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APPENDICES



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APPENDIX I

2019 Average Annual Price of Full-Time Center-Based Child Care by State

State	Infant	Toddler	4 Year Old	Before/After School	Full-Time Summer
Alabama*	\$7,592	\$7,592	\$6,778	NR	NR
Alaska	\$11,832	\$11,287	\$9,847	\$6,934	NR
Arizona*	\$11,017	\$9,395	\$8,881	\$5,338	NR
Arkansas*	\$7,540	\$7,150	\$6,630	NR	NR
California	\$17,384	NR	\$12,168	\$14,399	NR
Colorado*	\$15,881	\$14,341	\$11,911	\$3,445	NR
Connecticut	\$16,224	\$16,009	\$13,000	\$3,862	NR
Delaware	\$11,473	\$10,082	\$9,084	\$3,710	\$1,826
District of Columbia	\$24,081	\$23,017	\$18,980	\$9,360	NR
Florida	\$9,617	\$8,618	\$7,254	\$3,470	\$1,479
Georgia	\$8,112	\$7,498	\$6,968	NR	NR
Hawaii	\$14,354	\$13,230	\$9,406	\$2,602	\$1,149
Idaho*	\$8,791	\$8,397	\$7,803	\$4,939	NR
Illinois	\$13,639	\$12,675	\$10,718	NR	NR
Indiana	\$11,094	\$10,414	\$8,562	\$5,326	NR
Iowa	\$11,185	\$10,039	\$9,158	\$3,088	\$1,979
Kansas*	\$12,811	\$10,481	\$8,893	NR	NR
Kentucky*	\$7,574	\$7,574	\$6,841	\$4,581	\$4,581
Louisiana	\$8,734	\$8,205	\$7,940	\$3,375	NR
Maine	\$10,734	\$10,062	\$9,771	\$3,790	\$1,461
Maryland	\$15,680	\$12,284	\$10,673	\$4,557	NR
Massachusetts	\$21,256	\$19,616	\$15,754	\$5,721	\$1,651
Michigan	\$10,870	\$10,374	\$8,959	\$5,216	NR
Minnesota	\$16,164	\$14,062	\$12,447	NR	NR
Mississippi*	\$5,864	\$5,864	\$5,375	NR	\$1,222
Missouri	\$9,782	\$9,782	\$6,823	NR	NR
Montana	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Nebraska	\$11,960	\$11,700	\$11,440	\$8,580	NR
Nevada	\$11,107	\$10,238	\$9,162	\$5,010	NR
New Hampshire	\$13,355	\$12,416	\$10,926	\$3,600	\$1,810
New Jersey*	\$16,268	\$14,954	\$13,202	NR	NR
New Mexico*	\$9,299	\$9,095	\$8,502	NR	NR
New York	\$13,390	\$12,361	\$11,174	\$6,113	\$6,907

State	Infant	Toddler	4 Year Old	Before/After School	Full-Time Summer
North Carolina	\$9,650	\$8,746	\$8,259	\$3,415	\$1,571
North Dakota	\$9,248	\$8,821	\$8,368	NR	NR
Ohio	\$9,919	\$8,698	\$7,960	\$3,396	\$1,560
Oklahoma	\$9,041	\$8,121	\$6,923	\$3,188	\$1,409
Oregon	\$14,247	\$13,334	\$10,208	NR	NR
Pennsylvania*	\$12,308	\$11,402	\$10,158	NR	\$9,239
Puerto Rico*	\$4,548	\$4,548	\$4,428	\$3,456	NR
Rhode Island*	\$11,152	\$10,932	\$9,969	\$5,233	\$2,016
South Carolina	\$9,490	NR	\$8,541	\$4,588	NR
South Dakota	\$7,426	\$7,426	\$6,677	\$4,867	NR
Tennessee	\$10,780	\$9,998	\$8,759	\$2,937	\$1,579
Texas*	\$10,306	\$9,428	\$8,702	\$4,490	NR
Utah	\$9,120	\$7,932	\$6,816	NR	\$1,538
Vermont	\$13,915	\$13,672	\$12,835	\$4,448	\$2,437
Virginia	\$14,778	\$14,577	\$11,598	\$5,035	NR
Washington	\$15,420	\$13,476	\$13,848	NR	NR
West Virginia	\$9,360	\$5,871	\$7,930	\$6,110	\$1,410
Wisconsin	\$12,782	\$12,727	\$10,626	NR	NR
Wyoming*	\$9,490	\$8,676	\$8,134	\$5,892	NR

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APPENDIX II

2019 Average Annual Price of Full-Time Family Child Care by State

State	Infant	Toddler	4 year old	Before/After School	Full-Time Summer
Alabama*	\$6,778	\$6,778	\$6,507	NR	NR
Alaska	\$8,917	\$8,959	\$7,946	\$5,127	NR
Arizona*	\$7,509	\$7,215	\$7,060	\$5,068	NR
Arkansas*	\$6,110	\$5,850	\$5,850	NR	NR
California	\$11,718	NR	\$10,975	\$13,479	NR
Colorado*	\$10,587	\$10,587	\$9,528	\$3,242	NR
Connecticut	\$11,440	NR	\$10,764	\$4,095	NR
Delaware	\$7,944	\$7,452	\$7,048	\$2,919	\$1,440
District of Columbia	\$18,200	\$18,200	\$11,180	\$7,280	NR
Florida	\$8,256	\$7,611	\$6,695	\$3,403	\$1,358
Georgia	\$6,812	\$7,488	\$6,188	NR	NR
Hawaii	\$9,211	\$9,028	\$8,918	\$6,697	\$6,697
Idaho*	\$7,529	\$7,285	\$7,152	\$4,670	NR
Illinois	\$8,807	\$8,684	\$7,976	NR	NR
Indiana	\$7,954	\$7,159	\$6,768	\$5,259	NR
Iowa	\$7,340	\$7,164	\$6,995	\$2,486	\$1,598
Kansas*	\$7,517	\$6,882	\$6,617	NR	NR
Kentucky*	\$6,352	\$6,352	\$6,108	\$3,665	\$4,031
Louisiana	\$7,676	\$7,146	\$6,617	NR	NR
Maine	\$8,580	\$8,260	\$7,881	\$3,702	\$1,519
Maryland	\$11,053	\$9,476	\$8,465	\$3,813	NR
Massachusetts	\$13,421	\$12,770	\$12,430	\$5,325	\$2,544
Michigan	\$7,596	\$7,344	\$7,200	\$5,021	NR
Minnesota	\$8,522	\$8,113	\$7,762	NR	NR
Mississippi*	\$4,258	\$4,251	\$3,890	NR	\$894
Missouri	\$5,736	\$5,736	\$4,994	NR	NR
Montana	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Nebraska	\$10,660	\$10,140	\$10,140	\$7,995	NR
Nevada	\$8,892	\$8,539	\$9,374	\$5,772	NR
New Hampshire	\$9,597	\$9,398	\$9,080	\$3,341	\$1,860
New Jersey*	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
New Mexico*	\$8,080	\$7,863	\$7,629	NR	NR
New York	\$9,794	\$9,086	\$8,566	NR	\$6,021

State	Infant	Toddler	4 year old	Before/After School	Full-Time Summer
North Carolina	\$7,730	\$7,257	\$6,829	\$3,122	\$1,525
North Dakota	\$7,764	\$7,570	\$7,440	NR	NR
Ohio	\$7,649	\$7,473	\$6,604	\$3,471	\$1,283
Oklahoma	\$7,236	\$6,872	\$6,360	\$2,902	\$1,277
Oregon	\$9,488	\$9,070	\$8,602	NR	NR
Pennsylvania*	\$9,497	\$8,798	\$8,255	NR	\$7,611
Puerto Rico*	\$3,720	\$3,720	NR	NR	NR
Rhode Island*	\$10,078	\$9,683	\$8,970	\$4,956	\$1,915
South Carolina	\$5,965	NR	\$5,694	\$4,171	NR
South Dakota	\$5,491	\$5,491	\$5,304	\$4,040	NR
Tennessee	\$7,518	\$7,176	\$6,722	\$3,040	\$1,119
Texas*	\$8,970	\$8,497	\$8,016	\$4,532	NR
Utah	\$7,200	\$6,664	\$6,300	NR	\$1,460
Vermont	\$9,428	\$9,061	\$8,885	\$4,030	\$1,921
Virginia	\$10,936	\$10,652	\$9,290	\$3,318	NR
Washington	\$11,640	\$10,680	\$9,612	NR	NR
West Virginia	\$7,800	\$6,630	\$5,980	\$6,500	\$900
Wisconsin	\$10,078	\$10,024	\$9,165	NR	NR
Wyoming*	\$8,576	\$8,134	\$8,023	\$6,007	NR

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APPENDIX III

2019 Ranking of Least Affordable Center-Based Infant Care

Rank	State	Annual Price-Infant, Center [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
1	California	\$17,384	\$30,677	56.7%	\$99,454	17.5%
2	Massachusetts	\$21,256	\$31,526	67.4%	\$133,168	16.0%
3	Colorado*	\$15,881	\$32,847	48.3%	\$102,186	15.5%
4	Oregon	\$14,247	\$26,897	53.0%	\$91,339	15.6%
5	Washington	\$15,420	\$30,810	50.0%	\$102,460	15.0%
6	Minnesota	\$16,164	\$32,065	50.4%	\$110,370	14.6%
7	Vermont	\$13,915	\$29,215	47.6%	\$96,343	14.4%
8	Kansas	\$12,811	\$27,319	46.9%	\$89,877	14.3%
9	Hawaii	\$14,354	\$35,563	40.4%	\$101,707	14.1%
10	Nevada	\$11,107	\$30,990	35.8%	\$82,229	13.5%
11	Virginia	\$14,778	\$31,367	47.1%	\$110,718	13.3%
12	Illinois	\$13,639	\$27,557	49.5%	\$102,479	13.3%
13	Tennessee	\$10,780	\$23,734	45.4%	\$82,341	13.1%
14	Arizona	\$11,017	\$28,683	38.4%	\$84,238	13.1%
15	Wisconsin	\$12,782	\$28,045	45.6%	\$97,821	13.1%
16	Nebraska	\$11,960	\$27,896	42.9%	\$92,570	12.9%
17	District of Columbia	\$24,081	\$27,710	86.9%	\$186,984	12.9%
18	New Jersey	\$16,268	\$32,252	50.4%	\$128,218	12.7%
19	Indiana	\$11,094	\$25,267	43.9%	\$87,487	12.7%
20	Connecticut	\$16,224	\$32,384	50.1%	\$128,044	12.7%
21	New York	\$13,390	\$29,121	46.0%	\$106,063	12.6%
22	Maryland	\$15,680	\$40,003	39.2%	\$126,783	12.4%
23	New Mexico	\$9,299	\$22,795	40.8%	\$75,435	12.3%
24	Pennsylvania	\$12,308	\$27,500	44.8%	\$101,515	12.1%
25	West Virginia	\$9,360	\$19,669	47.6%	\$78,328	11.9%
26	Iowa	\$11,185	\$27,280	41.0%	\$94,376	11.9%
27	Maine	\$10,734	\$27,185	39.5%	\$90,579	11.9%
28	New Hampshire	\$13,355	\$33,103	40.3%	\$114,397	11.7%
29	Michigan	\$10,870	\$25,071	43.4%	\$93,588	11.6%
30	Florida	\$9,617	\$27,698	34.7%	\$83,062	11.6%
31	Texas	\$10,306	\$27,189	37.9%	\$89,067	11.6%

Rank	State	Annual Price-Infant, Center [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
32	Idaho	\$8,791	\$24,208	36.3%	\$76,840	11.4%
33	Oklahoma	\$9,041	\$23,920	37.8%	\$79,331	11.4%
34	Puerto Rico	\$4,548	\$8,817	51.6%	\$40,064	11.4%
35	Alaska	\$11,832	\$36,088	32.8%	\$104,498	11.3%
36	South Carolina	\$9,490	\$24,261	39.1%	\$85,117	11.1%
37	North Carolina	\$9,650	\$25,355	38.1%	\$87,115	11.1%
38	Oregon	\$10,092	\$26,897	37.5%	\$91,339	11.0%
39	Missouri	\$9,782	\$25,934	37.7%	\$89,230	11.0%
40	Delaware	\$11,473	\$30,668	37.4%	\$105,124	10.9%
41	Rhode Island	\$11,152	\$28,585	39.0%	\$105,323	10.6%
42	Ohio	\$9,919	\$24,093	41.2%	\$95,255	10.4%
43	Utah	\$9,120	\$31,025	29.4%	\$87,818	10.4%
44	Wyoming	\$9,490	\$29,276	32.4%	\$92,780	10.2%
45	Arkansas	\$7,540	\$22,456	33.6%	\$76,813	9.8%
46	Louisiana	\$8,734	\$21,275	41.1%	\$92,780	9.4%
47	Kentucky	\$7,574	\$21,787	34.8%	\$82,602	9.2%
48	Georgia	\$8,112	\$26,383	30.7%	\$88,827	9.1%
49	Alabama	\$7,592	\$21,220	35.8%	\$84,373	9.0%
50	North Dakota	\$9,248	\$29,207	31.7%	\$103,218	9.0%
51	South Dakota	\$7,426	\$26,431	28.1%	\$90,445	8.2%
--	Mississippi	\$5,864	\$20,638	28.4%	\$78,836	7.4%
--	Montana	NR	\$24,835	NR	\$85,573	NR

[^]Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

^{^^}Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5 year Estimates: 2014-2018, Table B19126

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Note: 1=least affordable and 51=most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for married-couple families. Income is based on single-parent and married-couple families with own children under the age of 18.

