

Child & Adult Care Food Program: Participation Trends 2014



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Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP)

Many low-income working parents rely on child care and afterschool programs to provide a safe and healthy place for their children while they commute and work. By paying for nutritious meals and snacks for eligible children who are enrolled at participating child care centers (which include Head Start Programs and after school programs) and family child care homes, the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) plays an important role in improving the quality of those programs and in making them more affordable for low-income parents.

CACFP is a well-documented success. Young children can receive up to two meals and a snack that meet USDA nutritional standards. Studies have shown that children in CACFP receive meals that are nutritionally superior to those served to children in child care settings without CACFP. Children in participating institutions have higher intakes of key nutrients, fewer servings of fats and sweets, than children in non-participating care. Research cites participation in CACFP as one of the major factors influencing quality care, reporting that 87 percent of the family child care homes considered to be providing quality child care participated in CACFP.

While the Child and Adult Care Food Program has several segments, the majority of CACFP participants are preschool-aged children attending participating family child homes, child care centers or Head Start programs. Depending on the type of program, eligibility is based either on the poverty status of the area or on the income of the enrolled children.

Each year the Food Research and Action Center (FRAC) analyzes CACFP participation data for child care centers and family child care homes provided by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) for the United States as a whole and for each of the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Key findings for fiscal year 2014 include:

Child Care Centers

- Nearly 3 million children enrolled in child care centers benefited daily from CACFP in fiscal year 2014, an 8 percent increase from fiscal year 2013.
- Nationally the number of child care centers participating in CACFP grew to 59,404 in fiscal year 2014, a 3.6 percent increase from the previous year.

Family Child Care Homes

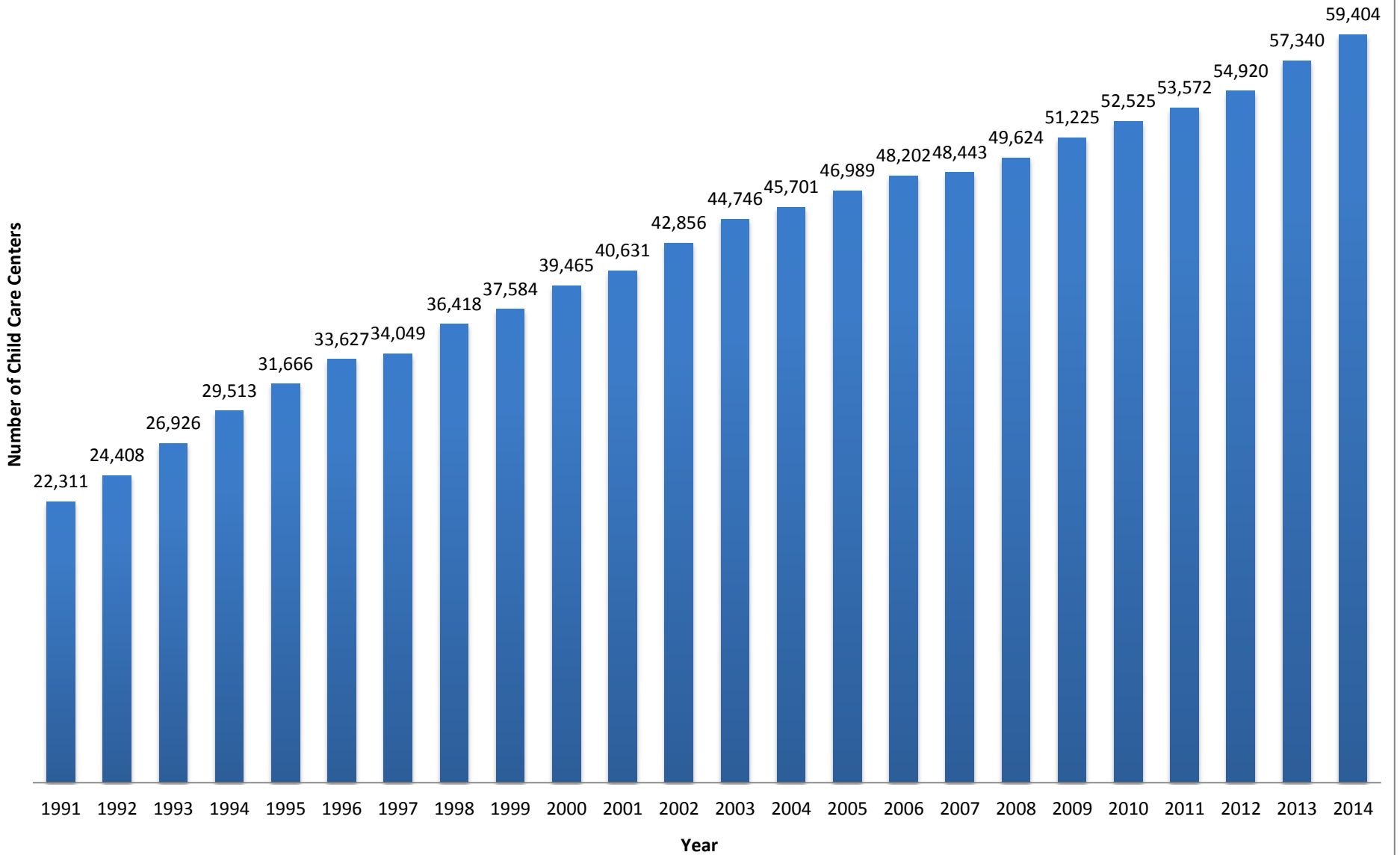
- In fiscal year 2014, 780,083 low-income children attending family child care homes relied on CACFP to provide healthy meals each day, a 1.7 percent decrease from fiscal year 2013.
- Nationally 118,749 family child care homes participated in CACFP in fiscal year 2014, a 3.8 percent decrease from the previous year.

