



KEY FACTS ABOUT

Children birth to 3 years, their families, and the child care system that serves them

North Dakota

2007 estimated population: 639,715

U.S. Census 2007 Population Estimate

2000 population: 642,200

U.S. Census 2000



An average of 1,540 of children 0–3 are served per month by the Child Care and Development Fund

(FY 2006 ACF-801 data, Child Care Bureau)

In Federal Fiscal Year 2008 the Infant/Toddler Child Care and Development Fund appropriation = \$182,133

(FY 2008 CCDF Allocations Based on Appropriations, U.S. Dept. of HHS, ACF)

CCDF Subsidy Rates for Infants at 11 months of age (Weekly Rates)

Center \$115.00

FCC \$110.00

Exempt \$110.00

(FY 2008 CCDF State Plans, U.S. Dept. of HHS, ACF) (as approved and subject to change) (for illustrative purposes only these rates highlight only the highest urban area rates)



421 children served in Early Head Start are ACF-Funded, 0 Non-ACF-Funded Enrollment (e.g. state or privately funded spaces)

(2007 Early Head Start Funded Enrollment) (EHSNRC Database—October 2007)



757 children under 3 receive early intervention services under IDEA, Part C

(U.S. Dept. of Education, Office of Special Ed. Programs, Data Analysis System (DANS), 2006)

63% of all the requests for child care to the child care resource and referral programs were for infant and toddler care

(Child Care in America: 2008 State Facts, NACCRR)

Infant/Toddler Caregiver Credential: Yes

Quality Rating System: Exploring or Designing
Source: NCCIC, 2008

Early Learning Guidelines for 0-3: Yes

Infant/Toddler Specialist Network: Yes

In Center-Based Care the staff-to-child ratios are

1:4 for children to 24 months; 1:5 for 24 to 36 months
(State Licensing Regulations)

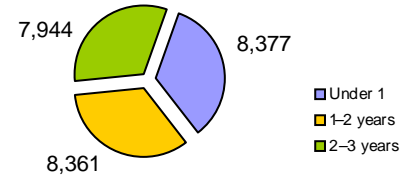
In Family Child Care the staff-to-child ratios are

1:4 (if all children are under 24 months) OR 1:6 (with no more than 3 under 24 months)
(State Licensing Regulations)

In Group Family Child Care the staff-to-child ratios are

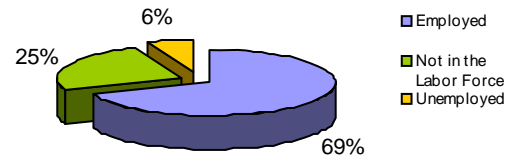
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24,682 Children Under the Age of 3 Live in North Dakota



U.S. Census 2007 Population Estimate

69% of North Dakota Women with Children Under the Age of 3 Are in the Labor Force



Current Population Survey, March 2001

Average annual fee for full-time child care for an infant in:

center based care.....\$6,559
family child care home.....\$5,465

Cost of child care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families10%

Cost of child care for an infant as percent of median income for single parent families..... 30%
Child Care in America: 2008 State Facts, NACCRR

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For more information about North Dakota go to:

http://nccic.acf.hhs.gov/statedata/statepro/display_cfm?state=North%20Dakota



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