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Main benefits population percentage

11.2%

of the estimated working-age population received a main benefit as at June 2023.

Main benefits recipients (Graph 1)

↑ **3,885** increase

when comparing June 2023 (351,759) with May 2023 (347,874).

Main benefits cancels into work (Graph 5)

↓ **1,419** decrease

when comparing June 2023 (6,045) with May 2023 (7,464).

Jobseeker Support - Work Ready recipients (Graph 10)

↑ **1,470** increase

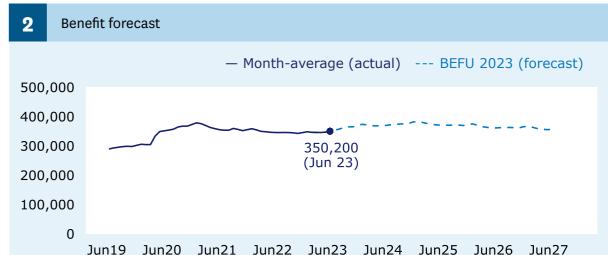
when comparing June 2023 (99,276) with May 2023 (97,806).

* Ethnicity is reported using 'total response' methodology. MELAA refers to Middle Eastern, Latin American, and African. For more information, please go to: www.msd.govt.nz/about-msd-and-our-work/tools/how-we-report-ethnicity.html.

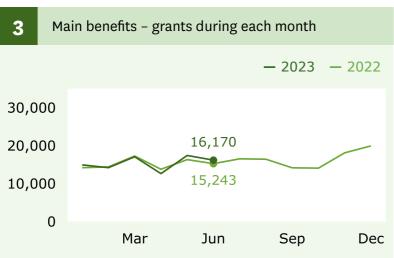
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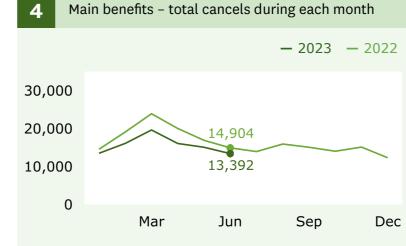
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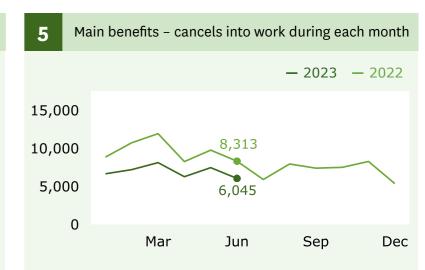




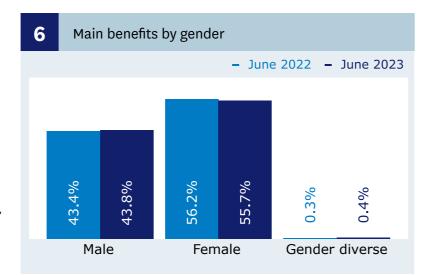
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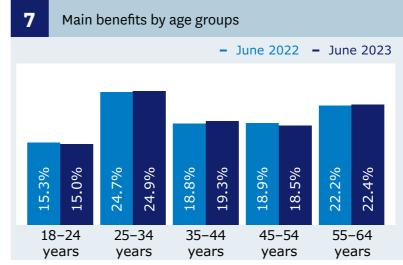


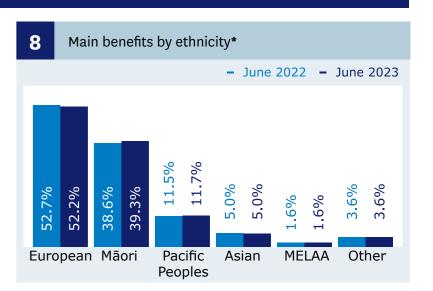




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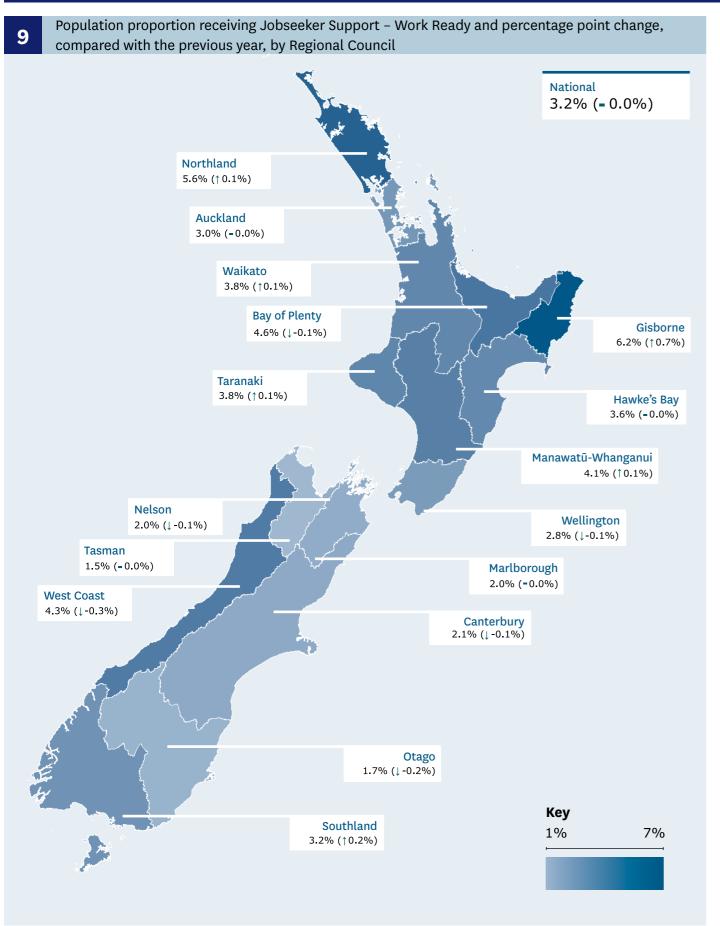


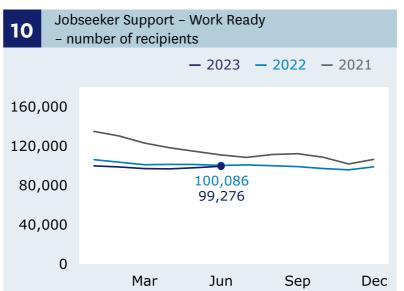
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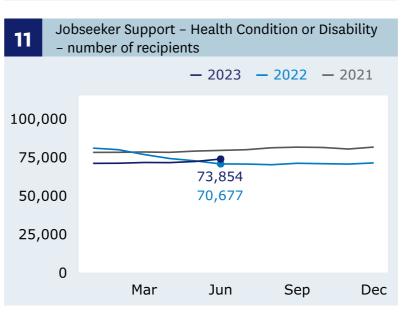
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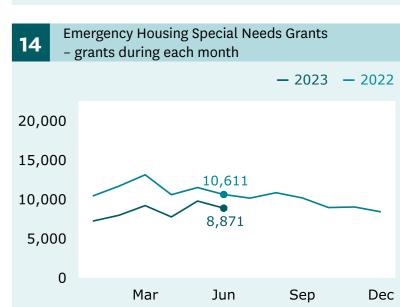
Jobseeker Support







Hardship assistance 160,000 120,000 80,000 40,000



103,266

84,684

Jun

Food Special Needs Grants

- grants during each month

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