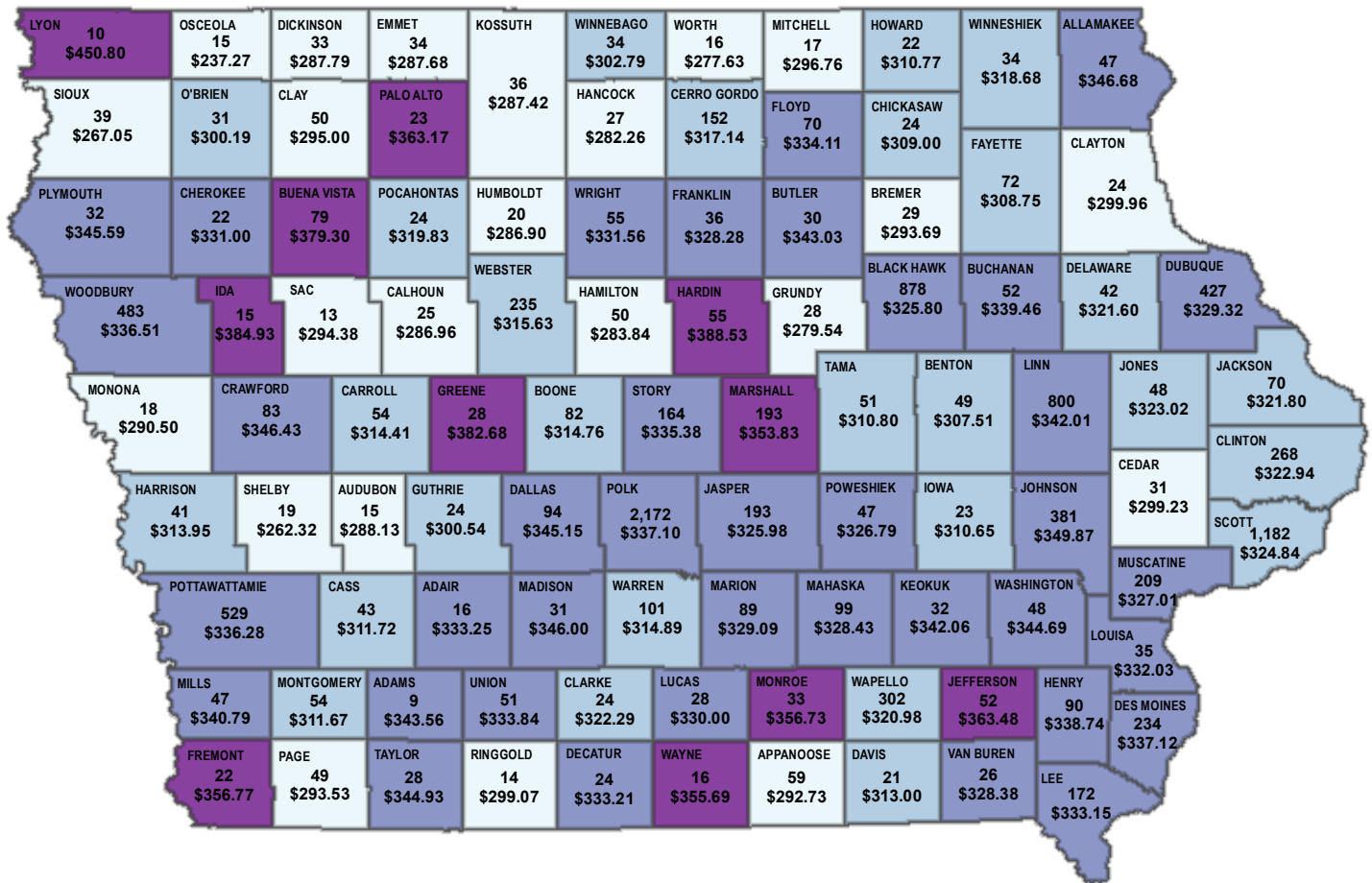
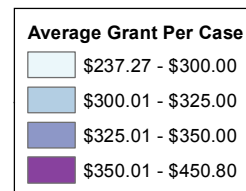
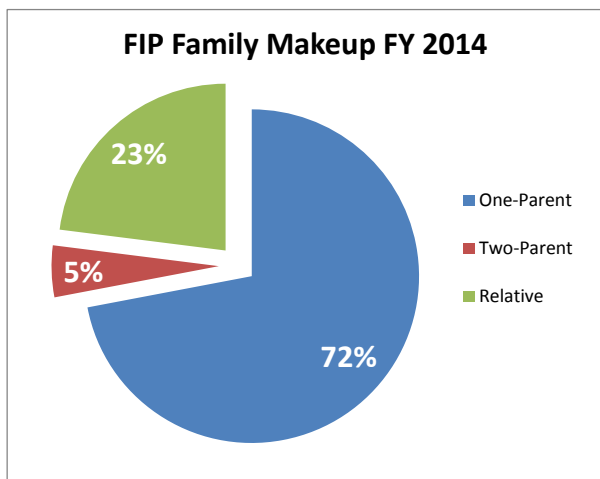


FAMILY INVESTMENT PROGRAM (FIP) AVERAGE GRANT AND CASELOAD - JULY 2014



Note: The top figure represents the total Family Investment Program (FIP) cases, the bottom figure represents the average grant per case, as of July 2014. FIP is Iowa's Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program. FIP provides cash assistance to needy families as they become self-supporting so that children may be cared for in their own homes or in the homes of relatives.



Statewide Average: \$322.95

- The average FIP family is headed by a single Caucasian woman between 20 and 29 years of age with a high school or GED education.
- The typical family has two children under the age of 6.
- Benefits are limited to a five-year lifetime limit with exceptions in hardship cases. The average family receives FIP for 23 months.