

# Child Care Initiative Project (CCIP) & The Federal American Rescue Program Act (ARPA) Expansion FY 2021-22 and 2022-23



## CCIP supports individuals seeking to obtain or expand their FCCH License or services.

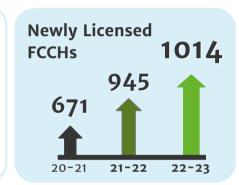
All CCIP Participants who became newly licensed, re-opened, or expanded were offered:

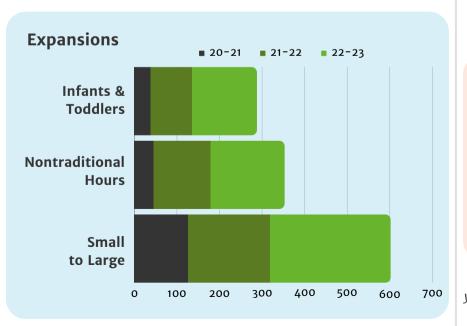
- A home visit to assist with CCL Pre-Licensing Inspection or changes related to expansion
- Incentives to help overcome barriers to the licensing or expansion process
- Technical Assistance

## **Capacity Building**

Total Re-opened FCCH during ARPA years

643





### **Quality Improvement**



480,689

Home Visits 3,728

**Office Visits** 

13,200



An average of **1,316** LE/FFN Caregivers per year participated in CCIP quality improvement activities under ARPA

## **Subsidy Recipients**

Number of LE/FFN caregivers participating in CCIP who cared for at least one child receiving a child care subsidy during the FY



Data points were extracted from R&R FY 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23 year-end reports and compiled by the Network. CCIP is a quality improvement project of the California Department of Social Services.

In 2021, ARPA allocated \$25 million to CCIP to expand child care access and support home-based child care providers. With these funds, CCIP increased access to home-based child care for families and supported FCCH providers and LE/FFN caregivers in re-opening or continuing to provide care through stipends and other tangible supports. This unique opportunity to build upon CCIP's strengths and statewide reach by expanding targeted support proved impactful in retaining providers, supporting continuity of care for children, and strengthening communities.

## **ARPA Stipends**

Providers in **97%** of California RR service areas received stipends from ARPA funding with an average stipend amount of **\$2,324** 

## **ARPA Impact**

"If there was one word to describe what these funds provided to providers, it would be **HOPE** ... Hope that they can start off fully prepared to serve the community in a way they would never have been able to without the ARPA funds."

CocoKids

"Thanks to this money I was able to get my eye surgery and because of that I was able to stay open. I can't afford great insurance so it cost out of my pocket. So I and my family's thank you."

- Family Home Child Care Provider

### **Network ARPA Expansion Support**

Over the course of a three month outreach campaign, we connected more than **2,450** potential CCIP participants with **47** R&Rs.

Materials were translated into **7** additional languages