The Impact of the CACFP Means Test

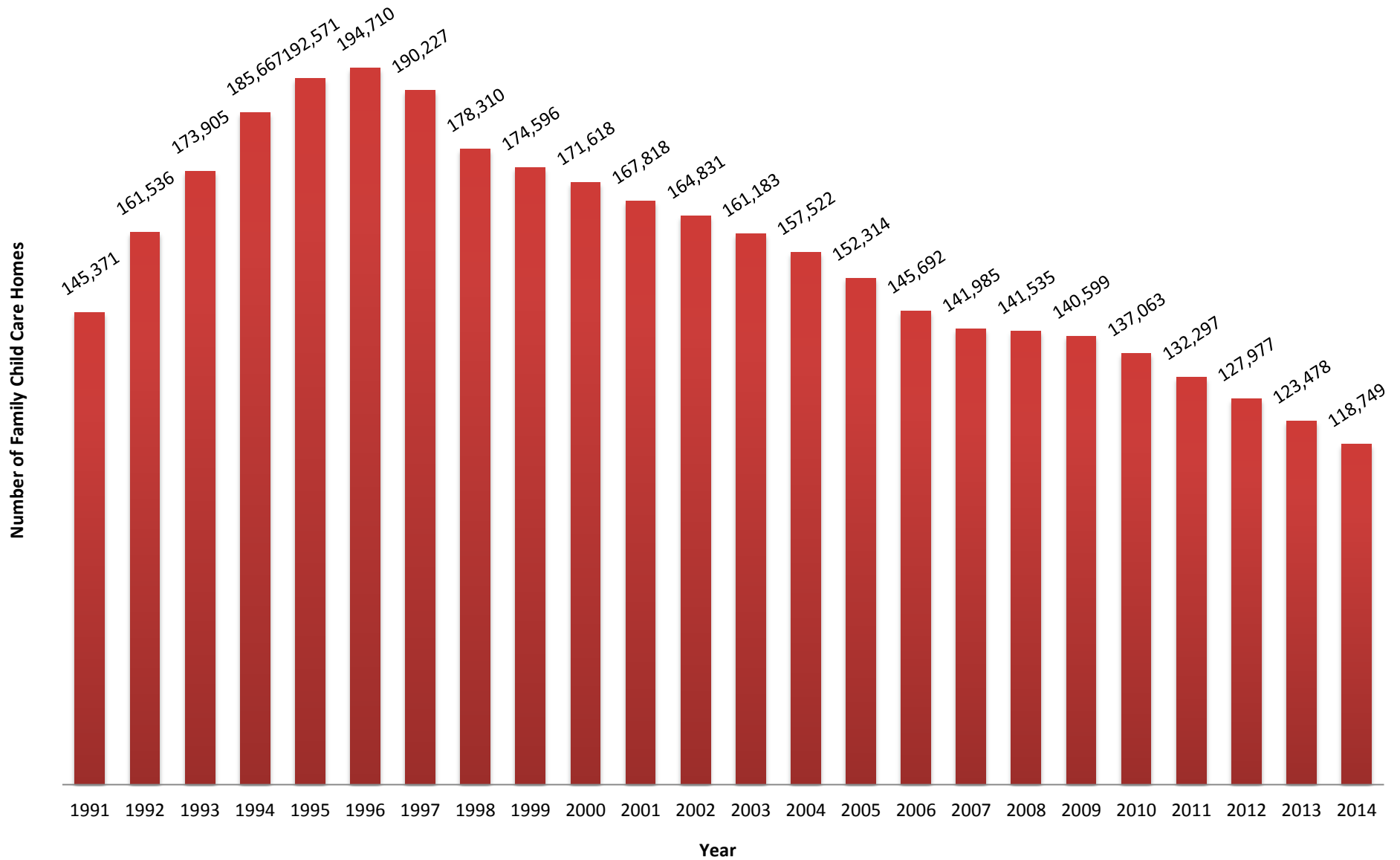
As part of the reform of welfare undertaken in 1996, major changes in the way family child care homes are reimbursed in the Child and Adult Care Food Program were mandated. A means test was instituted which effectively cut in half the federal reimbursement for meals and snacks for providers serving moderate-income children.

