



Access and Visitation Program Update FY 2018

Summary

The Access and Visitation (AV) Program provides \$10 million in funding annually to the 54 states and territories. Administered by the Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE) in the Department of Health and Human Services, the program is designed to increase noncustodial parents' access to and time with their children. Research shows that financial and emotional supports are interrelated.

The key takeaways in this FY 2018 update:

- Annual program participation was over 80,000.
- Noncustodial fathers and custodial mothers were the largest participant groups.
- Parent education continues to be the most frequently provided service.
- Courts and child support agencies were the largest referral sources.
- Most participants were never married to the other parent.
- More than one-fourth of participants reported annual income of less than \$10,000.
- Most participants were white, African American, or Latino.

The Reporting Process

AV program coordinators monitor the delivery of AV services in their state or territory and submit annual reports to OCSE. However, the AV data collections are not subject to audit or validation. This FY 2018 update is based on submitted grantee reports.

The Access and Visitation Program

The Office of Child Support Enforcement administers the Access and Visitation Program to help children gain access to their noncustodial parents. Access and Visitation Program grantees submit programmatic data annually. This program update summarizes FY 2018 data on program services and participant demographic information.



Access and Visitation Program Update FY 2018

Approximately \$10 million is appropriated annually for the Access and Visitation (AV) Program, which provides funding to all 54 states and territories (referred throughout as states). The AV program is administered by the Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE) in the Department of Health and Human Services. At the state level, the majority of grantees (33) administer the AV program through their child support office.

Recognizing how important it is for children to spend time with their parents when they can do so safely, Congress authorized the AV program in the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996. Since its creation, the program has served approximately 1.8 million parents and caregivers with services designed to increase noncustodial parent access to and time with their children.

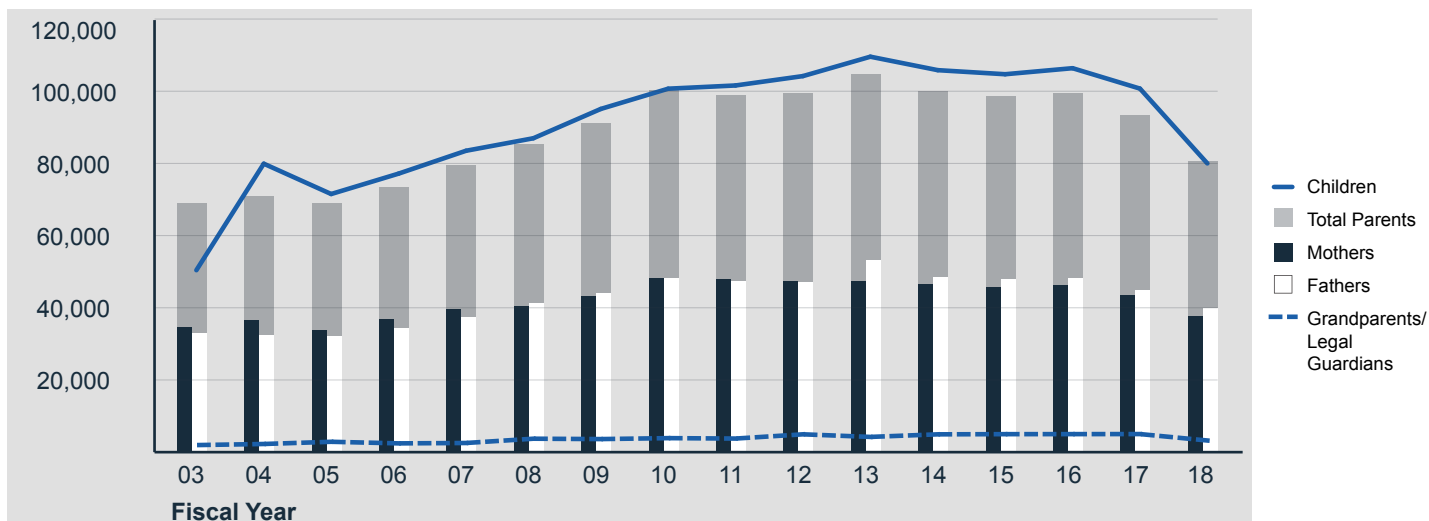
Research shows that financial and emotional supports are interrelated. U.S. Census Bureau data consistently show that parents with custody or parenting time arrangements are more likely to receive child support.¹ Historical studies among AV program participants in several states have shown that child support payments increase as the result of AV services.²

Program Participation

In FY 2018, states reported that 80,565 parents and guardians participated in a wide range of statutorily authorized services, including parent education, mediation, parenting plan development, and supervised visitation. This reflects approximately 13,000 fewer parents than reported in FY2017. The majority of the decline was the result of a change in how parent education participation was reported by several states.

Overall, slightly less than one-third of America's 74 million children under the age of 18 currently live apart from one or both of their parents.³ This is a significant increase from the 22% of children living without both biological parents present in the home when the AV program first began in 1997. Although the AV program has become more efficient over the years, the program does not have the capacity to serve all eligible families. Many grantees reported implementing additional eligibility criteria in order to allocate resources and target particular families in need of AV services. For example, some grantees give priority to families in the child support program. Others consider low-income status when determining eligibility because the AV program often provides an affordable and accessible way for noncustodial parents to spend time with their children. Increasingly, AV arrangements through mediation is becoming a requested service by parents.

