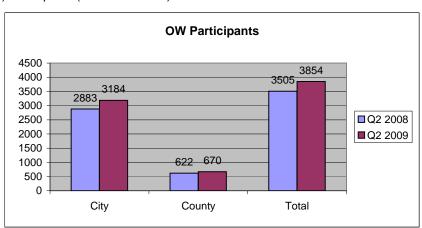


ii) Caseload Breakdown (by family unit)





iii) Participants (individual adults)



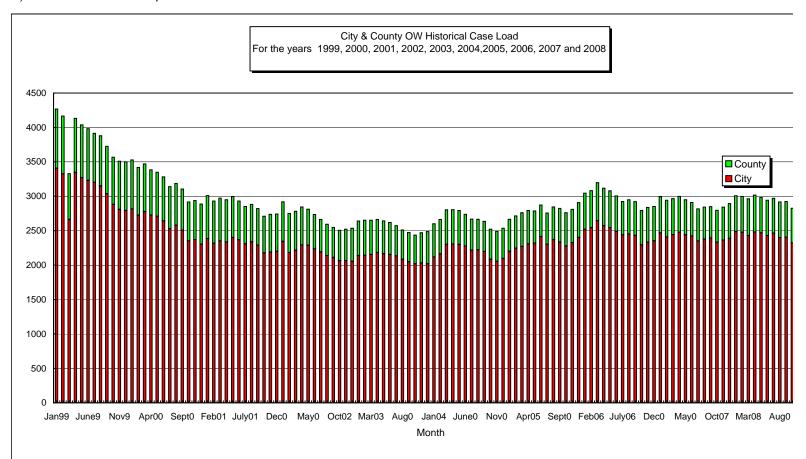
iv) Employment Readiness Scale

"Not Ready" less than a 40% chance of becoming successfully employed, with a high likelihood of not retaining employment "Minimally Ready" a 60% chance of becoming successfully employed in 12 weeks, with a high likelihood of employment "Job Ready" an 80% chance of becoming successfully employed in 12 weeks, with a high likelihood of remaining employed

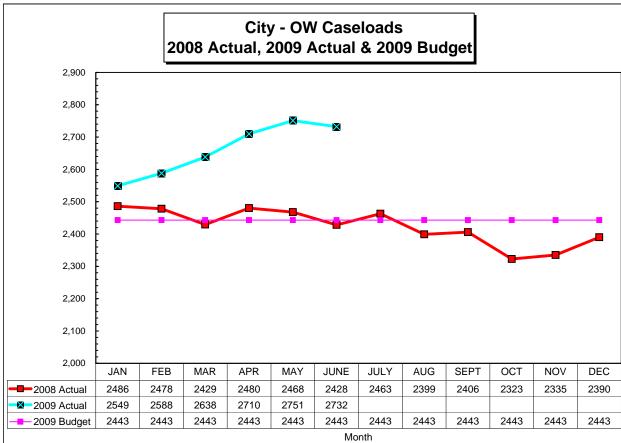
	# of Clients			
	with ERS		Minimally	
	Completed	Job Ready	Ready	Not Ready
2008 Q2	1180	193 (16.4%)	275 (23.3%)	712 (60.3%)
2009 Q2	955	171 (17.9%)	225 (23.6%)	559 (58.5%)

There were process changes and increases in applications that may have resulted in fewer ERS being completed.