These changes have had negative consequences that continue to affect the program. Between 1996 and 2014 the number of family child care homes participating in CACFP dropped by 39 percent, while the number of children served fell by 196,133. This is in contrast to the growth of child care centers (and Head Start programs) using CACFP over that time. During the same 18 year period, the participation of centers in CACFP grew by 77 percent and the number of children served by those centers grew by nearly 1.6 million.

Child and Adult Care Food Program Number of Child Care Centers

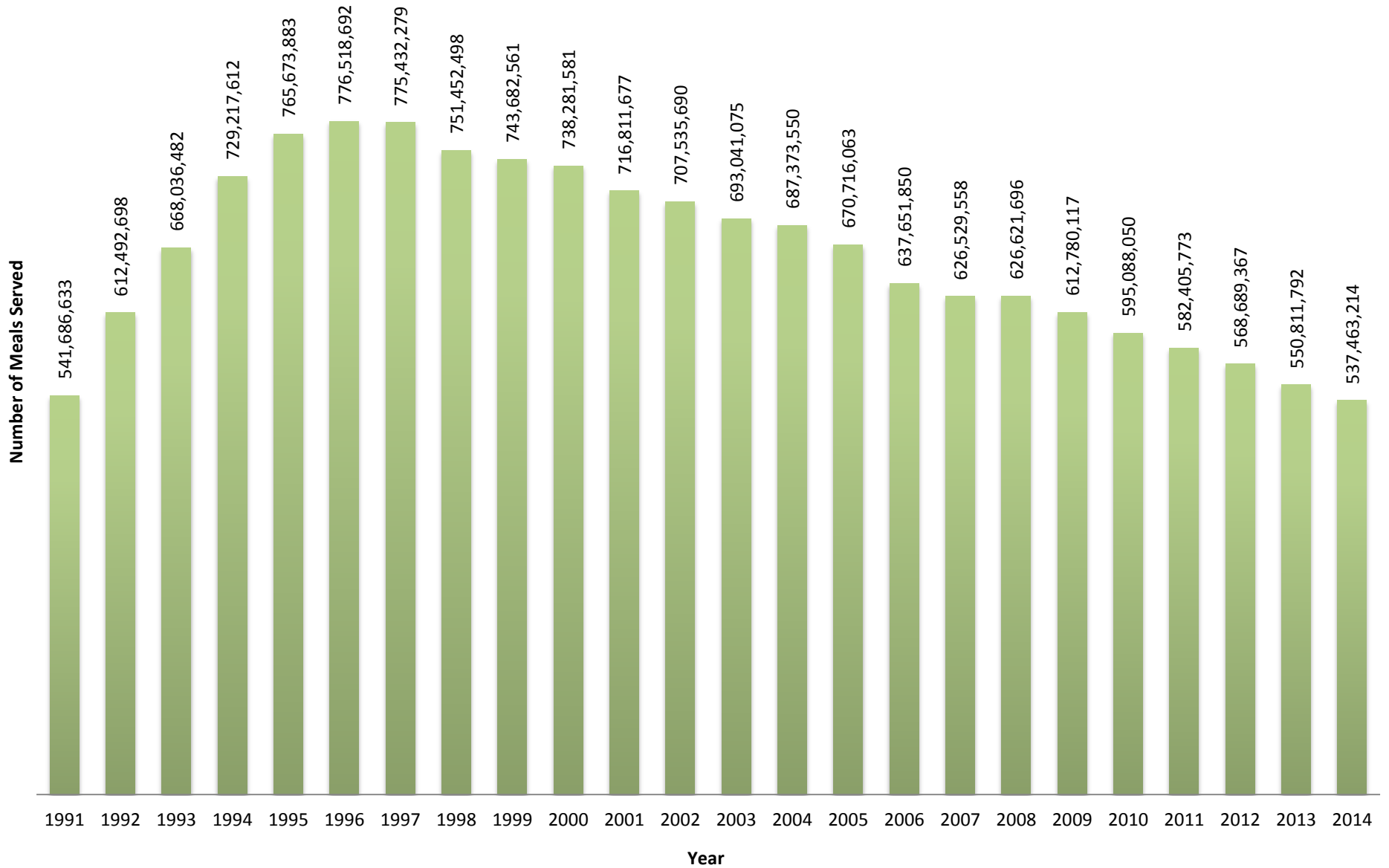


Child and Adult Care Food Program Number of Family Child Care Homes



Child and Adult Care Food Program

Total Number of Meals Served by Family Child Care Homes



Change in the Number of Child Care Centers, FY 1996 to FY 2014

State	Total Centers FY 1996	Total Centers FY 2014	Number Change	Percent Change	Rank (Percent Change)
Alabama	456	789	333	73.0%	19
Alaska	159	233	74	46.5%	31
Arizona	549	710	161	29.3%	42
Arkansas	394	1,302	908	230.5%	3
California	3,342	6,244	2,902	86.8%	15
Colorado	441	737	296	67.1%	25
Connecticut	268	308	40	14.9%	45
Delaware	93	297	204	219.4%	4
District of Columbia	106	97	-9	-8.5%	50
Florida	1,219	3,874	2,655	217.8%	5
Georgia	983	2,316	1,333	135.6%	6