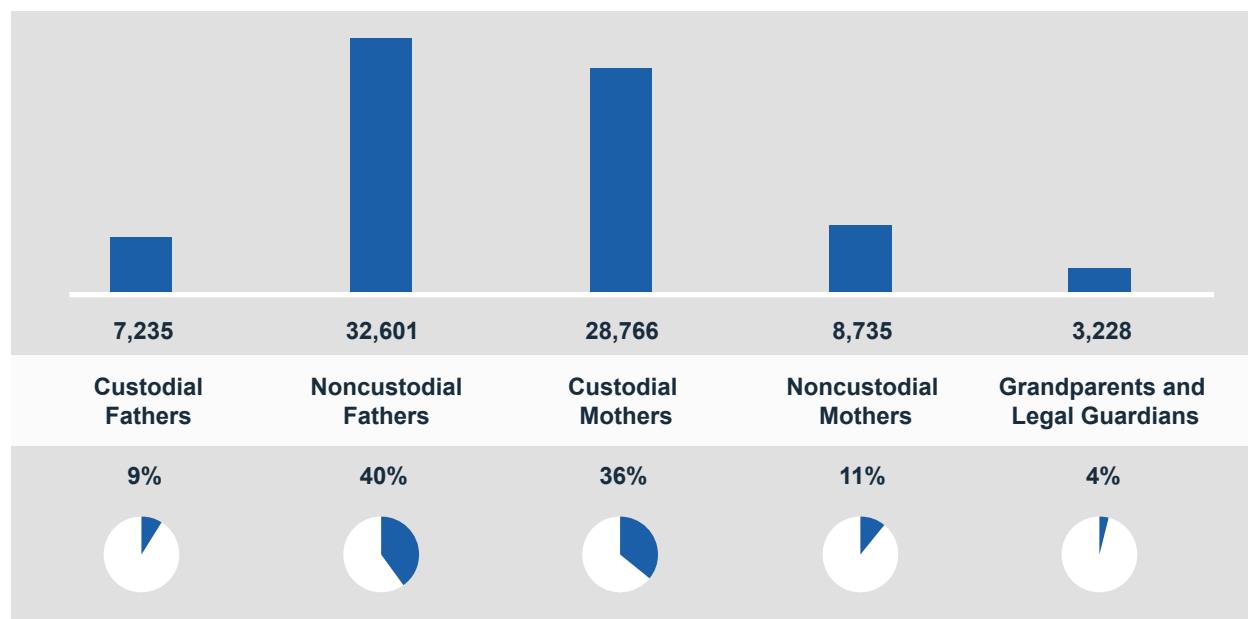
Figure 1. Program Participants FY 2003-2018



Participant Groups

The AV program aims to provide services that support and facilitate noncustodial parent access and time with their children. However, many of the allowable services outlined in statute involve the participation of both parents. Noncustodial fathers and custodial mothers represent the largest two distinct groups receiving AV services, 40% and 36%, respectively. Noncustodial mothers represent 11% of parents receiving services, while custodial fathers represent 9%. Legal guardians and grandparents account for 4% of those served.

Figure 2. Number and Percent of Program Participants by Type - FY 2018



Program Activity

AV grants provided 106,473 services in FY 2018.⁴ Some parents receive multiple services and this accounts for the cumulative number of provided services provided exceeding the total number of AV program participants (80,565). Parent education was the most frequently provided service, accounting for 38% of all AV services. Parent education can be in a class setting with a curriculum that is taught over one or more sessions. It also can be provided through individual coaching that promotes the development of healthy co-parenting relationships. Individual coaching also helps parents understand the benefits of shared parenting and learn about the court procedures involved in parenting time and custody orders.

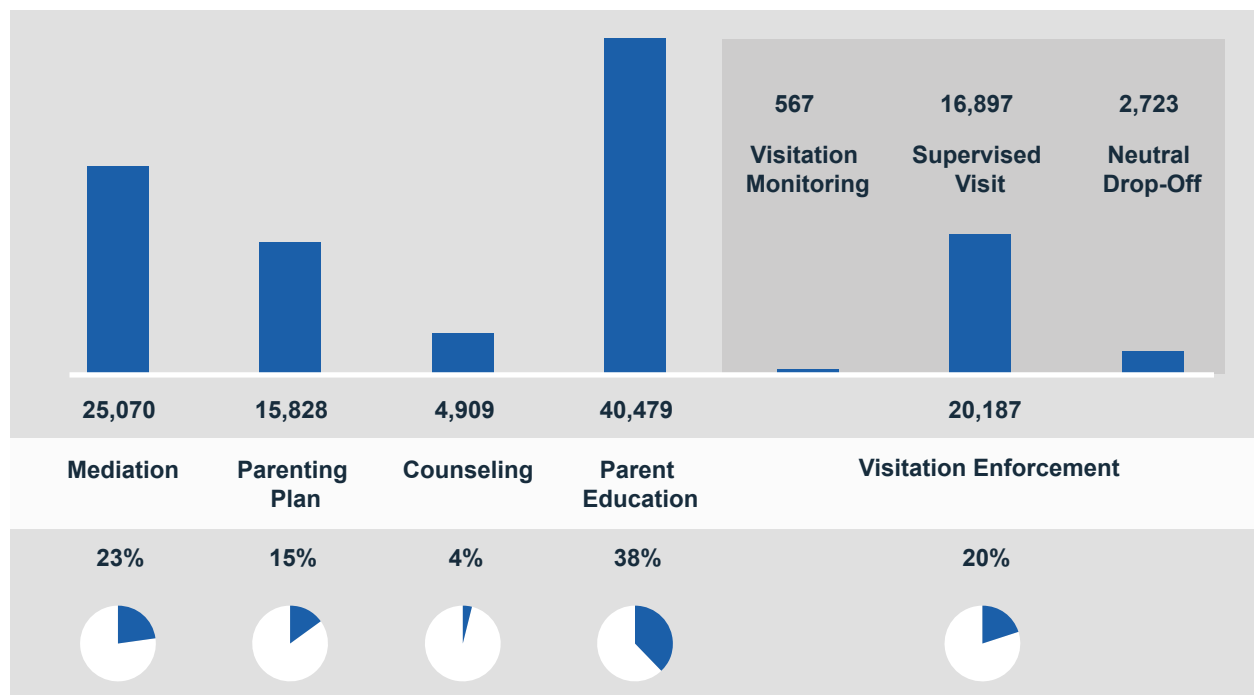
Mediation was the second most frequently provided service, accounting for 23% of all AV activities. Mediation is resource intensive, involving professionals who meet with both parents to resolve parenting disputes and encourage the development of an agreed-upon parenting time plan. The amount of time spent in mediation varies depending on the specific context for the mediation process and how much disagreement or dispute might exist between the parents.

The next most frequently delivered AV service was visitation enforcement activities and accounted for 20% of the delivered AV services. Visitation enforcement may include monitoring compliance with parenting time orders, supervised visitation, and neutral drop-off and pick-up. Of these, supervised visitation had the highest number of participants, at just under 16,900 participants.