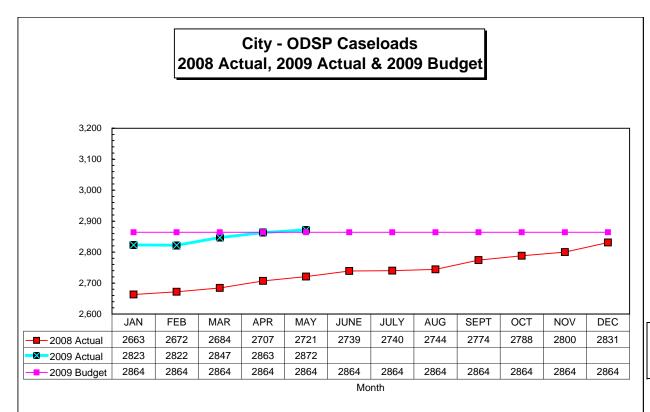
v) Historical Caseload Graph



vi) Caseload Graphs - City

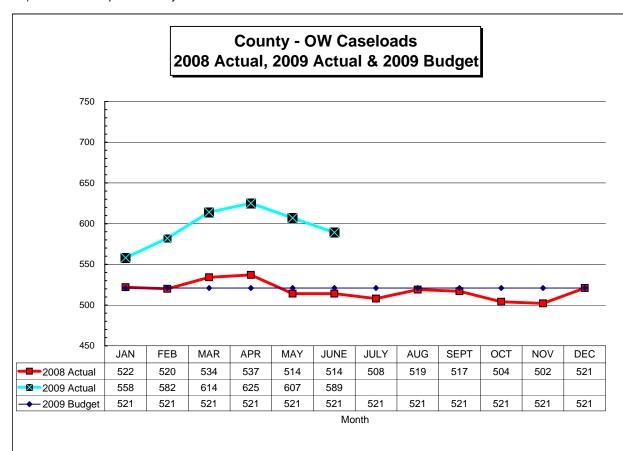


Average 2008 Actual 2424 2009 Actual 2661 2009 Budget 2443

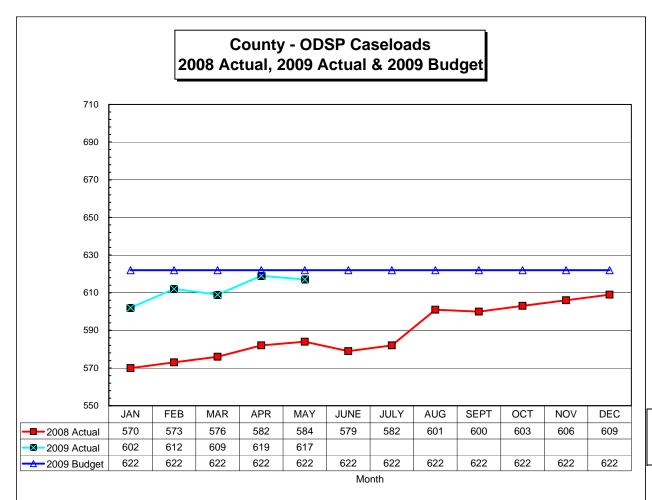


Average 2008 Actual 2739 2009 Actual 2845 2009 Budget 2864

vii) Caseload Graphs - County



Average 2008 Actual 518 2009 Actual 596 2009 Budget 521

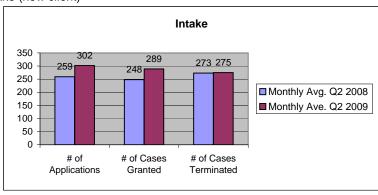


Average 589 2008 Actual 612 2009 Budget 622

B. What are we doing?

At end of June, OW caseloads continue to rise with the City increasing by an average of 218 or 8.9% over the budgeted amount. The County increased an average of 74 cases or 14.2% over its budgeted amount. The number of applications screened by staff was 2364 while 2014 was screened for the same period in 2008, an increase of 17.3%. There was an increase of 257 cases granted assistance over the same period in 2008, an increase of 16.2%. There were 52 fewer cases terminating assistance in 2009 than for the same period in 2008, a 3.2% reduction. The division initated a local Human Services Integration group to examine our current operations and provide recommendations to better position our future delivery of social assistance to achieve the best possible outcomes for our clients and our community. An implementation plan will be ready by the end of September.

i) Intake (new client)



On average from point of contact to application interview was 2.4 days Q2 2008 and 3 days Q2 2009. Ministry standard is 4 days.

ii) Telephony Stats

of calls at Intake
Average wait time for call answer (in seconds)
calls at reception
Average wait time for call answer (in seconds)

Jan	Feb.	March	April	May	June
3910	3166	3372	3334	3422	3355
92	101	86	63	58	78
1966	1882	2087	1934	1817	1964
7	10	7	8	11	6

iii) Appointments with Staff

Total # of		
Completed Appointments		
Q2 2008	Q2 2009	
YTD	YTD	
12524	12767	

iv) Terminations# of participants starting employment# of participants leaving Social Assistancedue to employment

