

Child Care Supply

	AL	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,287	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	91	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	7.1%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,483	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	32	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	2.2%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	Not reported	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	AL	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	Not reported	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	Not reported	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	Not reported	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	Not reported	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	Not reported	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	Not reported	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	AL	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	AL	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	3,832	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	3,201	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$14,330	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	AL	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	12	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	2,658	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	14	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

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¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

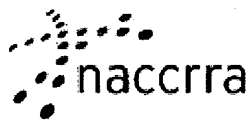
¹³ U.S. Census. [Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002](http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). November 2005. (http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. [Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population](http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf). May 2002. (http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf), 17.

¹⁵ These statistics are from Child Care Bureau (http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/cbb/research/04acf800/table7.htm).

¹⁶ These statistics are based on national mean hourly wage of \$8.68. They are derived from 2004 data collected and reported by the 2004 Occupational Employment Statistics survey by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor (http://www.bls.gov/news.release/ocwage.t01.htm). They do not include preschool teachers and assistant teachers.

¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Alaska



The People¹

	AK	U.S.
Number of residents	635,963	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	49,177	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	7,294	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	61,874	25,040,929
Number of families	156,309	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	37,097	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	8,624	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	AK	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	22,777	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	12,831	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	35,608	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	AK	U.S.
With children under 6	10,101	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	39,383	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	13,348	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	2,189	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	AK	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,848	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,672	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	10%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	27%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$3,500	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$66,254	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$61,224	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

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Child Care Supply

	AK	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	229	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	23	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	10.0%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	572	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	0	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.0%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	18,613	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	72%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	24%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	AK	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	52%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	29%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	19%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	88%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	12%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	20%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	14%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	AK	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	AK	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	2,751	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$20,520	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	AK	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	4	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,009	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	11	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

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¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

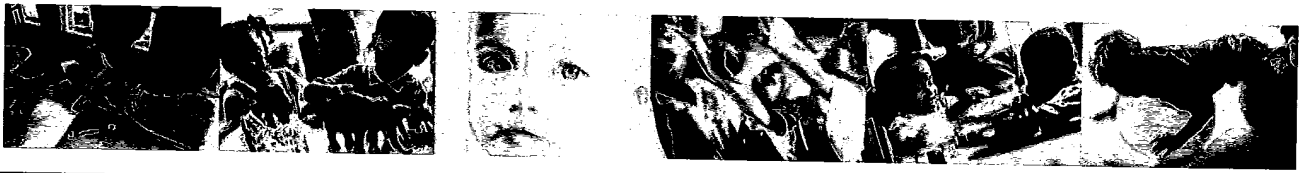
¹³ U.S. Census. *Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002*. November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. *Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population*. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



The People¹

	AL	U.S.
Number of residents	4,414,559	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	295,527	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	82,615	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	348,062	25,040,929
Number of families	1,220,290	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	326,138	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	159,665	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	AL	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	119,759	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	93,464	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	213,223	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	AL	U.S.
With children under 6	80,816	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	246,798	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	120,080	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	38,604	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	AL	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$4,397	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,114	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	7%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	27%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,126	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$45,768	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$44,153	\$51,787

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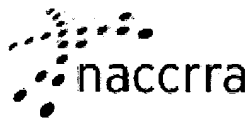
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⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).



2006 Child Care in the State of: Arizona



The People¹

	AZ	U.S.
Number of residents	5,633,997	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	451,904	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	106,717	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	520,387	25,040,929
Number of families	1,434,980	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	345,952	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	156,223	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	AZ	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	158,121	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	119,029	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	277,150	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	AZ	U.S.
With children under 6	95,697	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	277,408	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	131,412	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	35,663	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	AZ	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,605	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,928	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	13%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	34%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$4,500	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$48,995	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$44,943	\$51,787

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Child Care Supply

	AZ	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,762	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	327	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	18.6%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	2,373	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	32	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.3%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	169,761	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	74%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	7%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	AZ	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	53%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	31%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	17%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	92%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	8%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	7%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	64%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	AZ	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	AZ	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	6,684	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,310	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	AZ	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	2	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	393	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	24	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Single/Dual Agency

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

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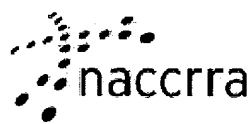
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2006 Child Care in the State of: Arkansas



The People¹

	AR	U.S.
Number of residents	2,675,872	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	181,699	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	49,241	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	214,099	25,040,929
Number of families	745,795	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	199,486	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	105,469	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	AR	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	75,171	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	48,130	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	123,301	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	AR	U.S.
With children under 6	52,190	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	146,866	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	73,615	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	24,731	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	AR	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$4,020	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$3,384	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	8%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	26%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	Not reported	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$39,945	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$36,554	\$51,787

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² The national numbers are from CCR&R data. State numbers are from NACCRRRA *Breaking the Piggy Bank: Parents and the High Price of Child Care*, 2006. Therefore, the Arkansas price of pre-school care is not reflected in the U.S. range and is lower than the range specifies.

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Child Care Supply

	AR	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,948	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	509	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	26.1%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	900	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	21	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	2.3%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	143,982	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	69%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	7%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	AR	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	53%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	30%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	17%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	92%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	8%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	5%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	6%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	AR	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	AR	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	1,527	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$13,770	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	AR	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	6	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	269	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network	Managing/	Coordinating

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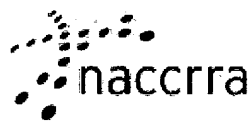
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of California



The People¹

	CA	U.S.
Number of residents	35,055,227	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	2,639,402	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	534,250	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	3,268,514	25,040,929
Number of families	8,193,359	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	2,204,744	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	862,665	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	CA	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	1,023,401	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	614,975	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	1,638,376	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	CA	U.S.
With children under 6	509,560	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	1,801,577	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	653,365	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	162,901	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	CA	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$10,765	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$7,485	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	16%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	44%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$2,916	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$58,327	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$53,725	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	CA	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	10,143	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	921	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	9.1%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	37,494	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	572	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.5%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	1,002,400	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	64%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	36%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	CA	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	35%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	42%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	23%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	72%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	28%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	16%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	10%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	CA	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	12%	25%

Workforce

	CA	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	99,733	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$20,910	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	CA	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	73	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	Not reported	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

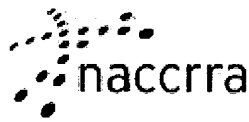
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Colorado



The People¹

	CO	U.S.
Number of residents	4,498,611	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	337,179	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	53,410	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	394,362	25,040,929
Number of families	1,187,252	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	265,777	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	101,737	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	CO	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	144,697	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	77,862	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	222,559	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	CO	U.S.
With children under 6	83,555	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	287,681	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	97,564	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	18,314	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	CO	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,459	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,676	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	10%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	29%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$4,341	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$58,849	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$56,793	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	CO	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,863	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	402	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	21.6%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	4,048	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	147	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	3.6%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	181,953	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	60%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	17%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	CO	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	59%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	20%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	21%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	85%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	15%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	15%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	11%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	CO	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	CO	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	8,558	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$19,330	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	CO	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	20	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	Not reported	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

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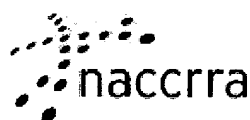
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Connecticut



The People¹

	CT	U.S.
Number of residents	3,389,483	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	208,869	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	23,121	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	307,772	25,040,929
Number of families	899,496	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	211,930	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	55,952	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	CT	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	98,993	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	49,768	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	148,761	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	CT	U.S.
With children under 6	60,954	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	210,501	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	80,465	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	14,035	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	CT	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$10,742	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$8,695	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	12%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	38%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$6,703	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$73,458	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$73,831	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	CT	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	2,102	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	554	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	26.4%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	2,988	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	5	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.2%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	157,572	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	84%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	16%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	CT	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	41%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	32%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	27%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	73%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	27%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	22%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	8%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	CT	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	CT	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	10,325	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$21,800	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	CT	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	1	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	51	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	11	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Single Agency

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from the CCR&R.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the CCR&R and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from the CCR&R.

