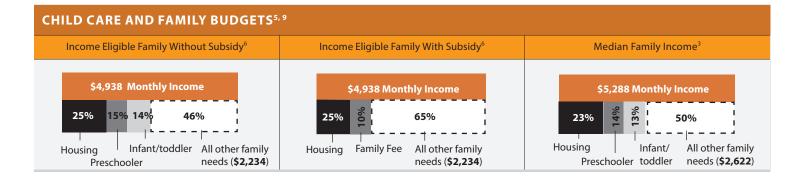
The 2021 California Child Care Portfolio, the 13th edition of a biennial report, presents a unique portrait of child care supply, demand, and cost statewide and county by county, as well as data regarding employment, poverty, and family budgets. The child care data in this report was gathered with the 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.rrnetwork.org.

PEOPLE ¹	COUNTY			STATE			
PEUPLE	2018	2021	CHANGE	2018	2021	CHANGE	
Total number of residents	158,259	161,121	2%	39,864,538	39,142,991	-2%	
Number of children 0-12	30,055	28,708	-4%	6,578,476	6,288,604	-4%	
Under 2 years	4,374	4,207	-4%	941,215	876,608	-7%	
2 years	2,248	2,129	-5%	489,567	443,635	-9%	
3 years	2,270	2,138	-6%	503,509	457,604	-9%	
4 years	2,242	2,132	-5%	503,657	481,746	-4%	
5 years	2,251	2,198	-2%	506,494	489,879	-3%	
6-10 years	11,769	11,331	-4%	2,576,958	2,525,335	-2%	
11-12 years	4,901	4,573	-7%	1,057,076	1,013,797	-4%	

CHILD CARE AVAILABILITY ²		COUNTY			STATE		
CITED CARE AVAILABLE!!!	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	18%	25%	8%	25%	25%	0%	

POVERTY ³	COUNTY			STATE		
POVERIT	2018	2021	CHANGE	2018	2021	CHANGE
Number of people living in poverty	31,191	33,099	6%	4,969,326	4,733,036	-5%
Children 0-5 living in poverty	5,247	4,071	-22%	499,726	406,369	-19%
Children in subsidized care ⁴	1,940	2,291	18%	337,264	372,938	11%

FAMILIES IN POVERTY IN 2021 ³		
COUNTY STATE		
28% 13%		



Child Care Data

AGE/TYPE

CHILD CARE	LICENSED CHILD CARE CENTERS			LICENSED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			
CHIED CARE	2019	2021	CHANGE	2019	2021	CHANGE	
Total number of spaces	2,202	2,288	4%	1,210	1,316	9%	
Under 2 years	86	98	14%				
2-5 years	1,865	1,875	1%				
6 years and older	251	315	25%				
Total number of sites	48	47	-2%	119	127	7%	

CHILD CARE REQUESTS ⁸			
Under 2 years	30%		
2-5 years	40%		
6 years and older	29%		

75%

Child care programs participating in the Child Care Food Program

16%

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
Full-time and part-time spaces	44%	96%
Only full-time spaces	29%	4%
Only part-time spaces	27%	0%
Sites offering evening, weekend or overnight care	0%	54%
Monthly full-time infant care ⁹	\$1,199	\$898
Monthly full-time preschool care ⁹	\$798	\$759

CHILD CARE REQUESTS		
AGES	FULL-TIME	
Under 2 years	88%	
2 years	98%	
3 years	100%	
4 years	96%	
5 years	98%	

MAJOR REASONS FAMILIES SEEK CHILD CARE¹⁰

90% **Employment**

Parent in school or training

5% Parent seeking employment

NONTRADITIONAL HOURS		
Evening / weekend	240/	

/ overnight care

LANGUAGE

CENTERS WITH AT LEAST ONE STAFF SPEAKING THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGES ¹⁰	LANGU
English 100%, Spanish 81%	
English 1007/y Spanish 017/0	Spanish
FAMILY CHILD CARE PROVIDERS SPEAKING THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGES ¹⁰	
English 75%, Spanish 72%, Portuguese 1%	Another lang

LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
English only	54%	
Spanish	42%	
Asian/Pacific Island language	1%	
Another language	1%	

- 1. CA Department of Finance Population Projections 2021
- 2. American Community Survey Microdata and R&R databases 2021, calculated by KidsData
- 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. R&R child care referrals April/May/June 2021
- 9. 2021 Regional Market Rate Survey, Network estimate
- 10. Percentages may exceed 100% when multiple options are chosen

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