

Section 11

SOCIAL INSURANCE AND HUMAN SERVICES

This section presents data related to governmental expenditures on social welfare; programs for old-age, survivors, disability and health insurance; public employee retirement; unemployment insurance; aid to the needy; and child and other welfare services. Also included here are selected statistics on United Way campaigns, foundations, and the quality of life. Related data are cited in Sections 9 and 13.

Total social welfare costs reached \$294 million in fiscal 1985, compared with \$122 million a decade earlier. About 57 percent of the 1985 total came from State funds and the remainder from the Federal government. The monthly average number of persons served by major welfare programs in 1985 was 60,000, or 5.7 percent of the resident population of the State. Over 60 percent of all public assistance payments and almost half of all recipient cases were accounted for by aid to families with dependent children. The average monthly payment per case for public assistance was \$368, or 34 percent more than in 1975. Participation in the food stamp program included 37,000 households and 99,000 persons. Among workers receiving unemployment compensation in 1985, weekly benefits averaged \$134. About 129,000 Hawaii residents were receiving Social Security benefits in 1985, and about 94,000 were enrolled for Medicare. There were also 16,000 State and county government pensioners in 1984, with annual benefits of \$136 million. Child adoptions in 1985 numbered 550. Sixty-eight foundations reported assets of \$165 million when most recently surveyed. The United Way reported agency allocations of \$8.6 million on Oahu and \$1.7 million on the Neighbor Islands in 1985. A recent comparative study of the "quality of life" in 329 American metropolitan areas ranked Honolulu sixty-first.

Major data sources include reports and records of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, the Hawaii State Department of Social Services and Housing, the Hawaii State Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, the Hawaii State Employees' Retirement System, and the Aloha United Way. Historical Statistics of Hawaii, Section 8, contains data for earlier years. Section 13 of the Statistical Abstract of the United States: 1986 presents comparable Mainland data.

Table 331.-- PERSONS SERVED AND AVERAGE PAYMENTS, FOR PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY THE HAWAII STATE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND HOUSING: 1975 TO 1985, MONTHLY AVERAGES

[Years ended June 30]

Year	Major programs <u>1/</u>		Service cases <u>2/</u>	Medical payments <u>3/</u>		Average money payments <u>4/</u> (dollars)	
	Recipients	Individuals		Cases	Individuals	Per case	Per individual
1975	20,850	59,911	7,777	8,212	8,963	275.20	95.77
1976	24,438	67,226	9,067	10,825	11,675	295.17	106.72
1977	36,534	72,054	12,610	12,303	13,329	307.76	114.52
1978	28,575	75,485	15,000	14,381	15,572	321.63	121.75
1979	27,399	72,928	16,993	13,796	14,890	334.90	150.99
1980	27,219	71,693	16,312	12,932	13,598	337.59	128.17
1981	27,604	72,480	15,281	11,763	12,104	342.67	130.68
1982	26,130	68,835	8,124	11,629	12,228	355.42	135.05
1983	24,157	64,305	6,443	12,858	13,186	371.00	139.56
1984	23,378	62,430	6,586	12,642	12,939	369.92	138.72
1985	22,212	59,561	6,832	12,519	12,286	368.17	137.50
COUNTIES: 1985							
Hawaii ..	4,039	10,815	929	1,749	1,692	370.08	138.32
Maui	1,562	4,436	590	961	957	369.92	130.45
Honolulu	15,739	41,921	4,734	9,141	8,982	367.83	138.30
Kauai ...	872	2,390	579	667	656	363.25	132.78

1/ Old age assistance, aid to disabled, aid to families with dependent children, AFDC unemployed parents, AFDC foster care, child welfare foster care, and general assistance. Data for 1976 and 1977 revised from Data Book 1985, table 308.

2/ Data for 1976 and 1977 are quarterly averages.

3/ Ineligible for money assistance, receiving medical payment only.

4/ Gross obligation basis.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Social Services and Housing, records.