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¹¹ This number is provided by the CCR&R. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

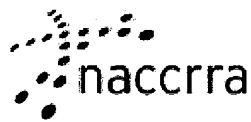
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2006 Child Care in the State of Delaware



The People¹

	DE	U.S.
Number of residents	805,421	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	53,643	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	6,520	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	61,295	25,040,929
Number of families	207,817	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	56,415	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	15,803	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	DE	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	23,761	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	19,997	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	43,758	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	DE	U.S.
With children under 6	15,355	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	46,098	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	19,825	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	3,288	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	DE	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$6,515	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,874	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	9%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	28%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$6,614	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$60,352	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$57,329	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

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⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	DE	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	259	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	13	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	5.0%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,482	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	3	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.2%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	53,221	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	46%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	22%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	DE	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	Not reported	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	Not reported	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	Not reported	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	Not reported	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	Not reported	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	Not reported	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	DE	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	DE	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	2,525	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$17,610	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	DE	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	1	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	369	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	13	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Single Agency

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from the CCR&R.

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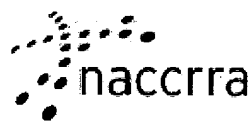
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: District of Columbia



The People¹

	DC	U.S.
Number of residents	518,074	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	34,806	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	11,103	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	32,937	25,040,929
Number of families	109,819	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	55,601	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	18,591	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	DC	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	7,744	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	18,155	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	25,899	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	DC	U.S.
With children under 6	9,567	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	12,368	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	19,760	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	4,875	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	DC	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	Not reported	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	Not reported	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	Not reported	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	Not reported	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	Not reported	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$54,193	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$36,238	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	DC	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	359	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	Not reported	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	Not reported	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	242	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	Not reported	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	Not reported	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	23,038	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	95%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	5%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	DC	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	Not reported	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	Not reported	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	Not reported	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	Not reported	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	Not reported	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	Not reported	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	DC	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	DC	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not Reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	585	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$20,040	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	DC	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	1	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	Not reported	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Single Agency

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers from District of Columbia, Department of Human Services, Office of Early Childhood Development, [Child Care Services in the District of Columbia: Child Care Profiles](http://www.dhs.gov/childcare). December 2004.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers from District of Columbia, Department of Human Services, Office of Early Childhood Development, [Child Care Services in the District of Columbia: Child Care Profiles](http://www.dhs.gov/childcare). December 2004.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

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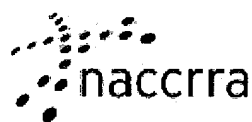
¹³ U.S. Census. [Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002](http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). November 2005. (http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. [Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population](http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf). May 2002. (http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Florida



The People¹

	FL	U.S.
Number of residents	16,990,183	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	1,087,454	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	212,720	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	1,328,739	25,040,929
Number of families	4,475,033	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	1,180,766	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	408,587	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	FL	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	431,773	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	348,437	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	780,210	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	FL	U.S.
With children under 6	271,327	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	827,646	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	420,603	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	86,928	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	FL	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$6,396	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,940	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	10%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	28%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$3,238	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$49,461	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$46,863	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	FL	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	14,045	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	1,175	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	8.4%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	6,777	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	236	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	3.5%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	914,420	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	76%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	6%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	FL	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	43%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	30%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	27%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	65%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	35%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	15%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	11%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	FL	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	FL	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	20,822	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	16,365	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,440	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	FL	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	36	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	Not reported	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

¹³ U.S. Census. *Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002*. November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

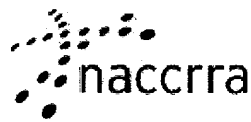
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¹⁶ These statistics are based on national mean hourly wage of \$8.68. They are derived from 2004 data collected and reported by the 2004 Occupational Employment Statistics survey by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor (<http://www.bls.gov/news.release/ocwage.t01.htm>). They do not include preschool teachers and assistant teachers.

¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Georgia



The People¹

	GA	U.S.
Number of residents	8,581,489	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	667,110	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	145,576	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	798,804	25,040,929
Number of families	2,217,238	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	633,929	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	266,277	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	GA	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	268,060	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	203,607	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	471,667	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	GA	U.S.
With children under 6	176,545	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	490,481	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	250,391	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	74,016	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	GA	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$4,903	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,137	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	8%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	25%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$9,373	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$49,745	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$46,971	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	GA	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,224	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	323	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	26.4%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	2,311	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	32	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.4%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	460,216	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	80%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	20%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	GA	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	55%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	29%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	17%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	89%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	11%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	8%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	16%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	GA	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	GA	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	2,833	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	11,787	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$15,670	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	GA	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	14	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	831	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	25	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

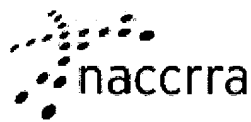
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Hawaii



The People¹

	HI	U.S.
Number of residents	1,227,008	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	87,095	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	13,757	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	89,756	25,040,929
Number of families	295,350	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	71,351	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	23,199	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	HI	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	40,677	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	20,109	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	60,786	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	HI	U.S.
With children under 6	18,006	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	63,790	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	17,534	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	4,099	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	HI	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$9,192	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,592	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	13%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	37%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,616	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$63,813	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$57,887	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

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⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	HI	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	422	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	94	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	22.3%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	466	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	0	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.0%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	31,162	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	65%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	8%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	HI	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	65%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	31%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	4%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	Not reported	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	Not reported	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	Not reported	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	HI	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	HI	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	8,062	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	8,346	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$15,720	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	HI	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	1	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	722	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	9	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Single Agency

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

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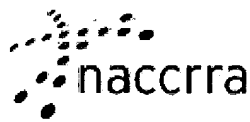
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2006 Child Care in the State of: Idaho



The People¹

	ID	U.S.
Number of residents	1,360,152	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	107,951	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	25,246	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	122,363	25,040,929
Number of families	366,550	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	68,006	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	40,857	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	ID	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	42,529	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	17,212	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	59,741	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	ID	U.S.
With children under 6	25,070	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	86,743	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	23,980	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	8,016	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	ID	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,774	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,566	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	14%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	46%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,085	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$46,586	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$46,140	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	ID	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	505	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	56	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	11.1%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,787	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	16	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.9%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	35,820	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	69%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	31%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	ID	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	55%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	29%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	15%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	77%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	23%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	3%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	47%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	ID	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	ID	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	3,105	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	3,754	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,340	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	ID	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	7	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	455	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	600	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

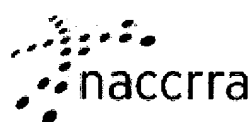
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Illinois



