

21 May 2025



Thank you for your request made under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), received on 28 April 2025. You requested the following:

Family Boost claimants Month by month, what is the total number of claimants that have made a claim YTD?

The following table provides the total number of unique claimants for FamilyBoost and the total number of claims lodged up to and including 7 May 2025, broken down by month the claim was received. These figures include all FamilyBoost claims received regardless of outcome.

Total number of FamilyBoost claimants by month

Month received	Number of claimants	Number of claims
October 2024	45,379	50,314
November 2024	5,347	5,691
December 2024	2,180	2,312
January 2025	44,462	46,964
February 2025	5,002	5,940
March 2025	2,287	2,939
April 2025	47,082	51,285
May 2025	1,558	1,927

Publishing of OIA response

We intend to publish our response to your request on Inland Revenue's website (<u>ird.govt.nz</u>) as this information may be of interest to other members of the public. This letter, with your personal details removed, may be published in its entirety. Publishing responses increases the availability of information to the public and is consistent with the OIA's purpose of enabling more effective participation in the making and administration of laws and policies and promoting the accountability of officials.

Thank you again for your request.

Yours sincerely

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