Hawaii	231	221	-10	-4.3%	49
Idaho	98	220	122	124.5%	9
Illinois	1,477	2,527	1,050	71.1%	21
Indiana	700	864	164	23.4%	43
Iowa	515	609	94	18.3%	44
Kansas	427	570	143	33.5%	38
Kentucky	790	1,037	247	31.3%	40
Louisiana	500	846	346	69.2%	24
Maine	202	165	-37	-18.3%	51
Maryland	399	903	504	126.3%	8
Massachusetts	703	741	38	5.4%	46
Michigan	898	1,288	390	43.4%	33
Minnesota	565	543	-22	-3.9%	48
Mississippi	361	705	344	95.3%	12
Missouri	614	1,194	580	94.5%	13
Montana	163	217	54	33.1%	39
Nebraska	332	610	278	83.7%	16
Nevada	60	297	237	395.0%	1
New Hampshire	132	182	50	37.9%	36
New Jersey	898	1,264	366	40.8%	35
New Mexico	376	493	117	31.1%	41
New York	2,247	3,955	1,708	76.0%	18
North Carolina	1,457	2,146	689	47.3%	30
North Dakota	104	176	72	69.2%	23
Ohio	1,387	1,895	508	36.6%	37
Oklahoma	678	962	284	41.9%	34
Oregon	479	696	217	45.3%	32
Pennsylvania	1,486	3,092	1,606	108.1%	10
Rhode Island	106	169	63	59.4%	28
South Carolina	308	492	184	59.7%	27
South Dakota	155	252	97	62.6%	26
Tennessee	790	1,535	745	94.3%	14
Texas	1,708	5,646	3,938	230.6%	2
Utah	303	302	-1	-0.3%	47
Vermont	72	167	95	131.9%	7
Virginia	756	1,302	546	72.2%	20
Washington	778	1,317	539	69.3%	22
West Virginia	349	702	353	101.1%	11
Wisconsin	657	968	311	47.3%	29
Wyoming	78	138	60	76.9%	17
US	33,627	59,404	25,777	76.7%	