The People¹

	IL	U.S.
Number of residents	12,390,521	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	892,921	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	164,934	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	1,122,965	25,040,929
Number of families	3,096,322	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	757,391	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	278,816	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	IL	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	389,994	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	216,458	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	606,452	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	IL	U.S.
With children under 6	223,449	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	728,198	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	253,259	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	63,198	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	IL	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$9,773	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$7,108	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	14%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	45%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$8,700	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$60,387	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$59,798	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	IL	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	5,506	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	670	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	12.2%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	11,844	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	98	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.8%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	460,216	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	80%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	20%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	IL	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	51%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	31%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	19%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	84%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	16%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	8%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	77%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	IL	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	IL	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	103,366	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	91,140	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$19,130	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	IL	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	17	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	6,065	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	15	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

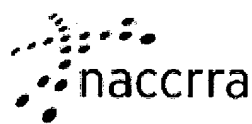
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Indiana



The People¹

	IN	U.S.
Number of residents	6,058,930	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	429,182	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	80,772	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	550,015	25,040,929
Number of families	1,621,912	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	362,667	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	127,794	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	IN	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	188,396	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	108,906	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	297,302	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	IN	U.S.
With children under 6	113,381	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	366,201	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	137,175	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	37,280	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	IN	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,825	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,018	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	12%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	37%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$11,354	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$52,267	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$51,524	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	IN	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	590	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	114	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	19.3%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	5,621	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	79	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.4%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	190,200	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	30%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	24%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	IN	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	47%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	31%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	22%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	88%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	12%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	7%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	2%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	IN	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	1%	25%

Workforce

	IN	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	7,810	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	6,359	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,890	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	IN	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	12	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,100	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	25	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

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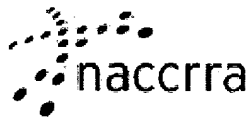
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Iowa



The People¹

	IA	U.S.
Number of residents	2,851,165	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	178,732	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	23,503	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	243,571	25,040,929
Number of families	773,898	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	143,767	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	52,305	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	IA	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	106,480	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	41,611	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	148,091	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	IA	U.S.
With children under 6	66,233	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	209,575	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	60,913	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	13,528	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	IA	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$6,217	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,612	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	10%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	30%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$4,762	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$51,505	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$51,604	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

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⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	IA	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,198	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	145	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	12.1%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	8,608	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	6	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.1%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	187,774	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	38%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	45%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	IA	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	52%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	31%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	18%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	82%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	18%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	5%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	25%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	IA	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative ¹⁴	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	IA	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	15,450	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	8,990	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,140	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	IA	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	16	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,177	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	18	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

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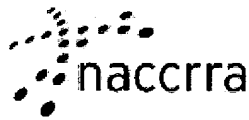
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2006 Child Care in the State of: Kansas



The People¹

	KS	U.S.
Number of residents	2,653,454	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	185,287	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	28,838	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	238,022	25,040,929
Number of families	707,663	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	137,592	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	48,127	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	KS	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	100,535	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	44,076	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	144,611	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	KS	U.S.
With children under 6	54,900	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	189,723	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	54,621	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	11,775	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	KS	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$5,873	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,446	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	9%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	24%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	Not reported	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$53,541	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$51,177	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	KS	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,226	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	124	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	10.1%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	7,068	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	35	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.5%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	132,897	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	37%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	48%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	KS	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	41%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	40%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	19%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	78%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	22%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	21%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	KS	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	KS	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	6,487	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,760	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	KS	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	17	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,675	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	13	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

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¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

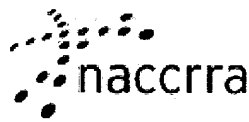
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Kentucky



The People¹

	KY	U.S.
Number of residents	4,031,134	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	264,173	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	68,978	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	340,947	25,040,929
Number of families	1,142,281	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	269,731	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	158,457	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	KY	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	124,785	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	56,439	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	181,224	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	KY	U.S.
With children under 6	74,716	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	247,065	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	86,048	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	30,663	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	KY	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$4,639	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$3,960	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	8%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	32%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$1,400	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$43,953	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$43,079	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	KY	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	2,233	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	192	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	8.6%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,197	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	13	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.1%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	175,497	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	1%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	4%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	KY	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	57%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	21%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	22%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	96%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	4%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	7%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	3%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	KY	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	KY	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	6,907	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$15,570	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	KY	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	14	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	2,399	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	14	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

¹³ U.S. Census, Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002. November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

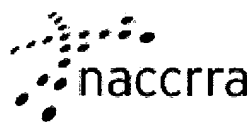
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Louisiana



The People¹

	LA	U.S.
Number of residents	4,380,886	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	317,270	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	98,024	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	392,836	25,040,929
Number of families	1,170,815	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	366,977	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	174,903	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	LA	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	101,681	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	120,193	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	221,874	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	LA	U.S.
With children under 6	78,467	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	218,638	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	139,295	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	57,379	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	LA	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$4,300	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$3,900	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	7%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	27%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	Not reported	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$42,886	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$39,039	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	LA	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,651	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	70	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	4.2%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	6,257	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	0	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.0%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	Not reported	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	LA	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	51%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	31%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	18%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	97%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	3%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	4%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	3%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	LA	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	LA	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	11,083	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$14,250	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	LA	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	3	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,128	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	17	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

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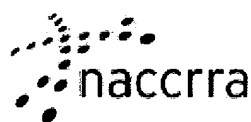
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Maine



The People¹

	ME	U.S.
Number of residents	1,278,725	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	69,299	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	18,277	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	94,560	25,040,929
Number of families	349,902	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	75,350	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	33,379	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	ME	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	28,993	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	19,903	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	48,896	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	ME	U.S.
With children under 6	20,810	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	76,745	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	27,208	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	11,255	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	ME	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,802	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,509	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	12%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	43%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,546	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$51,372	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$49,519	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

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⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	ME	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	602	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	56	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	9.3%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	2,032	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	42	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	2.1%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	48,671	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	42%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	37%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	ME	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	57%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	26%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	16%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	75%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	25%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	21%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	7%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	ME	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	ME	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	6,838	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	2,427	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$19,210	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	ME	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	9	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	177	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	11	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

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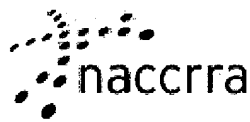
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of Maryland



The People¹

	MD	U.S.
Number of residents	5,421,869	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	371,322	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	52,211	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	487,518	25,040,929
Number of families	1,383,478	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	389,234	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	80,602	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	MD	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	176,352	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	105,619	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	281,971	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	MD	U.S.
With children under 6	108,934	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	321,766	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	150,574	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	21,437	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	MD	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$10,314	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,515	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	11%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	32%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$7,821	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$69,695	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$67,652	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² The national numbers are from CCR&R data. State numbers are from NACCRRRA *Breaking the Piggy Bank: Parents and the High Price of Child Care*, 2006.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the *College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004*. The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	MD	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,440	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	159	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	11.0%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	9,689	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	131	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.4%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	216,280	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	41%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	32%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	MD	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	43%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	33%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	24%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	62%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	38%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	20%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	7%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	MD	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	MD	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	35,033	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	10,600	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$20,920	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	MD	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	11	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,502	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	18	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

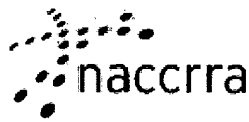
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. *Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population*. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Massachusetts



The People¹

	MA	U.S.
Number of residents	6,201,416	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	392,028	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	48,606	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	530,444	25,040,929
Number of families	1,565,568	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	389,559	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	111,668	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	MA	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	207,141	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	84,455	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	291,596	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	MA	U.S.
With children under 6	118,282	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	379,544	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	128,214	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	24,732	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	MA	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$14,226	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$10,193	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	16%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	60%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,670	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$68,701	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$69,741	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	MA	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	2,451	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	1,339	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	54.6%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	6,827	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	108	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.6%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	250,512	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	62%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	17%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	MA	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	51%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	36%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	13%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	87%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	13%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	9%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	MA	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	1%	25%

Workforce

	MA	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	13,638	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$22,200	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	MA	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	16	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	976	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	28	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

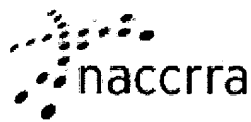
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. *Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population*. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimate/report.pdf>), 17.

