

APPENDIX 4

Annual Cost of Father Absence in Seneca, Ohio

PROGRAM TYPE AND NAME	TOTAL PROGRAM BUDGET	COST PER CHILD OR PARENT	NUMBER FATHER-ABSENT HOMES*	COST OF SERVICES TO FATHER-ABSENT FAMILIES
Income Support				
Earned Income Tax Credit	\$1,926		1396	\$2,688,696.00
Temporary Assistance to Needy Families	\$5,500		1396	\$7,678,000.00
Child Support Enforcement		\$352	1396	\$491,392
Supplemental Security Income (per Child)		\$6,439	1396	\$8,988,844
Nutrition				
Food stamps	\$2,643		1396	\$3,689,628
School Breakfast		\$218	1396	\$304,328
School Lunch		\$272	1396	\$379,712
Women, Infants, and Children	\$1,887		1396	\$2,634,252
Health				
MEDICAID (per child)		\$1,617	1396	\$2,257,332
SCHIP (per single parent)		\$1,373	1396	\$1,916,708
Social Services				
Head Start (per child)		\$7,209	1396	\$10,063,764
Housing				
Energy Assistance	\$484		1396	\$675,664
Public Housing or Section 8 subsidies	\$6,364		1396	\$8,884,144
TOTAL				\$50,652,464.00

* Note: 29% of households headed by females living below federal poverty line