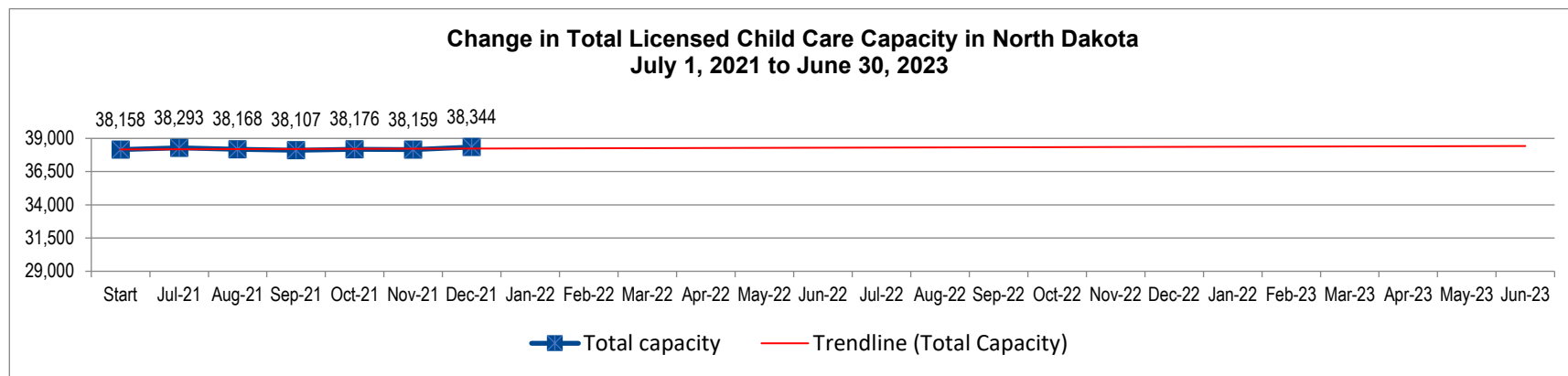


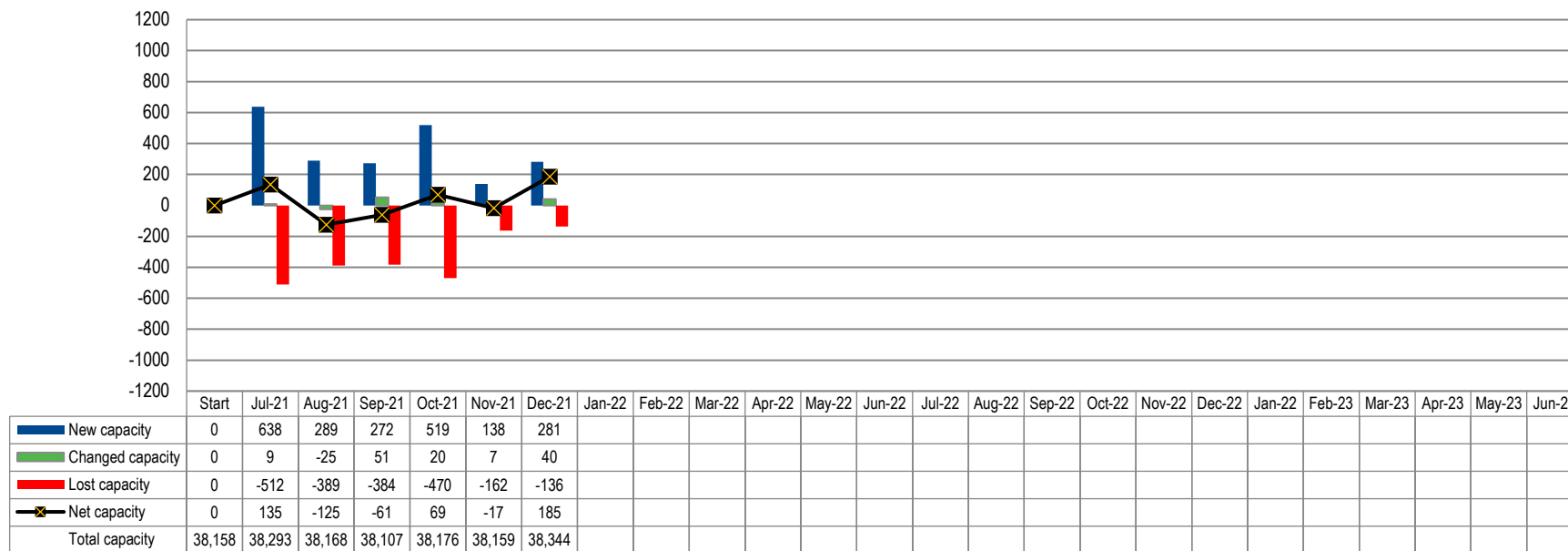
# North Dakota Licensed Child Care Capacity Snapshot

as of December 31, 2021



The following chart depicts newly licensed capacity per month, as well as capacity changes within existing licensed programs, and how much capacity was lost due to programs closing. The sum of those totals equals the net capacity for each month.