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¹⁶ These statistics are based on national mean hourly wage of \$8.68. They are derived from 2004 data collected and reported by the 2004 Occupational Employment Statistics survey by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor (<http://www.bls.gov/news.release/ocwage.t01.htm>). They do not include preschool teachers and assistant teachers.

¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Michigan



The People¹

	MI	U.S.
Number of residents	9,858,908	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	655,575	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	131,791	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	900,583	25,040,929
Number of families	2,629,211	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	650,664	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	236,888	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	MI	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	281,869	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	178,131	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	460,000	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	MI	U.S.
With children under 6	184,620	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	593,206	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	240,507	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	62,052	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	MI	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,916	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,616	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	11%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	37%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$7,361	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$55,778	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$55,778	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	MI	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	4,638	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	233	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	5.0%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	13,344	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	58	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.4%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	361,987	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	72%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	28%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	MI	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	45%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	25%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	30%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	73%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	27%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	20%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	11%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	MI	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	5%	25%

Workforce

	MI	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	17,934	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	80,607	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$20,170	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	MI	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	20	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	480	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	20	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

¹³ U.S. Census. *Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002*. November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

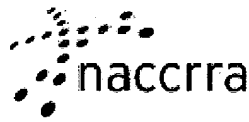
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Minnesota



The People¹

	MN	U.S.
Number of residents	4,958,748	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	334,846	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	40,660	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	438,567	25,040,929
Number of families	1,363,340	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	257,783	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	72,484	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	MN	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	180,959	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	67,302	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	248,261	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	MN	U.S.
With children under 6	98,585	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	378,803	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	100,558	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	17,371	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	MN	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$11,960	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$8,996	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	16%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	42%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,252	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$62,538	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$63,756	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

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⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	MN	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,509	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	206	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	13.7%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	12,217	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	4	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.0%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	293,755	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	23%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	47%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	MN	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	45%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	34%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	21%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	91%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	9%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	1%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	3%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	MN	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	31%	25%

Workforce

	MN	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	21,453	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$17,400	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	MN	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	20	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	2,174	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	14	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

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¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

¹³ U.S. Census. *Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002*. November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

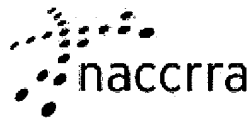
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of Mississippi



The People¹

	MS	U.S.
Number of residents	2,805,028	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	209,907	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	68,135	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	237,507	25,040,929
Number of families	756,074	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	247,493	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	133,106	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	MS	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	80,706	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	75,092	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	155,798	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	MS	U.S.
With children under 6	50,301	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	150,938	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	83,244	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	34,812	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	MS	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$4,368	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,004	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	8%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	30%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$4,038	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$39,319	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$36,104	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	MS	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,749	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	46	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	2.6%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	Not reported	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	Not reported	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	Not reported	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	Not reported	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	MS	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	Not reported	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	Not reported	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	Not reported	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	Not reported	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	Not reported	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	Not reported	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	MS	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	MS	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	4,566	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$14,330	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	MS	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies and offices	4	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	69	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	14	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Single Agency

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

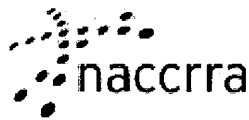
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. *Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population*. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimate.pdf>), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Missouri



The People¹

	MO	U.S.
Number of residents	5,586,114	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	371,205	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	78,015	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	485,311	25,040,929
Number of families	1,537,309	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	350,664	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	134,055	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	MO	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	172,018	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	105,079	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	277,097	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	MO	U.S.
With children under 6	110,903	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	361,899	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	137,376	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	33,359	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	MO	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$5,907	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,415	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	9%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	28%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,860	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$50,819	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$48,610	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	MO	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	2,260	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	426	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	18.8%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,969	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	73	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	3.7%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	159,588	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	71%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	16%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	MO	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	47%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	36%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	17%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	75%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	25%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	14%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	20%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	MO	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	MO	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	34,000	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	14,181	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,910	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	MO	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	8	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,242	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	14	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

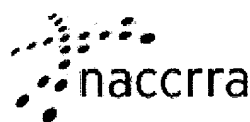
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. *Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population*. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Montana



The People¹

	MT	U.S.
Number of residents	901,901	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	54,697	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	12,339	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	67,779	25,040,929
Number of families	238,947	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	45,595	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	25,175	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	MT	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	27,938	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	13,888	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	41,826	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	MT	U.S.
With children under 6	14,948	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	55,818	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	16,401	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	4,769	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	MT	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$6,500	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,720	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	12%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	38%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$4,720	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$44,958	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$41,409	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	MT	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	269	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	24	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	8.9%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,066	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	36	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	3.4%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	29,153	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	41%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	31%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	MT	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	54%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	20%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	26%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	82%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	18%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	17%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	12%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	MT	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	MT	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	3,645	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	2,395	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,490	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	MT	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	12	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	853	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	8	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

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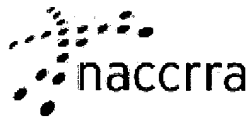
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Nebraska



The People¹

	NE	U.S.
Number of residents	1,696,513	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	120,985	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	18,750	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	149,673	25,040,929
Number of families	449,933	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	83,297	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	34,669	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	NE	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	69,278	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	26,660	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	95,938	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	NE	U.S.
With children under 6	38,438	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	125,464	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	32,884	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	9,706	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	NE	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$5,400	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,100	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	9%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	28%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$2,673	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$52,472	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$53,007	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² The national numbers are from CCR&R data. State numbers are from NACCRRRA *Breaking the Piggy Bank: Parents and the High Price of Child Care*, 2006.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the *College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004*. The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	NE	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	846	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	84	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	9.9%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	2,976	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	13	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.4%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	99,246	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	63%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	31%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	NE	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	Not reported	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	Not reported	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	Not reported	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	Not reported	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	Not reported	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	Not reported	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	NE	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	6%	25%

Workforce

	NE	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	4,106	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	4,498	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,030	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	NE	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	3	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	Not reported	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		None

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

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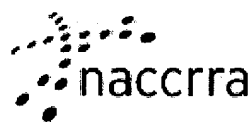
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. [Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population](http://www.ccb.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf). May 2002. (http://www.ccb.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Nevada



The People¹

	NV	U.S.
Number of residents	2,301,197	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	169,883	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	36,580	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	219,955	25,040,929
Number of families	560,310	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	145,261	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	56,263	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	NV	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	68,885	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	34,102	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	102,987	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	NV	U.S.
With children under 6	34,795	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	117,440	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	52,235	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	11,562	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	NV	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$8,060	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,980	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	14%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	36%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$9,600	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$51,722	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$44,744	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	NV	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,036	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	12	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	1.2%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	122	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	10	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	8.2%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	Not reported	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	NV	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	36%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	27%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	37%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	75%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	25%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	Not reported	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	NV	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	NV	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	1,175	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$17,150	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	NV	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies and offices	3	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	720	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	12	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Single Agency

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study \(www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html\)](http://www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network and only includes southern Nevada centers that receive subsidies.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study \(www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html\)](http://www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network and only includes southern Nevada centers that receive subsidies.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

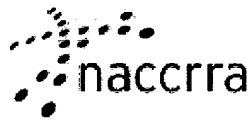
¹³ U.S. Census. [Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002. November 2005. \(http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf\)](http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. [Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population. May 2002. \(http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf\)](http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf), 17.

