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**INITIAL APPLICATIONS**
- **65%** approval rate
  - **4,294** initial approvals
  - **100** days to decision on average

**APPEALS**
- **42%** approval rate
  - **532** appeals approvals
  - **141** days to decision on average

**CUMULATIVE OUTCOMES**
- **39,213** cumulative initial approvals
- **45,137** people receiving benefits because of SOAR
- **5,924** cumulative appeal approvals

**FINANCIAL OUTCOMES**
- **$4,415** average back payment received by individuals (2,941 cases reporting)
- **$4,548** average Medicaid reimbursement per applicant (143 cases reporting)
- **$406M** brought into the economies of the participating localities
- **17** states received new SOAR funding in 2018
- **347** full-time and part-time SOAR positions nationally

**TOP STATES**

**TOP 10 STATES***
- Pennsylvania
- Tennessee
- Maryland
- Arkansas
- North Carolina
- Washington
- Oklahoma
- District of Columbia
- Virginia
- New Mexico

**1,000+ DECISION STATES**
- **19** states have 1,000 or more decisions
- **12** states have 2,000 or more decisions
- **6** states have 3,000 or more decisions

*Inclusion: Cumulative approval rates on initial application, at least 300 cumulative decisions, at least 24 decisions in 2018 (2 per month), and a 2018 approval rate above the national average. Combined, these states had 14,089 decisions.