Visitation enforcement was followed by parenting plan development (15% of total AV activities).⁵ Parenting plans help the single parent or both parents work through and establish a set of agreed-upon terms for raising the child and often includes the development of a formal or informal parenting agreement that results in increased noncustodial parenting time with the child. States reported over 15,800 participants were involved in parenting plan development.

The final service type, counseling, accounted for 4% of AV program activity. More than 4,900 participants received counseling services. Counseling often includes services provided by mental health professionals to help parents address interpersonal conflicts by focusing on the best interest of the child and the importance of shared parenting.

Figure 3. Number and Percent of Participants by Program Activity - FY 2018



Referral by Source

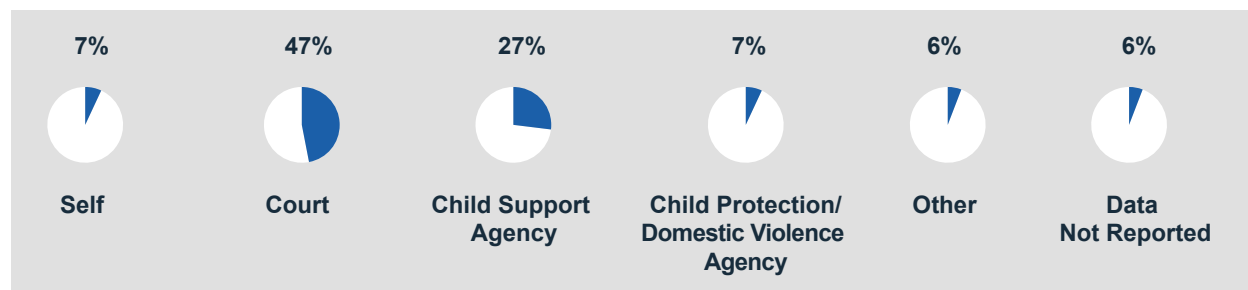
While AV program participants come from a variety of referral sources, approximately 3 out of 4 referrals were from courts and child support agencies.

Courts were the top referral source, accounting for 47% of all AV program referrals. These referrals may be from a variety of courts and court systems, including family courts and those that specialize in abuse and neglect.

Child support agencies accounted for 27% of AV program referrals. Child support agencies may be either the state or local agency funded through Title IV-D of the Social Security Act. These agencies locate parents, establish paternity, establish and enforce child support orders, and refer parents to other services. Some child support agencies provide information about the AV program to the parents they serve.

Self-referrals accounted for 7% of referrals. A self-referral occurs when an individual voluntarily seeks out AV services or, in some cases, when an individual received a non-mandatory referral from the court. Another 7% of referrals to the AV program came from child protection agencies and domestic violence agencies. Referrals from other sources that don't fit any of these categories, including community-based parent education or fatherhood programs and data not reported, accounted for an additional 12% of referrals.

Figure 4. Percent of Referrals by Source - FY 2018

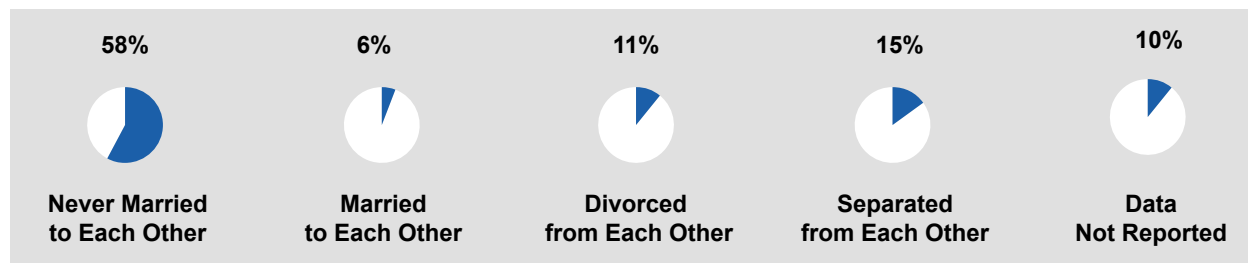


Marital Status of Participants

Fifty-eight percent of parents served by the AV program were never married to the other parent. While divorcing parents may establish shared parenting time agreements through the family court system, most unmarried parents cannot easily access formal processes for establishing access and visitation rights. Unmarried parents must often navigate multiple legal proceedings to resolve issues of child support and parenting time. The AV program can provide affordable, less complicated options for noncustodial parents seeking access to and time with their children.

States reported 6% of parents were married to each other at the time they participated in the AV program. According to AV coordinators, some low-income parents remain married because of the high cost of divorce. Separated parents account for 15% of all parents served, while divorced parents account for 11% of AV program participants. States only report the marital status of biological parents participating in the AV program; legal guardians and grandparents are not included in these data.