Table 332.-- INDIVIDUALS SERVED BY MAJOR PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY THE HAWAII STATE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND HOUSING BY COUNTIES: 1975 TO 1985

[Monthly averages for fiscal years ended June 30]

Fiscal year	State total	Hawaii	Maui	Honolulu	Kauai
1975	59,909	8,426	5,462	43,489	2,532
1976	67,226	9,480	5,567	49,522	2,657
1977	72,054	9,682	5,302	54,384	2,686
1978	75,485	10,517	5,256	56,973	2,739
1979	72,928	10,024	5,016	55,208	2,680
1980	71,693	10,115	5,036	54,052	2,490
1981	72,480	10,470	5,227	54,300	2,483
1982	68,835	10,267	4,840	51,410	2,318
1983	64,305	10,300	4,407	47,277	2,322
1984	62,430	10,676	4,441	45,008	2,306
1985	59,561	10,815	4,436	41,921	2,390

Source: Hawaii State Department of Social Services and Housing, records.

Table 333.-- PERCENT OF RESIDENT POPULATION SERVED BY MAJOR PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY THE HAWAII STATE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND HOUSING, BY COUNTIES: 1984 AND 1985

[Based on fiscal year program data and July population estimates]

Year	State	Hawaii	Maui	Honolulu	Kauai
1984	6.0	10.0	5.3	5.6	5.2
1985	5.7	9.9	5.2	5.1	5.3

Source: Hawaii State Department of Social Services and Housing, records; DPED, Statistical Report 190, table 5.

Table 334 .-- SOCIAL WELFARE COSTS: 1975 TO 1985

[Thousands of dollars. Years ended June 30]

Year	Total cost	By source of funds		By expenditure category			
		Federal	State	Admin- istra- tion	Medical payments	Money payments	Social service costs
1975	121,643	47,163	74,479	8,262	41,158	70,622	1,601
1976	168,440	67,629	100,811	10,701	60,685	87,956	9,098
1977	194,203	79,151	115,052	13,505	69,677	100,322	10,699
1978	230,111	93,490	136,621	14,206	93,399	111,275	11,231
1979	244,898	101,411	143,487	15,250	104,694	113,854	11,100
1980	255,280	109,734	145,547	18,999	112,024	112,793	11,464
1981	286,709	131,652	155,057	19,595	135,541	118,346	13,227
1982	289,391	121,911	167,480	22,271	143,068	114,811	9,241
1983	303,782	133,498	170,284	26,616	157,996	111,185	7,985
1984	335,986	148,902	187,084	35,482	185,730	107,508	7,266
1985	294,406	127,052	167,354	33,604	145,559	103,611	11,632

Source: Hawaii State Department of Social Services and Housing, records.

Table 335.-- HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1979 FROM SOCIAL SECURITY AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE: 1980

Subject	Social security income	Public assistance income
Households with income of specified type	61,473	25,926
Mean income from specified type	\$4,016	\$3,161
Mean total income	\$22,703	\$15,534

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1980 Census of Population, Detailed Population Characteristics, Hawaii, PC80-1-D13 (October 1983), table 243.

Table 336.-- PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS AND RECIPIENTS: 1984 AND 1985

[Years ended June 30]

Program	Total payments (\$1,000)		Recipient cases (monthly average)		Average monthly payment (dollars)	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
All programs	132,950	130,022	33,756	33,409	328	324
Old age assistance <u>1/</u> .	10,509	11,235	4,453	4,751	197	197
Aid to the blind <u>1/</u> ...	541	569	171	185	263	255
Aid to disabled <u>1/</u>	16,879	18,720	5,449	5,892	258	265
Aid to families with dependent children <u>2/</u>	84,362	79,483	17,327	16,410	405	403
Child welfare foster care	1,519	1,564	613	631	207	207
General assistance	19,140	18,451	5,743	5,540	277	277

1/ Assisted through the Federal Social Security Administration, with State supplements (Supplementary Security Payments) included.

2/ Includes AFDC unemployed parent and AFDC foster care.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Social Services and Housing, records.

Table 337.-- PARTICIPATION IN FOOD STAMP PROGRAM: 1984 AND 1985

[Years ended June 30]

Subject	1984	1985
Households, total participating <u>1/</u>	37,766	37,283
Public assistance recipients	19,163	18,377
Other participants <u>2/</u>	18,603	18,906
Persons, total participating <u>1/</u>	99,817	99,395
Public assistance recipients	55,512	53,364
Other participants <u>2/</u>	44,304	46,031
Value of food stamps given to recipients (\$1,000)	79,584	89,904

1/ Monthly averages.

