

level. Thus the majority of people who receive assistance are living below the poverty level, even after they receive assistance.

Appendix III describes national program trends. For year-to-year changes in numbers of recipients, see Trend Report, pp. 53 and 54.

Appendix IV is a chart showing State detail on recipient rates. For national trend data, see Trend Report, pp. 55 and 56.

Appendix V is a chart showing State detail on average monthly payments per recipient. For national trend data, see Trend Report, pp. 67 and 68.

Appendix VI is a chart showing State detail on expenditures per inhabitant for assistance payments.

Appendix VII is a chart showing State detail on State-local fiscal effort for the federally aided public assistance programs and for general assistance, which is financed entirely from State-local funds.

*4. Level of operations.* (See table 1.)