

Region 4 - July 2023



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Total Region Population	1,077,388
Children ages 0 through 5	82,974
Children ages 6 through 9	56,767
Children ages 10 through 12	42,019

Data source: Woods & Poole Population Estimates as of Dec 31, 2022.

Families with all parents working & children under age 6	73%
Median Family Income	\$76,272
Average Weekly Income	\$1,467

Data source: State Library of Iowa, www.iowadatabase.org

Child Care Rates Average Per Week	Infant (0-12 Months)	Toddler (13-23 Months)	Two Year Olds	Three Year Olds	Four & Five Year Olds	Before & After School	Full Time School-Age
Registered Child Development Homes	\$162.96	\$191.63	\$158.97	\$156.25	\$153.55	\$81.56	\$138.47
HHS Licensed Centers/Preschools	\$274.15	\$272.27	\$248.63	\$227.98	\$216.19	\$96.95	\$160.53

Providers may charge by the month, week, day or hour.

Data Source: Iowa NDS 2.0 database for this reporting year.

For a family earning the median income with an infant in child care they would pay:

11% of their income before taxes, if their child was in a registered home

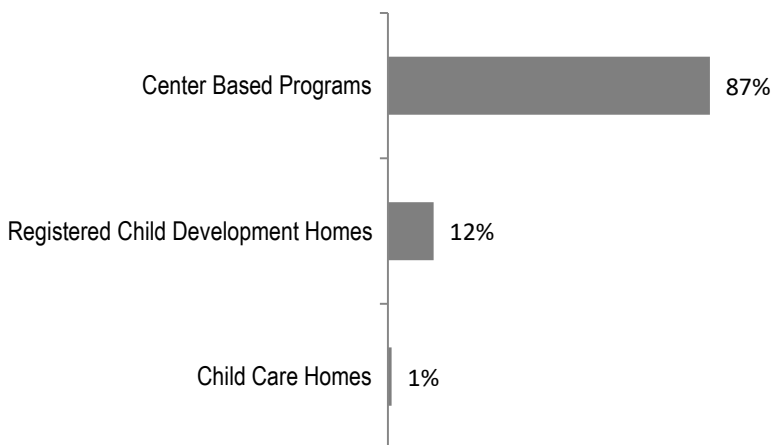
19% of their income before taxes, if their child was in a licensed center

7% is considered affordable according to a study from Child Care Aware of America "US and the High Price of Child Care 2019"

CCR&R referred 365 families to child care providers.

This is a free service available to all Iowa families.

Percent of Program Spaces



1,425 Total PROGRAMS listed with CCR&R

- 747 Registered Child Development Homes
- 110 Child Care Homes
- 99 Dept. of Education Operated Preschools
- 469 HHS Licensed Centers/Preschools

64,773 Total SPACES listed with CCR&R

- 7,988 Registered Child Development Homes
- 659 Child Care Homes
- 4,085 Dept. of Education Operated Preschools
- 52,041 HHS Licensed Centers/Preschools

School District Dept of Education (DOE) programs are not licensed by HHS but meet Standards for Child Care adopted by the State Board of Education.

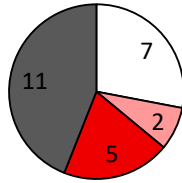
CCR&R may not have all DOE programs and Child Care Homes listed since they are not regulated by HHS.

Iowa Quality For Kids (IQ4K®) Participation

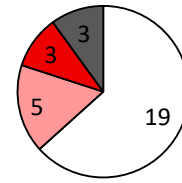
Dept. of Education Preschools
Total IQ4K® Rated:

No IQ4K® Rated
Dept. of Education
Preschools

Licensed Centers/Preschools
Total IQ4K® Rated:



Registered Child Development Homes
Total IQ4K® Rated:



- Level 1
- Level 2
- Level 3
- Level 4
- Level 5

The number of IQ4K® Providers changes monthly. This region currently has 55 IQ4K® rated programs. Go to <https://hhs.iowa.gov/programs/programs-and-services/child-care/child-care-quality-rating> for up-to-date information.

ChildNet is a series of 25 hours of voluntary training for Registered Child Development Home providers. Providers commit to meeting additional requirements to become certified.	Eligible Programs	% ChildNet Certified
	747	26%

Out of 1425 child care programs, 1076 programs report they are willing to discuss accepting HHS Child Care Assistance funded children. Of these, 404 are licensed centers or preschools, 642 are registered child development homes and 30 are child care homes.

LOOKING FOR CHILD CARE?



Connect with CCR&R's Parent Service Team for your FREE child care referral!

WE ARE HERE FOR YOU!

855-244-5301 www.iowaccrr.org

Funding provided by the Iowa Department of Human Services through the Child Care Development Fund



Iowa Child Care Resource & Referral

For more information about how you can help ensure success of Iowa's vision, "Every child, beginning at birth, will be healthy and successful," contact your local CCR&R office.

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