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¹⁶ These statistics are based on national mean hourly wage of \$8.68. They are derived from 2004 data collected and reported by the 2004 Occupational Employment Statistics survey by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor (<http://www.bls.gov/news.release/ocwage.t01.htm>). They do not include preschool teachers and assistant teachers.

¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: New Hampshire



The People¹

	NH	U.S.
Number of residents	1,261,970	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	73,981	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	9,793	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	109,562	25,040,929
Number of families	332,472	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	64,562	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	18,127	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	NH	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	34,260	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	13,053	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	47,313	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	NH	U.S.
With children under 6	21,622	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	79,369	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	25,968	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	5,389	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	NH	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,100	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,800	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	9%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	25%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵		\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$67,848	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$67,284	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the *College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004*. The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	NH	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	797	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	59	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	7.4%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	520	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	1	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.2%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	Not reported	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	NH	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	50%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	30%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	20%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	72%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	28%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	16%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	2%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	NH	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	NH	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	3,387	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$18,510	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	NH	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	10	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	483	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	13	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study \(www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html\)](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study \(www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html\)](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

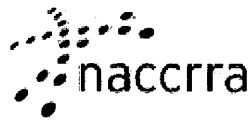
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. [Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population](http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf). May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: New Jersey



The People¹

	NJ	U.S.
Number of residents	8,503,294	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	564,082	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	70,275	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	761,174	25,040,929
Number of families	2,200,082	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	544,603	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	143,373	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	NJ	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	254,167	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	117,759	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	371,926	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	NJ	U.S.
With children under 6	138,172	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	503,071	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	161,852	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	25,622	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	NJ	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$6,859-\$13,416	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,344-\$11,783	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	8%-15%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	23%-49%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	Not reported	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$73,973	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$76,317	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	NJ	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	3,780	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	279	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	7.4%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	3,436	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	42	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.2%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	284,678	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	79%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	6%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	NJ	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	58%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	23%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	19%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	87%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	13%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	13%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	2%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	NJ	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	NJ	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	11,637	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$18,430	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	NJ	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	21	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	2,357	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

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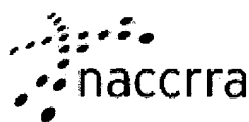
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: New Mexico



The People¹

	NM	U.S.
Number of residents	1,862,837	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	132,383	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	43,609	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	169,880	25,040,929
Number of families	459,803	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	132,202	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	72,900	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	NM	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	41,509	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	52,204	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	93,713	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	NM	U.S.
With children under 6	26,261	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	87,940	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	51,306	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	16,594	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	NM	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$5,714	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,086	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	11%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	40%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	Not reported	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$42,240	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$36,242	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	NM	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	676	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	129	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	19.1%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	404	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	10	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	2.5%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	47,336	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	92%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	8%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	NM	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	49%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	35%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	16%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	88%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	12%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	4%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	Not reported	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	NM	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	23%	25%

Workforce

	NM	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	9,799	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,200	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	NM	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	13	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,167	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	14	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study \(www.nic.org/poptopics/number.html\)](http://www.nic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study \(www.nic.org/poptopics/number.html\)](http://www.nic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

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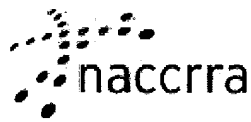
¹³ U.S. Census. [Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002](http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. [Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population](http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf). May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: New York



The People¹

	NY	U.S.
Number of residents	18,634,337	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	1,240,604	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	269,543	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	1,554,123	25,040,929
Number of families	4,614,684	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	1,363,791	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	511,308	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	NY	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	479,654	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	303,809	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	783,463	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	NY	U.S.
With children under 6	275,606	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	956,480	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	409,641	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	108,064	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	NY	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$11,887	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$9,391	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	16%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	56%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,300	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$56,556	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$54,120	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	NY	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	4,428	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	474	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	10.7%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	13,689	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	65	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.5%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	611,476	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	47%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	21%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	NY	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	52%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	23%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	24%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	74%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	26%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	16%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	11%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	NY	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	NY	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	117,352	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	86,092	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$21,850	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	NY	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	49	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	4,354	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	12	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

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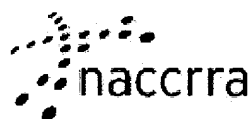
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: North Carolina



The People¹

	NC	U.S.
Number of residents	8,270,028	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	595,543	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	147,118	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	730,941	25,040,929
Number of families	2,280,086	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	599,373	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	275,772	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	NC	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	233,323	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	175,003	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	408,326	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	NC	U.S.
With children under 6	158,378	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	476,052	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	220,637	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	65,674	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	NC	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	Not reported	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	Not reported	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	Not reported	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	Not reported	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	Not reported	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$47,112	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$44,324	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average price for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state figures is tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution provided by the State Network.

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Child Care Supply

	NC	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	4,788	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	210	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	4%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	4,426	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	86	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	2%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	375,460	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	92%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	8%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	NC	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	82%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care		32%
Percent requests for school-age care	18%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	Not reported	77%
Percent requests for part-time care .	Not reported	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	Not reported	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	NC	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	NC	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	42,217	2,300,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	9,217	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$17,740	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	NC	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	77	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	4,927	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). In the state column is the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). In the state column is the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

¹³ U.S. Census. *Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002*. November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>).

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



The People¹

	ND	U.S.
Number of residents	609,691	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	35,268	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	5,974	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	48,119	25,040,929
Number of families	166,312	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	30,263	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	13,223	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	ND	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	21,585	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	7,574	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	29,159	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	ND	U.S.
With children under 6	12,353	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	45,053	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	10,798	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	3,574	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	ND	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$6,020	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,308	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	10%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	33%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$3,423	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$51,020	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$51,204	\$51,787

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⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	ND	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	132	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	11	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	8.3%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,267	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	8	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.6%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	27,231	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	37%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	53%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	ND	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	61%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	21%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	19%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	78%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	22%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	7%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	8%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	ND	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	4%	25%

Workforce

	ND	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	1,555	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	2,957	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,870	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	ND	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	3	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	360	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	16	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

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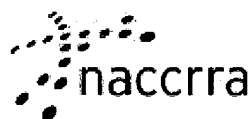
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of Ohio



The People¹

	OH	U.S.
Number of residents	11,153,800	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	726,859	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	153,066	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	975,160	25,040,929
Number of families	3,003,551	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	749,910	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	301,320	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	OH	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	323,115	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	222,240	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	545,355	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	OH	U.S.
With children under 6	201,607	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	653,629	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	299,509	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	82,843	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	OH	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$6,283	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,167	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	9%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	32%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$8,082	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$51,966	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$51,097	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

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Child Care Supply

	OH	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	4,169	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	418	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	10.0%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	7,599	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	33	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.4%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	405,569	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	73%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	11%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	OH	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	43%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	25%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	32%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	85%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	15%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	38%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	36%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	OH	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	OH	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	13,239	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	21,117	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$17,300	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	OH	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	23	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	2,767	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	15	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

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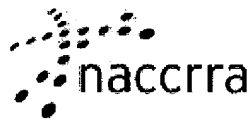
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

¹⁵ These statistics are from Child Care Bureau (<http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ccb/research/04acf800/table7.htm>).