APPENDIX IV

2019 Ranking of Least Affordable Family Child Care (FCC) for Infants

Rank	State	Annual Price-Infant, FCC [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
1	California	\$11,718	\$30,677	38.2%	\$99,454	11.8%
2	Nebraska	\$10,660	\$27,896	38.2%	\$92,570	11.5%
3	Washington	\$11,640	\$30,810	37.8%	\$102,460	11.4%
4	Nevada	\$8,892	\$30,990	28.7%	\$82,229	10.8%
5	New Mexico	\$8,080	\$22,795	35.4%	\$75,435	10.7%
6	Oregon	\$9,488	\$26,897	35.3%	\$91,339	10.4%
7	Colorado	\$10,587	\$32,847	32.2%	\$102,186	10.4%
8	Wisconsin	\$10,078	\$28,045	35.9%	\$97,821	10.3%
9	Massachusetts	\$13,421	\$31,526	42.6%	\$133,168	10.1%
10	Texas	\$8,970	\$27,189	33.0%	\$89,067	10.1%
11	West Virginia	\$7,800	\$19,669	39.7%	\$78,328	10.0%
12	Florida	\$8,256	\$27,698	29.8%	\$83,062	9.9%
13	Virginia	\$10,936	\$31,367	34.9%	\$110,718	9.9%
14	Idaho	\$7,529	\$24,208	31.1%	\$76,840	9.8%
15	Vermont	\$9,428	\$29,215	32.3%	\$96,343	9.8%
16	District of Columbia	\$18,200	\$27,710	65.7%	\$186,984	9.7%
17	Rhode Island	\$10,078	\$28,585	35.3%	\$105,323	9.6%
18	Maine	\$8,580	\$27,185	31.6%	\$90,579	9.5%
19	Pennsylvania	\$9,497	\$27,500	34.5%	\$101,515	9.4%
20	Puerto Rico	\$3,720	\$8,817	42.2%	\$40,064	9.3%
21	Wyoming	\$8,576	\$29,276	29.3%	\$92,780	9.2%
22	New York	\$9,794	\$29,121	33.6%	\$106,063	9.2%
23	Tennessee	\$7,518	\$23,734	31.7%	\$82,341	9.1%
24	Oklahoma	\$7,236	\$23,920	30.3%	\$79,331	9.1%
25	Indiana	\$7,954	\$25,267	31.5%	\$87,487	9.1%
26	Hawaii	\$9,211	\$35,563	25.9%	\$101,707	9.1%
27	Connecticut	\$11,440	\$32,384	35.3%	\$128,044	8.9%
28	Arizona	\$7,509	\$28,683	26.2%	\$84,238	8.9%
29	North Carolina	\$7,730	\$25,355	30.5%	\$87,115	8.9%
30	Maryland	\$11,053	\$40,003	27.6%	\$126,783	8.7%

Rank	State	Annual Price-Infant, FCC [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
31	Illinois	\$8,807	\$27,557	32.0%	\$102,479	8.6%
32	Alaska	\$8,917	\$36,088	24.7%	\$104,498	8.5%
33	New Hampshire	\$9,597	\$33,103	29.0%	\$114,397	8.4%
34	Kansas	\$7,517	\$27,319	27.5%	\$89,877	8.4%
35	Louisiana	\$7,676	\$21,275	36.1%	\$92,780	8.3%
36	Utah	\$7,200	\$31,025	23.2%	\$87,818	8.2%
37	Michigan	\$7,596	\$25,071	30.3%	\$93,588	8.1%
38	Alabama	\$6,778	\$21,220	31.9%	\$84,373	8.0%
39	Ohio	\$7,649	\$24,093	31.7%	\$95,255	8.0%
40	Arkansas	\$6,110	\$22,456	27.2%	\$76,813	8.0%
41	Iowa	\$7,340	\$27,280	26.9%	\$94,376	7.8%
42	Minnesota	\$8,522	\$32,065	26.6%	\$110,370	7.7%
43	Kentucky	\$6,352	\$21,787	29.2%	\$82,602	7.7%
44	Georgia	\$6,812	\$26,383	25.8%	\$88,827	7.7%
45	Delaware	\$7,944	\$30,668	25.9%	\$105,124	7.6%
46	North Dakota	\$7,764	\$29,207	26.6%	\$103,218	7.5%
47	South Carolina	\$5,965	\$24,261	24.6%	\$85,117	7.0%
48	Missouri	\$5,736	\$25,934	22.1%	\$89,230	6.4%
49	South Dakota	\$5,491	\$26,431	20.8%	\$90,445	6.1%
50	Mississippi	\$4,258	\$20,638	20.6%	\$78,836	5.4%
--	Montana	NR	\$24,835	NR	\$85,573	NR
--	New Jersey	NR	\$32,252	NR	\$128,218	NR

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APPENDIX V

2019 Ranking of Least Affordable Center-Based Toddler Care

Rank	State	Annual Price-Toddler, Center [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
1	Massachusetts	\$19,616	\$31,526	62.2%	\$133,168	14.7%
2	Oregon	\$13,334	\$26,897	49.6%	\$91,339	14.6%
3	Vermont	\$13,672	\$29,215	46.8%	\$96,343	14.2%
4	Colorado	\$14,341	\$32,847	43.7%	\$102,186	14.0%
5	Virginia	\$14,577	\$31,367	46.5%	\$110,718	13.2%
6	Washington	\$13,476	\$30,810	43.7%	\$102,460	13.2%
7	Hawaii	\$13,230	\$35,563	37.2%	\$101,707	13.0%
8	Wisconsin	\$12,727	\$28,045	45.4%	\$97,821	13.0%
9	Minnesota	\$14,062	\$32,065	43.9%	\$110,370	12.7%
10	Nebraska	\$11,700	\$27,896	41.9%	\$92,570	12.6%
11	Connecticut	\$16,009	\$32,384	49.4%	\$128,044	12.5%
12	Nevada	\$10,238	\$30,990	33.0%	\$82,229	12.5%
13	Illinois	\$12,675	\$27,557	46.0%	\$102,479	12.4%
14	District of Columbia	\$23,017	\$27,710	83.1%	\$186,984	12.3%
15	Tennessee	\$9,998	\$23,734	42.1%	\$82,341	12.1%
16	New Mexico	\$9,095	\$22,795	39.9%	\$75,435	12.1%
17	Indiana	\$10,414	\$25,267	41.2%	\$87,487	11.9%
18	New Jersey	\$14,954	\$32,252	46.4%	\$128,218	11.7%
19	Kansas	\$10,481	\$27,319	38.4%	\$89,877	11.7%
20	New York	\$12,361	\$29,121	42.4%	\$106,063	11.7%
21	Puerto Rico	\$4,548	\$8,817	51.6%	\$40,064	11.4%
22	Pennsylvania	\$11,402	\$27,500	41.5%	\$101,515	11.2%
23	Arizona	\$9,395	\$28,683	32.8%	\$84,238	11.2%
24	Maine	\$10,062	\$27,185	37.0%	\$90,579	11.1%
25	Michigan	\$10,374	\$25,071	41.4%	\$93,588	11.1%
26	Idaho	\$8,397	\$24,208	34.7%	\$76,840	10.9%
27	New Hampshire	\$12,416	\$33,103	37.5%	\$114,397	10.9%
28	Alaska	\$11,287	\$36,088	31.3%	\$104,498	10.8%
29	Iowa	\$10,039	\$27,280	36.8%	\$94,376	10.6%
30	Texas	\$9,428	\$27,189	34.7%	\$89,067	10.6%

Rank	State	Annual Price-Toddler, Center [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
31	Rhode Island	\$10,932	\$28,585	38.2%	\$105,323	10.4%
32	Florida	\$8,618	\$27,698	31.1%	\$83,062	10.4%
33	Oklahoma	\$8,121	\$23,920	34.0%	\$79,331	10.2%
34	North Carolina	\$8,746	\$25,355	34.5%	\$87,115	10.0%
35	Maryland	\$12,284	\$40,003	30.7%	\$126,783	9.7%
36	Delaware	\$10,082	\$30,668	32.9%	\$105,124	9.6%
37	Wyoming	\$8,676	\$29,276	29.6%	\$92,780	9.4%
38	Arkansas	\$7,150	\$22,456	31.8%	\$76,813	9.3%
39	Kentucky	\$7,574	\$21,787	34.8%	\$82,602	9.2%
40	Ohio	\$8,698	\$24,093	36.1%	\$95,255	9.1%
41	Utah	\$7,932	\$31,025	25.6%	\$87,818	9.0%
42	Alabama	\$7,592	\$21,220	35.8%	\$84,373	9.0%
43	Louisiana	\$8,205	\$21,275	38.6%	\$92,780	8.8%
44	North Dakota	\$8,821	\$29,207	30.2%	\$103,218	8.5%
45	Georgia	\$7,498	\$26,383	28.4%	\$88,827	8.4%
46	South Dakota	\$7,426	\$26,431	28.1%	\$90,445	8.2%
47	West Virginia	\$5,871	\$19,669	29.8%	\$78,328	7.5%
48	Mississippi	\$5,864	\$20,638	28.4%	\$78,836	7.4%
49	Missouri	\$6,573	\$25,934	25.3%	\$89,230	7.4%
--	California	NR	\$30,677	NR	\$99,454	NR
--	Montana	NR	\$24,835	NR	\$85,573	NR
--	South Carolina	NR	\$24,261	NR	\$85,117	NR

[^]Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

^{^^}Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates: 2014-2018, Table B19126, <https://data.census.gov/>

* State did not report prices on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

Note: 1=least affordable and 51=most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for married-couple families. Income is based on single-parent and married-couple families with own children under the age of 18.

APPENDIX VI

2019 Ranking of Least Affordable Family Child Care (FCC) for Toddlers

Rank	State	Annual Price-Toddler, FCC [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
1	Nebraska	\$10,140	\$27,896	36.3%	\$92,570	11.0%
2	Washington	\$10,680	\$30,810	34.7%	\$102,460	10.4%
3	New Mexico	\$7,863	\$22,795	34.5%	\$75,435	10.4%
4	Nevada	\$8,539	\$30,990	27.6%	\$82,229	10.4%
5	Colorado	\$10,587	\$32,847	32.2%	\$102,186	10.4%
6	Wisconsin	\$10,024	\$28,045	35.7%	\$97,821	10.2%
7	Oregon	\$9,070	\$26,897	33.7%	\$91,339	9.9%
8	District of Columbia	\$18,200	\$27,710	65.7%	\$186,984	9.7%
9	Virginia	\$10,652	\$31,367	34.0%	\$110,718	9.6%
10	Massachusetts	\$12,770	\$31,526	40.5%	\$133,168	9.6%
11	Texas	\$8,497	\$27,189	31.3%	\$89,067	9.5%
12	Idaho	\$7,285	\$24,208	30.1%	\$76,840	9.5%
13	Vermont	\$9,061	\$29,215	31.0%	\$96,343	9.4%
14	Puerto Rico	\$3,720	\$8,817	42.2%	\$40,064	9.3%
15	Rhode Island	\$9,683	\$28,585	33.9%	\$105,323	9.2%
16	Florida	\$7,611	\$27,698	27.5%	\$83,062	9.2%
17	Maine	\$8,260	\$27,185	30.4%	\$90,579	9.1%
18	Hawaii	\$9,028	\$35,563	25.4%	\$101,707	8.9%
19	Wyoming	\$8,134	\$29,276	27.8%	\$92,780	8.8%
20	Tennessee	\$7,176	\$23,734	30.2%	\$82,341	8.7%
21	Pennsylvania	\$8,798	\$27,500	32.0%	\$101,515	8.7%
22	Oklahoma	\$6,872	\$23,920	28.7%	\$79,331	8.7%
23	Alaska	\$8,959	\$36,088	24.8%	\$104,498	8.6%
24	New York	\$9,086	\$29,121	31.2%	\$106,063	8.6%
25	Arizona	\$7,215	\$28,683	25.2%	\$84,238	8.6%
26	Illinois	\$8,684	\$27,557	31.5%	\$102,479	8.5%
27	West Virginia	\$6,630	\$19,669	33.7%	\$78,328	8.5%
28	Georgia	\$7,488	\$26,383	28.4%	\$88,827	8.4%
29	North Carolina	\$7,257	\$25,355	28.6%	\$87,115	8.3%
30	New Hampshire	\$9,398	\$33,103	28.4%	\$114,397	8.2%

Rank	State	Annual Price-Toddler, FCC [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
31	Indiana	\$7,159	\$25,267	28.3%	\$87,487	8.2%
32	Alabama	\$6,778	\$21,220	31.9%	\$84,373	8.0%
33	Michigan	\$7,344	\$25,071	29.3%	\$93,588	7.8%
34	Ohio	\$7,473	\$24,093	31.0%	\$95,255	7.8%
35	Louisiana	\$7,146	\$21,275	33.6%	\$92,780	7.7%
36	Kentucky	\$6,352	\$21,787	29.2%	\$82,602	7.7%
37	Kansas	\$6,882	\$27,319	25.2%	\$89,877	7.7%
38	Arkansas	\$5,850	\$22,456	26.1%	\$76,813	7.6%
39	Iowa	\$7,164	\$27,280	26.3%	\$94,376	7.6%
40	Utah	\$6,664	\$31,025	21.5%	\$87,818	7.6%
41	Maryland	\$9,476	\$40,003	23.7%	\$126,783	7.5%
42	Minnesota	\$8,113	\$32,065	25.3%	\$110,370	7.4%
43	North Dakota	\$7,570	\$29,207	25.9%	\$103,218	7.3%
44	Delaware	\$7,452	\$30,668	24.3%	\$105,124	7.1%
45	Missouri	\$5,736	\$25,934	22.1%	\$89,230	6.4%
46	South Dakota	\$5,491	\$26,431	20.8%	\$90,445	6.1%
47	Mississippi	\$4,251	\$20,638	20.6%	\$78,836	5.4%
48	California	NR	\$30,677	NR	\$99,454	NR
49	Connecticut	NR	\$32,384	NR	\$128,044	NR
--	Montana	NR	\$24,835	NR	\$85,573	NR
--	New Jersey	NR	\$32,252	NR	\$128,218	NR
--	South Carolina	NR	\$24,261	NR	\$85,117	NR

[^]Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

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* State did not report prices on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

Note: 1=least affordable and 51=most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for married-couple families. Income is based on single-parent and married-couple families with own children under the age of 18.