Figure 5. Marital Status of Participants - FY 2018



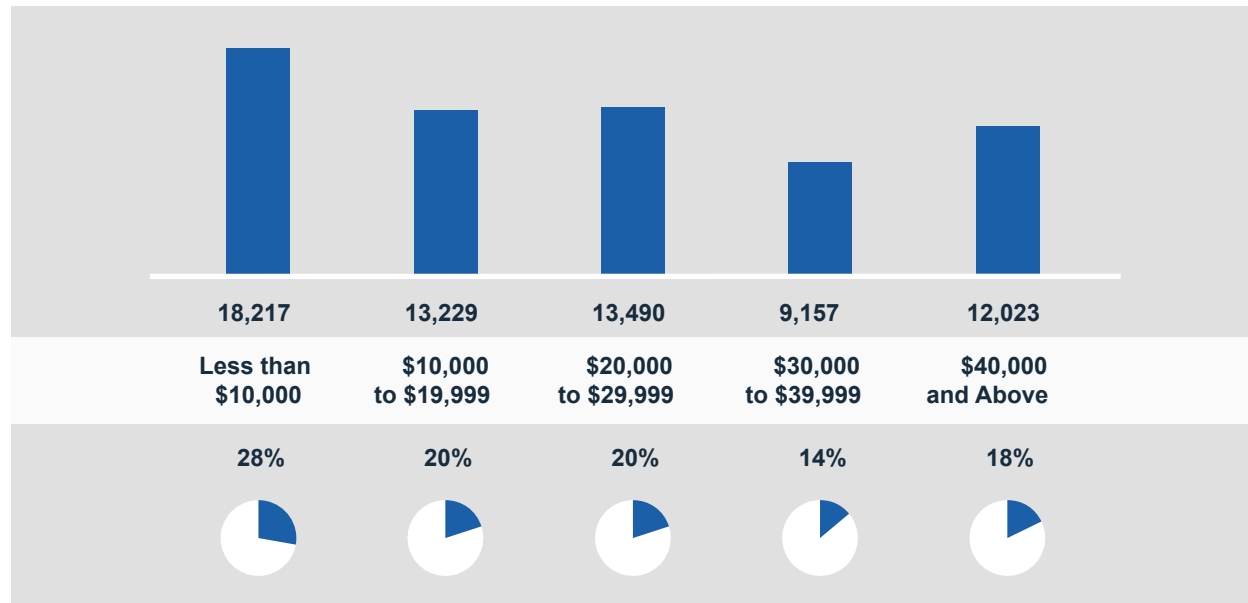
Participants' Annual Income

AV program data for FY 2018 indicates that many participants were in poverty and nearly all were below the U.S. median income. The national poverty threshold for one adult under 65 without children in their household was \$13,064 for calendar year 2018.⁶ According to the U.S. Census Bureau, the median household income was \$63,179 in 2018.⁷

Of those parents self-reporting annual incomes, 28% of nationwide program participants reported making less than \$10,000 a year. Twenty percent of program participants reported an annual income of \$10,000 to \$19,999, followed by another 20% reporting annual incomes of \$20,000 to \$29,999. A total of 14% of parents reported an income between \$30,000 and \$39,999 and 18% of parents reported an annual salary of \$40,000 or greater. Eighteen percent of all AV participants (14,449 out of 80,565) did not report annual income.

Since most participants have low incomes, many states provide free AV services. Others use sliding fee scales to make services more affordable for low-income parents.

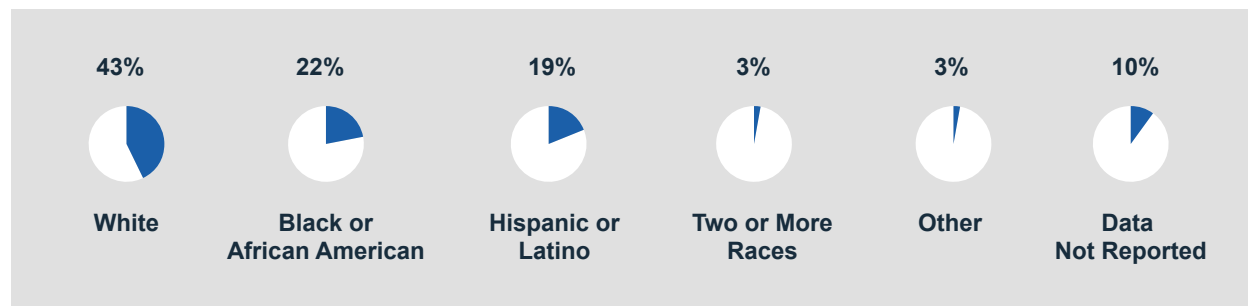
Figure 6. Number and Percent of Participants by Income Category - FY 2018



Race and Ethnicity

Most of the participating parents self-identify as one of three racial or ethnic groups: white, black or African American, and Hispanic or Latino. In FY 2018, 43% of participants were white. Black or African American participants made up 22% of the AV program caseload, and Hispanic or Latino participants accounted for an additional 19%. Only 3% of AV participants identified as two or more races. The remaining 13% of participants self-identified in one of the following categories: American Indian or Alaska Native, Asian, Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander, other, or did not provide race/ethnicity data.

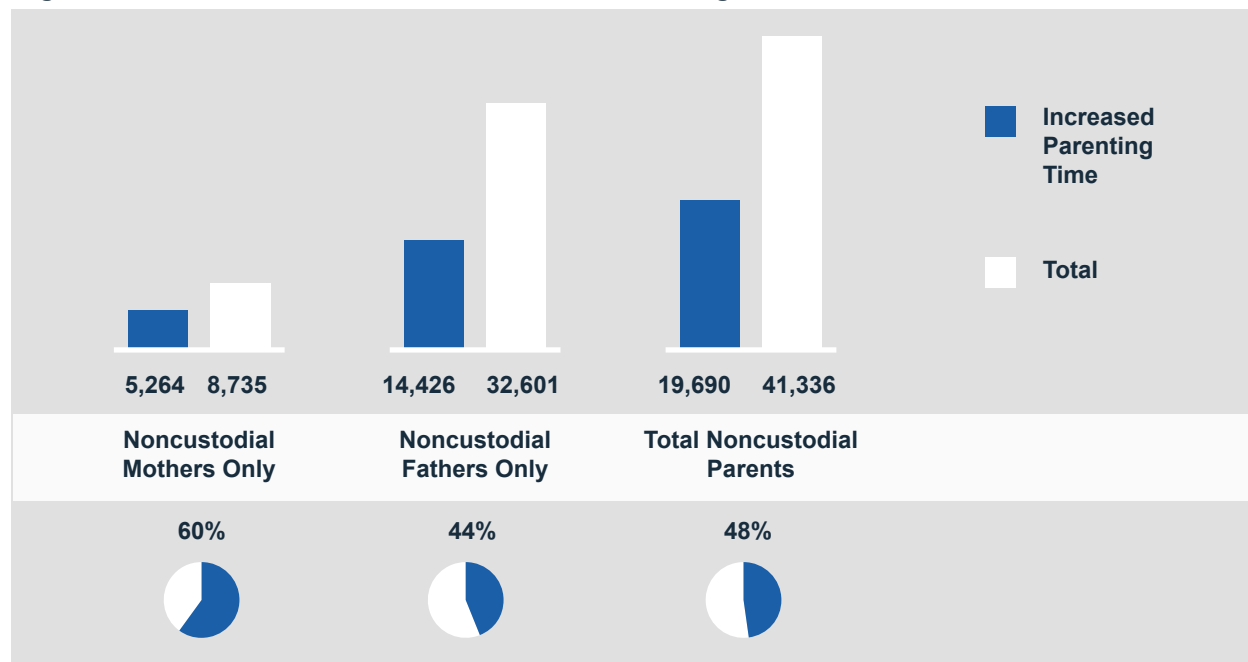
Figure 7. Percent of AV Participants by Race and Ethnicity - FY 2018



Increased Parenting Time

In FY 2018, states reported that over 19,000 noncustodial parents had increased parenting time.⁸ This is almost half of all noncustodial parents served by the AV program.