¹⁶ These statistics are based on national mean hourly wage of \$8.68. They are derived from 2004 data collected and reported by the 2004 Occupational Employment Statistics survey by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor (<http://www.bls.gov/news.release/ocwage.t01.htm>). They do not include preschool teachers and assistant teachers.

¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Oklahoma



The People¹

	OK	U.S.
Number of residents	3,412,202	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	244,270	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	63,424	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	283,291	25,040,929
Number of families	912,709	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	228,899	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	109,875	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	OK	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	100,275	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	65,858	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	166,133	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	OK	U.S.
With children under 6	57,402	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	186,522	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	76,033	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	28,676	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	OK	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$6,029	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,706	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	11%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	35%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$4,917	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$44,508	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$40,722	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	OK	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,843	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	110	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	6.0%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	4,048	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	51	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.3%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	142,713	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	76%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	24%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	OK	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	53%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	27%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	20%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	94%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	6%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	13%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	49%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	OK	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	OK	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	4,132	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$14,640	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	OK	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	11	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	286	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	13	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

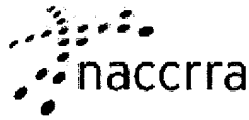
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. *Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population*. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

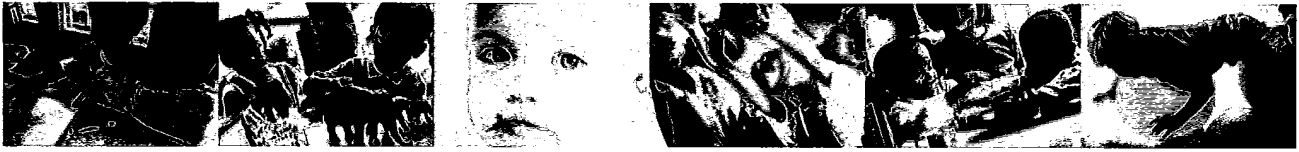
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¹⁶ These statistics are based on national mean hourly wage of \$8.68. They are derived from 2004 data collected and reported by the 2004 Occupational Employment Statistics survey by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor (<http://www.bls.gov/news.release/ocwage.t01.htm>). They do not include preschool teachers and assistant teachers.

¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Oregon



The People¹

	OR	U.S.
Number of residents	3,513,759	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	224,810	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	43,126	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	291,906	25,040,929
Number of families	919,188	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	209,730	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	95,422	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	OR	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	92,975	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	52,820	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	145,795	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	OR	U.S.
With children under 6	54,987	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	190,358	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	73,342	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	14,049	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	OR	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,560	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,700	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	12%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	39%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	Not reported	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$51,011	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$48,365	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	OR	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	1,341	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	71	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	5.3%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	5,197	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	4	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.1%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	95,343	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	66%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	34%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	OR	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	69%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	43%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	31%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	75%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	23%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	23%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	24%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	OR	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	OR	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	48%	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	30%	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	22%	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	OR	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	24	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,650	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	9	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

¹³ U.S. Census. *Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002*. November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

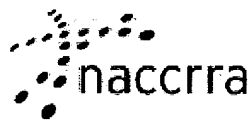
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¹⁶ These statistics are based on national mean hourly wage of \$8.68. They are derived from 2004 data collected and reported by the 2004 Occupational Employment Statistics survey by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor (<http://www.bls.gov/news.release/ocwage.t01.htm>). They do not include preschool teachers and assistant teachers.

¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Pennsylvania



The People¹

	PA	U.S.
Number of residents	11,957,883	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	718,931	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	145,556	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	967,837	25,040,929
Number of families	3,216,764	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	768,750	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	285,077	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	PA	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	306,786	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	182,239	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	489,025	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	PA	U.S.
With children under 6	175,526	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	685,808	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	237,525	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	67,447	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	PA	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$11,450	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,700	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	17%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	53%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$7,200	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$53,680	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$55,135	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004. The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	PA	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	4,700	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	378	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	8.0%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	4,222	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	45	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.1%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	335,504	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	92%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	8%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	PA	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	Not reported	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	Not reported	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	Not reported	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	Not reported	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	Not reported	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	Not reported	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	PA	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	6%	25%

Workforce

	PA	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	8,912	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	30,763	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$17,730	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	PA	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	60	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	Not reported	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		None

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

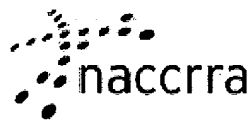
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. *Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population*. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

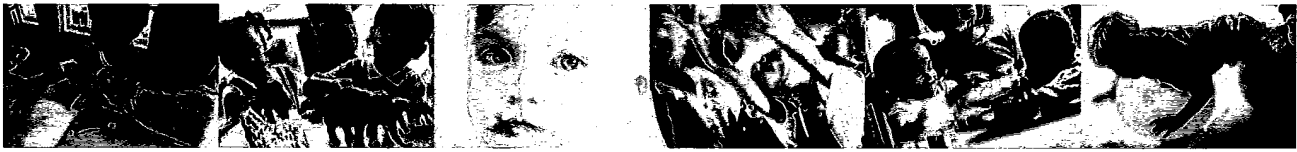
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Rhode Island



The People¹

	RI	U.S.
Number of residents	1,037,002	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	60,849	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	13,368	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	86,473	25,040,929
Number of families	267,908	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	76,459	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	27,802	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	RI	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	26,006	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	15,931	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	41,937	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	RI	U.S.
With children under 6	19,307	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	57,003	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	27,420	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	9,576	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	RI	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$9,464	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$7,800	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	13%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	55%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,200	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$58,978	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$55,439	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² The national numbers are from CCR&R data. State numbers are from NACCRRRA *Breaking the Piggy Bank: Parents and the High Price of Child Care*, 2006.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the *College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004*. The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	RI	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	435	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	36	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	8.3%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,293	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	10	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.8%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	38,419	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	79%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	21%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	RI	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	66%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	18%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	17%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	97%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	3%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	2%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	1%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	RI	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	RI	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	1,775	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$20,210	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	RI	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	1	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	Not reported	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Single Agency

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

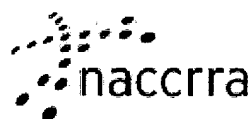
¹³ U.S. Census. [Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002](http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). November 2005. (http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. [Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population](http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf). May 2002. (http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: South Carolina



The People¹

	SC	U.S.
Number of residents	4,059,838	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	271,588	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	65,610	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	351,472	25,040,929
Number of families	1,101,678	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	296,903	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	137,347	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	SC	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	107,145	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	101,854	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	208,999	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	SC	U.S.
With children under 6	79,308	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	225,269	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	115,760	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	35,070	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	SC	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$4,712	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,180	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	7%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	26%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	Not reported	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$47,680	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$45,175	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² The national numbers are from CCR&R data. State numbers are from NACCRRRA *Breaking the Piggy Bank: Parents and the High Price of Child Care*, 2006.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the *College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004*. The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	SC	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	3,496	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	130	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	3.7%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,848	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	8	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.4%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	Not reported	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	SC	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	51%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	32%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	17%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	Not reported	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	Not reported	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	5%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	7%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	SC	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	SC	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	4,959	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$15,070	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	SC	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	6	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	90	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	19	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