2/ Not receiving public assistance (food stamp only).

Source: Hawaii State Department of Social Services and Housing, records.

Table 338 .-- MEDICARE ENROLLMENT, 1984 AND 1985, AND BENEFIT PAYMENTS, 1985

Coverage	All persons enrolled, July 1		Persons 65 and over enrolled, July 1		Estimated benefit payments 1985 1/ (\$1,000)
	1984	1985	1984	1985	
Hospital and/or medical insurance	97,499	102,269	89,862	94,459	194,297
Hospital insurance	94,838	99,341	87,201	91,531	122,683
Supplementary medical insurance	93,896	98,255	86,865	91,059	71,614
Hospital and medical insurance (both)	91,235	95,327	84,204	88,131	...

1/ Calendar year estimate. 1984 data not available.

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Care Financing Administration, Bureau of Data Management and Strategy, records.

Table 339.-- MEDICARE ENROLLMENT OF PERSONS 65 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY SEX AND COUNTIES: JULY 1, 1985

[Persons enrolled with hospital and/or medical coverage]

County	Both sexes	Male	Female
State total	94,459	46,148	48,311
City and County of Honolulu	68,429	32,571	35,858
Other counties	25,934	13,538	12,396
Hawaii	12,007	6,268	5,739
Kalawao	92	49	43
Kauai	5,234	2,814	2,420
Maui	8,601	4,407	4,194
County not reported	96	39	57

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Population Division, Population Estimates Branch, memorandum dated August 1, 1986.

Table 340.-- RETIREMENT, SURVIVOR AND DISABILITY INSURANCE (OASDI)
 BENEFITS IN CURRENT-PAYMENT STATUS, BY TYPE OF BENEFIT AND COUNTY:
 JUNE 1985

Type of benefit and county	Number of OASDI benefits	Amount of monthly benefits (\$1,000)
Total	127,102	51,709
TYPE OF BENEFIT		
Retirement program:		
Retired workers ^{1/}	82,000	37,780
Wives or husbands ^{1/}	10,237	2,242
Children	5,272	880
Survivor program:		
Widows, widowers, or parents	12,739	5,010
Children	6,981	2,204
Disability program:		
Disabled workers	6,854	3,190
Wives or husbands	717	88
Children	2,302	313
Age 62 and over:		
Men	49,583	25,180
Women	53,031	19,596
COUNTY		
Hawaii	16,911	6,870
Honolulu	90,436	36,866
Kalawao	107	44
Kauai	7,276	2,904
Maui	12,372	5,022

^{1/} Includes special age 72 beneficiaries.

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Social Security Administration, Office of Research and Statistics, records.

Table 341.-- SOCIAL SECURITY POPULATION AGE 65 AND OVER,
 BY SEX, AGE, AND COUNTY: JUNE 1984 AND 1985

[Persons covered by retirement and survivor insurance,
 including those in non-payment status]

Subject	1984	1985
Total	85,398	89,964
Sex:		
Male	42,606	44,528
Female	42,792	45,436
Age:		
65 to 69 years	30,881	32,513
70 to 74 years	23,289	24,480
75 to 79 years	15,144	16,081
80 to 84 years	9,255	9,648
85 to 89 years	4,498	4,796
90 to 94 years	1,729	1,820
95 years and over	602	626
County:		
Hawaii	11,206	11,649
Honolulu	61,341	64,885
Kalawao	98	89
Kauai	4,782	5,032
Maui	7,971	8,309

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services,
 Social Security Administration, Office of Research and
 Statistics, records.

Table 342 .-- SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFICIARIES AND PAYMENTS: 1980 TO 1985

Year	Number of beneficiaries, December	Monthly payments, December (\$1,000)	Annual payments (\$1,000)
1980	113,538	33,078	365,861
1981	115,670	38,155	435,126
1982	118,690	43,029	498,496
1983	121,061	46,523	536,000
1984	125,012	50,529	578,000
1985	129,475	54,612	626,000

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Social Security Administration, Office of Research and Statistics, records.