Figure 8. Noncustodial Parents with Increased Parenting Time - FY 2018



Endnotes

1. The U.S. Census Bureau report, Custodial Mothers and Fathers and Their Child Support: 2015 (published January 2018), available at: <https://www.census.gov/content/dam/Census/library/publications/2018/demo/P60-262.pdf>.
2. The Center for Policy Research Report, Child Support and Visitation Programs: Participant Outcomes (2006), available at: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/css/resource/report-on-child-access-and-visitation-programs-participant-outcomes>. Also, the HHS Office of Inspector General Report, Effectiveness of Access and Visitation Grant Programs, OEI-05-02-00300 (2002), available at: <http://oig.hhs.gov/oei/reports/oei-05-02-00300.pdf>.
3. America's Families and Living Arrangements: 2018 Census Bureau, available at: <https://www.census.gov/data/tables/2018/demo/families/cps-2018.html>
4. Data caveat: OCSE does not instruct states on how to count AV services for their annual reports, so there may be differences in how services are counted.
5. Data caveat: Other service categories, such as mediation or parent education, may also include assistance with parenting plans, but those parenting plans may not be reflected in this count.
6. 2018 poverty thresholds downloaded from the U.S. Census Bureau website: <https://www.census.gov/data/tables/time-series/demo/income-poverty/historical-poverty-thresholds.html>.
7. U.S. Census Bureau report, Household Income 2018 <https://www.census.gov/content/dam/Census/library/publications/2019/acs/acsbr18-01.pdf>.
8. Data caveat: Each state and territory determines how it will count increased parenting time for purposes of the annual AV report. There are three main approaches: using participant self-reports, conducting surveys with a sample of parents receiving services, and counting any visitation (for example, at a supervised visitation center) as an increase. Tracking data on parenting time is one way that states can monitor program outputs, but given the absence of rigorous evaluation, the data does not identify impacts of the AV program services. As noted in the reporting process section of the title page, AV program data is not subject to validation or audit beyond what is completed at the state level.

Appendix A – State Level Data on Program Participants

STATE NAME	FATHER (NCP)	MOTHER (NCP)	FATHER (CP)	MOTHER (CP)	GRANDPARENT/ LEGAL GUARDIAN	TOTAL PARENTS SERVED
Alabama	219	77	47	123	38	504
Alaska	116	44	82	157	11	410
Arizona	1421	510	393	1160	262	3746
Arkansas	147	31	25	143	11	357
California	389	180	130	330	14	1043
Colorado	704	33	63	701	63	1564
Connecticut	170	50	45	172	2	439
Delaware	194	98	68	189	41	590
District of Columbia	143	77	1	0	2	223
Florida	592	904	166	219	1111	2992
Georgia	118	1	1	115	3	238
Guam	57	6	5	55	3	126
Hawaii	108	44	40	108	6	306
Idaho	57	52	18	19	0	146
Illinois	908	140	123	848	28	2047
Indiana	1693	414	208	1823	256	4394
Iowa	134	36	32	136	4	342
Kansas	296	188	7	56	9	556
Kentucky	277	418	0	0	0	695
Louisiana	82	3	3	82	0	170
Maine	351	87	517	858	22	1835
Maryland	238	111	77	184	30	640
Massachusetts	257	43	42	258	2	602
Michigan	1036	349	76	518	3	1982
Minnesota	442	134	199	309	2	1086
Mississippi	776	7	1	6	0	790
Missouri	233	27	28	232	2	522
Montana	81	156	1	7	4	249

Appendix A - State Level Data on Program Participants (*continued*)

STATE NAME	FATHER (NCP)	MOTHER (NCP)	FATHER (CP)	MOTHER (CP)	GRANDPARENT/ LEGAL GUARDIAN	TOTAL PARENTS SERVED
Nebraska	129	35	36	130	0	330
Nevada	332	66	57	325	0	780
New Hampshire	135	60	70	155	16	436
New Jersey	364	115	88	355	44	966
New Mexico	1	0	0	0	0	1
New York	694	207	160	681	108	1850
North Carolina	951	268	207	700	128	2254
North Dakota	67	73	26	39	1	206
Ohio	234	136	106	236	131	843
Oklahoma	470	98	39	415	21	1043
Oregon	116	24	20	91	0	251
Pennsylvania	217	149	88	119	57	630
Puerto Rico	53	14	14	53	1	135
Rhode Island	271	69	235	311	5	891
South Carolina	469	0	0	469	0	938
South Dakota	180	69	46	65	0	360
Tennessee	394	163	91	591	20	1259
Texas	11064	1433	2519	10158	0	25174
Utah	115	24	24	115	0	278
Vermont	112	53	37	94	35	331
Virginia	3965	997	732	3925	619	10238
Virgin Islands	36	0	0	26	0	62
Washington	282	139	89	340	27	877
West Virginia	284	154	120	276	47	881
Wisconsin	201	8	8	163	0	380
Wyoming	226	161	25	126	39	577
TOTAL	32601	8735	7235	28766	3228	80565

Appendix B – State Level Data on Services Provided

STATE NAME	MEDIATION	PARENTING PLAN	COUNSELING	PARENT EDUCATION	VISITATION MONITOR	SUPERVISED VISIT	NEUTRAL DROPOFF	STATE TOTALS
Alabama	73	120	0	79	13	248	143	676
Alaska	410	0	0	0	0	0	0	410
Arizona	2553	827	15	613	34	87	4	4133
Arkansas	357	228	0	0	0	0	0	585
California	0	0	0	128	0	897	102	1127
Colorado	1428	136	0	0	0	0	0	1564
Connecticut	154	0	0	0	0	285	0	439
Delaware	0	0	0	0	0	600	140	740
District of Columbia	0	0	0	0	1	189	33	223
Florida	2	18	6	1382	0	1590	24	3022
Georgia	0	0	200	431	61	62	8	762
Guam	6	0	0	0	0	66	54	126
Hawaii	0	0	0	0	0	296	10	306
Idaho	0	0	0	0	0	146	0	146
Illinois	1795	1279	1	504	0	0	0	3579
Indiana	0	0	0	4394	0	0	0	4394
Iowa	140	122	325	0	0	0	28	615
Kansas	0	0	0	0	0	290	267	557
Kentucky	0	0	0	695	0	0	0	695
Louisiana	52	50	83	150	0	0	10	345
Maine	0	0	0	1639	0	294	12	1945
Maryland	47	129	15	34	0	265	150	640
Massachusetts	374	346	0	602	0	14	1	1337
Michigan	1180	728	0	0	0	3239	42	5189
Minnesota	0	0	110	382	0	1478	663	2633
Mississippi	0	0	0	790	0	0	0	790
Missouri	522	0	0	0	0	0	0	522
Montana	0	0	0	4	0	249	0	253