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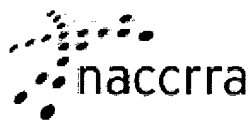
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. *Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population*. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimateport.pdf>), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: South Dakota



The People¹

	SD	U.S.
Number of residents	741,480	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	52,220	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	10,021	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	65,084	25,040,929
Number of families	196,481	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	37,230	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	16,458	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	SD	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	28,954	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	12,420	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	41,374	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	SD	U.S.
With children under 6	15,254	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	52,560	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	15,828	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	4,411	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	SD	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$4,680	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,446	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	8%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	24%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,084	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$49,380	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$49,547	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	SD	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	401	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	6	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	1.5%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,062	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	0	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.0%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	38,905	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	36%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	30%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	SD	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	60%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	25%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	14%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	68%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	32%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	11%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	8%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	SD	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	2%	25%

Workforce

	SD	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	4,560	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	1,853	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$15,090	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	SD	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	6	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	807	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		None

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

¹³ U.S. Census. *Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002*. November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



The People¹

	TN	U.S.
Number of residents	5,748,379	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	386,301	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	91,108	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	475,585	25,040,929
Number of families	1,556,090	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	403,209	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	181,127	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	TN	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	144,043	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	121,640	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	265,683	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	TN	U.S.
With children under 6	106,504	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	322,373	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	146,595	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	40,354	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	TN	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$5,680	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,355	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	10%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	30%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	Not reported	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$47,530	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$46,362	\$51,787

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⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	TN	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	3,644	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	Not reported	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	Not reported	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,369	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	Not reported	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	Not reported	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	334,308	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	96%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	4%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	TN	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	68%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	21%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	12%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	91%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	9%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	5%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	5%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	TN	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	TN	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	5,013	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	5,110	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$15,910	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	TN	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	11	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	5,030	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	4	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

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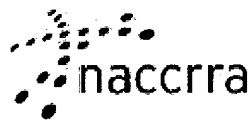
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Texas



The People¹

	TX	U.S.
Number of residents	21,912,164	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	1,841,652	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	474,718	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	2,068,844	25,040,929
Number of families	5,482,591	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	1,437,598	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	741,479	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	TX	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	687,323	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	480,556	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	1,167,879	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	TX	U.S.
With children under 6	388,168	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	1,214,300	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	529,225	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	158,869	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	TX	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$5,613	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,709	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	9%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	28%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$4,687	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$49,086	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$44,499	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	TX	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	8,900	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	558	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	6.3%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	7,808	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	Not reported	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	Not reported	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	912,933	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	Not reported	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	Not reported	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	TX	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	47%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	32%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	21%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	76%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	24%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	17%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	3%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	TX	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	TX	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	Not reported	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	34,785	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$15,320	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	TX	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	10	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	704	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	41	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

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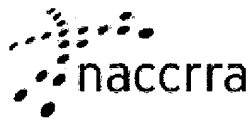
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¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. *Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population*. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Utah



The People¹

	UT	U.S.
Number of residents	2,349,472	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	233,907	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	35,202	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	259,706	25,040,929
Number of families	595,432	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	103,912	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	48,848	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	UT	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	93,381	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	33,084	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	126,465	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	UT	U.S.
With children under 6	48,249	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	158,746	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	35,924	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	7,681	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	UT	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$5,601	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$4,421	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	10%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	25%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$3,246	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$52,286	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$51,599	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the College Board, *Trends in College Pricing, 2004*. The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	UT	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	323	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	27	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	8.4%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,980	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	9	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.5%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	39,058	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	48%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	35%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	UT	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	45%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	29%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	26%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	72%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	28%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	20%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	31%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	UT	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	UT	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	279	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	9,240	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$15,520	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	UT	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	6	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	335	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	5	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Voluntary

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by all except one of the local CCR&Rs.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by all except one of the local CCR&Rs and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by all except one of the local CCR&Rs.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by all except one of the local CCR&Rs and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by all except one of the local CCR&Rs. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

¹³ U.S. Census. *Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002*. November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



The People¹

	VT	U.S.
Number of residents	600,632	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	31,355	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	4,615	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	48,891	25,040,929
Number of families	162,020	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	32,716	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	9,038	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	VT	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	16,833	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	6,623	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	23,456	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	VT	U.S.
With children under 6	9,441	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	41,039	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	12,197	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	2,103	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	VT	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,328	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,537	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	11%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	31%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$6,000	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$55,819	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$55,765	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	VT	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	597	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	90	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	15.1%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	1,095	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	90	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	8.2%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	34,413	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	68%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	32%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	VT	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	42%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	38%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	20%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	65%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	35%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	12%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	6%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	VT	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	4%	25%

Workforce

	VT	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	5,000	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	2,963	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$20,710	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	VT	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	10	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	600	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	Not reported	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

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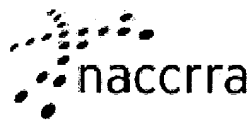
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of Virginia



The People¹

	VA	U.S.
Number of residents	7,223,519	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	496,923	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	78,728	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	617,718	25,040,929
Number of families	1,952,639	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	468,012	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	139,717	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	VA	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	218,602	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	131,148	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	349,750	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	VA	U.S.
With children under 6	153,964	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	435,057	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	180,386	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	39,474	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	VA	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$8,268	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,240	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	11%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	36%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$5,612	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$61,309	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$58,202	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	VA	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	3,602	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	228	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	6.3%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	11,451	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	19	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.2%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	385,499	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	80%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	20%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	VA	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	60%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	23%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	18%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	84%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	16%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	9%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	6%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	VA	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	Not reported	25%

Workforce

	VA	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	30,000	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	Not reported	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$17,480	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	VA	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	18	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	475	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	15	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Managing

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

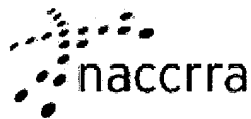
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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



2006 Child Care in the State of: Washington



The People¹

	WA	U.S.
Number of residents	6,063,048	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	393,221	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	78,194	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	509,768	25,040,929
Number of families	1,566,251	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	357,571	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	146,566	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	WA	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	151,158	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	93,772	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	244,930	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	WA	U.S.
With children under 6	106,358	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	333,693	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	136,148	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	29,842	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	WA	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$8,476	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,648	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	12%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	40%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$4,566	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$57,478	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$54,214	\$51,787

¹ Unless otherwise noted, statistics in these sections are from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	WA	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	2,015	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	192	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	9.5%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	5,840	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	15	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.3%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	171,847	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	67%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	30%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	WA	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	47%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	21%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	32%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	71%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	29%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	Not reported	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	30%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	WA	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	3%	25%

Workforce

	WA	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	30,600	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	22,635	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$18,350	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	WA	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	18	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	942	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	14	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study \(www.ncc.org/poptopics/number.html\)](http://www.ncc.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study \(www.ncc.org/poptopics/number.html\)](http://www.ncc.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

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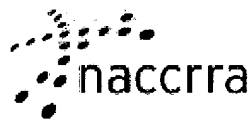
¹³ U.S. Census. [Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002](http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. [Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population](http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf). May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

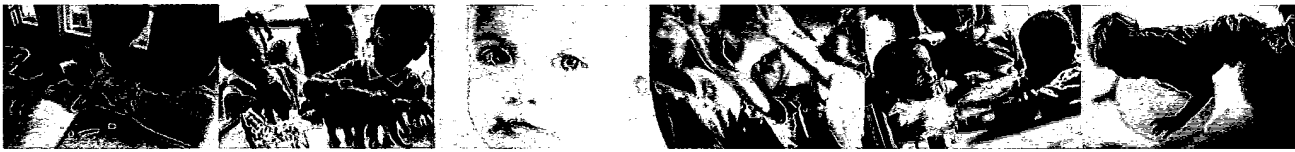
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¹⁶ These statistics are based on national mean hourly wage of \$8.68. They are derived from 2004 data collected and reported by the 2004 Occupational Employment Statistics survey by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor (<http://www.bls.gov/news.release/ocwage.t01.htm>). They do not include preschool teachers and assistant teachers.

