

Child Care Profiles

District of Columbia November 2002

Office of Early Childhood Development
District of Columbia
Department of Human Services

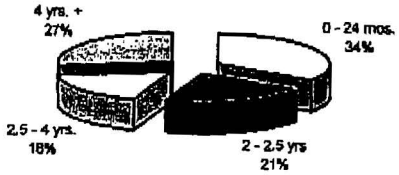
Child Care in the District of Columbia

Licensed Child Care Supply = 23,511
Licensed Infant Slots = 3,533
Licensed Facilities
Child Development Centers = 369
Child Development Homes = 224

Children on Waiting Lists	
Total	9,952
Up to 24 months	3,428
2-2¼ years	2,081
2½ -4 years	1,794
4 years +	2,649

Capacity	2000	2002	Change
Centers	20,112	22,437	11.6%
Family Homes	1,145	1,074	-6.2%
Infant Slots	2,474	3,533	42.8%

96% of all enrolled child care slots are in child development centers



Up to 24 months	14% of center slots
Preschool (2-4 yrs.)	45% of center slots
School age (4 yrs.+)	41% of center slots

Population Facts*

Residents (2000 Census)	572,059
Children under 14	92,466
Children 0 thru 2	19,276
Children 3 thru 4	13,260
Children 5 thru 13	59,930
Median Income	$40,127
Children in poverty	30.2%
Low-Income Children	53%

Children Needing Services

Estimated number of children with all parents working:

★ 0-5	24,480
★ 6-17	49,260
Total	73,740

* Source: Census 2000

D.C. Child Care Service Characteristics

Types of Services Offered by Centers	
Service Provided	**% of Centers**
Full-time care	86%
Part-time care	39%
After School care	43%
Nontraditional hours	12%
Children with disabilities	52%

Types of Providers (By Self-Type)	
Provider Type	**% of Centers**
Nonprofit	60%
For Profit	20%
Employer/Corporate	4%
Private School	9%
Government Agency	17%

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Child Care Profiles

District of Columbia - Ward 3 **November 2002**

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Child Care in Ward 3

Licensed Child Care Supply = 2,009

Licensed Center Slots = 1,995

Licensed Home Slots = 14

Licensed Infant Slots = 143

99.7% of all enrolled child care slots are in child development centers

Up to 24 months	5% of center slots
Preschool (2-4 yrs.)	58% of center slots
School age (4 yrs.+)	43% of center slots

Population Facts*

Residents (2000 Census)	67,972
Children under 14	6,449
Children 0 thru 2	1,731
Children 3 thru 4	962
Children 5 thru 13	3,756
Median Income	$71,875
Children in poverty	3.0%
Low-Income Children	7.4%

Children Needing Services

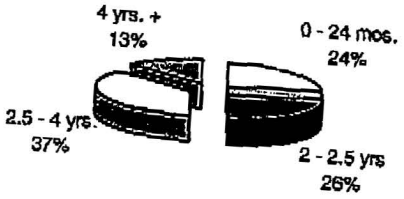
Estimated number of children with all parents working:

★ 0-5	2,029
★ 6-17	3,537
Total	5,566

* Source: Census 2000

Children on Waiting Lists

Total	689
Up to 24 months	166
2—2.5 years	177
2.5—4 years	253
Over 4 years	93



Daily Child Care Rates at Child Care Centers

Service Group	Market Rate (75th percentile)	DHS Contract	All Centers
★ Infant	$ 50.81	$ NA	$ 50.81
★ Toddler I	$ 47.34	$ NA	$ 47.34
★ Toddler II	$ 60.78	$ 44.39	$ 52.68
★ Preschool	$ 49.27	$ 44.39	$ 47.22
★ School-Age	$ 60.38	$ 33.55	$ 56.55