Appendix B – State Level Data on Services Provided (continued)

STATE NAME	MEDIATION	PARENTING PLAN	COUNSELING	PARENT EDUCATION	VISITATION MONITOR	SUPERVISED VISIT	NEUTRAL DROPOFF	STATE TOTALS
Nebraska	330	304	0	0	0	0	0	634
Nevada	144	570	0	66	0	0	0	780
New Hampshire	294	0	0	0	0	142	0	436
New Jersey	0	0	0	0	0	966	0	966
New Mexico	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
New York	238	696	1319	1150	32	1080	171	4686
North Carolina	691	244	1161	2161	31	8	4	4300
North Dakota	0	0	0	0	0	125	206	331
Ohio	283	228	0	0	0	484	59	1054
Oklahoma	8	149	649	276	35	31	0	1148
Oregon	194	228	0	55	0	0	0	477
Pennsylvania	0	335	136	335	0	1440	15	2261
Puerto Rico	0	136	64	66	118	106	30	520
Rhode Island	747	0	0	0	144	144	0	1035
South Carolina	180	385	199	623	0	4	112	1503
South Dakota	0	0	0	0	87	256	17	360
Tennessee	710	763	0	985	0	0	0	2458
Texas	1710	1247	588	21629	0	0	0	25174
Utah	278	0	0	0	0	0	0	278
Vermont	8	10	0	11	11	202	89	331
Virginia	9263	6086	0	842	0	92	0	16283
Virgin Islands	13	13	18	18	0	0	0	62
Washington	555	420	0	351	0	471	1	1798
West Virginia	0	0	0	0	0	660	227	887
Wisconsin	315	10	12	41	0	2	0	380
Wyoming	15	21	8	43	0	389	101	577
TOTAL	25070	15828	4909	40479	567	16897	2723	106473

Appendix C – State Level Data on Referral Sources

STATE NAME	SELF	COURT	CHILD SUPPORT AGENCY	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AGENCY	CHILD PROTECTION AGENCY	OTHER	DATA NOT REPORTED	TOTAL
Alabama	140	308	2	0	15	39	0	504
Alaska	0	410	0	0	0	0	0	410
Arizona	486	2996	6	0	232	18	8	3746
Arkansas	54	247	56	0	0	0	0	357
California	13	1010	10	0	0	10	0	1043
Colorado	15	94	1439	1439	0	16	0	3003
Connecticut	0	439	0	0	0	0	0	439
Delaware	10	522	0	0	30	6	22	590
District of Columbia	0	222	0	0	0	1	0	223
Florida	16	272	0	266	2428	10	0	2992
Georgia	29	2	76	0	0	12	185	304
Guam	4	112	6	0	0	4	0	126
Hawaii	18	288	0	0	0	0	0	306
Idaho	0	146	0	0	0	0	0	146
Illinois	2	2045	0	0	0	0	0	2047
Indiana	120	742	1920	11	102	1264	235	4394
Iowa	56	187	2	7	4	86	0	342
Kansas	14	524	0	0	16	2	0	556
Kentucky	695	0	0	0	0	0	0	695
Louisiana	38	76	40	0	2	10	4	170
Maine	460	1318	1	2	3	51	0	1835
Maryland	53	509	0	0	60	18	0	640
Massachusetts	194	403	1	0	0	4	0	602
Michigan	178	1769	8	0	0	27	0	1982
Minnesota	14	1012	0	0	0	60	0	1086
Mississippi	790	0	188	1	0	7	575	1561
Missouri	174	290	56	0	0	2	0	522
Montana	0	0	0	0	249	0	0	249

Appendix C – State Level Data on Referral Sources (continued)

STATE NAME	SELF	COURT	CHILD SUPPORT AGENCY	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AGENCY	CHILD PROTECTION AGENCY	OTHER	DATA NOT REPORTED	TOTAL
Nebraska	63	165	16	0	0	86	0	330
Nevada	170	538	70	0	0	2	0	780
New Hampshire	14	377	0	0	0	33	12	436
New Jersey	0	966	0	0	0	0	0	966
New Mexico	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
New York	4	1788	0	0	50	8	0	1850
North Carolina	628	1259	209	8	9	132	9	2254
North Dakota	1	113	0	6	82	4	0	206
Ohio	68	401	273	0	93	8	0	843
Oklahoma	3	301	739	0	0	0	0	1043
Oregon	45	190	14	0	0	0	2	251
Pennsylvania	50	331	0	0	167	82	0	630
Puerto Rico	2	134	0	0	0	0	0	136
Rhode Island	0	891	0	0	0	0	0	891
South Carolina	22	292	322	160	8	124	10	938
South Dakota	56	293	0	4	2	5	0	360
Tennessee	34	1116	1	0	0	108	0	1259
Texas	1050	1614	16276	25	341	2306	3562	25174
Utah	0	278	0	0	0	0	0	278
Vermont	12	184	24	12	99	0	0	331
Virginia	163	9956	60	0	3	41	15	10238
Virgin Islands	0	26	20	0	0	10	6	62
Washington	78	508	0	11	2	255	23	877
West Virginia	6	875	0	0	0	0	0	881
Wisconsin	5	23	339	0	0	13	0	380
Wyoming	79	133	5	0	216	74	70	577
TOTAL	6126	38696	22179	1952	4213	4938	4738	8,2842

