



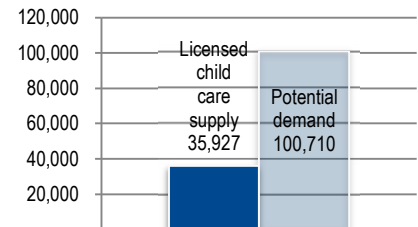
Child Care Profile

2020

North Dakota

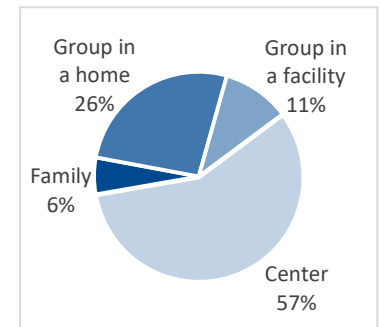
Children Potentially Needing Child Care

| | <u>0-2 yrs</u> | <u>3 yrs</u> | <u>4-5 yrs</u> | <u>6-12 yrs</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|--|----------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Children in State by Age ¹ | 32,926 | 11,069 | 21,117 | 68,987 | 134,099 |
| % of Children Ages 0 to 5 with All Parents in the Labor Force ¹ | | | | | 71.2% |
| % of Children Ages 6 to 13 with All Parents in the Labor Force ¹ | | | | | 78.8% |
| Children Ages 0 to 5 potentially needing child care due to parents in workforce | | | | | 46,372 |
| Children Ages 6 to 12 potentially needing child care due to parents in workforce | | | | | 54,338 |
| Capacity of state-licensed child care programs (family, group, center, school-age ³) | | | | | 35,927 |
| Current Child Care Assistance Program Recipients Age 0-13 ¹ | | | | | 4,410 |
| Percent to which supply meets potential demand | | | | | 36% |



State-Licensed Early Childhood Program Type and Capacity² (2020)

| | <u>Family</u> | <u>Group in a home</u> | <u>Group in a facility</u> | <u>Center</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|---|---------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Number of Programs | 216 | 622 | 145 | 201 | 1,184 |
| Licensed Capacity | 1,894 | 8,837 | 3,505 | 19,158 | 33,394 |
| Reported Vacancies ⁴ | 203 | 715 | 364 | 1,909 | 3,191 |
| Providers/Capacity Added | 46/389 | 53/781 | 29/673 | 19/1663 | 147/3506 |
| Providers/Capacity Lost | 67/581 | 95/1342 | 28/672 | 17/1292 | 207/3887 |
| Programs open before 7:00 a.m. | 39 | 130 | 32 | 100 | 301 |
| Programs open after 6:00 p.m. | 15 | 18 | 7 | 11 | 51 |
| Programs open on Weekends | 12 | 11 | 3 | 4 | 30 |
| Reported Size of Workforce | 256 | 1,092 | 714 | 3,588 | 5,650 |
| State-licensed school-age programs ³ | | 32 | with a licensed capacity of | | 2,533 |



Annual Cost of State-Licensed Child Care²

| <u>Age of Child</u> | <u>Home-based Programs</u> | | <u>Centers and Group Facilities</u> | |
|---------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| | <u>Average</u> | <u>Highest Rate</u> | <u>Average</u> | <u>Highest Rate</u> |
| Ages 0 to 17 months | \$7,968 | \$13,520 | \$9,539 | \$16,640 |
| 18 to 35 months | \$7,773 | \$13,000 | \$9,067 | \$15,080 |
| Ages 3 to 5 | \$7,650 | \$13,000 | \$8,589 | \$14,040 |

Ages 6 to 12 (Annual costs for school-age children vary greatly based on hours needed.)

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¹ 2020 ND Kids Count Fact Book

² Child Care Aware® of North Dakota NACCRRAware Database (surveyed between January and June 2020)

³ School-age care numbers reflect programs licensed exclusively as before and after school programs under Early Childhood Services rules. Not all school-age programs are required to be licensed. In addition, many school-age children are enrolled in family/group programs and child care centers.

⁴ Vacancies change daily and may not match the location or program characteristics desired by families needing care. A 10% vacancy rate allows families some choice among programs.