Change in the Number of Child Care Centers, FY 2013 to FY 2014

State	Total Centers FY 2013	Total Centers FY 2014	Number Change	Percent Change	Rank (Percent Change)
Alabama	742	789	47	6.3%	11
Alaska	225	233	8	3.6%	21
Arizona	710	710	0	0.0%	38
Arkansas	1,157	1,302	145	12.5%	3
California	5,699	6,244	545	9.6%	4
Colorado	716	737	21	2.9%	23
Connecticut	296	308	12	4.1%	18
Delaware	292	297	5	1.7%	30
District of Columbia	90	97	7	7.8%	6
Florida	3,657	3,874	217	5.9%	12
Georgia	2,262	2,316	54	2.4%	27
Hawaii	247	221	-26	-10.5%	51
Idaho	211	220	9	4.3%	17
Illinois	2,438	2,527	89	3.7%	20
Indiana	827	864	37	4.5%	15
Iowa	612	609	-3	-0.5%	41
Kansas	557	570	13	2.3%	29
Kentucky	917	1,037	120	13.1%	2
Louisiana	733	846	113	15.4%	1
Maine	165	165	0	0.0%	38
Maryland	874	903	29	3.3%	22
Massachusetts	689	741	52	7.5%	7
Michigan	1,176	1,288	112	9.5%	5
Minnesota	545	543	-2	-0.4%	40
Mississippi	688	705	17	2.5%	26
Missouri	1,222	1,194	-28	-2.3%	47
Montana	212	217	5	2.4%	28
Nebraska	620	610	-10	-1.6%	44
Nevada	289	297	8	2.8%	24
New Hampshire	170	182	12	7.1%	8
New Jersey	1,243	1,264	21	1.7%	31
New Mexico	502	493	-9	-1.8%	46
New York	3,910	3,955	45	1.2%	33
North Carolina	2,127	2,146	19	0.9%	34
North Dakota	179	176	-3	-1.7%	45
Ohio	1,968	1,895	-73	-3.7%	50
Oklahoma	995	962	-33	-3.3%	48
Oregon	669	696	27	4.0%	19
Pennsylvania	3,065	3,092	27	0.9%	35
Rhode Island	162	169	7	4.3%	16
South Carolina	489	492	3	0.6%	37
South Dakota	256	252	-4	-1.6%	43
Tennessee	1,460	1,535	75	5.1%	13
Texas	5,299	5,646	347	6.5%	10
Utah	298	302	4	1.3%	32
Vermont	159	167	8	5.0%	14
Virginia	1,311	1,302	-9	-0.7%	42
Washington	1,285	1,317	32	2.5%	25
West Virginia	727	702	-25	-3.4%	49
Wisconsin	961	968	7	0.7%	36
Wyoming	129	138	9	7.0%	9
US	57,340	59,404	2,064	3.6%	

