



2008 Child Care in Our Area

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Helping families, child care providers, businesses, and communities in the following counties:
Brown, Bartholomew, Lawrence, Jackson, Jennings, Monroe, Orange, Washington, Crawford and Harrison

The People We Help (U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates, Detailed Tables)

Children Ages 0-4

23,398

Children Ages 5-11

33,370

Children Ages 0-6 Needing Child Care, As Parents Work

16,848

Child Care Supply and Demand

Licensed Centers*:	42	Families requesting help finding child care in 2008:	1,249
Licensed Family Child Care Homes*:	270	Requests for infant / toddler age care in 2008:	895
Registered Ministries*:	38	Requests for preschool age care in 2008:	317
Legally Licensed Exempt Homes (LLEP):	50	Requests for school age care in 2008:	369

*Refers to child care providers licensed and actively providing child care

Child Care Cost

Average Annual Cost of Care for Full Time Licensed Center	
Infant / Toddler:	\$8,970
Preschool:	\$5,798
School Age:	\$4,972
Average Annual Cost of Care for Full Time Licensed Home	
Infant / Toddler:	\$5,148
Preschool:	\$4,746
School Age:	\$4,235
Average Annual Cost of Care for Full Time LLEP Home	
Infant / Toddler:	\$5,036
Preschool:	\$4,878
School Age:	\$4,233
Average Annual Cost of Care for Full Time Registered Ministry	
Infant / Toddler:	\$5,569
Preschool:	\$4,948
School Age:	\$5,279

Want More Child Care Data?

Contact the Indiana Association for Child Care Resource and Referral toll free: 800-299-1627. We can prepare customized data reports related to national, state, county, or local child care and your constituents.