Table 343.-- HAWAII STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM: 1980 TO 1985

Year	Member-ship, 1/ March 31	Pen-sioners, March 31	Assets, 2/ June 30 (\$1,000)	Total benefits paid 3/ (\$1,000)	Average monthly pension 3/ (dollars)	Adminis-tration expenses 3/ (dollars)
1980 ..	48,868	12,052	1,301,853	78,416	390	932,899
1981 ..	49,426	13,012	1,474,543	94,345	416	1,069,419
1982 ..	49,806	13,787	1,668,028	104,935	437	1,373,452
1983 ..	51,578	14,755	1,935,832	124,784	466	1,272,181
1984 ..	51,609	15,548	2,235,686	135,632	491	1,250,890
1985 4/	51,767	16,438	2,326,594	378,087	521	2,292,754

1/ State and county employees. Includes former employees who have not withdrawn their contributions but excludes all pensioners.

2/ Book value.

3/ Year ended June 30. Data on total benefits paid exclude pensioners' bonus and social security.

4/ Benefits paid total includes refunds to members electing noncontributory retirement plan. Administration expenses total reflects Social Security sick leave recovery claims.

Source: Employees' Retirement System of the State of Hawaii, 58th Annual Report, June 30, 1983, p. 19, and records.

Table 344.-- UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE: 1975 TO 1985

Calendar year	Covered employment		Insured unemployment		Average weekly total wages (dollars)
	Total	Percent of total jobcount	Total	Percent of total unemployment	
1975 ...	350,481	92	18,779	59	174.42
1976 ...	357,770	92	21,480	55	183.87
1977 ...	367,518	92	16,438	55	192.29
1978 ...	384,214	92	11,287	36	207.98
1979 ...	400,311	92	10,381	42	225.84
1980 ...	413,095	93	11,291	56	244.56
1981 ...	417,018	94	12,224	51	260.56
1982 ...	409,511	93	13,656	44	272.96
1983 ...	413,288	93	13,452	45	285.60
1984 ...	422,950	95	11,567	43	296.10
1985 ...	434,636	96	10,091	37	307.29
	Gross benefits ^{1/} (\$1,000) ⁻	Weekly benefits ^{1/}		Average benefit duration ^{1/} (weeks) ⁻	Exhaustion rate ^{1/} (percent)
		Maximum (dollars)	Average (dollars)		
1975 ...	58,942	104	76.34	16.4	34.1
1976 ...	71,574	112	83.84	18.9	48.4
1977 ...	55,823	120	88.68	16.4	36.0
1978 ...	45,653	126	91.25	16.2	34.1
1979 ...	39,864	134	93.07	13.5	23.1
1980 ...	49,222	144	102.91	13.7	22.0
1981 ...	66,194	157	113.59	14.2	24.9
1982 ...	77,788	169	124.34	14.8	29.6
1983 ...	70,392	178	123.22	15.8	34.0
1984 ...	70,914	188	135.72	14.8	29.0
1985 ...	62,123	194	134.03	14.6	29.0

NA Not available.

^{1/} Regular benefits only. Excludes extended benefits.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, Unemployment Insurance Fact Book (August 1984), pp. 17, 19, 25, 37, 42, and 43, and records.

Table 345.-- CHILD ADOPTIONS: 1981 TO 1985

Type of adoption	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Total	659	603	582	548	550
By relatives	429	388	384	362	382
By nonrelatives	230	215	198	186	168
Placed by social agencies ...	129	127	149	145	121

Source: Hawaii State Department of Social Services and Housing, tabulations from SRS-NCSS-280 Adoption Card.

Table 346 .-- FOUNDATIONS: 1980-1982

[For definition and coverage, see Data Book 1984, table 306, headnote]

Asset level and name of foundation	Fiscal year ended	Assets (\$1,000)	Grants made (\$1,000)
All non-restricted foundations ^{1/}	Mar. 31, 1980- Dec. 31, 1982	164,600	9,766
Foundations with assets of \$10,000,000 or more:			
Anthony (Barbara Cox) Foundation	Dec. 31, 1981	21,690	107
Atherton Family Foundation	Dec. 31, 1982	28,227	1,434
Castle (Harold K. L.) Foundation	Dec. 31, 1981	30,364	952
Castle (Samuel N. and Mary) Foundation	Dec. 31, 1982	12,561	867
McInerny Foundation	Sept. 30, 1982	15,782	825

^{1/} Data limited to the 68 foundations open to grant seekers. Excludes 62 restricted foundations.

