

## Child Support Debt

Age of Debt	Debt to Other States	Debt to State of Iowa	Debt to Families
1 Month to 1 Year	\$ 20,332	\$ 3,254,365	\$ 68,899,649
1 to 2 Years	17,614	3,132,500	55,730,799
2 to 3 Years	14,896	2,860,028	48,913,834
3 to 4 Years	13,752	2,579,227	43,247,660
4 to 5 Years	14,438	2,462,371	37,012,024
5 to 10 Years	70,133	10,668,763	140,038,851
10 to 15 Years	110,873	11,321,107	91,655,804
15 to 20 Years	163,769	16,062,304	79,777,363
More than 20 Years	342,976	72,513,580	100,164,809
Total	<u>\$ 768,786</u>	<u>\$ 124,854,249</u>	<u>\$ 665,440,797</u>

### Notes:

- 1) New cases with existing debt are a key factor in the total amount of debt owed. In FY 2025, the Child Support Recovery Unit opened 1,382 cases with existing debt of \$8,497,897.
- 2) Approximately 27.0% of the debt owed to the State of Iowa is owed on cases where a parent lives in another state. There are 19,023 cases where the parent lives in another state.
- 3) A portion of the debt owed to Iowa (approximately two-thirds), when paid, will be returned to the federal government to offset federal costs of supporting these families.
- 4) This data represents total debt owed on Title IV-D Child Support Services cases only. The number of Title IV-D cases in Iowa was 131,516 as of June 30, 2025.
- 5) Totals may not sum due to rounding.