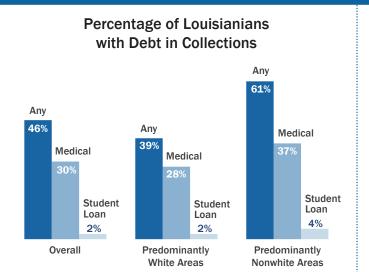


Louisiana **DEBT COLLECTION FACT SHEET**





Median Amount of Debt in Collections in Louisiana



Any Debt- \$1,486



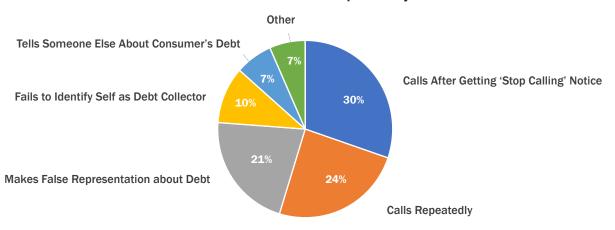
Student Loans- \$7,275



Debt Collection Complaints by Louisianians

9,324

Debt Collection Law Violations Reported by Louisianians



Top Companies Reported by Louisianians as Compiled by the Federal Trade Commission

1. Enhanced Recovery Company, LLC

2. Portfolio Recovery Associates

3. Ace Cash Express

313

178

General Regional Garnishment Rate in the South*

2.6%

*State specific data is unavailable

Sources: Percentage with debt in collections and median amounts are 2016 figures from Caroline Ratcliffe et al., Debt in America: An Interactive Map, Urban Institute (May 16, 2018), available at http://apps.urban.org/features/debt-interactive-map/. Data about debt collection complaint totals, law violations breakdown, and companies reported are 2017 figures from the Consumer Sentinel Network Data Book 2017 (available at http://www.ftc.gov/policy/reports/policy-reports/commission-staff-reports/consumer-sentinel-network-data-book-2017/main) (data produced to the National Consumer Law Center by the Federal Trade Commission on May 29, 2018 in response to a Freedom of Information Act request). The general regional garnishment rate is aggregated 2013 payroll data that includes primarily student and consumer debt from the ADP Research Institute, Garnishment: The Untold Story (2014), available at https://www.adp.com/tools-and-resources/adp-research-institute/insights/~/media/RI/pdf/Garnishment-whitepaper.ashx. Image credits: Louisiana by Marydrock, graduation hat by Rama, and dollar stacks by Farias from the Noun Project; Hospital made by Freepik from www.flaticon.com