Source: Alu Like, A Guide to Charitable Trusts and Foundations in the State of Hawaii: 1984 Edition, (Honolulu, Alu Like, 1984), pp. 195-261.

Table 347.-- UNITED WAY REVENUES AND OUTLAYS, BY ISLANDS:
1983 TO 1985

[Dollars]

Year	Five-island total ^{1/}	Aloha United Way (Oahu)	Hawaii Island United Way	United Way of Kauai	Maui United Way	Friendly Isle United Fund
TOTAL REVENUES						
1983	11,167,554	9,267,635	737,921	329,755	788,104	44,139
1984	11,651,300	9,560,841	755,285	352,388	927,832	54,954
1985	11,868,630	9,764,131	774,077	349,709	933,932	46,781
CONTRIBUTIONS						
1983	10,974,515	9,133,386	710,113	326,427	760,450	44,139
1984	11,271,049	9,364,482	729,460	348,720	773,433	54,954
1985	11,517,052	9,574,380	754,473	336,281	805,137	46,781
TOTAL OUTLAYS						
1983	11,280,469	9,387,948	749,264	341,681	758,565	43,011
1984	11,294,455	9,382,437	766,213	359,515	732,509	53,781
1985	11,602,876	9,586,156	785,509	359,227	825,552	46,432
AGENCY ALLOCATIONS						
1983	10,115,540	8,490,278	632,779	299,354	650,118	43,011
1984	10,059,227	8,440,574	645,668	318,000	601,204	53,781
1985	10,306,787	8,628,763	658,529	317,250	655,813	46,432

^{1/} Revised from Data Book 1985, table 322, to include the island of Molokai.

Source: Aloha United Way, Annual Report (annual); Hawaii Island United Way, Inc., and Maui United Way, Financial Statements (annual), and records; United Way of Kauai and Friendly Isle United Fund, records.

Table 348.-- QUALITY OF LIFE INDEX RANKINGS, FOR HONOLULU
AND MAUI: 1970 TO 1985

Area ranked and authority	No. of areas ranked	Local rank
Honolulu:		
Louis <u>1/</u>	50	5
Midwest Research Institute <u>2/</u>	65	31
University of Nebraska <u>3/</u>	100	7
Boyer and Savageau <u>4/</u>	277	28
Pierce <u>5/</u>	277	47
Boyer and Savageau <u>6/</u>	329	61
ZPG <u>7/</u>	184	106-118 (tie)
Maui:		
Boyer and Savageau <u>8/</u>	107	99

1/ Arthur M. Louis, "The Worst American City," Harper's Magazine, January 1975, pp. 67-71. Based on 1969-1974 data for the 50 largest U.S. cities (not SMSAs).

2/ Ben-Chieh Liu, Quality of Life Indicators in the U.S. Metropolitan Areas, 1970 (Summary) (Midwest Research Institute, May 1975), p. 53. Based on data for large SMSAs.

3/ Ralph H. Todd, "A City Index: Measurement of a City's Attractiveness," Review of Applied Urban Research (University of Nebraska at Omaha, Center for Applied Urban Research), Vol. 5, No. 7, July 1977, pp. 1-19. Based on data for cities rather than SMSAs.

4/ Richard Boyer and David Savageau, Places Rated Almanac (Rand McNally and Co., 1981), pp. 370 and 374. Based on SMSA data for late 1970s through 1980.

5/ Paper presented by Robert Pierce to Association of American Geographers in Washington, D.C., April 24, 1984; cited in Rick Carroll, "Most Livable? Honolulu rated 47th best city, based on 9 factors," Honolulu Advertiser, April 25, 1984, p. A-3. Based on data for SMSAs.

6/ Richard Boyer and David Savageau, Places Rated Almanac, 2nd ed. (Rand McNally and Co., 1985), p. 424. Based on SMSA data for late 1970s through 1984.

7/ Zero Population Growth, Inc., ZPG's 1985 Urban Stress Test (1985). Based on 1979-1985 data for large cities rather than SMSAs.

8/ Richard Boyer and David Savageau, Places Rated Retirement Guide (Rand McNally and Co., 1983), p. 173. Ratings based on suitability for retired persons.