Change in the Average Daily Attendance of Child Care Centers, FY 1996 to FY 2014

State	ADA Centers FY 1996	ADA Centers FY 2014	Number Change	Percent Change	Rank (Percent Change)
Alabama	21,000	38,442	17,442	83.1%	27
Alaska	4,577	9,652	5,075	110.9%	18
Arizona	29,304	30,029	725	2.5%	51
Arkansas	14,504	70,391	55,887	385.3%	1
California	136,428	380,483	244,055	178.9%	7
Colorado	18,068	24,008	5,940	32.9%	46
Connecticut	9,027	15,414	6,387	70.8%	34
Delaware	5,599	14,347	8,748	156.2%	12
District of Columbia	3,866	5,453	1,587	41.1%	45
Florida	62,474	231,571	169,097	270.7%	4
Georgia	57,336	124,185	66,849	116.6%	17
Hawaii	7,563	9,333	1,770	23.4%	48
Idaho	3,486	9,003	5,517	158.3%	10
Illinois	51,000	106,940	55,940	109.7%	19
Indiana	25,176	47,303	22,127	87.9%	23
Iowa	16,895	27,779	10,884	64.4%	37
Kansas	16,532	23,816	7,284	44.1%	44
Kentucky	32,600	48,828	16,228	49.8%	41
Louisiana	19,362	53,648	34,286	177.1%	8
Maine	4,103	4,413	310	7.6%	50
Maryland	17,326	46,973	29,647	171.1%	9
Massachusetts	25,263	38,175	12,912	51.1%	40
Michigan	35,446	57,209	21,763	61.4%	38
Minnesota	17,463	27,915	10,452	59.9%	39
Mississippi	22,222	38,098	15,876	71.4%	33
Missouri	24,420	53,579	29,159	119.4%	16
Montana	4,488	8,318	3,830	85.3%	25
Nebraska	13,485	26,843	13,358	99.1%	21
Nevada	3,096	12,420	9,324	301.2%	2
New Hampshire	4,313	7,881	3,568	82.7%	28
New Jersey	33,607	61,892	28,285	84.2%	26
New Mexico	15,513	23,137	7,624	49.1%	42
New York	123,407	224,922	101,515	82.3%	29
North Carolina	75,307	108,665	33,358	44.3%	43
North Dakota	4,238	7,976	3,738	88.2%	22
Ohio	58,932	98,742	39,810	67.6%	35
Oklahoma	24,445	42,727	18,282	74.8%	32
Oregon	12,388	31,856	19,468	157.2%	11
Pennsylvania	48,036	121,002	72,966	151.9%	13
Rhode Island	5,271	6,918	1,647	31.2%	47
South Carolina	15,309	27,825	12,516	81.8%	30
South Dakota	4,966	9,247	4,281	86.2%	24
Tennessee	26,036	57,286	31,250	120.0%	14
Texas	91,930	341,284	249,354	271.2%	3
Utah	14,963	18,453	3,490	23.3%	49
Vermont	1,931	6,367	4,436	229.7%	5
Virginia	27,238	54,845	27,607	101.4%	20
Washington	26,026	57,197	31,171	119.8%	15
West Virginia	7,116	19,864	12,748	179.1%	6
Wisconsin	26,863	47,986	21,123	78.6%	31
Wyoming	3,572	5,876	2,304	64.5%	36
US	1,384,225	2,991,966	1,607,741	116.1%	

Change in the Average Daily Attendance of Child Care Centers, FY 2013 to FY 2014

State	ADA Centers FY 2013	ADA Centers FY 2014	Number Change	Percent Change	Rank (Percent Change)
Alabama	34,944	38,442	3,498	10.0%	11
Alaska	9,134	9,652	518	5.7%	21
Arizona	30,725	30,029	-696	-2.3%	45
Arkansas	60,870	70,391	9,521	15.6%	7
California	317,277	380,483	63,206	19.9%	3
Colorado	24,346	24,008	-338	-1.4%	43
Connecticut	15,560	15,414	-146	-0.9%	42
Delaware	14,289	14,347	58	0.4%	35
District of Columbia	4,702	5,453	751	16.0%	6
Florida	206,693	231,571	24,878	12.0%	10
Georgia	120,492	124,185	3,693	3.1%	28
Hawaii	9,196	9,333	137	1.5%	33
Idaho	8,363	9,003	640	7.7%	15
Illinois	103,150	106,940	3,790	3.7%	27
Indiana	54,642	47,303	-7,339	-13.4%	51
Iowa	27,240	27,779	539	2.0%	31
Kansas	21,942	23,816	1,874	8.5%	14
Kentucky	44,802	48,828	4,026	9.0%	13
Louisiana	28,058	53,648	25,590	91.2%	1
Maine	4,418	4,413	-5	-0.1%	38
Maryland	39,960	46,973	7,013	17.6%	4
Massachusetts	34,952	38,175	3,223	9.2%	12
Michigan	49,067	57,209	8,142	16.6%	5
Minnesota	25,958	27,915	1,957	7.5%	16
Mississippi	38,197	38,098	-99	-0.3%	39
Missouri	55,014	53,579	-1,435	-2.6%	47
Montana	8,010	8,318	308	3.8%	24
Nebraska	26,295	26,843	548	2.1%	30
Nevada	13,336	12,420	-916	-6.9%	50
New Hampshire	7,393	7,881	488	6.6%	17
New Jersey	63,154	61,892	-1,262	-2.0%	44
New Mexico	23,121	23,137	16	0.1%	37
New York	211,880	224,922	13,042	6.2%	20
North Carolina	103,597	108,665	5,068	4.9%	22
North Dakota	7,843	7,976	133	1.7%	32
Ohio	101,108	98,742	-2,366	-2.3%	46
Oklahoma	43,068	42,727	-341	-0.8%	41
Oregon	29,899	31,856	1,957	6.5%	18
Pennsylvania	120,803	121,002	199	0.2%	36
Rhode Island	6,671	6,918	247	3.7%	26
South Carolina	26,801	27,825	1,024	3.8%	25
South Dakota	9,317	9,247	-70	-0.8%	40
Tennessee	58,892	57,286	-1,606	-2.7%	48
Texas	299,782	341,284	41,502	13.8%	8
Utah	17,631	18,453	822	4.7%	23
Vermont	5,308	6,367	1,059	20.0%	2
Virginia	54,110	54,845	735	1.4%	34
Washington	50,870	57,197	6,327	12.4%	9
West Virginia	20,714	19,864	-850	-4.1%	49
Wisconsin	45,162	47,986	2,824	6.3%	19
Wyoming	5,711	5,876	165	2.9%	29
US	2,770,362	2,991,966	221,604	8.0%	

