



# 5 Year Child Care Data

## Polk County

Supply & Demand Comparisons	2018	2023	% Change
Total number of child care programs listed with CCR&R	946	788	-17%
Total number of child care spaces listed with CCR&R	34,396	35,557	3%
Total number of children age 0-5	42,573	42,208	-1%
Families with all parents working and children under age 6	75%	74%	-1%
Total children x percentage of families with all parents in the workforce	31,930	31,234	-2%
Total number of programs reporting they accept HHS child care assistance	765	623	-19%

Cost of Child Care			
Weekly cost for an infant in a Child Development Home	\$141.16	\$165.53	17%
Percentage of income if child was in a Child Development Home	10%	10%	0%
Weekly cost for an infant in a Licensed Center	\$232.43	\$294.99	27%
Percent of income if child was in a Licensed Center	16%	17%	1%

## State of Iowa

Supply & Demand Comparisons	2018	2023	% Change
Total Number of Child Care Programs	5,426	4,513	-17%
Total Number of Child Care Spaces	167,399	177,208	6%
Total Number of Children age 0-5	242,970	235,910	-3%
Families with all parents working and children under age 6	75%	75%	0%
Total children x percentage of families with all parents in the workforce	182,228	176,933	-3%
Total number of programs reporting they accept HHS child care assistance	3,920	3,014	-23%

Cost of Child Care			
Weekly cost for an infant in a Child Development Home	\$133.78	\$157.24	18%
Percentage of income if child was in a Child Development Home	11%	10%	-1%
Weekly cost for an infant in a Licensed Center	\$179.59	\$234.00	30%
Percentage of income if child was in a Licensed Center	14%	15%	1%