APPENDIX VII

2019 Ranking of Least-Affordable Center-Based Care for a 4 Year Old

Rank	State	Annual Price- 4 Year Old, Center [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
1	Washington	\$13,848	\$30,810	44.9%	\$102,460	13.5%
2	Vermont	\$12,835	\$29,215	43.9%	\$96,343	13.3%
3	Nebraska	\$11,440	\$27,896	41.0%	\$92,570	12.4%
4	California	\$12,168	\$30,677	39.7%	\$99,454	12.2%
5	Massachusetts	\$15,754	\$31,526	50.0%	\$133,168	11.8%
6	Colorado	\$11,911	\$32,847	36.3%	\$102,186	11.7%
7	Minnesota	\$12,447	\$32,065	38.8%	\$110,370	11.3%
8	New Mexico	\$8,502	\$22,795	37.3%	\$75,435	11.3%
9	Oregon	\$10,208	\$26,897	38.0%	\$91,339	11.2%
10	Nevada	\$9,162	\$30,990	29.6%	\$82,229	11.1%
11	Puerto Rico	\$4,428	\$8,817	50.2%	\$40,064	11.1%
12	Wisconsin	\$10,626	\$28,045	37.9%	\$97,821	10.9%
13	Maine	\$9,771	\$27,185	35.9%	\$90,579	10.8%
14	Tennessee	\$8,759	\$23,734	36.9%	\$82,341	10.6%
15	Arizona	\$8,881	\$28,683	31.0%	\$84,238	10.5%
16	New York	\$11,174	\$29,121	38.4%	\$106,063	10.5%
17	Virginia	\$11,598	\$31,367	37.0%	\$110,718	10.5%
18	Illinois	\$10,718	\$27,557	38.9%	\$102,479	10.5%
19	New Jersey	\$13,202	\$32,252	40.9%	\$128,218	10.3%
20	Idaho	\$7,803	\$24,208	32.2%	\$76,840	10.2%
21	Connecticut	\$13,000	\$32,384	40.1%	\$128,044	10.2%
22	District of Columbia	\$18,980	\$27,710	68.5%	\$186,984	10.2%
23	West Virginia	\$7,930	\$19,669	40.3%	\$78,328	10.1%
24	South Carolina	\$8,541	\$24,261	35.2%	\$85,117	10.0%
25	Pennsylvania	\$10,158	\$27,500	36.9%	\$101,515	10.0%
26	Kansas	\$8,893	\$27,319	32.6%	\$89,877	9.9%
27	Indiana	\$8,562	\$25,267	33.9%	\$87,487	9.8%
28	Texas	\$8,702	\$27,189	32.0%	\$89,067	9.8%
29	Iowa	\$9,158	\$27,280	33.6%	\$94,376	9.7%
30	Michigan	\$8,959	\$25,071	35.7%	\$93,588	9.6%

Rank	State	Annual Price- 4 Year Old, Center [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
31	New Hampshire	\$10,926	\$33,103	33.0%	\$114,397	9.6%
32	North Carolina	\$8,259	\$25,355	32.6%	\$87,115	9.5%
33	Rhode Island	\$9,969	\$28,585	34.9%	\$105,323	9.5%
34	Alaska	\$9,847	\$36,088	27.3%	\$104,498	9.4%
35	Hawaii	\$9,406	\$35,563	26.4%	\$101,707	9.2%
36	Wyoming	\$8,134	\$29,276	27.8%	\$92,780	8.8%
37	Florida	\$7,254	\$27,698	26.2%	\$83,062	8.7%
38	Oklahoma	\$6,923	\$23,920	28.9%	\$79,331	8.7%
39	Delaware	\$9,084	\$30,668	29.6%	\$105,124	8.6%
40	Arkansas	\$6,630	\$22,456	29.5%	\$76,813	8.6%
41	Louisiana	\$7,940	\$21,275	37.3%	\$92,780	8.6%
42	Maryland	\$10,673	\$40,003	26.7%	\$126,783	8.4%
43	Ohio	\$7,960	\$24,093	33.0%	\$95,255	8.4%
44	Kentucky	\$6,841	\$21,787	31.4%	\$82,602	8.3%
45	North Dakota	\$8,368	\$29,207	28.7%	\$103,218	8.1%
46	Alabama	\$6,778	\$21,220	31.9%	\$84,373	8.0%
47	Georgia	\$6,968	\$26,383	26.4%	\$88,827	7.8%
48	Utah	\$6,816	\$31,025	22.0%	\$87,818	7.8%
49	Missouri	\$6,823	\$25,934	26.3%	\$89,230	7.6%
50	South Dakota	\$6,677	\$26,431	25.3%	\$90,445	7.4%
51	Mississippi	\$5,375	\$20,638	26.0%	\$78,836	6.8%
--	Montana	NR	\$24,835	NR	\$85,573	NR

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NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

Note: 1=least affordable and 51=most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for married-couple families. Income is based on single-parent and married-couple families with own children under the age of 18.

APPENDIX VIII

2019 Ranking of Least-Affordable Family Child Care (FCC) for a 4 Year Old

Rank	State	Annual Price- 4 Year Old, FCC [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
1	Nevada	\$9,374	\$30,990	30.2%	\$82,229	11.4%
2	California	\$10,975	\$30,677	35.8%	\$99,454	11.0%
3	Nebraska	\$10,140	\$27,896	36.3%	\$92,570	11.0%
4	New Mexico	\$7,629	\$22,795	33.5%	\$75,435	10.1%
5	Oregon	\$9,612	\$26,897	32.0%	\$91,339	9.4%
6	Washington	\$9,612	\$30,810	31.2%	\$102,460	9.4%
7	Wisconsin	\$9,165	\$28,045	32.7%	\$97,821	9.4%
8	Massachusetts	\$12,430	\$31,526	39.4%	\$133,168	9.3%
9	Colorado	\$9,528	\$32,847	29.0%	\$102,186	9.3%
10	Idaho	\$7,152	\$24,208	29.5%	\$76,840	9.3%
11	Vermont	\$8,885	\$29,215	30.4%	\$96,343	9.2%
12	Texas	\$8,016	\$27,189	29.5%	\$89,067	9.0%
13	Hawaii	\$8,918	\$35,563	25.1%	\$101,707	8.8%
14	Maine	\$7,881	\$27,185	29.0%	\$90,579	8.7%
15	Wyoming	\$8,023	\$29,276	27.4%	\$92,780	8.6%
16	Puerto Rico	\$3,456	\$8,817	39.2%	\$40,064	8.6%
17	Rhode Island	\$8,970	\$28,585	31.4%	\$105,323	8.5%
18	Connecticut	\$10,764	\$32,384	33.2%	\$128,044	8.4%
19	Virginia	\$9,290	\$31,367	29.6%	\$110,718	8.4%
20	Arizona	\$7,060	\$28,683	24.6%	\$84,238	8.4%
21	Tennessee	\$6,722	\$23,734	28.3%	\$82,341	8.2%
22	Pennsylvania	\$8,255	\$27,500	30.0%	\$101,515	8.1%
23	New York	\$8,566	\$29,121	29.4%	\$106,063	8.1%
24	Florida	\$6,695	\$27,698	24.2%	\$83,062	8.1%
25	Oklahoma	\$6,360	\$23,920	26.6%	\$79,331	8.0%
26	New Hampshire	\$9,080	\$33,103	27.4%	\$114,397	7.9%
27	North Carolina	\$6,829	\$25,355	26.9%	\$87,115	7.8%
28	Illinois	\$7,976	\$27,557	28.9%	\$102,479	7.8%
29	Indiana	\$6,768	\$25,267	26.8%	\$87,487	7.7%
30	Alabama	\$6,507	\$21,220	30.7%	\$84,373	7.7%
31	Michigan	\$7,200	\$25,071	28.7%	\$93,588	7.7%

Rank	State	Annual Price- 4 Year Old, FCC [^]	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
32	West Virginia	\$5,980	\$19,669	30.4%	\$78,328	7.6%
33	Arkansas	\$5,850	\$22,456	26.1%	\$76,813	7.6%
34	Alaska	\$7,946	\$36,088	22.0%	\$104,498	7.6%
35	Iowa	\$6,995	\$27,280	25.6%	\$94,376	7.4%
36	Kentucky	\$6,108	\$21,787	28.0%	\$82,602	7.4%
37	Kansas	\$6,617	\$27,319	24.2%	\$89,877	7.4%
38	North Dakota	\$7,440	\$29,207	25.5%	\$103,218	7.2%
39	Utah	\$6,300	\$31,025	20.3%	\$87,818	7.2%
40	Louisiana	\$6,617	\$21,275	31.1%	\$92,780	7.1%
41	Minnesota	\$7,762	\$32,065	24.2%	\$110,370	7.0%
42	Georgia	\$6,188	\$26,383	23.5%	\$88,827	7.0%
43	Ohio	\$6,604	\$24,093	27.4%	\$95,255	6.9%
44	Delaware	\$7,048	\$30,668	23.0%	\$105,124	6.7%
45	South Carolina	\$5,694	\$24,261	23.5%	\$85,117	6.7%
46	Maryland	\$8,465	\$40,003	21.2%	\$126,783	6.7%
47	District of Columbia	\$11,180	\$27,710	40.3%	\$186,984	6.0%
48	South Dakota	\$5,304	\$26,431	20.1%	\$90,445	5.9%
49	Missouri	\$4,994	\$25,934	19.3%	\$89,230	5.6%
50	Mississippi	\$3,890	\$20,638	18.8%	\$78,836	4.9%
--	Montana	NR	\$24,835	NR	\$85,573	NR
--	New Jersey	NR	\$32,252	NR	\$128,218	NR

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* State did not report prices on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

Note: 1=least affordable and 51=most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for married-couple families. Income is based on single-parent and married-couple families with own children under the age of 18.

APPENDIX IX

2019 Ranking of Least-Affordable Center-Based Care for School-Age Children

Rank	State	Annual Price, Center-Based Program [^]		Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
		Before/After School Care	Full-Time Summer Care	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
1	California	\$14,399	NR	\$30,677	62.6%	\$99,454	19.3%
2	Nebraska	\$8,580	NR	\$27,896	41.0%	\$92,570	12.4%
3	Puerto Rico*	\$3,456	NR	\$8,817	52.3%	\$40,064	11.5%
4	West Virginia	\$6,110	\$1,410	\$19,669	41.4%	\$78,328	10.4%
5	Alaska	\$6,934	NR	\$36,088	25.6%	\$104,498	8.8%
6	Idaho*	\$4,939	NR	\$24,208	27.2%	\$76,840	8.6%
7	Wyoming*	\$5,892	NR	\$29,276	26.8%	\$92,780	8.5%
8	Arizona*	\$5,338	NR	\$28,683	24.8%	\$84,238	8.4%
9	Nevada	\$5,010	NR	\$30,990	21.6%	\$82,229	8.1%
10	Indiana	\$5,326	NR	\$25,267	28.1%	\$87,487	8.1%
11	New York	\$6,113	\$6,907	\$29,121	28.0%	\$106,063	7.7%
12	Michigan	\$5,216	NR	\$25,071	27.7%	\$93,588	7.4%
13	Kentucky*	\$4,581	\$4,581	\$21,787	28.0%	\$82,602	7.4%
14	South Carolina	\$4,588	NR	\$24,261	25.2%	\$85,117	7.2%
15	South Dakota	\$4,867	NR	\$26,431	24.6%	\$90,445	7.2%
16	Texas*	\$4,490	NR	\$27,189	22.0%	\$89,067	6.7%
17	District of Columbia	\$9,360	NR	\$27,710	45.0%	\$186,984	6.7%
18	Rhode Island*	\$5,233	\$2,016	\$28,585	24.4%	\$105,323	6.6%
19	Vermont	\$4,448	\$2,437	\$29,215	20.3%	\$96,343	6.2%
20	Virginia	\$5,035	NR	\$31,367	21.4%	\$110,718	6.1%
21	Massachusetts	\$5,721	\$1,651	\$31,526	24.2%	\$133,168	5.7%
22	Maine	\$3,790	\$1,461	\$27,185	18.6%	\$90,579	5.6%
23	Florida	\$3,470	\$1,479	\$27,698	16.7%	\$83,062	5.6%
24	Oklahoma	\$3,188	\$1,409	\$23,920	17.8%	\$79,331	5.4%
25	North Carolina	\$3,415	\$1,751	\$25,355	18.0%	\$87,115	5.2%
26	Louisiana	\$3,375	NR	\$21,275	21.2%	\$92,780	4.9%
27	Maryland	\$4,557	NR	\$40,003	15.2%	\$126,783	4.8%
28	Tennessee	\$2,937	\$1,579	\$23,734	16.5%	\$82,341	4.8%
29	Ohio	\$3,396	\$1,560	\$24,093	18.8%	\$95,255	4.8%
30	Delaware	\$3,710	\$1,826	\$30,668	16.1%	\$105,124	4.7%
31	Colorado*	\$3,445	NR	\$32,847	14.0%	\$102,186	4.5%

Rank	State	Annual Price, Center-Based Program [^]		Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
		Before/After School Care	Full-Time Summer Care	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
32	Iowa	\$3,088	\$1,979	\$27,280	15.1%	\$94,376	4.4%
33	New Hampshire	\$3,600	\$1,810	\$33,103	14.5%	\$114,397	4.2%
34	Connecticut	\$3,862	NR	\$32,384	15.9%	\$128,044	4.0%
35	Hawaii	\$2,602	\$1,149	\$35,563	9.8%	\$101,707	3.4%
--	Alabama*	NR	NR	\$21,220	NR	\$84,373	NR
--	Arkansas*	NR	NR	\$22,456	NR	\$76,813	NR
--	Georgia	NR	NR	\$26,383	NR	\$88,827	NR
--	Illinois	NR	NR	\$27,557	NR	\$102,479	NR
--	Kansas*	NR	NR	\$27,319	NR	\$89,877	NR
--	Minnesota	NR	NR	\$32,065	NR	\$110,370	NR
--	Mississippi*	NR	\$1,222	\$20,638	NR	\$78,836	NR
--	Missouri	NR	NR	\$25,934	NR	\$89,230	NR
--	Montana	NR	NR	\$24,835	NR	\$85,573	NR
--	New Jersey*	NR	NR	\$32,252	NR	\$128,218	NR
--	New Mexico*	NR	NR	\$22,795	NR	\$75,435	NR
--	North Dakota	NR	NR	\$29,207	NR	\$103,218	NR
--	Oregon	NR	NR	\$26,897	NR	\$91,339	NR
--	Pennsylvania*	NR	\$9,239	\$27,500	NR	\$101,515	NR
--	Utah	NR	\$1,538	\$31,025	NR	\$87,818	NR
--	Washington	NR	NR	\$30,810	NR	\$102,460	NR
--	Wisconsin	NR	NR	\$28,045	NR	\$97,821	NR

[^] Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

^{^^} Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates: 2014-2018, Table B19126, <https://data.census.gov/>.