Appendix D – State Level Data on Marital Status of Participating Parents

STATE NAME	NEVER MARRIED TO EACH OTHER	MARRIED TO EACH OTHER	SEPARATED FROM EACH OTHER	DIVORCED FROM EACH OTHER	DATA NOT REPORTED	TOTAL
Alabama	280	67	18	100	1	466
Alaska	176	16	142	54	11	399
Arizona	1077	642	441	662	662	3484
Arkansas	82	0	152	112	0	346
California	499	5	218	262	45	1029
Colorado	1220	30	20	80	151	1501
Connecticut	315	2	19	66	35	437
Delaware	335	24	66	68	56	549
District of Columbia	173	5	21	20	2	221
Florida	1233	158	256	234	0	1881
Georgia	217	0	4	14	0	235
Guam	71	0	1	13	38	123
Hawaii	176	2	58	64	0	300
Idaho	30	24	18	65	9	146
Illinois	2019	0	0	0	0	2019
Indiana	2806	81	119	1079	53	4138
Iowa	139	0	75	124	0	338
Kansas	276	21	66	183	1	547
Kentucky	0	0	0	0	695	695
Louisiana	148	0	0	14	8	170
Maine	664	323	464	315	47	1813
Maryland	319	29	86	151	25	610
Massachusetts	336	196	2	66	0	600
Michigan	1174	15	179	611	0	1979
Minnesota	258	22	74	228	502	1084
Mississippi	207	0	2	6	575	790
Missouri	354	0	0	166	0	520
Montana	182	32	20	2	9	245

Appendix D – State Level Data on Marital Status of Participating Parents (*continued*)

STATE NAME	NEVER MARRIED TO EACH OTHER	MARRIED TO EACH OTHER	SEPARATED FROM EACH OTHER	DIVORCED FROM EACH OTHER	DATA NOT REPORTED	TOTAL
Nebraska	168	42	68	52	0	330
Nevada	558	88	44	90	0	780
New Hampshire	191	55	15	97	62	420
New Jersey	654	84	86	98	0	922
New Mexico	1	0	0	0	0	1
New York	1193	133	161	197	58	1742
North Carolina	1131	65	485	342	103	2126
North Dakota	121	26	9	49	0	205
Ohio	526	42	49	80	15	712
Oklahoma	655	31	132	204	0	1022
Oregon	168	52	1	30	0	251
Pennsylvania	362	42	63	60	46	573
Puerto Rico	90	0	4	40	0	134
Rhode Island	512	186	26	159	3	886
South Carolina	908	30	0	0	0	938
South Dakota	167	10	32	151	0	360
Tennessee	741	341	0	157	0	1239
Texas	14631	1245	2097	3227	3974	25174
Utah	84	0	12	182	0	278
Vermont	175	45	25	37	14	296
Virginia	5875	94	2232	1282	136	9619
Virgin Islands	23	3	3	0	33	62
Washington	305	112	233	190	10	850
West Virginia	390	13	102	259	70	834
Wisconsin	52	4	3	3	318	380
Wyoming	233	70	59	160	16	538
TOTAL	44680	4507	8462	11905	7783	77337

Appendix E – State Level Data on Participants' Self-Reported Income

STATE NAME	LESS THAN \$10,000	\$10,000 TO \$19,999	\$20,000 TO \$29,999	\$30,000 TO \$39,999	\$40,000 TO \$49,999	DATA NOT REPORTED	TOTAL
Alabama	151	112	125	56	60	0	504
Alaska	76	79	68	51	108	28	410
Arizona	499	413	562	491	635	1,146	3,746
Arkansas	63	69	96	60	67	2	357
California	389	198	125	63	92	176	1,043
Colorado	313	391	438	250	109	63	1,564
Connecticut	68	53	129	75	49	65	439
Delaware	170	106	93	42	61	118	590
District of Columbia	126	24	28	11	26	8	223
Florida	1,189	494	594	312	403	0	2,992
Georgia	53	28	17	16	5	119	238
Guam	37	34	10	13	6	26	126
Hawaii	94	50	50	63	49	0	306
Idaho	51	44	21	8	5	17	146
Illinois	506	410	356	281	332	162	2,047
Indiana	1,033	831	842	476	678	534	4,394
Iowa	34	26	59	78	145	0	342
Kansas	173	137	122	56	67	1	556
Kentucky	0	0	0	0	0	695	695
Louisiana	18	19	37	9	14	73	170
Maine	296	271	271	301	653	43	1,835
Maryland	153	102	80	82	63	160	640
Massachusetts	100	82	117	91	212	0	602
Michigan	729	424	344	215	270	0	1,982
Minnesota	80	165	131	159	54	497	1,086
Mississippi	65	41	52	20	17	595	790
Missouri	81	95	110	89	101	46	522
Montana	167	36	24	4	0	18	249
Nebraska	111	89	74	29	27	0	330

Appendix E – State Level Data on Participants’ Self-Reported Income (*continued*)

STATE NAME	LESS THAN \$10,000	\$10,000 TO \$19,999	\$20,000 TO \$29,999	\$30,000 TO \$39,999	\$40,000 TO \$49,999	DATA NOT REPORTED	TOTAL
Nevada	171	149	202	125	133	0	780
New Hampshire	136	70	74	52	68	36	436
New Jersey	117	86	114	55	109	485	966
New Mexico	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
New York	540	306	235	159	295	315	1,850
North Carolina	500	444	432	314	426	138	2,254
North Dakota	80	40	33	25	28	0	206
Ohio	229	144	124	70	100	176	843
Oklahoma	279	137	399	146	79	3	1,043
Oregon	77	39	39	29	18	49	251
Pennsylvania	217	127	82	30	60	114	630
Puerto Rico	68	34	14	9	5	5	135
Rhode Island	180	129	138	104	326	14	891
South Carolina	91	488	220	52	14	73	938
South Dakota	81	106	88	52	33	0	360
Tennessee	324	333	262	159	101	80	1,259
Texas	5,359	3,763	3,794	2,540	3,256	6,462	25,174
Utah	55	36	39	30	87	31	278
Vermont	88	51	50	22	19	101	331
Virginia	2,024	1,574	1,862	1,623	2,289	866	10,238
Virgin Islands	6	3	3	0	1	49	62
Washington	271	158	179	96	130	43	877
West Virginia	81	102	55	22	30	591	881
Wisconsin	191	7	11	7	5	159	380
Wyoming	227	80	66	35	103	66	577
TOTAL	18,217	13,229	13,490	9,157	12,023	14,449	80,565