	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June
ſ	107	111	121	146	163	135
ſ	32	35	45	39	46	35

v) Comparison of OW Client Employment Starts 2007, 2008, 2009 First Two Quarters by Month

2007						Total Q2
Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	
146	128	169	205	229	194	1071
2008						
Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	
151	128	158	234	223	209	1103
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2009						
Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	
107	111	121	146	163	135	783

Note: 2009 employment starts down by 29% from 2008 and 27% from 2007 levels

C. What it costs

	2008				2009
	Year End	2008 Q2	2009 Budget	2009 Q2	% Spent
OW Admin	\$4,932,707	\$2,365,380	\$5,110,001	\$2,416,323	47.29%
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Employment (incl. Addictions)	\$3,621,471	\$1,888,539	\$3,624,541	\$1,594,741	44.00%
Mandatory - City	\$18,813,751	\$9,605,460	\$18,745,000	\$10,502,846	56.03%
Mandatory - County	\$4,049,021	\$2,073,846	\$4,021,000	\$2,359,159	58.67%
Discretionary - City	\$1,702,235	\$530,102	\$1,464,421	\$817,631	55.83%
Discretionary - County	\$273,024	\$71,580	\$213,770	\$134,947	63.13%
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ODSP Administration	\$1,225,371	\$610,901	\$0	\$0	0.00%
ODSP Benefits - City **	\$6,571,107	\$3,210,736	\$6,888,885	\$3,488,916	50.65%
ODSP Benefits - County **	\$1,451,486	\$725,377	\$1,618,845	\$766,187	47.33%

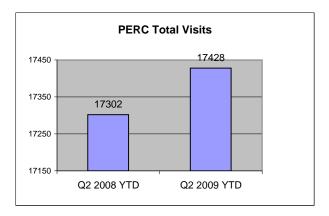
^{** 2009} Q2 ODSP Benefits for the City and County include estimates for the month of June 2009.

2. PETERBOROUGH EMPLOYMENT RESOURCE CENTRE

A. Who are our clients?

PERC provides supports for self directed job search to any member of the community who is seeking employment.

B. What are we doing?



Centre	Start Date	Total Visits Q2 08	Avg. Monthly Visits Q2 08	Total Visits Q2 09	Avg. Monthly Visits Q2 09
Buckhorn	May 06	30	10.0	24	8.0
Douro	Sept 06	44	14.7	6	2.0
Ennismore	June 07	47	15.7	16	5.3
Havelock	Feb 06	47	15.7	43	14.3
Keene	Nov 06	52	17.3	26	8.7
Millbrook	June 07	128	42.7	40	13.3
Norwood	Apr 07	40	13.3	13	4.3

C. What it costs

				2009 %
2008 Year End	2008 Q2	2009 Budget	2009 Q2	Spent
\$524,896	\$251,355	\$602,254	\$236,253	39%

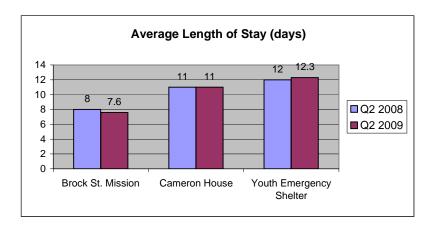
2008 expenditures include \$21,849 for equipment which was approved as a one time cost beyond the original budget to replace computers.

3. HOSTELS AND HOMELESSNESS

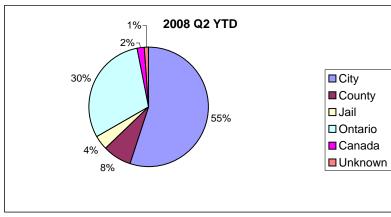
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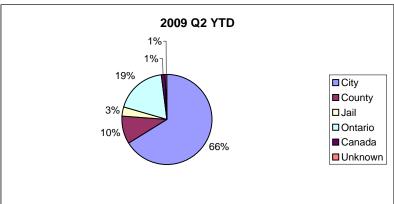
We serve individuals and families experiencing homelessness within our community.