Percentage of median income for before/after school programs calculated by dividing cost of before/after school care with 75% of median income.

*State did not report prices on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

Note: 1=least affordable and 51=most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for married-couple families. Income is based on single-parent and married-couple families with own children under the age of 18.

APPENDIX X

2019 Ranking of Least-Affordable Family Child Care (FCC) for School-Age Children

Rank	State	Annual Price, FCC Program [^]		Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
		Before/After School Care	Full-Time Summer Care	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
1	California	\$13,479	NR	\$30,677	58.6%	\$99,454	18.1%
2	Tennessee	\$3,040	\$1,579	\$23,734	51.2%	\$82,341	14.8%
3	Nebraska	\$7,995	NR	\$27,896	38.2%	\$92,570	11.5%
4	West Virginia	\$6,500	\$900	\$19,669	44.1%	\$78,328	11.1%
5	Nevada	\$5,772	NR	\$30,990	24.8%	\$82,229	9.4%
6	Hawaii	\$6,697	\$6,697	\$35,563	25.1%	\$101,707	8.8%
7	Wyoming	\$6,007	NR	\$29,276	27.4%	\$92,780	8.6%
8	Idaho	\$4,670	NR	\$24,208	25.7%	\$76,840	8.1%
9	Arizona	\$5,068	NR	\$28,683	23.6%	\$84,238	8.0%
10	Indiana	\$5,259	NR	\$25,267	27.8%	\$87,487	8.0%
11	Michigan	\$5,021	NR	\$25,071	26.7%	\$93,588	7.2%
12	Texas	\$4,532	NR	\$27,189	22.2%	\$89,067	6.8%
13	Alaska	\$5,127	NR	\$36,088	18.9%	\$104,498	6.5%
14	South Carolina	\$4,171	NR	\$24,261	22.9%	\$85,117	6.5%
15	Rhode Island	\$4,956	\$1,915	\$28,585	23.1%	\$105,323	6.3%
16	South Dakota	\$4,040	NR	\$26,431	20.4%	\$90,445	6.0%
17	Kentucky	\$3,665	\$4,031	\$21,787	22.4%	\$82,602	5.9%
18	Vermont	\$4,030	\$1,921	\$29,215	18.4%	\$96,343	5.6%
19	Florida	\$3,403	\$1,358	\$27,698	16.4%	\$83,062	5.5%
20	Maine	\$3,702	\$1,519	\$27,185	18.2%	\$90,579	5.4%
21	Massachusetts	\$5,325	\$2,544	\$31,526	22.5%	\$133,168	5.3%
22	District of Columbia	\$7,280	NR	\$27,710	35.0%	\$186,984	5.2%
23	Oklahoma	\$2,902	\$1,277	\$23,920	16.2%	\$79,331	4.9%
24	Ohio	\$3,471	\$1,283	\$24,093	19.2%	\$95,255	4.9%
25	North Carolina	\$3,122	\$1,525	\$25,355	16.4%	\$87,115	4.8%
26	Connecticut	\$4,095	NR	\$32,384	16.9%	\$128,044	4.3%
27	Colorado	\$3,242	NR	\$32,847	13.2%	\$102,186	4.2%
28	Maryland	\$3,813	NR	\$40,003	12.7%	\$126,783	4.0%
29	Virginia	\$3,318	NR	\$31,367	14.1%	\$110,718	4.0%
30	New Hampshire	\$3,341	\$1,860	\$33,103	13.5%	\$114,397	3.9%
31	Delaware	\$2,919	\$1,440	\$30,668	12.7%	\$105,124	3.7%

Rank	State	Annual Price, FCC Program [^]		Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
		Before/After School Care	Full-Time Summer Care	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income	Median Income ^{^^}	% of Median Income
32	Iowa	\$2,486	\$1,598	\$27,280	12.2%	\$94,376	3.5%
33	Alabama	NR	NR	\$21,220	NR	\$84,373	NR
34	Arkansas	NR	NR	\$22,456	NR	\$76,813	NR
35	Georgia	NR	NR	\$26,383	NR	\$88,827	NR
--	Illinois	NR	NR	\$27,557	NR	\$102,479	NR
--	Kansas	NR	NR	\$27,319	NR	\$89,877	NR
--	Louisiana	NR	NR	\$21,275	NR	\$92,780	NR
--	Minnesota	NR	NR	\$32,065	NR	\$110,370	NR
--	Mississippi	NR	\$894	\$20,638	NR	\$78,836	NR
--	Missouri	NR	NR	\$25,934	NR	\$89,230	NR
--	Montana	NR	NR	\$24,835	NR	\$85,573	NR
--	New Jersey	NR	NR	\$32,252	NR	\$128,218	NR
--	New Mexico	NR	NR	\$22,795	NR	\$75,435	NR
--	New York	NR	\$6,021	\$29,121	NR	\$106,063	NR
--	North Dakota	NR	NR	\$29,207	NR	\$103,218	NR
--	Oregon	NR	NR	\$26,897	NR	\$91,339	NR
--	Pennsylvania	NR	\$7,611	\$27,500	NR	\$101,515	NR
--	Puerto Rico	NR	NR	\$8,817	NR	\$40,064	NR
--	Utah	NR	\$1,460	\$31,025	NR	\$87,818	NR
--	Washington	NR	NR	\$30,810	NR	\$102,460	NR
--	Wisconsin	NR	NR	\$28,045	NR	\$97,821	NR

[^] Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

^{^^} Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates: 2014-2018, Table B19126, <https://data.census.gov/>.

Percentage of median income for before/after school programs calculated by dividing cost of before/after school care with 75% of median income.

* State did not report prices on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

Note: 1=least affordable and 51=most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for married-couple families. Income is based on single-parent and married-couple families with own children under the age of 18.

APPENDIX XI

2019 Average Prices for Two Children in Center-Based Child Versus Median Housing Costs by State

State	Infant [^]	Toddler [^]	4 Year Old [^]	Two Children ⁺	Annualized Rent ^{^^}	% Difference ^{**}	Annualized Mortgage ^{^^}	% Difference ^{**}
Alabama*	\$7,592	\$7,592	\$6,778	\$14,370	\$9,264	55.1%	\$14,088	2.0%
Alaska	\$11,832	\$11,287	\$9,847	\$21,679	\$14,772	46.8%	\$22,884	-5.3%
Arizona*	\$11,017	\$9,395	\$8,881	\$19,898	\$12,108	64.3%	\$16,728	19.0%
Arkansas*	\$7,540	\$7,150	\$6,630	\$14,170	\$8,748	62.0%	\$12,852	10.3%
California	\$17,384	NR	\$12,168	\$29,552	\$17,148	72.3%	\$27,384	7.9%
Colorado*	\$15,881	\$14,341	\$11,911	\$27,792	\$14,352	93.6%	\$20,172	37.8%
Connecticut	\$16,224	\$16,009	\$13,000	\$29,224	\$13,872	110.7%	\$25,152	16.2%
Delaware	\$11,473	\$10,082	\$9,084	\$20,557	\$13,320	54.3%	\$18,756	9.6%
District of Columbia	\$24,081	\$23,017	\$18,980	\$43,061	\$17,844	141.3%	\$29,472	46.1
Florida	\$9,617	\$8,618	\$7,254	\$16,871	\$13,536	24.6%	\$17,592	-4.1%
Georgia	\$8,112	\$7,498	\$6,968	\$15,080	\$11,616	29.8%	\$16,596	-9.1%
Hawaii	\$14,354	\$13,230	\$9,406	\$23,760	\$18,792	26.4%	\$28,200	-15.7%
Idaho*	\$8,791	\$8,397	\$7,803	\$16,594	\$9,900	67.6%	\$14,736	12.6%
Illinois	\$13,639	\$12,675	\$10,718	\$24,357	\$11,808	106.3%	\$20,016	21.7%
Indiana	\$11,094	\$10,414	\$8,562	\$19,656	\$9,684	103.0%	\$13,560	45.0%
Iowa	\$11,185	\$10,039	\$9,158	\$20,343	\$9,192	121.3%	\$14,808	37.4%
Kansas*	\$12,811	\$10,481	\$8,893	\$21,704	\$9,972	117.6%	\$16,188	34.1%
Kentucky*	\$7,574	\$7,574	\$6,841	\$14,415	\$8,892	62.1%	\$13,896	3.7%
Louisiana	\$8,734	\$8,205	\$7,940	\$16,674	\$10,200	63.5%	\$15,204	9.7%
Maine	\$10,734	\$10,062	\$9,771	\$20,505	\$9,972	105.6%	\$16,572	23.7%
Maryland	\$15,680	\$12,284	\$10,673	\$26,353	\$16,284	61.8%	\$23,844	10.5%
Massachusetts	\$21,256	\$19,616	\$15,754	\$37,010	\$14,700	151.8%	\$25,980	42.5%
Michigan	\$10,870	\$10,374	\$8,959	\$19,829	\$10,200	94.4%	\$15,348	29.2%
Minnesota	\$16,164	\$14,062	\$12,447	\$28,611	\$11,328	152.6%	\$18,564	54.1%
Mississippi*	\$5,864	\$5,864	\$5,375	\$11,239	\$9,144	22.9%	\$13,608	-17.4%
Missouri	\$9,782	\$9,782	\$6,823	\$16,605	\$9,708	71.0%	\$15,048	10.3%
Montana	NR	NR	NR	NR	\$9,396	0.0%	\$16,632	0.0%
Nebraska	\$11,960	\$11,700	\$11,440	\$23,400	\$9,660	142.2%	\$16,224	44.2%
Nevada	\$11,107	\$10,238	\$9,162	\$20,269	\$12,720	59.3%	\$17,628	15.0%
New Hampshire	\$13,355	\$12,416	\$10,926	\$24,281	\$12,924	87.9%	\$23,004	5.6%
New Jersey*	\$16,268	\$14,954	\$13,202	\$29,470	\$15,540	89.6%	\$29,268	0.7%

State	Infant [^]	Toddler [^]	4 Year Old [^]	Two Children ⁺	Annualized Rent ^{^^}	% Difference ^{**}	Annualized Mortgage ^{^^}	% Difference ^{**}
New Mexico [*]	\$9,299	\$9,095	\$8,502	\$17,801	\$9,936	79.2%	\$15,144	17.5%
New York	\$13,390	\$12,361	\$11,174	\$24,564	\$14,880	65.1%	\$25,368	-3.2%
North Carolina	\$9,650	\$8,746	\$8,259	\$17,909	\$10,524	70.2%	\$15,480	15.7%
North Dakota	\$9,248	\$8,821	\$8,368	\$17,616	\$9,672	82.1%	\$16,668	5.7%
Ohio	\$9,919	\$8,698	\$7,960	\$17,879	\$9,456	89.1%	\$15,228	17.4%
Oklahoma	\$9,041	\$8,121	\$6,923	\$15,964	\$9,516	67.8%	\$14,568	9.6%
Oregon	\$14,247	\$13,334	\$10,208	\$24,455	\$12,600	94.1%	\$19,764	23.7%
Pennsylvania [*]	\$12,308	\$11,402	\$10,158	\$22,466	\$10,980	104.6%	\$17,688	27.0%
Puerto Rico [*]	\$4,548	\$4,548	\$4,428	\$8,976	\$5,688	57.8%	\$10,680	-16.0%
Rhode Island [*]	\$11,152	\$10,932	\$9,969	\$21,121	\$11,772	79.4%	\$22,056	-4.2%
South Carolina	\$9,490	NR	\$8,541	\$18,031	\$10,416	73.1%	\$14,724	22.5%
South Dakota	\$7,426	\$7,426	\$6,677	\$14,103	\$8,664	62.8%	\$15,576	-9.5%
Tennessee	\$10,780	\$9,998	\$8,759	\$19,539	\$10,092	93.6%	\$14,688	33.0%
Texas [*]	\$10,306	\$9,428	\$8,702	\$19,008	\$11,976	58.7%	\$18,588	2.3%
Utah	\$9,120	\$7,932	\$6,816	\$15,936	\$11,856	34.4%	\$17,964	-11.3%
Vermont	\$13,915	\$13,672	\$12,835	\$26,750	\$11,664	129.3%	\$19,128	39.8%
Virginia	\$14,778	\$14,577	\$11,598	\$26,376	\$14,424	82.9%	\$21,204	24.4%
Washington	\$15,420	\$15,420	\$13,848	\$29,268	\$14,328	104.3%	\$21,912	33.6%
West Virginia	\$9,360	\$5,871	\$7,930	\$17,290	\$8,532	102.6%	\$12,276	40.8%
Wisconsin	\$12,782	\$12,727	\$10,626	\$23,408	\$10,044	133.1%	\$17,016	37.6%
Wyoming [*]	\$9,490	\$8,676	\$8,134	\$17,624	\$10,116	74.2%	\$17,136	2.8%

[^] Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

^{^^} Sources: Rent- U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates: 2014-2018, Table B25064, <https://data.census.gov/>.

