



## 2008 Child Care in Our Area

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Helping families, child care providers, businesses, and communities in the following counties:  
**Delaware, Fayette, Hancock, Henry, Madison, Randolph, Rush, Shelby, Union and Wayne**

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

#### Children Ages 0-4

27,268\*

#### Children Ages 5-11

38,739\*

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

22,439\*

\*ACS excludes Rush and Union counties

### Child Care Supply and Demand

Licensed Centers*:	38	Families requesting help finding child care in 2008:	963
Licensed Family Child Care Homes*:	210	Requests for infant / toddler age care in 2008:	753
Registered Ministries*:	51	Requests for preschool age care in 2008:	334
Legally Licensed Exempt Homes (LLEP):	62	Requests for school age care in 2008:	387

\*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:	\$8,133
Preschool:	\$6,767
School Age:	\$6,257

#### Average Annual Cost of Care for Full Time Licensed Family Child Care Home

Infant / Toddler:	\$5,216
Preschool:	\$4,924
School Age:	\$4,742

#### Average Annual Cost of Care for Full Time LLEP Home

Infant / Toddler:	\$4,412
Preschool:	\$4,228
School Age:	\$4,119

#### Average Annual Cost of Care for Full Time Registered Ministry

Infant / Toddler:	\$5,717
Preschool:	\$5,149
School Age:	\$4,527

### 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.