



2013 Child Care Program Closure Reasons Report

2-1-1 Child Care collects reasons directly from child care programs *that closed, did not renew their license, or, stopped providing care while their license is still active*. Numbers also include those programs that closed due to regulatory actions from Department of Public Health (DPH).

Family Day Care Homes – 407 Closed (160 responses, 247 not reported)

Reason for Closure	Number of Programs	%
Career Change	35	22%
Business Not Profitable	28	18%
Retired	28	18%
Moved	22	14%
Regulatory Reasons (<i>summary suspensions, voluntary surrenders in lieu of Revocation(s) and revocations</i>)	21	13%
Medical Reasons	16	10%
Returning to School	5	3%
Job Related Stress	2	1%
Maternity	2	1%
Death in Family	1	<1%
Lack of Benefits	0	0%
Hours Not Flexible	0	0%
Total:	160	100%

Center Based Programs – 103 Closed (37 responses, 66 not reported)

Reason for Closure	Number of Programs	%
Business Not Profitable	23	62.1%
Regulatory reasons (<i>summary suspensions, voluntary surrenders in lieu of revocation and revocations</i>)	7	19%
Retired	3	8.1%
Moved	2	5.4%
Lack of Benefits	2	5.4%
Medical Reasons	0	0%
Job Related Stress	0	0%
Career Change	0	0%
Returning to School	0	0%
Total:	37	100%