Mortgage- U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates: 2014-2018, Table 25088, <https://data.census.gov/>.

^{*} State did not report prices on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

⁺ Child care prices for two children calculated by adding the annual price of infant care to the annual price of care for a 4 year old.

^{**} Percent difference is calculated by subtracting the average price of two children in child care from the annualized housing cost and dividing this figure by the annualized housing cost.

APPENDIX XII

2019 Average Annual Price of Full-Time Child Care in a Center and Public College Tuition and Fees by State

State	Average Annual Child Care Prices, Center [^]					In-State Tuition, 4 Year Public University	
	Infant	Toddler	4 Year Old	Before/After School	Full-Time Summer	Avg Tuition and Fees ^{^^}	% Difference ^{**}
Alabama*	\$7,592	\$7,592	\$6,778	NR	NR	\$10,918	-30.5%
Alaska	\$11,832	\$11,287	\$9,847	\$6,934	NR	\$8,233	43.7%
Arizona*	\$11,017	\$9,395	\$8,881	\$5,338	NR	\$11,921	-7.6%
Arkansas*	\$7,540	\$7,150	\$6,630	NR	NR	\$9,033	-16.5%
California	\$17,384	NR	\$12,168	\$14,399	NR	\$9,966	74.4%
Colorado*	\$15,881	\$14,341	\$11,911	\$3,445	NR	\$11,380	39.6%
Connecticut	\$16,224	\$16,009	\$13,000	\$3,862	NR	\$13,664	18.7%
Delaware	\$11,473	\$10,082	\$9,084	\$3,710	\$1,826	\$13,292	-13.7%
District of Columbia	\$24,081	\$23,017	\$18,980	\$9,360	NR	\$8,444	185.2%
Florida	\$9,617	\$8,618	\$7,254	\$3,470	\$1,479	\$6,352	51.4%
Georgia	\$8,112	\$7,498	\$6,968	NR	NR	\$8,719	-7.0%
Hawaii	\$14,354	\$13,230	\$9,406	\$2,602	\$1,149	\$10,978	30.7%
Idaho*	\$8,791	\$8,397	\$7,803	\$4,939	NR	\$7,999	9.9%
Illinois	\$13,639	\$12,675	\$10,718	NR	NR	\$14,166	-3.7%
Indiana	\$11,094	\$10,414	\$8,562	\$5,326	NR	\$9,675	14.7%
Iowa	\$11,185	\$10,039	\$9,158	\$3,088	\$1,979	\$9,364	19.4%
Kansas*	\$12,811	\$10,481	\$8,893	NR	NR	\$9,196	39.3%
Kentucky*	\$7,574	\$7,574	\$6,841	\$4,581	\$4,581	\$10,902	-30.5%
Louisiana	\$8,734	\$8,205	\$7,940	\$3,375	NR	\$9,614	-9.2%
Maine	\$10,734	\$10,062	\$9,771	\$3,790	\$1,461	\$10,478	2.4%
Maryland	\$15,680	\$12,284	\$10,673	\$4,557	NR	\$10,115	55.0%
Massachusetts	\$21,256	\$19,616	\$15,754	\$5,721	\$1,651	\$13,641	55.8%
Michigan	\$10,870	\$10,374	\$8,959	\$5,216	NR	\$13,771	-21.1%
Minnesota	\$16,164	\$14,062	\$12,447	NR	NR	\$11,834	36.6%
Mississippi*	\$5,864	\$5,864	\$5,375	NR	\$1,222	\$8,596	-31.8%
Missouri	\$9,782	\$9,782	\$6,823	NR	NR	\$9,022	8.4%
Montana	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	\$7,204	NR
Nebraska	\$11,960	\$11,700	\$11,440	\$8,580	NR	\$8,745	36.8%
Nevada	\$11,107	\$10,238	\$9,162	\$5,010	NR	\$7,953	39.7%
New Hampshire	\$13,355	\$12,416	\$10,926	\$3,600	\$1,810	\$16,916	-21.0%

State	Average Annual Child Care Prices, Center [^]					In-State Tuition, 4 Year Public University	
	Infant	Toddler	4 Year Old	Before/After School	Full-Time Summer	Avg Tuition and Fees ^{^^}	% Difference ^{**}
New Jersey*	\$16,268	\$14,954	\$13,202	NR	NR	\$14,536	11.9%
New Mexico*	\$9,299	\$9,095	\$8,502	NR	NR	\$7,432	25.1%
New York	\$13,390	\$12,361	\$11,174	\$6,113	\$6,907	\$8,434	58.8%
North Carolina	\$9,650	\$8,746	\$8,259	\$3,415	NR	\$7,281	32.5%
North Dakota	\$9,248	\$8,821	\$8,368	NR	NR	\$9,289	-0.4%
Ohio	\$9,919	\$8,698	\$7,960	\$3,396	\$1,560	\$11,330	-12.5%
Oklahoma	\$9,041	\$8,121	\$6,923	\$3,188	\$1,409	\$8,919	1.4%
Oregon	\$14,247	\$13,334	\$10,208	NR	NR	\$11,220	27.0%
Pennsylvania*	\$12,308	\$11,402	\$10,158	NR	\$9,239	\$14,937	-17.6%
Puerto Rico*	\$4,548	\$4,548	\$4,428	\$3,456	NR	\$4,004	13.6%
Rhode Island*	\$11,152	\$10,932	\$9,969	\$5,233	\$2,016	\$13,060	-14.6%
South Carolina	\$9,490	NR	\$8,541	\$4,588	NR	\$13,057	-27.3%
South Dakota	\$7,426	\$7,426	\$6,677	\$4,867	NR	\$8,977	-17.3%
Tennessee	\$10,780	\$9,998	\$8,759	\$2,937	NR	\$10,255	5.1%
Texas*	\$10,306	\$9,428	\$8,702	\$4,490	NR	\$10,468	-1.6%
Utah	\$9,120	\$7,932	\$6,816	NR	\$1,538	\$7,162	27.3%
Vermont	\$13,915	\$13,672	\$12,835	\$4,448	\$2,437	\$17,474	-20.4%
Virginia	\$14,778	\$14,577	\$11,598	\$5,035	NR	\$13,627	8.4%
Washington	\$15,420	\$15,420	\$13,848	NR	NR	\$10,077	53.0%
West Virginia	\$9,360	\$5,871	\$7,930	\$6,110	\$1,410	\$8,487	10.3%
Wisconsin	\$12,782	\$12,727	\$10,626	NR	NR	\$9,104	40.4%
Wyoming*	\$9,490	\$8,676	\$8,134	\$5,892	NR	\$5,581	70.0%

[^] Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

^{^^} Source: College Board, Figure 6. *Average 2019-20 Tuition and Fees at Public Four-Year Institutions by State and Five-Year Percentage Change in Inflation-Adjusted In-State Tuition and Fees.* <https://research.collegeboard.org/trends/college-pricing/highlights>

* State did not report prices on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

** Percent difference is calculated by subtracting the average price of an infant in center-based child care from the average tuition and fees and dividing this figure by the average tuition and fees.

APPENDIX XIII

2019 Ranking of Affordability of Center-Based Care for Single-Parent Households

Rank	State	Median Income, Single Parent [^]	Infant Care		Toddler Care		4 -Year-Old Care	
			Price ^{^^}	% of Income	Price ^{^^}	% of Income	Price ^{^^}	% of Income
1	District of Columbia	\$27,710	\$24,081	86.9%	\$23,017	83.1%	\$18,980	68.5%
2	Massachusetts	\$31,526	\$21,256	67.4%	\$19,616	62.2%	\$15,754	50.0%
3	California	\$30,677	\$17,384	56.7%	NR	NR	\$12,168	39.7%
4	Oregon	\$26,897	\$14,247	53.0%	\$12,675	49.6%	\$10,208	38.0%
5	Puerto Rico*	\$8,817	\$4,548	51.6%	\$4,548	51.6%	\$4,428	50.2%
6	New Jersey*	\$32,252	\$16,268	50.4%	\$14,954	46.4%	\$13,202	40.9%
7	Minnesota	\$32,065	\$16,164	50.4%	\$14,062	43.9%	\$12,447	38.8%
8	Connecticut	\$32,384	\$16,224	50.1%	\$16,009	49.4%	\$13,000	40.1%
9	Washington	\$30,810	\$15,420	50.0%	\$15,420	50.0%	\$13,848	44.9%
10	Illinois	\$27,557	\$13,639	49.5%	\$12,675	46.0%	\$10,718	38.9%
11	Colorado	\$32,847	\$15,881	48.3%	\$14,341	43.7%	\$11,911	36.3%
12	Vermont	\$29,215	\$13,915	47.6%	\$13,672	46.8%	\$12,835	43.9%
13	West Virginia	\$19,669	\$9,360	47.6%	\$5,871	29.8%	\$7,930	40.3%
14	Virginia	\$31,367	\$14,778	47.1%	\$14,577	46.5%	\$11,598	37.0%
15	Kansas	\$27,319	\$12,811	46.9%	\$10,481	38.4%	\$8,893	32.6%
16	New York	\$29,121	\$13,390	46.0%	\$12,361	42.4%	\$11,174	38.4%
17	Wisconsin	\$28,045	\$12,782	45.6%	\$12,727	45.4%	\$10,626	37.9%
18	Tennessee	\$23,734	\$10,780	45.4%	\$9,998	42.1%	\$8,759	36.9%
19	Pennsylvania	\$27,500	\$12,308	44.8%	\$11,402	41.5%	\$10,158	36.9%
20	Indiana	\$25,267	\$11,094	43.9%	\$10,414	41.2%	\$8,562	33.9%
21	Michigan	\$25,071	\$10,870	43.4%	\$10,374	41.4%	\$8,959	35.7%
22	Nebraska	\$27,896	\$11,960	42.9%	\$11,700	41.9%	\$11,440	41.0%
23	Ohio	\$24,093	\$9,919	41.2%	\$8,698	36.1%	\$7,960	33.0%
24	Louisiana	\$21,275	\$8,734	41.1%	\$8,205	38.6%	\$7,940	37.3%
25	Iowa	\$27,280	\$11,185	41.0%	\$10,039	36.8%	\$9,158	33.6%
26	New Mexico	\$22,795	\$9,299	40.8%	\$9,095	39.9%	\$8,502	37.3%
27	Hawaii	\$35,563	\$14,354	40.4%	\$13,230	37.2%	\$9,406	26.4%
28	New Hampshire	\$33,103	\$13,355	40.3%	\$12,416	37.5%	\$10,926	33.0%
29	Maine	\$27,185	\$10,734	39.5%	\$10,062	37.0%	\$9,771	35.9%
30	Maryland	\$40,003	\$15,680	39.2%	\$12,284	30.7%	\$10,673	26.7%
31	South Carolina	\$24,261	\$9,490	39.1%	NR	NR	\$8,541	35.2%

Rank	State	Median Income, Single Parent [^]	Infant Care		Toddler Care		4 -Year-Old Care	
			Price ^{^^}	% of Income	Price ^{^^}	% of Income	Price ^{^^}	% of Income
32	Rhode Island	\$28,585	\$11,152	39.0%	\$10,932	38.2%	\$9,969	34.9%
33	Arizona	\$28,683	\$11,017	38.4%	\$9,395	32.8%	\$8,881	31.0%
34	North Carolina	\$25,355	\$9,650	38.1%	\$8,746	34.5%	\$8,259	32.6%
35	Texas	\$27,189	\$10,306	37.9%	\$9,428	34.7%	\$8,702	32.0%
36	Oklahoma	\$23,920	\$9,041	37.8%	\$8,121	34.0%	\$6,923	28.9%
37	Missouri	\$25,934	\$9,782	37.7%	\$9,782	37.7%	\$6,823	26.3%
38	Delaware	\$30,668	\$11,473	37.4%	\$10,082	32.9%	\$9,084	29.6%
39	Idaho	\$24,208	\$8,791	36.3%	\$8,397	34.7%	\$7,803	32.2%
40	Nevada	\$30,990	\$11,107	35.8%	\$10,238	33.0%	\$9,162	29.6%
41	Alabama	\$21,220	\$7,592	35.8%	\$7,592	35.8%	\$6,778	31.9%
42	Kentucky	\$21,787	\$7,574	34.8%	\$7,574	34.8%	\$6,841	31.4%
43	Florida	\$27,698	\$9,617	34.7%	\$8,618	31.1%	\$7,254	26.2%
44	Arkansas	\$22,456	\$7,540	33.6%	\$7,150	31.8%	\$6,630	29.5%
45	Alaska	\$36,088	\$11,832	32.8%	\$11,287	31.3%	\$9,847	27.3%
46	Wyoming	\$29,276	\$9,490	32.4%	\$8,676	29.6%	\$8,134	27.8%
47	North Dakota	\$29,207	\$9,248	31.7%	\$8,821	30.2%	\$8,368	28.7%
48	Georgia	\$26,383	\$8,112	30.7%	\$7,498	28.4%	\$6,968	26.4%
49	Utah	\$31,025	\$9,120	29.4%	\$7,932	25.6%	\$6,816	22.0%
50	Mississippi	\$20,638	\$5,864	28.4%	\$5,864	28.4%	\$5,375	26.0%
51	South Dakota	\$26,431	\$7,426	28.1%	\$7,426	28.1%	\$6,677	25.3%
--	Montana	\$24,835	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR

[^]Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates: 2014-2018, Table B19126- Single Female Householder with Children under Age 18. <https://data.census.gov/>

^{^^} Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

* State did not report prices on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

Note: 1=least affordable and 51=most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for single parent families. Income is based on single-female householders with own children under the age of 18.