i) Average Length of Stay in Shelter



ii) Where They Came From



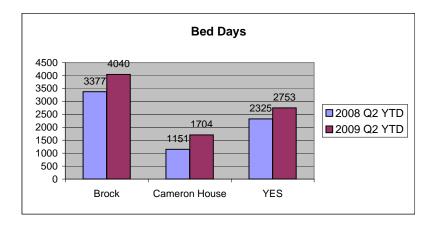


B. What are we doing?

i) Accommodations Found

Q2 2008	Q2 2009
YTD	YTD
87	132
01	132

ii) Bed Days



C. What it costs

Gross City County Province

				2009 %
2008 Actual	2008 Q2	2009 Budget	2009 Q2	Spent
\$890,758	\$314,619	\$1,286,639	\$488,556	38%
\$115,608	\$47,037	\$391,501	\$129,211	33%
\$82,164	\$52,407	\$170,000	\$87,946	52%
\$692,987	\$215,175	\$725,138	\$271,400	37%

Hostel usage is lower than budgeted for 2009, however underspending in the hostel per diem budget allows for municipal funds to be reallocated to meet other homelessness funding pressures.

4. CHILD CARE

A. Why is child care being provided to families in our communities?

Reason for Service

Attending School (full or part time)
Working (full or part time)
CAS Referrals
Social Needs Referrals
Job Searching
Total

Total	
Applicants	% Age
61	10.10
379	62.75
107	17.72
37	6.13
20	3.31
604	100

B. How many names are on the wait list needing financial assistance for child care?

Wait List

# of Children	When Care is Required
136	May 09-Dec. 09
5	Jan. 10 - June 10

C. Caseload

Active families have been assessed and approved for financial assistance. Looking for placement have also been assessed and are in the process of securing a child care spot.

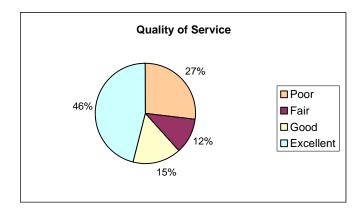
Active Children Looking for Placement

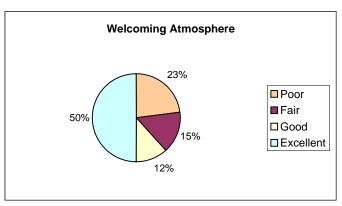
# of Children	# of Families		
698	507		
37	30		

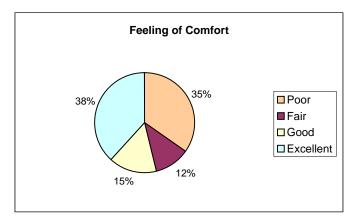
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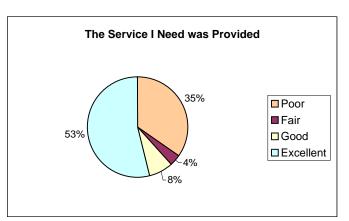
A. Results from the Comment Box:

The Comment Boxes were introduced in December 2008. They are available in each of the reception areas, and in PERC. We have been regularly monitoring the feedback and following up when appropriate. Clients have completed 29 cards in 2009.









B. Client Complaint Process

In the second quarter of 2009 one written complaint was received and responded to. A concern was expressed about a possible inappropriate sharing of personal information. Upon investigation by the Division Head it was determined that no inappropriate sharing had occurred. A letter was sent to the complainant clarifying the policy on sharing of information.

Information about the complaint process continues to be included in the monthly inserts that are included with assistance cheques. During any community speaking engagement, reference to the client complaint procedure is made so those working with people we serve can also encourage them to bring forward concerns should they have them.

County Caseload by Township

Asphodel-Norwood	59	71
4401 Aspriodel-Norwood		, ,
North Kawartha	26	32
4403 Cavan-Monaghan	50	62
4404 Douro-Dummer	7	9
4405 Galway-Cavendish Harvey	27	31
4406 Havelock Belmont Methuen	79	92
4407 Otonabee-South Monaghan	44	60
4409 Smith-Ennismore-Lakefield	131	166
	423	523

