

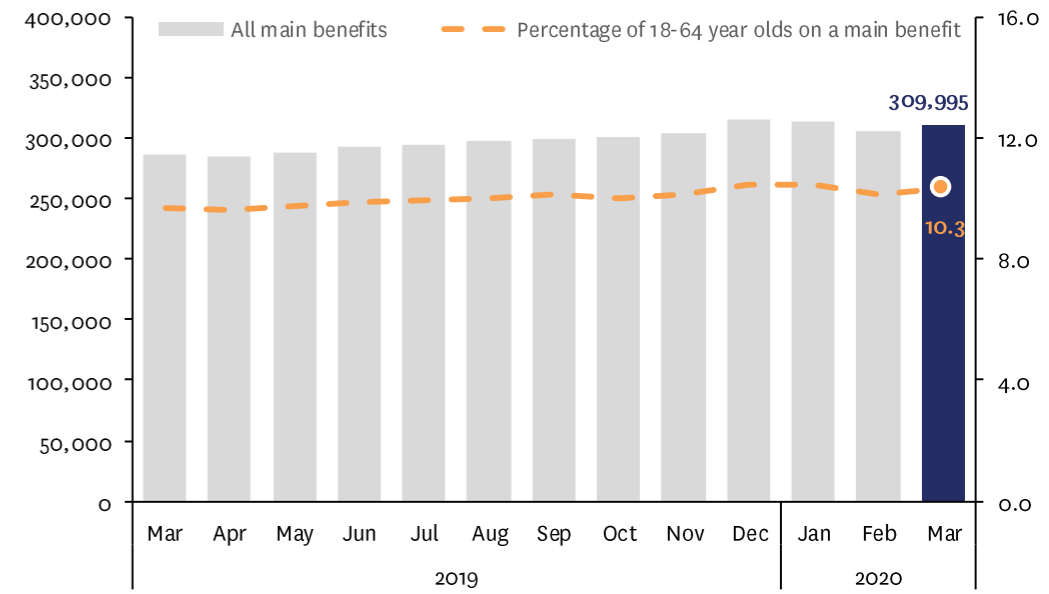
# Monthly Benefits Update – March 2020

① Unless otherwise noted, monthly numbers presented in this document are as at the end of the month and clients reported on are working age (i.e. 18–64 years).

## Main benefit categories and sub-categories

	Mar 19	Feb 20	Mar 20	Monthly change		Yearly change	
				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>All main benefits</b>	286,450	305,129	309,995	4,866	1.6 ▲	23,545	8.2 ▲
<b>Jobseeker Support (JS)</b>	131,720	145,979	151,745	5,766	3.9 ▲	20,025	15.2 ▲
Work Ready (JS - WR)	72,185	83,000	88,832	5,832	7.0 ▲	16,647	23.1 ▲
Health Condition and Disability (JS - HCD)	59,535	62,979	62,913	-66	-0.1 ▼	3,378	5.7 ▲
<b>Sole Parent Support (SPS)</b>	58,824	60,441	60,983	542	0.9 ▲	2,159	3.7 ▲
<b>Supported Living Payment (SLP)</b>	92,503	93,341	93,861	520	0.6 ▲	1,358	1.5 ▲
Health Condition and Disability (SLP - HCD)	83,992	84,611	85,041	430	0.5 ▲	1,049	1.2 ▲
Carers (SLP - Carers)	8,511	8,730	8,820	90	1.0 ▲	309	3.6 ▲
<b>Youth Payment/Young Parent Payment</b>	1,646	1,548	1,543	-5	-0.3 ▼	-103	-6.3 ▼
Youth Payment (YP)	238	237	231	-6	-2.5 ▼	-7	-2.9 ▼
Young Parent Payment (YPP)	1,408	1,311	1,312	1	0.1 ▲	-96	-6.8 ▼
<b>Other main benefits</b>	1,757	3,820	1,863	-1,957	-51.2 ▼	106	6.0 ▲

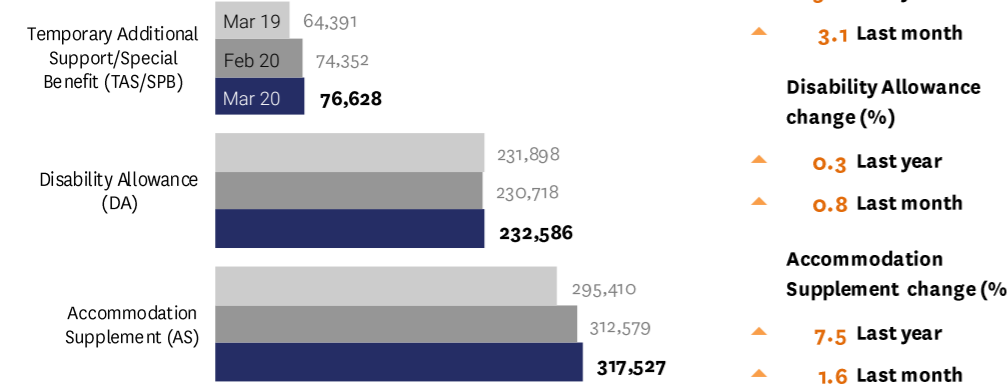
## Main benefits – March 2019 to March 2020