APPENDIX XIV

2019 Ranking of Affordability of Center-Based School-Age Care for Single-Parent Households, School-Age and Two Children

Rank	State	Median Income, Single Parent [^]	School-Age Care		Care for Two Children ^{**}	
			Price ^{^^}	% of Income	Price ^{^^}	% of Income
1	District of Columbia	\$27,710	\$9,360	6.7%	\$43,061	155.4%
2	Massachusetts	\$31,526	\$5,721	5.7%	\$37,010	117.4%
3	Puerto Rico	\$8,817	\$3,456	11.5%	\$8,976	101.8%
4	California	\$30,677	\$14,399	19.3%	\$29,552	96.3%
5	Washington	\$30,810	NR	NR	\$29,268	95.0%
6	Vermont	\$29,215	\$4,448	6.2%	\$26,750	91.6%
7	New Jersey	\$32,252	NR	NR	\$29,470	91.4%
8	Oregon	\$26,897	NR	NR	\$24,455	90.9%
9	Connecticut	\$32,384	\$3,862	4.0%	\$29,224	90.2%
10	Minnesota	\$32,065	NR	NR	\$28,611	89.2%
11	Illinois	\$27,557	NR	NR	\$24,357	88.4%
12	West Virginia	\$19,669	\$6,110	10.4%	\$17,290	87.9%
13	Colorado	\$32,847	\$3,445	4.5%	\$27,792	84.6%
14	New York	\$29,121	\$6,113	7.7%	\$24,564	84.4%
15	Virginia	\$31,367	\$5,035	6.1%	\$26,376	84.1%
16	Nebraska	\$27,896	\$8,580	12.4%	\$23,400	83.9%
17	Wisconsin	\$28,045	NR	NR	\$23,408	83.5%
18	Tennessee	\$23,734	\$2,937	4.8%	\$19,539	82.3%
19	Pennsylvania	\$27,500	NR	NR	\$22,466	81.7%
20	Kansas	\$27,319	NR	NR	\$21,704	79.4%
21	Michigan	\$25,071	\$5,216	7.4%	\$19,829	79.1%
22	Louisiana	\$21,275	\$3,375	4.9%	\$16,674	78.4%
23	New Mexico	\$22,795	NR	NR	\$17,801	78.1%
24	Indiana	\$25,267	\$5,326	8.1%	\$19,656	77.8%
25	Maine	\$27,185	\$3,790	5.6%	\$20,505	75.4%
26	Iowa	\$27,280	\$3,088	4.4%	\$20,343	74.6%
27	South Carolina	\$24,261	\$4,588	7.2%	\$18,031	74.3%
28	Ohio	\$24,093	\$3,396	4.8%	\$17,879	74.2%
29	Rhode Island	\$28,585	\$5,233	6.6%	\$21,121	73.9%
30	New Hampshire	\$33,103	\$3,600	4.2%	\$24,281	73.3%

Rank	State	Median Income, Single Parent [^]	School-Age Care		Care for Two Children ^{**}	
			Price ^{^^}	% of Income	Price ^{^^}	% of Income
31	North Carolina	\$25,355	\$3,415	5.2%	\$17,909	70.6%
32	Texas	\$27,189	\$4,490	6.7%	\$19,008	69.9%
33	Arizona	\$28,683	\$5,338	8.4%	\$19,898	69.4%
34	Idaho	\$24,208	\$4,939	8.6%	\$16,594	68.5%
35	Alabama	\$21,220	NR	NR	\$14,370	67.7%
36	Delaware	\$30,668	\$3,710	4.7%	\$20,557	67.0%
37	Hawaii	\$35,563	\$2,602	3.4%	\$23,760	66.8%
38	Oklahoma	\$23,920	\$3,188	5.4%	\$15,964	66.7%
39	Kentucky	\$21,787	\$4,581	7.4%	\$14,415	66.2%
40	Maryland	\$40,003	\$4,557	4.8%	\$26,353	65.9%
41	Nevada	\$30,990	\$5,010	8.1%	\$20,269	65.4%
42	Missouri	\$25,934	NR	NR	\$16,605	64.0%
43	Arkansas	\$22,456	NR	NR	\$14,170	63.1%
44	Florida	\$27,698	\$3,470	5.6%	\$16,871	60.9%
45	North Dakota	\$29,207	NR	NR	\$17,616	60.3%
46	Wyoming	\$29,276	\$5,892	8.5%	\$17,624	60.2%
47	Alaska	\$36,088	\$6,934	8.8%	\$21,679	60.1%
48	Georgia	\$26,383		0.0%	\$15,080	57.2%
49	Mississippi	\$20,638	NR	NR	\$11,239	54.5%
50	South Dakota	\$26,431	\$4,867	7.2%	\$14,103	53.4%
51	Utah	\$31,025	NR	NR	\$15,936	51.4%
--	Montana	\$24,835	NR	NR	\$0	0.0%

[^] Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates: 2014-2018, Table B19126- Single Female Householder with Children under Age 18. <https://data.census.gov/>

^{^^} Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

^{**} Child care prices for two children calculated by adding the annual price of infant care to the annual price of care for a 4 year old.

^{*} State did not report prices on the 2019 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

Note: 1=least affordable and 51=most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for single parent families. Income is based on single-female householders with own children under the age of 18.

APPENDIX XV

2019 Average Prices for Center-Based Care for an Infant and Two Children Compared to Varying Poverty Levels

State	Price of Care as a Percentage of Income				Price of Care as a Percentage of Income			
	Avg. Annual Price, Infant [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level	Avg. Annual Price, 2 Children ^{**}	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level
Alabama*	\$7,592	35.6%	23.7%	17.8%	\$14,370	55.8%	37.2%	27.9%
Alaska	\$11,832	44.4%	29.6%	22.2%	\$21,679	67.3%	44.9%	33.7%
Arizona*	\$11,017	51.7%	34.4%	25.8%	\$19,898	77.3%	51.5%	38.6%
Arkansas*	\$7,540	35.3%	23.6%	17.7%	\$14,170	55.0%	36.7%	27.5%
California	\$17,384	81.5%	54.3%	40.8%	\$29,552	114.8%	76.5%	57.4%
Colorado*	\$15,881	74.5%	49.6%	37.2%	\$27,792	107.9%	72.0%	54.0%
Connecticut	\$16,224	76.1%	50.7%	38.0%	\$29,224	113.5%	75.7%	56.7%
Delaware	\$11,473	53.8%	35.9%	26.9%	\$20,557	79.8%	53.2%	39.9%
District of Columbia	\$24,081	112.9%	75.3%	56.4%	\$43,061	167.2%	111.5%	83.6%
Florida	\$9,617	45.1%	30.1%	22.5%	\$16,871	65.5%	43.7%	32.8%
Georgia	\$8,112	38.0%	25.4%	19.0%	\$15,080	58.6%	39.0%	29.3%
Hawaii	\$14,354	58.5%	39.0%	29.2%	\$23,760	80.2%	53.5%	40.1%
Idaho*	\$8,791	41.2%	27.5%	20.6%	\$16,594	64.4%	43.0%	32.2%
Illinois	\$13,639	63.9%	42.6%	32.0%	\$24,357	94.6%	63.1%	47.3%
Indiana	\$11,094	52.0%	34.7%	26.0%	\$19,656	76.3%	50.9%	38.2%
Iowa	\$11,185	52.4%	35.0%	26.2%	\$20,343	79.0%	52.7%	39.5%
Kansas*	\$12,811	60.1%	40.0%	30.0%	\$21,704	84.3%	56.2%	42.1%
Kentucky*	\$7,574	35.5%	23.7%	17.8%	\$14,415	56.0%	37.3%	28.0%
Louisiana	\$8,734	40.9%	27.3%	20.5%	\$16,674	64.8%	43.2%	32.4%
Maine	\$10,734	50.3%	33.5%	25.2%	\$20,505	79.6%	53.1%	39.8%
Maryland	\$15,680	73.5%	49.0%	36.8%	\$26,353	102.3%	68.2%	51.2%
Massachusetts	\$21,256	99.7%	66.4%	49.8%	\$37,010	143.7%	95.8%	71.9%
Michigan	\$10,870	51.0%	34.0%	25.5%	\$19,829	77.0%	51.3%	38.5%
Minnesota	\$16,164	75.8%	50.5%	37.9%	\$28,611	111.1%	74.1%	55.6%
Mississippi*	\$5,864	27.5%	18.3%	13.7%	\$11,239	43.6%	29.1%	21.8%
Missouri	\$9,782	45.9%	30.6%	22.9%	\$16,605	64.5%	43.0%	32.2%
Montana	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Nebraska	\$11,960	56.1%	37.4%	28.0%	\$23,400	90.9%	60.6%	45.4%
Nevada	\$11,107	52.1%	34.7%	26.0%	\$20,269	78.7%	52.5%	39.4%

State	Price of Care as a Percentage of Income				Price of Care as a Percentage of Income			
	Avg. Annual Price, Infant [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level	Avg. Annual Price, 2 Children ^{**}	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level
New Hampshire	\$13,355	62.6%	41.7%	31.3%	\$24,281	94.3%	62.9%	47.1%
New Jersey*	\$16,268	76.3%	50.8%	38.1%	\$29,470	114.4%	76.3%	57.2%
New Mexico*	\$9,299	43.6%	29.1%	21.8%	\$17,801	69.1%	46.1%	34.6%
New York	\$13,390	62.8%	41.9%	31.4%	\$24,564	95.4%	63.6%	47.7%
North Carolina	\$9,650	45.2%	30.2%	22.6%	\$17,909	69.5%	46.4%	34.8%
North Dakota	\$9,248	43.4%	28.9%	21.7%	\$17,616	68.4%	45.6%	34.2%
Ohio	\$9,919	46.5%	31.0%	23.3%	\$17,879	69.4%	46.3%	34.7%
Oklahoma	\$9,041	42.4%	28.3%	21.2%	\$15,964	62.0%	41.3%	31.0%
Oregon	\$14,247	66.8%	44.5%	33.4%	\$24,455	95.0%	63.3%	47.5%
Pennsylvania*	\$12,308	57.7%	38.5%	28.9%	\$22,466	87.2%	58.2%	43.6%
Puerto Rico*	\$4,548	21.3%	14.2%	10.7%	\$8,976	34.9%	23.2%	17.4%
Rhode Island*	\$11,152	52.3%	34.9%	26.1%	\$21,121	82.0%	54.7%	41.0%
South Carolina	\$9,490	44.5%	29.7%	22.2%	\$18,031	70.0%	46.7%	35.0%
South Dakota	\$7,426	34.8%	23.2%	17.4%	\$14,103	54.8%	36.5%	27.4%
Tennessee	\$10,780	50.5%	33.7%	25.3%	\$19,539	75.9%	50.6%	37.9%
Texas*	\$10,306	48.3%	32.2%	24.2%	\$19,008	73.8%	49.2%	36.9%
Utah	\$9,120	42.8%	28.5%	21.4%	\$15,936	61.9%	41.3%	30.9%
Vermont	\$13,915	65.2%	43.5%	32.6%	\$26,750	103.9%	69.3%	51.9%
Virginia	\$14,778	69.3%	46.2%	34.6%	\$26,376	102.4%	68.3%	51.2%
Washington	\$15,420	72.3%	48.2%	36.1%	\$29,268	113.7%	75.8%	56.8%
West Virginia	\$9,360	43.9%	29.3%	21.9%	\$17,290	67.1%	44.8%	33.6%
Wisconsin	\$12,782	59.9%	39.9%	30.0%	\$23,408	90.9%	60.6%	45.5%
Wyoming*	\$9,490	44.5%	29.7%	22.2%	\$17,624	68.4%	45.6%	34.2%

[^]Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey. Child care prices for two children calculated by adding the annual price of infant care to the annual price of care for a 4 year old.

^{^^} Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. September 2019. *2019 Federal Poverty Guidelines*, <https://aspe.hhs.gov/2019-poverty-guidelines>. 150% poverty calculated by multiplying 1.5 to the poverty level. 200% poverty calculated by multiplying 2 to the poverty level.

^{**} Child care prices for two children calculated by adding the annual price of infant care to the annual price of care for a 4 year old.