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2006 Child Care in the State of: West Virginia



The People¹

	WV	U.S.
Number of residents	1,770,403	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	98,815	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	26,562	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	129,836	25,040,929
Number of families	493,917	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	106,702	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	69,606	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	WV	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	45,272	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	20,918	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	66,190	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	WV	U.S.
With children under 6	23,857	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	86,854	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	31,047	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	8,778	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	WV	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$7,613	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$7,176	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	15%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	52%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$3,981	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$40,827	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$39,068	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004. The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	WV	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	350	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	64	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	18.3%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	2,438	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	162	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	6.6%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	23,837	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	59%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	56%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	WV	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	43%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	31%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	26%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	79%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	21%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	13%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	41%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	WV	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	2%	25%

Workforce

	WV	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	3,017	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	3,956	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$14,850	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	WV	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	7	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,719	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	32	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.naic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

¹³ U.S. Census. [Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002](http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). November 2005. (http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. [Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population](http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf). May 2002. (http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf), 17.

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¹⁶ These statistics are based on national mean hourly wage of \$8.68. They are derived from 2004 data collected and reported by the 2004 Occupational Employment Statistics survey by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor (http://www.bls.gov/news.release/ocwage.t01.htm). They do not include preschool teachers and assistant teachers.

¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



The People¹

	WI	U.S.
Number of residents	5,350,681	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	334,855	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	54,413	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	447,145	25,040,929
Number of families	1,417,606	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	295,624	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	107,035	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	WI	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	172,157	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	81,198	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	253,355	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	WI	U.S.
With children under 6	110,795	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	356,335	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	121,986	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	28,519	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	WI	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$11,855	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$6,959	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	17%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	53%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$4,243	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$55,780	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$56,468	\$51,787

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² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

³ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for two-parent families, with children under 18, data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁴ The national statistic is the range in the price of care based on data provided by local CCR&Rs and State Networks. The median income for female householder, with no husband present and with children under 18 data are from American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau.

⁵ The national column contains the average cost for public college tuition and fees for a four-year institution from the [College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2004](#). The state cost for tuition and fees for a public 4-year institution were provided by the State Network.

⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	WI	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	2,456	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	291	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	11.8%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	6,867	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	100	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	1.5%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	179,386	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	62%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	26%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	WI	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	60%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	25%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	15%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	77%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	23%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	9%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	26%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	WI	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	23%	25%

Workforce

	WI	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	9,322	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	8,812	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$18,300	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	WI	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	16	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	1,161	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	18	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		Coordinating

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

⁸ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of September 2005, provided by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAEYC.

⁹ This is the number of licensed family child care homes, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. *Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study* (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated family child care homes derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

¹⁰ The national number reflects the number of accredited programs as of January 2006, provided by the National Association for Family Child Care Centers. The state number was provided by the State Network and reflects accreditations in addition to NAFCC.

¹¹ This number is provided by the State Network. It includes all child care slots, including those in school age programs.

¹² These data are derived from CCR&R data.

¹³ U.S. Census. *Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002*. November 2005. (<http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf>). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

¹⁴ Center for the Child Care Workforce. *Estimating the size and Components of the U.S. Child Care Workforce and Caregiving Population*. May 2002. (<http://www.ccw.org/pubs/workforceestimatereport.pdf>), 17.

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¹⁷ This number is derived from CCR&R data and State Network data. Only 15 state networks provided this information.



The People¹

	WY	U.S.
Number of residents	492,534	285,691,501
Number of children ages 0 through 4	30,607	20,008,152
Number of children ages 0 through 4 living below poverty level	5,899	4,131,905
Number of children ages 5 through 11	39,197	25,040,929
Number of families	131,438	73,885,953
Number of single-parent headed families	24,143	18,662,379
Number of families below poverty level	10,150	7,443,910

Children Under 6 with Parents in the Labor Force¹

	WY	U.S.
Two parent-families, both parents in labor force	13,376	8,355,372
Single parent-families, parent in the labor force	7,586	5,240,779
Total with parents in the labor force	20,962	13,596,151

Women in the Labor Force¹

	WY	U.S.
With children under 6	8,717	4,992,341
Married with children under 18	31,353	16,237,227
Single with children under 18	10,049	6,551,630
Single living below poverty level with children under 5	2,612	1,707,758

Child Care Costs, Family Incomes

	WY	U.S.
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for an infant in a center	\$6,552	Up to \$14,225
Average, annual fees paid for full-time care ² for a child age 4 in a center	\$5,486	\$3,900-\$10,193
Care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families ³	11%	7%-17%
Care for an infant as percent of median income for single-parent families ⁴	36%	24%-60%
Average tuition and fees paid for state college ⁵	\$3,429	\$5,132
Median annual family income ⁶	\$54,935	\$53,692
Median annual family income of families with children under 18 ⁶	\$51,918	\$51,787

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⁶ This statistic is from the 2004 American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau (www.census.gov).

Child Care Supply

	WY	U.S.
Number of centers ⁷	303	117,053
Number of accredited child care centers ⁸	28	11,185
Percent of child care centers that are accredited	9.2%	9.5%
Number of family child care homes ⁹	663	290,466
Number of accredited family child care homes ¹⁰	0	2304
Percent of family child care homes that are accredited	0.0%	0.8%
Total number of child care spaces ¹¹	20,070	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in child care centers	63%	Not reported
Percent of slots that are in family child care homes	30%	Not reported

Child Care Demand¹²

	WY	U.S.
Percent requests for infant and toddler care	43%	42%
Percent requests for pre-school age care	40%	32%
Percent requests for school-age care	16%	26%
Percent requests for full-time care	75%	77%
Percent requests for part-time care	25%	23%
Percent requests for before and after-school care	13%	12%
Percent requests for non-traditional hour care	12%	18%

Family, Friend and Neighbor Care

	WY	U.S.
Percent of children ¹³ under age 5 cared for by a relative	11%	25%

Workforce

	WY	U.S.
Number of child care providers ¹⁴	4,060	2,301,000
Number of child care providers participating in a subsidy program ¹⁵	2,034	763,614
Average income for full-time, year-round child care provider ¹⁶	\$16,110	\$18,060

Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) Agencies

	WY	U.S.
Number of CCR&R agencies	6	800
Number of training sessions held by CCR&R agencies for providers	345	Not reported
Average number of providers attending training sessions ¹⁷	9	508,080 (Total)
Type of State Network		None

⁷ This is the number of licensed centers, including those located in Puerto Rico as well as those located in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. [Children's Foundation, 2004 Child Care Licensing Study](http://www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html) (www.ncic.org/poptopics/number.html). The state column reflects the number of regulated centers derived from CCR&R data provided by the State Network.

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¹³ U.S. Census. [Who's Minding the Kids? Child Care Arrangements: Winter 2002](http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). November 2005. (http://www.census.gov/prod/2005pubs/p70-101.pdf). U.S. Percentage is the percent of children of working mothers.

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