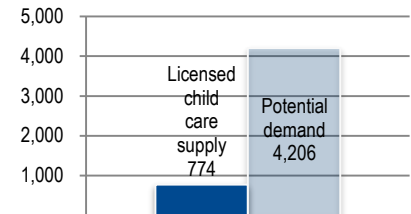


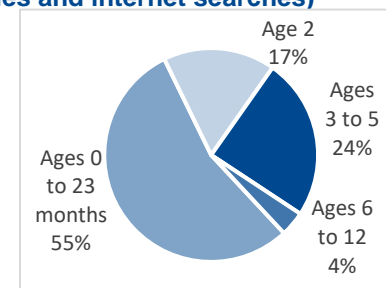
Children Potentially Needing Child Care

	0-2 yrs	3 yrs	4-5 yrs	6-12 yrs	Total
Children in County by Age ¹	1,608	521	939	3,119	6,187
% of Children Ages 0 to 5 with All Parents in the Labor Force ¹					62.4%
% of Children Ages 6 to 13 with All Parents in the Labor Force ¹					73.4%
Children Ages 0 to 5 potentially needing child care due to parents in workforce					1,915
Children Ages 6 to 12 potentially needing child care due to parents in workforce					2,290
Capacity of state-licensed child care programs (family, group, center, school-age ³)					774
Current Child Care Assistance Program Recipients Age 0-13 ¹					168
Percent to which supply meets potential demand					18%



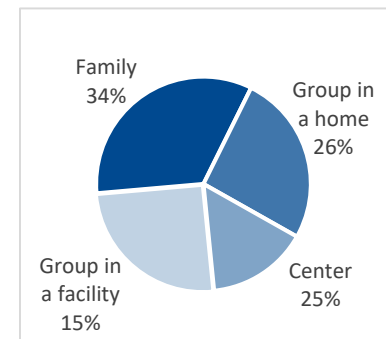
Referral Requests (July 2016 to June 2017, includes Child Care Aware® phone inquiries and internet searches)

Total children needing care as requested through Child Care Aware®	53
Ages 0 to 23 months	29
Age 2	9
Ages 3 to 5	13
Ages 6 to 12	2
Total children needing care before 7:00 a.m.	-
Total children needing care beyond 6:00 p.m.	-
Total children needing care Saturdays or Sundays	-



State-Licensed Early Childhood Program Type and Capacity² (2017)

	Family	Group in a home	Group in a facility	Center	Total
Number of Programs	29	14	5	2	50
Licensed Capacity	261	200	118	195	774
Reported Vacancies ⁴	2	2	0	0	4
Providers/Capacity Added	7/63	1/18	0/0	0/0	8/81
Providers/Capacity Lost	9/79	0/0	1/12	0/0	10/91
Programs open before 7:00 a.m.	7	5	2	1	15
Programs open after 6:00 p.m.	1	3	0	0	4
Programs open on Weekends	1	3	0	0	4
Reported Size of Workforce	31	39	20	47	137
State-licensed school-age programs ³	0		with a licensed capacity of		0



Annual Cost of State-Licensed Child Care²

Age of Child	Home-based Programs		Centers and Group Facilities	
	Average	Highest Rate	Average	Highest Rate
Ages 0 to 17 months	\$8,279	\$11,700	\$9,946	\$11,232
18 to 35 months	\$8,133	\$11,700	\$9,529	\$10,920
Ages 3 to 5	\$8,044	\$11,232	\$9,495	\$10,920

Ages 6 to 12 (Annual costs for school-age children vary greatly based on hours needed.)

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² Child Care Aware® of North Dakota NACCRRAware Database (surveyed between January and June 2017)

³ School-age care numbers reflect programs licensed exclusively as before and after school programs under Early Childhood Services rules. Not all school-age programs are required to be licensed. In addition, many school-age children are enrolled in family/group programs and child care centers.

⁴ Vacancies change daily and may not match the location or program characteristics desired by families needing care. A 10% vacancy rate allows families some choice among programs.