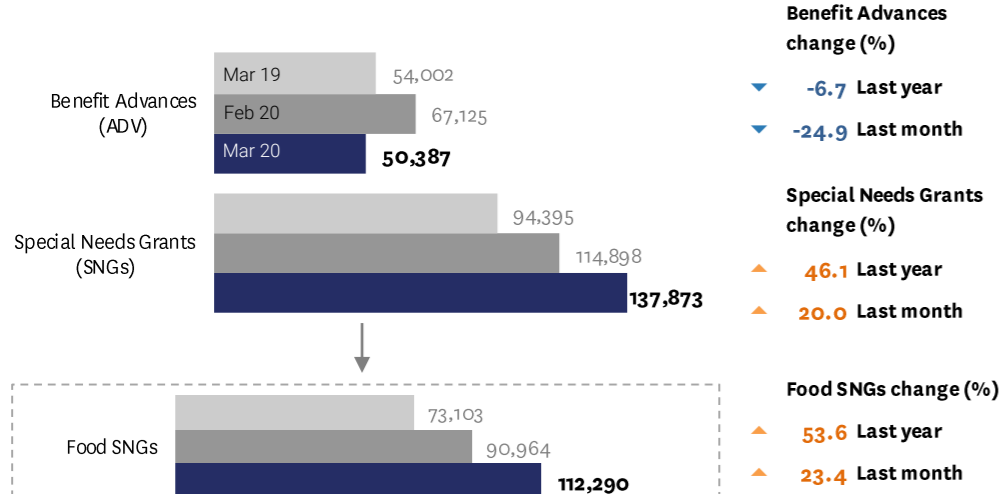
## Supplementary benefits and hardship assistance

① Supplementary and Hardship Assistance numbers include all recipients receiving the assistance shown, not only working-age clients. Benefit Advances and Special Needs Grants (SNGs) are the sum of grants in the month. The sum of Special Needs Grants also includes Food SNGs.

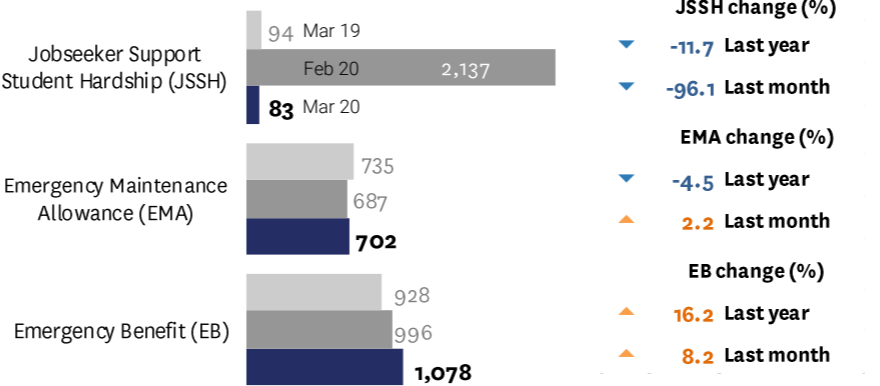
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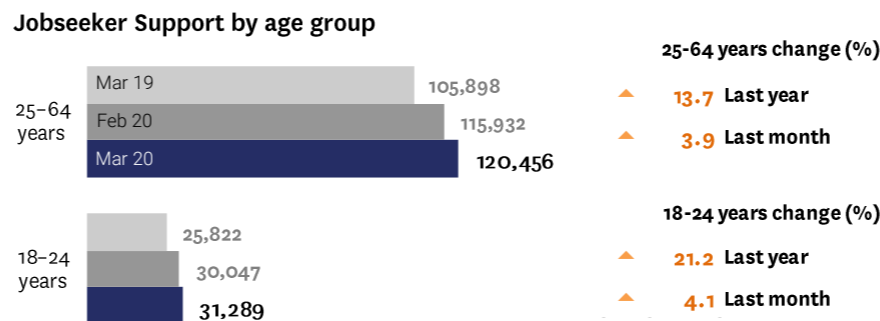
### Hardship assistance