**Change in Licensed Child Care Capacity in North Dakota  
July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2021**



The chart on the following page documents the potential need for child care in each county, the current capacity of licensed child care, and the % to which that child care supply meets the potential demand. The Capacity Goals columns (yellow) indicate how many new spots would be needed to meet 30%, 40%, or 50% of potential demand.



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|                     | July, 2021                                                 |                                                             |                                       |                                             | September, 2021                              |                                                     | Capacity Goals                                   |                                                  |                                                  |
|---------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
|                     | Children Ages 0 to 5 potentially needing child care (NDKC) | Children Ages 6 to 13 potentially needing child care (NDKC) | Capacity of licensed child care (CCA) | Extent licensed care meets potential demand | Net Change in licensed capacity since 7/1/19 | Current extent licensed care meets potential demand | Additional capacity needed to meet 30% of demand | Additional capacity needed to meet 40% of demand | Additional capacity needed to meet 50% of demand |
| <b>North Dakota</b> | <b>39,844</b>                                              | <b>53,576</b>                                               | <b>38,158</b>                         | <b>40.8%</b>                                | <b>186</b>                                   | 41.0%                                               | -                                                |                                                  | <b>8,366</b>                                     |
| Adams               | 94                                                         | 150                                                         | 104                                   | 42.6%                                       | 0                                            | 42.6%                                               | -                                                |                                                  | 18                                               |
| Barnes              | 531                                                        | 855                                                         | 505                                   | 36.4%                                       | -8                                           | 35.9%                                               | -                                                | 57                                               | 196                                              |
| Benson              | 353                                                        | 590                                                         | 102                                   | 10.8%                                       | 4                                            | 11.2%                                               | 177                                              | 271                                              | 365                                              |
| Billings            | 68                                                         | 42                                                          | 42                                    | 38.2%                                       | 0                                            | 38.2%                                               | -                                                | 2                                                | 13                                               |
| Bottineau           | 259                                                        | 389                                                         | 393                                   | 60.6%                                       | -35                                          | 55.2%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | -                                                |
| Bowman              | 239                                                        | 311                                                         | 159                                   | 28.9%                                       | 0                                            | 28.9%                                               | 6                                                | 61                                               | 116                                              |
| Burke               | 82                                                         | 169                                                         | 98                                    | 39.0%                                       | 20                                           | 47.0%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | 7                                                |
| Burleigh            | 5,334                                                      | 7,194                                                       | 4400                                  | 35.1%                                       | -7                                           | 35.1%                                               | -                                                | 618                                              | 1,871                                            |
| Cass                | 10,737                                                     | 12,159                                                      | 14535                                 | 63.5%                                       | -102                                         | 63.0%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | -                                                |
| Cavalier            | 180                                                        | 234                                                         | 174                                   | 42.1%                                       | -20                                          | 37.2%                                               | -                                                | 12                                               | 53                                               |
| Dickey              | 310                                                        | 484                                                         | 290                                   | 36.5%                                       | 53                                           | 43.2%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | 54                                               |
| Divide              | 117                                                        | 119                                                         | 105                                   | 44.4%                                       | 0                                            | 44.4%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | 13                                               |
| Dunn                | 213                                                        | 287                                                         | 61                                    | 12.2%                                       | 0                                            | 12.2%                                               | 89                                               | 139                                              | 189                                              |
| Eddy                | 166                                                        | 202                                                         | 67                                    | 18.2%                                       | 0                                            | 18.2%                                               | 43                                               | 80                                               | 117                                              |
| Emmons              | 118                                                        | 250                                                         | 173                                   | 47.0%                                       | 0                                            | 47.0%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | 11                                               |
| Foster              | 162                                                        | 279                                                         | 109                                   | 24.7%                                       | 3                                            | 25.4%                                               | 20                                               | 65                                               | 109                                              |
| Golden Valley       | 98                                                         | 165                                                         | 83                                    | 31.5%                                       | 0                                            | 31.5%                                               | -                                                | 22                                               | 49                                               |
| Grand Forks         | 3,458                                                      | 4,536                                                       | 3442                                  | 43.1%                                       | -24                                          | 42.8%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | 579                                              |
| Grant               | 103                                                        | 147                                                         | 78                                    | 31.2%                                       | 0                                            | 31.2%                                               | -                                                | 22                                               | 47                                               |
| Griggs              | 136                                                        | 160                                                         | 71                                    | 24.0%                                       | 0                                            | 24.0%                                               | 18                                               | 47                                               | 77                                               |
| Hettinger           | 113                                                        | 184                                                         | 78                                    | 26.3%                                       | -30                                          | 16.2%                                               | 41                                               | 71                                               | 100                                              |
| Kidder              | 97                                                         | 144                                                         | 77                                    | 32.0%                                       | 5                                            | 34.1%                                               | -                                                | 14                                               | 38                                               |
| Lamoure             | 182                                                        | 331                                                         | 222                                   | 43.2%                                       | 0                                            | 43.2%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | 35                                               |
| Logan               | 80                                                         | 151                                                         | 119                                   | 51.5%                                       | 0                                            | 51.5%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | -                                                |
| McHenry             | 262                                                        | 417                                                         | 245                                   | 36.1%                                       | 0                                            | 36.1%                                               | -                                                | 27                                               | 94                                               |