* State did not report costs on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

APPENDIX XVI

2019 Average Prices for Center-Based Care for a Toddler and a Four Year Old Compared to Varying Poverty Levels

State	Price of Care as a Percentage of Income				Price of Care as a Percentage of Income			
	Avg. Annual Price, Toddler [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level	Avg. Annual Price, 4 Year Old [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level
Alabama*	\$7,592	35.6%	23.7%	17.8%	\$6,778	31.8%	21.2%	15.9%
Alaska	\$11,287	42.3%	28.2%	21.2%	\$9,847	36.9%	24.6%	18.5%
Arizona*	\$9,395	44.0%	29.4%	22.0%	\$8,881	41.6%	27.8%	20.8%
Arkansas*	\$7,150	33.5%	22.3%	16.8%	\$6,630	31.1%	20.7%	15.5%
California	NR	NR	NR	NR	\$12,168	57.0%	38.0%	28.5%
Colorado*	\$14,341	67.2%	44.8%	33.6%	\$11,911	55.8%	37.2%	27.9%
Connecticut	\$16,009	75.1%	50.0%	37.5%	\$13,000	60.9%	40.6%	30.5%
Delaware	\$10,082	47.3%	31.5%	23.6%	\$9,084	42.6%	28.4%	21.3%
District of Columbia	\$23,017	107.9%	71.9%	54.0%	\$18,980	89.0%	59.3%	44.5%
Florida	\$8,618	40.4%	26.9%	20.2%	\$7,254	34.0%	22.7%	17.0%
Georgia	\$7,498	35.2%	23.4%	17.6%	\$6,968	32.7%	21.8%	16.3%
Hawaii	\$13,230	53.9%	35.9%	27.0%	\$9,406	38.3%	25.6%	19.2%
Idaho*	\$8,397	39.4%	26.2%	19.7%	\$7,803	36.6%	24.4%	18.3%
Illinois	\$12,675	59.4%	39.6%	29.7%	\$10,718	50.2%	33.5%	25.1%
Indiana	\$10,414	48.8%	32.5%	24.4%	\$8,562	40.1%	26.8%	20.1%
Iowa	\$10,039	47.1%	31.4%	23.5%	\$9,158	42.9%	28.6%	21.5%
Kansas*	\$10,481	49.1%	32.8%	24.6%	\$8,893	41.7%	27.8%	20.8%
Kentucky*	\$7,574	35.5%	23.7%	17.8%	\$6,841	32.1%	21.4%	16.0%
Louisiana	\$8,205	38.5%	25.6%	19.2%	\$7,940	37.2%	24.8%	18.6%
Maine	\$10,062	47.2%	31.4%	23.6%	\$9,771	45.8%	30.5%	22.9%
Maryland	\$12,284	57.6%	38.4%	28.8%	\$10,673	50.0%	33.4%	25.0%
Massachusetts	\$19,616	92.0%	61.3%	46.0%	\$15,754	73.9%	49.2%	36.9%
Michigan	\$10,374	48.6%	32.4%	24.3%	\$8,959	42.0%	28.0%	21.0%
Minnesota	\$14,062	65.9%	44.0%	33.0%	\$12,447	58.4%	38.9%	29.2%
Mississippi*	\$5,864	27.5%	18.3%	13.7%	\$5,375	25.2%	16.8%	12.6%
Missouri	\$9,782	45.9%	30.6%	22.9%	\$6,823	32.0%	21.3%	16.0%
Montana	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Nebraska	\$11,700	54.9%	36.6%	27.4%	\$11,440	53.6%	35.8%	26.8%
Nevada	\$10,238	48.0%	32.0%	24.0%	\$9,162	43.0%	28.6%	21.5%

State	Price of Care as a Percentage of Income				Price of Care as a Percentage of Income			
	Avg. Annual Price, Toddler [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level	Avg. Annual Price, 4 Year Old [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level
New Hampshire	\$12,416	58.2%	38.8%	29.1%	\$10,926	51.2%	34.1%	25.6%
New Jersey*	\$14,954	70.1%	46.7%	35.1%	\$13,202	61.9%	41.3%	30.9%
New Mexico*	\$9,095	42.6%	28.4%	21.3%	\$8,502	39.9%	26.6%	19.9%
New York	\$12,361	58.0%	38.6%	29.0%	\$11,174	52.4%	34.9%	26.2%
North Carolina	\$8,746	41.0%	27.3%	20.5%	\$8,259	38.7%	25.8%	19.4%
North Dakota	\$8,821	41.4%	27.6%	20.7%	\$8,368	39.2%	26.2%	19.6%
Ohio	\$8,698	40.8%	27.2%	20.4%	\$7,960	37.3%	24.9%	18.7%
Oklahoma	\$8,121	38.1%	25.4%	19.0%	\$6,923	32.5%	21.6%	16.2%
Oregon	\$13,334	62.5%	41.7%	31.3%	\$10,208	47.9%	31.9%	23.9%
Pennsylvania*	\$11,402	53.5%	35.6%	26.7%	\$10,158	47.6%	31.7%	23.8%
Puerto Rico*	\$4,548	21.3%	14.2%	10.7%	\$4,428	20.8%	13.8%	10.4%
Rhode Island*	\$10,932	51.3%	34.2%	25.6%	\$9,969	46.7%	31.2%	23.4%
South Carolina	NR	NR	NR	NR	\$8,541	40.0%	26.7%	20.0%
South Dakota	\$7,426	34.8%	23.2%	17.4%	\$6,677	31.3%	20.9%	15.7%
Tennessee	\$9,998	46.9%	31.2%	23.4%	\$8,759	41.1%	27.4%	20.5%
Texas*	\$9,428	44.2%	29.5%	22.1%	\$8,702	40.8%	27.2%	20.4%
Utah	\$7,932	37.2%	24.8%	18.6%	\$6,816	32.0%	21.3%	16.0%
Vermont	\$13,672	64.1%	42.7%	32.0%	\$12,835	60.2%	40.1%	30.1%
Virginia	\$14,577	68.3%	45.6%	34.2%	\$11,598	54.4%	36.2%	27.2%
Washington	\$15,420	72.3%	48.2%	36.1%	\$13,848	64.9%	43.3%	32.5%
West Virginia	\$5,871	27.5%	18.3%	13.8%	\$7,930	37.2%	24.8%	18.6%
Wisconsin	\$12,727	59.7%	39.8%	29.8%	\$10,626	38.1%	25.4%	19.1%
Wyoming*	\$8,676	40.7%	27.1%	20.3%	\$8,134	38.1%	25.4%	19.1%

[^] Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2019 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

^{^^} Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. September 2019. *2019 Federal Poverty Guidelines*, <https://aspe.hhs.gov/2019-poverty-guidelines>. 150% poverty calculated by multiplying 1.5 to the poverty level. 200% poverty calculated by multiplying 2 to the poverty level.

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APPENDIX XVII

2019 Average Prices for Family Child Care (FCC) for an Infant and Two Children Compared to Varying Poverty Levels

State	Price of Care as a Percentage of Income				Price of Care as a Percentage of Income			
	Avg. Annual Price, Infant [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level	Avg. Annual Price, 2 Children ^{**}	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level
Alabama*	\$6,778	31.8%	21.2%	15.9%	\$13,285	51.6%	34.4%	25.8%
Alaska	\$8,917	33.4%	22.3%	16.7%	\$16,863	52.4%	34.9%	26.2%
Arizona*	\$7,509	35.2%	23.5%	17.6%	\$14,569	56.6%	37.7%	28.3%
Arkansas*	\$6,110	28.6%	19.1%	14.3%	\$11,430	44.4%	29.6%	22.2%
California	\$11,718	54.9%	36.6%	27.5%	\$22,693	88.1%	58.8%	44.1%
Colorado*	\$10,587	49.6%	33.1%	24.8%	\$20,115	78.1%	52.1%	39.1%
Connecticut	\$11,440	53.6%	35.8%	26.8%	\$22,204	86.2%	57.5%	43.1%
Delaware	\$7,944	37.2%	24.8%	18.6%	\$14,992	58.2%	38.8%	29.1%
District of Columbia	\$18,200	85.3%	56.9%	42.7%	\$29,380	114.1%	76.1%	57.0%
Florida	\$8,256	38.7%	25.8%	19.4%	\$14,951	58.1%	38.7%	29.0%
Georgia	\$6,812	31.9%	21.3%	16.0%	\$13,000	50.5%	33.7%	25.2%
Hawaii	\$9,211	37.5%	25.0%	18.8%	\$18,129	61.2%	40.8%	30.6%
Idaho*	\$7,529	35.3%	23.5%	17.6%	\$14,681	57.0%	38.0%	28.5%
Illinois	\$8,807	41.3%	27.5%	20.6%	\$16,783	65.2%	43.5%	32.6%
Indiana	\$7,954	37.3%	24.9%	18.6%	\$14,722	57.2%	38.1%	28.6%
Iowa	\$7,340	34.4%	22.9%	17.2%	\$14,335	55.7%	37.1%	27.8%
Kansas*	\$7,517	35.2%	23.5%	17.6%	\$14,134	54.9%	36.6%	27.4%
Kentucky*	\$6,352	29.8%	19.9%	14.9%	\$12,460	48.4%	32.3%	24.2%
Louisiana	\$7,676	36.0%	24.0%	18.0%	\$14,293	55.5%	37.0%	27.8%
Maine	\$8,580	40.2%	26.8%	20.1%	\$16,461	63.9%	42.6%	32.0%
Maryland	\$11,053	51.8%	34.5%	25.9%	\$19,518	75.8%	50.5%	37.9%
Massachusetts	\$13,421	62.9%	41.9%	31.5%	\$25,851	100.4%	66.9%	50.2%
Michigan	\$7,596	35.6%	23.7%	17.8%	\$14,796	57.5%	38.3%	28.7%
Minnesota	\$8,522	40.0%	26.6%	20.0%	\$16,284	63.2%	42.2%	31.6%
Mississippi*	\$4,258	20.0%	13.3%	10.0%	\$8,148	31.6%	21.1%	15.8%
Missouri	\$5,736	26.9%	17.9%	13.4%	\$10,730	41.7%	27.8%	20.8%
Montana	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Nebraska	\$10,660	50.0%	33.3%	25.0%	\$20,800	80.8%	53.9%	40.4%

State	Price of Care as a Percentage of Income				Price of Care as a Percentage of Income			
	Avg. Annual Price, Infant [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level	Avg. Annual Price, 2 Children ^{**}	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level
Nevada	\$8,892	41.7%	27.8%	20.8%	\$18,266	70.9%	47.3%	35.5%
New Hampshire	\$9,597	45.0%	30.0%	22.5%	\$18,677	72.5%	48.4%	36.3%
New Jersey [*]	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
New Mexico [*]	\$8,080	37.9%	25.3%	18.9%	\$15,709	61.0%	40.7%	30.5%
New York	\$9,794	45.9%	30.6%	23.0%	\$18,360	71.3%	47.5%	35.7%
North Carolina	\$7,730	36.2%	24.2%	18.1%	\$14,559	56.5%	37.7%	28.3%
North Dakota	\$7,764	36.4%	24.3%	18.2%	\$15,204	59.0%	39.4%	29.5%
Ohio	\$7,649	35.9%	23.9%	17.9%	\$14,253	55.4%	36.9%	27.7%
Oklahoma	\$7,236	33.9%	22.6%	17.0%	\$13,596	52.8%	35.2%	26.4%
Oregon	\$9,488	44.5%	29.7%	22.2%	\$18,090	70.3%	46.8%	35.1%
Pennsylvania [*]	\$9,497	44.5%	29.7%	22.3%	\$17,752	68.9%	46.0%	34.5%
Puerto Rico [*]	\$3,720	17.4%	11.6%	8.7%	\$3,720	14.4%	9.6%	7.2%
Rhode Island [*]	\$10,078	47.2%	31.5%	23.6%	\$19,048	74.0%	49.3%	37.0%
South Carolina	\$5,965	28.0%	18.6%	14.0%	\$11,659	45.3%	30.2%	22.6%
South Dakota	\$5,491	25.7%	17.2%	12.9%	\$10,795	41.9%	27.9%	21.0%
Tennessee	\$7,518	35.2%	23.5%	17.6%	\$14,240	55.3%	36.9%	27.7%
Texas [*]	\$8,970	42.1%	28.0%	21.0%	\$16,986	66.0%	44.0%	33.0%
Utah	\$7,200	33.8%	22.5%	16.9%	\$13,500	52.4%	35.0%	26.2%
Vermont	\$9,428	44.2%	29.5%	22.1%	\$18,313	71.1%	47.4%	35.6%
Virginia	\$10,936	51.3%	34.2%	25.6%	\$20,226	78.5%	52.4%	39.3%
Washington	\$11,640	54.6%	36.4%	27.3%	\$21,252	82.5%	55.0%	41.3%
West Virginia	\$7,800	36.6%	24.4%	18.3%	\$13,780	53.5%	35.7%	26.8%
Wisconsin	\$10,078	47.2%	31.5%	23.6%	\$19,243	74.7%	49.8%	37.4%
Wyoming [*]	\$8,576	40.2%	26.8%	20.1%	\$16,599	64.5%	43.0%	32.2%

[^] Source: Child Care Aware[®] of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey. Child care prices for two children calculated by adding the annual price of infant care to the annual price of care for a 4 year old.

^{^^} Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. September 2019. *2019 Federal Poverty Guidelines*, <https://aspe.hhs.gov/2019-poverty-guidelines>. 150% poverty calculated by multiplying 1.5 to the poverty level. 200% poverty calculated by multiplying 2 to the poverty level.

^{**} Child care prices for two children calculated by adding the annual price of infant care to the annual price of care for a 4 year old.