## Other main benefits

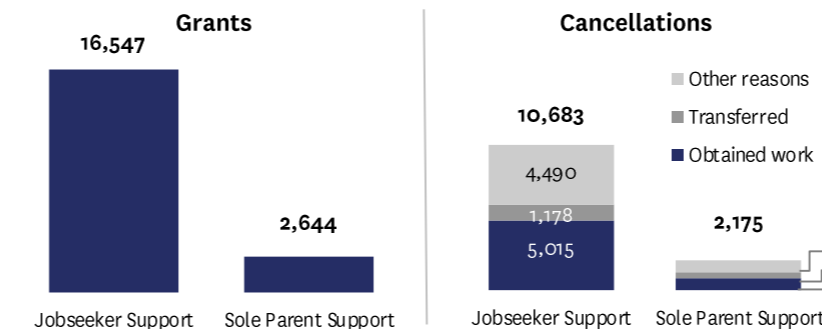


## Youth

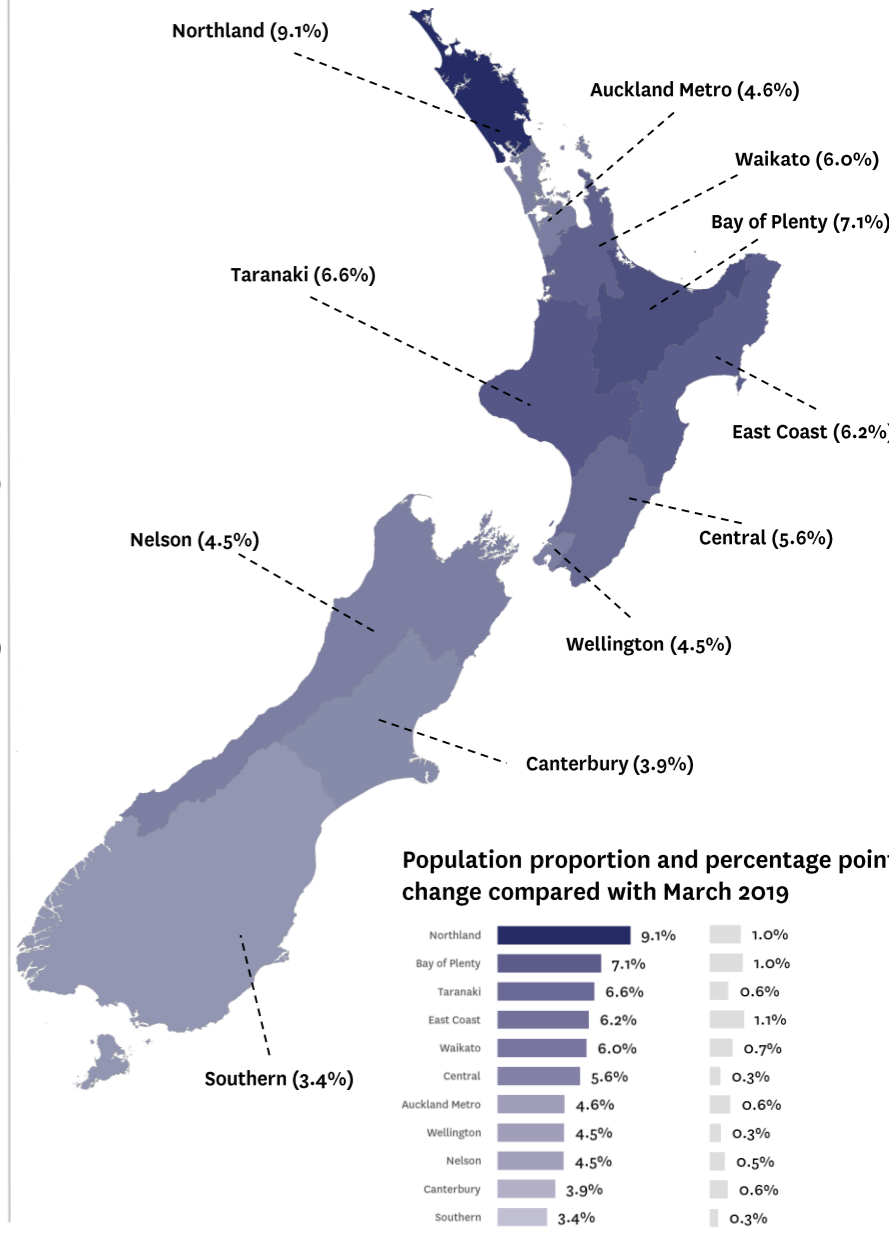


## Grants and cancellations of benefits

① Benefit grants and cancellations are the sum of grants or cancellations during the relevant month.



## Population proportion of 18-64 year olds receiving Jobseeker Support, by Work and Income region



## Population proportion and percentage point change compared with March 2019

