



# 2005 Child Care Availability Survey Summary by Age Group, Region, and Service Type

Fall 2005

REGION	INFANT/TODDLER				PRESCHOOL				SCHOOL AGE				NURSERY SCHOOL			
	Capacity	Enrollment	Vacancy	% of Availability	Capacity	Enrollment	Vacancy	% of Availability	Capacity	Enrollment	Vacancy	% of Availability	Capacity	Enrollment	Vacancy	% of Availability
East	2526	1865	317	12.55%	5970	4243	863	14.46%	4182	2990	607	14.52%	3054	2361	104	3.41%
North Central	7233	5086	1089	15.06%	17372	12593	2481	14.28%	13157	9547	2054	15.61%	8704	6592	389	4.47%
Northwest	3598	2607	514	14.29%	8236	5801	1278	15.52%	6254	3962	1371	21.92%	5913	4503	282	4.77%
South Central	5426	3937	715	13.18%	13205	9315	2170	16.43%	8866	6278	1510	17.03%	7176	5610	496	6.91%
Southwest	3531	2716	323	9.15%	11387	8916	1071	9.41%	7309	5567	781	10.69%	7731	6600	436	5.64%
<b>Total</b>	<b>22314</b>	<b>16211</b>	<b>2958</b>	<b>13.26%</b>	<b>56170</b>	<b>40868</b>	<b>7863</b>	<b>14.00%</b>	<b>39768</b>	<b>28344</b>	<b>6323</b>	<b>15.90%</b>	<b>32578</b>	<b>25666</b>	<b>1707</b>	<b>5.24%</b>

Percentages are derived from the total number of vacancies divided by the total capacity.

Nursery School = part day enrichment program (includes school-based exempt programs)

Toddler numbers include Early Head Start slots Preschool numbers include Head Start

slots

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	Home	Center
Infant/Toddler	0 - 23 months	0 - 35 months
Preschool	2 - 5 years	3 - 5 years
School Age	5 - 12 years	