| McIntosh            | 143                                                        | 195                                                         | 105                                   | 31.1%                                       | -5                                           | 29.6%                                               | 1                                                | 35                                               | 69                                               |
| McKenzie            | 494                                                        | 808                                                         | 340                                   | 26.1%                                       | 18                                           | 27.5%                                               | 33                                               | 163                                              | 293                                              |
| McLean              | 380                                                        | 650                                                         | 209                                   | 20.3%                                       | -18                                          | 18.6%                                               | 118                                              | 221                                              | 324                                              |
| Mercer              | 398                                                        | 600                                                         | 250                                   | 25.0%                                       | 5                                            | 25.5%                                               | 45                                               | 144                                              | 244                                              |
| Morton              | 1,965                                                      | 2,173                                                       | 992                                   | 24.0%                                       | 51                                           | 25.2%                                               | 199                                              | 612                                              | 1,026                                            |
| Mountrail           | 453                                                        | 810                                                         | 144                                   | 11.4%                                       | -31                                          | 8.9%                                                | 266                                              | 392                                              | 518                                              |
| Nelson              | 136                                                        | 177                                                         | 163                                   | 52.2%                                       | 0                                            | 52.2%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | -                                                |
| Oliver              | 82                                                         | 90                                                          | 37                                    | 21.5%                                       | 6                                            | 24.9%                                               | 9                                                | 26                                               | 43                                               |
| Pembina             | 307                                                        | 536                                                         | 206                                   | 24.4%                                       | 24                                           | 27.3%                                               | 23                                               | 107                                              | 192                                              |
| Pierce              | 208                                                        | 332                                                         | 182                                   | 33.7%                                       | 0                                            | 33.7%                                               | -                                                | 34                                               | 88                                               |
| Ramsey              | 617                                                        | 1,038                                                       | 1005                                  | 60.7%                                       | -3                                           | 60.5%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | -                                                |
| Ransom              | 268                                                        | 447                                                         | 312                                   | 43.6%                                       | 35                                           | 48.5%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | 11                                               |
| Renville            | 137                                                        | 212                                                         | 57                                    | 16.3%                                       | 0                                            | 16.3%                                               | 48                                               | 83                                               | 117                                              |
| Richland            | 741                                                        | 1,225                                                       | 968                                   | 49.2%                                       | 69                                           | 52.7%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | -                                                |
| Rolette             | 714                                                        | 1,108                                                       | 214                                   | 11.7%                                       | -4                                           | 11.5%                                               | 337                                              | 519                                              | 701                                              |
| Sargent             | 156                                                        | 311                                                         | 138                                   | 29.5%                                       | 0                                            | 29.5%                                               | 2                                                | 49                                               | 96                                               |
| Sheridan            | 26                                                         | 53                                                          | 17                                    | 21.5%                                       | 0                                            | 21.5%                                               | 7                                                | 15                                               | 23                                               |
| Sioux               | 262                                                        | 429                                                         | 0                                     | 0.0%                                        | 0                                            | 0.0%                                                | 207                                              | 277                                              | 346                                              |
| Slope               | 48                                                         | 25                                                          | 0                                     | 0.0%                                        | 0                                            | 0.0%                                                | 22                                               | 29                                               | 37                                               |
| Stark               | 1,505                                                      | 2,166                                                       | 1,037                                 | 28.2%                                       | -36                                          | 27.3%                                               | 100                                              | 468                                              | 835                                              |
| Steele              | 79                                                         | 111                                                         | 66                                    | 34.7%                                       | 9                                            | 39.4%                                               | -                                                | 1                                                | 20                                               |
| Stutsman            | 1,085                                                      | 1,464                                                       | 987                                   | 38.7%                                       | 14                                           | 39.3%                                               | -                                                | 19                                               | 274                                              |
| Towner              | 92                                                         | 142                                                         | 44                                    | 18.8%                                       | 0                                            | 18.8%                                               | 26                                               | 50                                               | 73                                               |
| Traill              | 475                                                        | 581                                                         | 540                                   | 51.1%                                       | 12                                           | 52.3%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | -                                                |
| Walsh               | 505                                                        | 779                                                         | 404                                   | 31.5%                                       | -14                                          | 30.4%                                               | -                                                | 124                                              | 252                                              |
| Ward                | 3,751                                                      | 5,146                                                       | 2,582                                 | 29.0%                                       | 176                                          | 31.0%                                               | -                                                | 801                                              | 1,690                                            |
| Wells               | 134                                                        | 226                                                         | 170                                   | 47.2%                                       | 15                                           | 51.4%                                               | -                                                | -                                                | -                                                |
| Williams            | 1,191                                                      | 1,789                                                       | 1,144                                 | 38.4%                                       | 4                                            | 38.5%                                               | -                                                | 44                                               | 342                                              |