^{*} State did not report costs on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

APPENDIX XVIII

2019 Average Prices for Family Child Care for a Toddler and a Four Year Old Compared to Varying Poverty Levels

State	Price of Care as a Percentage of Income				Price of Care as a Percentage of Income			
	Avg. Annual Price, Toddler [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level	Avg. Annual Price, 4 Year Old [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level
Alabama*	\$6,778	31.8%	21.2%	15.9%	\$6,507	30.5%	20.3%	15.3%
Alaska	\$8,959	33.6%	22.4%	16.8%	\$7,946	29.8%	19.9%	14.9%
Arizona*	\$7,215	33.8%	22.6%	16.9%	\$7,060	33.1%	22.1%	16.5%
Arkansas*	\$5,850	27.4%	18.3%	13.7%	\$5,850	27.4%	18.3%	13.7%
California	NR	NR	NR	NR	\$10,975	51.5%	34.3%	25.7%
Colorado*	\$10,587	49.6%	33.1%	24.8%	\$9,528	44.7%	29.8%	22.3%
Connecticut	NR	NR	NR	NR	\$10,764	50.5%	33.6%	25.2%
Delaware	\$7,452	34.9%	23.3%	17.5%	\$7,048	33.0%	22.0%	16.5%
District of Columbia	\$18,200	85.3%	56.9%	42.7%	\$11,180	52.4%	34.9%	26.2%
Florida	\$7,611	35.7%	23.8%	17.8%	\$6,695	31.4%	20.9%	15.7%
Georgia	\$7,488	35.1%	23.4%	17.6%	\$6,188	29.0%	19.3%	14.5%
Hawaii	\$9,028	36.8%	24.5%	18.4%	\$8,918	36.3%	24.2%	18.2%
Idaho*	\$7,285	34.2%	22.8%	17.1%	\$7,152	33.5%	22.4%	16.8%
Illinois	\$8,684	40.7%	27.1%	20.4%	\$7,976	37.4%	24.9%	18.7%
Indiana	\$7,159	33.6%	22.4%	16.8%	\$6,768	31.7%	21.2%	15.9%
Iowa	\$7,164	33.6%	22.4%	16.8%	\$6,995	32.8%	21.9%	16.4%
Kansas*	\$6,882	32.3%	21.5%	16.1%	\$6,617	31.0%	20.7%	15.5%
Kentucky*	\$6,352	29.8%	19.9%	14.9%	\$6,108	28.6%	19.1%	14.3%
Louisiana	\$7,146	33.5%	22.3%	16.8%	\$6,617	31.0%	20.7%	15.5%
Maine	\$8,260	38.7%	25.8%	19.4%	\$7,881	36.9%	24.6%	18.5%
Maryland	\$9,476	44.4%	29.6%	22.2%	\$8,465	39.7%	26.5%	19.8%
Massachusetts	\$12,770	59.9%	39.9%	29.9%	\$12,430	58.3%	38.8%	29.1%
Michigan	\$7,344	34.4%	23.0%	17.2%	\$7,200	33.8%	22.5%	16.9%
Minnesota	\$8,113	38.0%	25.4%	19.0%	\$7,762	36.4%	24.3%	18.2%
Mississippi*	\$4,251	19.9%	13.3%	10.0%	\$3,890	18.2%	12.2%	9.1%
Missouri	\$5,736	26.9%	17.9%	13.4%	\$4,994	23.4%	15.6%	11.7%
Montana	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Nebraska	\$10,140	47.5%	31.7%	23.8%	\$10,140	47.5%	31.7%	23.8%
Nevada	\$8,539	40.0%	26.7%	20.0%	\$9,374	43.9%	29.3%	22.0%

State	Price of Care as a Percentage of Income				Price of Care as a Percentage of Income			
	Avg. Annual Price, Toddler [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level	Avg. Annual Price, 4 Year Old [^]	Poverty Level ^{^^}	150% of Poverty Level	200% of Poverty Level
New Hampshire	\$9,398	44.1%	29.4%	22.0%	\$9,080	42.6%	28.4%	21.3%
New Jersey*	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
New Mexico*	\$7,863	36.9%	24.6%	18.4%	\$7,629	35.8%	23.8%	17.9%
New York	\$9,086	42.6%	28.4%	21.3%	\$8,566	40.2%	26.8%	20.1%
North Carolina	\$7,257	34.0%	22.7%	17.0%	\$6,829	32.0%	21.3%	16.0%
North Dakota	\$7,570	35.5%	23.7%	17.7%	\$7,440	34.9%	23.3%	17.4%
Ohio	\$7,473	35.0%	23.4%	17.5%	\$6,604	31.0%	20.6%	15.5%
Oklahoma	\$6,872	32.2%	21.5%	16.1%	\$6,360	29.8%	19.9%	14.9%
Oregon	\$9,070	42.5%	28.3%	21.3%	\$8,602	40.3%	26.9%	20.2%
Pennsylvania*	\$8,798	41.2%	27.5%	20.6%	\$8,255	38.7%	25.8%	19.4%
Puerto Rico*	\$3,720	17.4%	11.6%	8.7%	NR	NR	NR	NR
Rhode Island*	\$9,683	45.4%	30.3%	22.7%	\$8,970	42.1%	28.0%	21.0%
South Carolina	NR	NR	NR	NR	\$5,694	26.7%	17.8%	13.3%
South Dakota	\$5,491	25.7%	17.2%	12.9%	\$5,304	24.9%	16.6%	12.4%
Tennessee	\$7,176	33.6%	22.4%	16.8%	\$6,722	31.5%	21.0%	15.8%
Texas*	\$8,497	39.8%	26.6%	19.9%	\$8,016	37.6%	25.1%	18.8%
Utah	\$6,664	31.2%	20.8%	15.6%	\$6,300	29.5%	19.7%	14.8%
Vermont	\$9,061	42.5%	28.3%	21.2%	\$8,885	41.7%	27.8%	20.8%
Virginia	\$10,652	49.9%	33.3%	25.0%	\$9,290	43.6%	29.0%	21.8%
Washington	\$11,640	54.6%	36.4%	27.3%	\$9,612	45.1%	30.0%	22.5%
West Virginia	\$6,630	31.1%	20.7%	15.5%	\$5,980	28.0%	18.7%	14.0%
Wisconsin	\$10,024	47.0%	31.3%	23.5%	\$9,165	43.0%	28.6%	21.5%
Wyoming*	\$8,134	38.1%	25.4%	19.1%	\$8,023	37.6%	25.1%	18.8%

[^] Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

^{^^} Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. September 2019. *2019 Federal Poverty Guidelines*, <https://aspe.hhs.gov/2019-poverty-guidelines>. 150% poverty calculated by multiplying 1.5 to the poverty level. 200% poverty calculated by multiplying 2 to the poverty level.

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APPENDIX XIX

2019 Child Care Professional Income Children in Center-Based Care

Rank	State	Annual Price of Care [^]					Annual Income – Child Care Professionals ^{^^}	
		Infant	Toddler	4 Year Old	Before/ After School	Two Children ^{**}	Avg. Income	% of Income for 2 children, center
1	District of Columbia	\$24,081	\$23,017	\$18,980	\$9,360	\$43,061	\$34,140	126.1%
2	Massachusetts	\$21,256	\$19,616	\$15,754	\$5,721	\$37,010	\$31,280	118.3%
3	Minnesota	\$16,164	\$14,062	\$12,447	NR	\$28,611	\$26,780	106.8%
4	New Jersey	\$16,268	\$14,954	\$13,202	NR	\$29,470	\$27,740	106.2%
5	Virginia	\$14,778	\$14,577	\$11,598	\$5,035	\$26,376	\$25,210	104.6%
6	Connecticut	\$16,224	\$16,009	\$13,000	\$3,862	\$29,224	\$28,060	104.1%
7	Maryland	\$15,680	\$12,284	\$10,673	\$4,557	\$26,353	\$26,010	101.3%
8	Wisconsin	\$12,782	\$12,727	\$10,626	NR	\$23,408	\$23,650	99.0%
9	California	\$17,384	NR	\$12,168	\$14,399	\$29,552	\$30,190	97.9%
10	Kansas	\$12,811	\$10,481	\$8,893	NR	\$21,704	\$22,250	97.5%
11	New Hampshire	\$13,355	\$12,416	\$10,926	\$3,600	\$24,281	\$25,200	96.4%
12	Nebraska	\$11,960	\$11,700	\$11,440	\$8,580	\$23,400	\$24,340	96.1%
13	Iowa	\$11,185	\$10,039	\$9,158	\$3,088	\$20,343	\$21,170	96.1%
14	Illinois	\$13,639	\$12,675	\$10,718	NR	\$24,357	\$25,440	95.7%
15	Pennsylvania	\$12,308	\$11,402	\$10,158	NR	\$22,466	\$23,610	95.2%
16	Washington	\$15,420	\$15,420	\$13,848	NR	\$29,268	\$31,380	93.3%
17	Colorado	\$15,881	\$14,341	\$11,911	\$3,445	\$27,792	\$30,280	91.8%
18	Tennessee	\$10,780	\$9,998	\$8,759	\$2,937	\$19,539	\$22,270	87.7%
19	Delaware	\$11,473	\$10,082	\$9,084	\$3,710	\$20,557	\$23,440	87.7%
20	Indiana	\$11,094	\$10,414	\$8,562	\$5,326	\$19,656	\$22,470	87.5%
21	Nevada	\$11,107	\$10,238	\$9,162	\$5,010	\$20,269	\$23,190	87.4%
22	Oregon	\$14,247	\$13,334	\$10,208	NR	\$24,455	\$27,990	87.4%
23	Vermont	\$13,915	\$13,672	\$12,835	\$4,448	\$26,750	\$30,880	86.6%
24	South Carolina	\$9,490	NR	\$8,541	\$4,588	\$18,031	\$21,000	85.9%
25	Hawaii	\$14,354	\$13,230	\$9,406	\$2,602	\$23,760	\$27,710	85.7%
26	Texas	\$10,306	\$9,428	\$8,702	\$4,490	\$19,008	\$23,100	82.3%
27	New York	\$13,390	\$12,361	\$11,174	\$6,113	\$24,564	\$29,880	82.2%
28	Louisiana	\$8,734	\$8,205	\$7,940	\$3,375	\$16,674	\$20,320	82.1%
29	Michigan	\$10,870	\$10,374	\$8,959	\$5,216	\$19,829	\$24,580	80.7%
30	Oklahoma	\$9,041	\$8,121	\$6,923	\$3,188	\$15,964	\$20,430	78.1%

Rank	State	Annual Price of Care [^]					Annual Income - Child Care Professionals ^{^^}	
		Infant	Toddler	4 Year Old	Before/ After School	Two Children ^{**}	Avg. Income	% of Income for 2 children, center
31	West Virginia	\$9,360	\$5,871	\$7,930	\$6,110	\$17,290	\$22,380	77.3%
32	North Carolina	\$9,650	\$8,746	\$8,259	\$3,415	\$17,909	\$23,550	76.0%
33	New Mexico	\$9,299	\$9,095	\$8,502	NR	\$17,801	\$23,470	75.8%
34	Rhode Island	\$11,152	\$10,932	\$9,969	\$5,233	\$21,121	\$27,880	75.8%
35	Idaho	\$8,791	\$8,397	\$7,803	\$4,939	\$16,594	\$21,910	75.7%
36	Alaska	\$11,832	\$11,287	\$9,847	\$6,934	\$21,679	\$28,680	75.6%
37	Ohio	\$9,919	\$8,698	\$7,960	\$3,396	\$17,879	\$23,780	75.2%
38	Arizona	\$11,017	\$9,395	\$8,881	\$5,338	\$19,898	\$26,520	75.0%
39	Maine	\$10,734	\$10,062	\$9,771	\$3,790	\$20,505	\$28,100	73.0%
40	Missouri	\$9,782	\$9,782	\$6,823	NR	\$16,605	\$23,230	71.5%
41	Wyoming	\$9,490	\$8,676	\$8,134	\$5,892	\$17,624	\$24,840	71.0%
42	Georgia	\$8,112	\$7,498	\$6,968	NR	\$15,080	\$21,510	70.1%
43	North Dakota	\$9,248	\$8,821	\$8,368	NR	\$17,616	\$25,380	69.4%
44	Florida	\$9,617	\$8,618	\$7,254	\$3,470	\$16,871	\$24,350	69.3%
45	Alabama	\$7,592	\$7,592	\$6,778	NR	\$14,370	\$20,770	69.2%
46	Utah	\$9,120	\$7,932	\$6,816	NR	\$15,936	\$23,270	68.5%
47	Kentucky	\$7,574	\$7,574	\$6,841	\$4,581	\$14,415	\$22,160	65.0%
48	Arkansas	\$7,540	\$7,150	\$6,630	\$4,290	\$14,170	\$21,870	64.8%
49	South Dakota	\$7,426	\$7,426	\$6,677	\$4,867	\$14,103	\$21,940	64.3%
50	Mississippi	\$5,864	\$5,864	\$5,375	NR	\$11,239	\$19,320	58.2%
51	Puerto Rico	\$4,548	\$4,548	\$4,428	\$3,456	\$8,976	\$18,870	47.6%
--	Montana	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	\$23,510	NR

[^] Source: Child Care Aware® of America's January 2020 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

^{^^} Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2019 Annual Mean Wage: Childcare Workers. <https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes399011.htm>

^{**} Child care prices for two children calculated by adding the annual price of infant care to the annual price of care for a 4 year old.

* State did not report prices on the 2020 survey; data reported from state's most recent Market Rate Survey.

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care

Note: 1=least affordable and 51=most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of average annual income for child professionals who work in a center setting.

APPENDIX XX

Methodologies Used to Calculate 2019 National Child Care Price Estimates

Methodology #1: “Average of Averages.” The first methodology is simply an average of averages. As an example, if you add the average price of center-based care and the average price of FCC, and divide by two, you’ve calculated an average of averages. This method completely ignores any differences between states, even at the most fundamental level.

Method #1	Center	Home
Infant	\$11,516	\$8,525
Four-year-old	\$9,387	\$8,693
Average	\$10,452	\$8,080
Overall Average	\$9,266	

Methodology #2: “Average of Space-Weighted Averages.” The second methodology is an average weighted by the number of licensed child care spaces reported by a state for each age group and by the type of care. Using these calculated estimates for the number of spaces by age group and program type, average prices were weighted and compiled to produce the overall average.

Method #2	Center	Home
Infant	\$10,762	\$9,083
Four-year-old	\$8,597	\$8,693
Average	\$9,679	\$8,888
Overall Average	\$9,284	

Methodology #3: “Average of Program-Weighted Averages.” In the third methodology, we calculated an overall average by weighting state child care price averages by the number of programs by type (i.e., centers, family child care homes). The average price of child care, by age group, was weighted by the number of programs, by type, reported by each state. Most states reported the number of programs incorporated into their average child care prices, so this method required much less approximation for comparable weighting.

Method #3	Center	Home
Infant	\$11,504	\$9,442
Four-year-old	\$9,039	\$8,472
Average	\$10,722	\$8,957
Overall Average	\$9,614	

None of the above methods is foolproof or ideal for determining one number that would accurately describe how unaffordable child care is for families across the country. Though the three methods produce similar numbers, none of them provides the clarity needed to understand this complex social problem. Prices of a service like child care must be understood in the context of household income, by state and by regions within states.