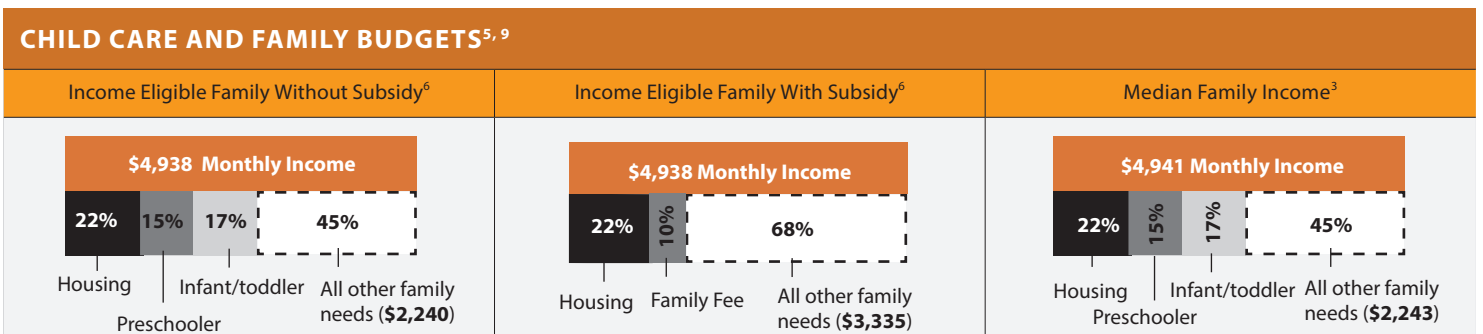


The 2021 California Child Care Portfolio, the 13th edition of a biennial report, presents a unique portrait of child care supply, demand, and cost statewide and county by county, as well as data regarding employment, poverty, and family budgets. The child care data in this report was gathered with the assistance of local child care resource and referral programs (R&Rs). R&Rs work daily to help parents find child care that best suits their family and economic needs. They also work to build and support the delivery of high-quality child care services in diverse settings throughout the state. To access the full report summary and county pages, go to our website at www.rnetwork.org.

PEOPLE ¹	COUNTY			STATE		
	2018	2021	CHANGE	2018	2021	CHANGE
Total number of residents	18,526	18,172	-2%	39,864,538	39,142,991	-2%
Number of children 0-12	2,747	2,569	-6%	6,578,476	6,288,604	-4%
Under 2 years	381	350	-8%	941,215	876,608	-7%
2 years	198	170	-14%	489,567	443,635	-9%
3 years	192	180	-6%	503,509	457,604	-9%
4 years	237	184	-22%	503,657	481,746	-4%
5 years	209	190	-9%	506,494	489,879	-3%
6-10 years	1,082	1,051	-3%	2,576,958	2,525,335	-2%
11-12 years	448	444	-1%	1,057,076	1,013,797	-4%

CHILD CARE AVAILABILITY ²	COUNTY			STATE		
	2019	2021	CHANGE	2019	2021	CHANGE
Children age 0-12 with parents in the labor force for whom a licensed child care space is available	24%	23%	-1%	25%	25%	0%

POVERTY ³	COUNTY			STATE			FAMILIES IN POVERTY IN 2021 ³	
	2018	2021	CHANGE	2018	2021	CHANGE	COUNTY	STATE
Number of people living in poverty	1,806	1,745	-3%	4,969,326	4,733,036	-5%	11%	13%
Children 0-5 living in poverty	202	153	-24%	499,726	406,369	-19%		
Children in subsidized care ⁴	336	372	11%	337,264	372,938	11%		



AGE/TYPE

CHILD CARE	LICENSED CHILD CARE CENTERS			LICENSED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			CHILD CARE REQUESTS ⁸	
	2019	2021	CHANGE	2019	2021	CHANGE		
Total number of spaces	329	345	5%	202	338	67%	Under 2 years	25%
Under 2 years	0	0	0%				2-5 years	46%
2-5 years	294	266	-10%				6 years and older	28%
6 years and older	35	79	126%					
Total number of sites	13	13	0%	20	37	85%		

20%

Child care programs participating in the Child Care Food Program

40%

Child care centers with one or more federal/state/local contracts

SCHEDULE AND COST

CHILD CARE SUPPLY	LICENSED CHILD CARE CENTERS	LICENSED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES	CHILD CARE REQUESTS	
			AGES	FULL-TIME
Full-time and part-time spaces	83%	88%	Under 2 years	N/A
Only full-time spaces	0%	7%	2 years	N/A
Only part-time spaces	17%	5%	3 years	N/A
Sites offering evening, weekend or overnight care	0%	22%	4 years	N/A
Monthly full-time infant care ⁹	\$1,186	\$847	5 years	N/A
Monthly full-time preschool care ⁹	\$740	\$755		
MAJOR REASONS FAMILIES SEEK CHILD CARE¹⁰			REQUESTS FOR CARE DURING NONTRADITIONAL HOURS	
N/A			Evening / weekend / overnight care	N/A

LANGUAGE

CENTERS WITH AT LEAST ONE STAFF SPEAKING THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGES ¹⁰	LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME
English 100%, Spanish 15%	English only 84%
FAMILY CHILD CARE PROVIDERS SPEAKING THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGES¹⁰	Spanish 13%
English 97%, Spanish 24%	Asian/Pacific Island language 1%
	Another language 3%

1. CA Department of Finance Population Projections 2021
 2. American Community Survey Microdata and R&R databases 2021, calculated by KidsData; Percentage found in regional group including (Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, Inyo, Mariposa, Mono, and Tuolumne counties)
 3. American Community Survey 2021 1-year estimates. Poverty is defined using the federal poverty guidelines.
 4. CA Dept of Social Services CDD 801-A, CW115 July 2021; CA Dept of Education CSPP Enrollment
 5. U.S. Housing and Urban Development rent for 2-bedroom 50th percentile
 6. 85% of 2021 State Median Income for a family of three
 7. Resource and referral (R&R) databases 2021
 8. CD2504 report April/May/June 2021
 9. 2021 Regional Market Rate Survey, Network estimate

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