

Monterey County

Family & Child Data

The 2015 California Child Care Portfolio, the 10th edition of a biennial report, presents a unique portrait of child care supply, demand, and cost statewide and county by county, as well as data regarding employment, poverty, and family budgets. The child care data in this report was gathered with the assistance of local child care resource and referral programs (R&Rs). R&Rs work daily to help parents find child care that best suits their family and economic needs. They also work to build and support the delivery of high quality child care services in diverse settings throughout the state. To access the full report summary and county pages, go to our website at www.rrnetwork.org.

PEOPLE	COUNTY			STATE		
	2012	2014	CHANGE	2012	2014	CHANGE
Total number of residents ¹	422,868	426,670	1%	37,901,778	38,548,204	2%
Number of children 0-12 ¹	82,042	80,735	-2%	6,532,111	6,533,125	< 1%
Number of children 0-5 ¹	39,552	38,194	-4%	3,027,523	2,997,333	-1%
Under 2	13,590	12,986	-5%	1,023,386	1,002,081	-2%
2 years	6,351	6,471	2%	488,728	498,124	2%
3 years	6,398	6,461	1%	493,800	503,950	2%
4 years	6,600	6,227	-6%	508,357	497,010	-2%
5 years	6,613	6,049	-9%	513,252	496,168	-3%
6-10 years	30,822	30,265	-2%	2,492,024	2,541,962	2%
11-12 years	11,668	12,276	5%	1,012,564	993,178	-2%

RESIDENTS AGES 0-5	
COUNTY	STATE
9%	8%

CHILDREN 0-12 WITH PARENTS IN THE LABOR FORCE ⁴	
COUNTY	STATE
58%	63%

SINGLE MOTHERS IN THE LABOR FORCE	
COUNTY	STATE
28%	26%

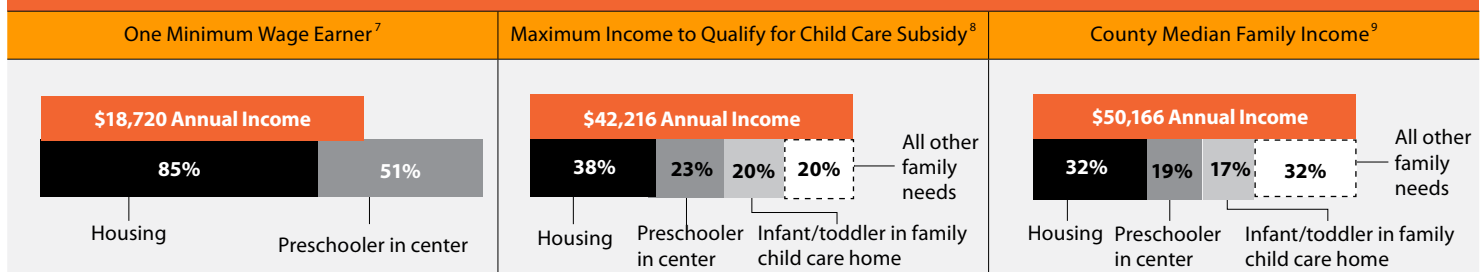
CHILDREN 0-5 IN POVERTY IN 2014 ⁴	
COUNTY	STATE
30%	23%

LABOR FORCE	COUNTY			STATE		
	2012	2014	CHANGE	2012	2014	CHANGE
Families with all parents in the labor force ²	29,753	25,917	-15%	2,738,563	2,658,803	-3%
Single mothers in the labor force ²	7,581	7,154	-6%	725,339	695,253	-4%
Children 0-12 with parents in the labor force ³	52,559	46,248	-14%	4,164,276	4,129,330	-1%

PEOPLE IN POVERTY IN 2014	
COUNTY	STATE
17%	16%

POVERTY	COUNTY			STATE		
	2012	2014	CHANGE	2012	2014	CHANGE
Number of people living in poverty ⁴	74,981	71,246	-5%	6,325,319	6,259,098	-1%
Children 0-5 living in poverty ⁴	12,202	11,504	-6%	760,003	690,825	-10%
Children in subsidized care ⁵	3,432	3,217	-6%	298,811	301,973	1%

CHILD CARE AND FAMILY BUDGETS⁶



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Child Care Supply Data

AGE & TYPE ¹⁰	LICENSED CHILD CARE CENTERS			LICENSED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES		
	2012	2014	CHANGE	2012	2014	CHANGE
Total number of slots	5,585	6,266	12%	4,412	4,266	-3%
Under 2	337	356	6%			
2-5 years	4,962	5,616	13%			
6 years and older	286	294	3%			
Total number of sites	122	126	3%	418	395	-6%

23%*

Children 0-12 with parents in the labor force for whom a licensed child care slot is available¹⁶

* This estimate is based on the 10,532 licensed slots in Monterey and does not include license-exempt programs.

SCHEDULE & COST ¹⁰	LICENSED CHILD CARE CENTERS	LICENSED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES
Full-time and part-time slots ¹¹	38%	97%
Only full-time slots	18%	3%
Only part-time slots	44%	<1%
Sites offering evening, weekend or overnight care	-	57%
Full-time infant care ¹²	\$14,135	\$8,487
Full-time preschool care ¹²	\$9,614	\$7,844

83%

Child care centers with one or more federal/state/local contracts¹⁷

CHILD CARE REQUESTS ¹³			
AGE	REQUESTS	SCHEDULE	REQUESTS
Under 2	29%	Full-time	77%
2-5 years	47%	Part-time	23%
6 years and older	24%		

MAJOR REASONS FAMILIES SEEK CHILD CARE⁷

83%

Employment

12%

Parent in school or training

4%

Parent seeking employment

LANGUAGES SPOKEN AT HOME ¹⁴	
English	36%
Spanish	61%
Asian/Pacific Island Languages	2%
Another Language	1%

LANGUAGES SPOKEN BY PROVIDER ¹⁵	
CENTERS WITH AT LEAST ONE STAFF SPEAKING THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGES ⁷	
English 100%, Spanish 79%, Chinese 1%	
FAMILY CHILD CARE PROVIDERS SPEAKING THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGES ⁷	
Spanish 76%, English 65%, Arabic 1%, Italian 1%, Chinese <1%, Portuguese <1%	

- U.S Census and CA DOF population projections 2012 and 2014.
- ACS 2012 and 2014 1-year estimates.
- Network calculation based on ACS 2014 1-year estimate.
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- CA Dept. of Education (EESD) and CA Dept. of Social Services, October 2014.
- Median cost of a 2-bedroom (HUD 2014) and mean child care rates (RMR 2012).
- CA Depart. of Industrial Relations (Statewide minimum wage. Regional minimum wage may vary).
- Based on 70% of state median income for a family of 3.
- ACS 2014 1-year estimate.
- Child Care R&R Databases January 2012 and 2014
- Full-time is defined as 30 or more hours per week; part-time is less than 30 hours per week.
- Mean child care cost. Child Care Regional Market Rate Survey 2014.
- Child Care Referral Requests April/May/June 2014.
- ACS 2014 1-year estimate.
- Percentages may exceed 100% when multiple options are chosen.
- Total licensed slots divided by number of children with parents in the labor force
- Does not include providers accepting vouchers or FCCH.

* For smaller counties, ACS 5-year estimates for 2011 and 2013 were used.

For more information about child care in MONTEREY:

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