Appendix F – State Level Data on Participants' Self-Reported Race/Ethnicity

STATE NAME	AMERICAN INDIAN/ALASKA NATIVE	ASIAN	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN	HISPANIC OR LATINO	NH/OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER	WHITE	TWO OR MORE RACES	DATA NOT REPORTED	OTHER	TOTAL
Alabama	1	0	189	12	0	298	3	0	1	504
Alaska	58	7	32	19	12	229	32	21	0	410
Arizona	26	14	87	866	115	1428	193	992	25	3746
Arkansas	1	6	25	20	1	292	8	0	4	357
California	17	41	63	355	10	443	61	53	0	1043
Colorado	8	8	282	541	0	438	109	63	115	1564
Connecticut	3	4	129	131	0	124	17	31	0	439
Delaware	4	10	159	49	1	360	6	0	1	590
District of Columbia	0	0	177	21	0	15	3	3	4	223
Florida	19	6	599	249	3	1995	121	0	0	2992
Georgia	0	0	101	0	0	18	0	119	0	238
Guam	0	17	0	1	78	1	9	20	0	126
Hawaii	1	72	17	23	112	69	12	0	0	306
Idaho	4	0	1	8	0	105	3	23	2	146
Illinois	8	12	689	406	3	742	122	65	0	2047
Indiana	19	28	1018	202	6	2712	142	245	22	4394
Iowa	1	2	22	7	0	304	6	0	0	342
Kansas	5	4	32	33	1	467	14	0	0	556
Kentucky	0	5	173	14	0	474	8	0	21	695
Louisiana	0	0	138	2	0	17	5	8	0	170
Maine	33	22	32	17	61	1579	34	57	0	1835
Maryland	0	8	130	32	0	340	19	29	82	640
Massachusetts	2	14	58	108	0	386	34	0	0	602
Michigan	8	4	490	67	0	1377	32	0	4	1982
Minnesota	16	14	117	46	1	335	38	519	0	1086
Mississippi	0	0	188	0	0	23	3	576	0	790
Missouri	3	2	83	13	0	389	11	21	0	522

Appendix F – State Level Data on Participants' Self-Reported Race/Ethnicity (*continued*)

STATE NAME	AMERICAN INDIAN/ ALASKA NATIVE	ASIAN	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN	HISPANIC OR LATINO	NH/OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER	WHITE	TWO OR MORE RACES	DATA NOT REPORTED	OTHER	TOTAL
Montana	17	0	7	10	1	168	2	16	28	249
Nebraska	7	8	24	44	1	234	6	4	2	330
Nevada	2	26	138	266	22	281	40	0	5	780
New Hampshire	2	0	3	5	0	406	2	18	0	436
New Jersey	4	19	257	260	0	354	21	51	0	966
New Mexico	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
New York	10	16	437	490	2	726	75	94	0	1850
North Carolina	31	11	791	169	4	1133	77	38	0	2254
North Dakota	36	0	1	11	1	147	10	0	0	206
Ohio	6	0	131	38	0	621	11	35	1	843
Oklahoma	40	5	225	103	0	608	62	0	0	1043
Oregon	3	9	39	45	2	112	5	36	0	251
Pennsylvania	2	5	93	36	1	460	20	13	0	630
Puerto Rico	0	0	2	133	0	0	0	0	0	135
Rhode Island	14	11	73	104	2	616	47	1	23	891
South Carolina	0	1	714	2	0	217	2	2	0	938
South Dakota	21	1	3	7	0	320	8	0	0	360
Tennessee	2	10	571	82	2	541	46	4	1	1259
Texas	63	129	5760	9627	40	4729	508	4318	0	25174
Utah	3	5	10	42	5	179	8	22	4	278
Vermont	6	2	13	11	0	296	3	0	0	331
Virginia	50	75	3325	635	22	5609	397	125	0	10238
Virgin Islands	0	0	41	9	0	0	0	12	0	62
Washington	12	9	17	98	10	668	43	17	3	877
West Virginia	0	0	32	1	2	764	14	68	0	881
Wisconsin	1	4	137	32	0	43	14	148	1	380
Wyoming	19	3	9	36	0	465	9	15	21	577
TOTAL	588	649	17884	15538	521	34657	2475	7883	370	80565

Appendix G – State Level Data on Noncustodial Parents with Parenting Time Increase

STATE NAME	NCP FATHER PARENTING TIME INCREASE	NCP MOTHER PARENTING TIME INCREASE	STATE TOTAL
Alabama	151	73	224
Alaska	79	25	104
Arizona	1015	366	1381
Arkansas	95	19	114
California	374	129	503
Colorado	431	8	439
Connecticut	196	57	253
Delaware	194	98	292
District of Columbia	143	77	220
Florida	592	904	1496
Georgia	118	26	144
Guam	5	0	5
Hawaii	108	45	153
Idaho	57	52	109
Illinois	604	75	679
Indiana	8	0	8
Iowa	129	31	160
Kansas	296	188	484
Kentucky	117	117	234
Louisiana	82	3	85
Maine	384	306	690
Maryland	50	13	63
Massachusetts	244	36	280
Michigan	837	321	1158
Minnesota	366	126	492
Mississippi	30	1	31
Missouri	390	132	522
Montana	80	169	249

STATE NAME	NCP FATHER PARENTING TIME INCREASE	NCP MOTHER PARENTING TIME INCREASE	STATE TOTAL
Nebraska	102	26	128
Nevada	237	17	254
New Hampshire	90	51	141
New Jersey	339	90	429
New Mexico	1	0	1
New York	523	152	675
North Carolina	334	101	435
North Dakota	106	100	206
Ohio	240	107	347
Oklahoma	282	35	317
Oregon	49	10	59
Pennsylvania	146	98	244
Puerto Rico	33	15	48
Rhode Island	517	108	625
South Carolina	275	0	275
South Dakota	258	102	360
Tennessee	303	98	401
Texas	928	138	1066
Utah	68	11	79
Vermont	137	32	169
Virginia	1401	111	1512
Virgin Islands	23	0	23
Washington	331	128	459
West Virginia	254	144	398
Wisconsin	40	7	47
Wyoming	234	186	420
TOTAL	14426	5264	19690