Change in the Number of Family Child Care Homes, FY 1996 to FY 2014

State	Total Homes FY 1996	Total Homes FY 2014	Number Change	Percent Change	Rank (Percent Change)
Alabama	2,427	832	-1,595	-65.7%	46
Alaska	577	285	-292	-50.6%	32
Arizona	4,114	2,493	-1,621	-39.4%	20
Arkansas	1,107	442	-665	-60.1%	43
California	24,008	15,008	-9,000	-37.5%	16
Colorado	4,938	1,304	-3,634	-73.6%	50
Connecticut	2,288	845	-1,443	-63.1%	45
Delaware	1,308	569	-739	-56.5%	40
District of Columbia	133	67	-66	-49.6%	31
Florida	2,623	2,158	-465	-17.7%	7
Georgia	2,542	1,953	-589	-23.2%	9
Hawaii	532	290	-242	-45.5%	24
Idaho	574	260	-314	-54.7%	38
Illinois	7,306	7,226	-80	-1.1%	3
Indiana	2,298	2,087	-211	-9.2%	5
Iowa	2,658	1,960	-698	-26.3%	10
Kansas	6,153	3,242	-2,911	-47.3%	28
Kentucky	712	436	-276	-38.8%	18
Louisiana	8,675	7,738	-937	-10.8%	6
Maine	1,745	928	-817	-46.8%	27
Maryland	5,646	3,104	-2,542	-45.0%	23
Massachusetts	7,012	4,387	-2,625	-37.4%	15
Michigan	9,476	4,387	-5,089	-53.7%	36
Minnesota	12,768	7,957	-4,811	-37.7%	17
Mississippi	958	643	-315	-32.9%	11
Missouri	2,667	1,176	-1,491	-55.9%	39
Montana	1,299	604	-695	-53.5%	35
Nebraska	3,706	2,383	-1,323	-35.7%	13
Nevada	466	127	-339	-72.7%	49
New Hampshire	395	98	-297	-75.2%	51
New Jersey	1,689	476	-1,213	-71.8%	48
New Mexico	6,891	2,944	-3,947	-57.3%	41
New York	7,309	9,632	2,323	31.8%	1
North Carolina	3,172	2,110	-1,062	-33.5%	12
North Dakota	2,201	1,116	-1,085	-49.3%	30
Ohio	5,179	2,855	-2,324	-44.9%	22
Oklahoma	2,216	1,740	-476	-21.5%	8
Oregon	5,753	2,218	-3,535	-61.4%	44
Pennsylvania	3,212	1,746	-1,466	-45.6%	26
Rhode Island	227	284	57	25.1%	2
South Carolina	1,378	641	-737	-53.5%	34
South Dakota	979	564	-415	-42.4%	21
Tennessee	1,753	1,620	-133	-7.6%	4
Texas	10,144	5,515	-4,629	-45.6%	25
Utah	4,205	1,917	-2,288	-54.4%	37
Vermont	937	460	-477	-50.9%	33
Virginia	3,805	2,320	-1,485	-39.0%	19
Washington	6,073	2,079	-3,994	-65.8%	47
West Virginia	1,424	904	-520	-36.5%	14
Wisconsin	4,296	2,201	-2,095	-48.8%	29
Wyoming	756	320	-436	-57.7%	42
US	194,710	118,749	-75,961	-39.0%	

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State	Total Homes FY 2013	Total Homes FY 2014	Number Change	Percent Change	Rank (Percent Change)
Alabama	887	832	-55	-6.2%	34
Alaska	297	285	-12	-4.0%	21
Arizona	2,522	2,493	-29	-1.1%	9
Arkansas	509	442	-67	-13.2%	49
California	15,403	15,008	-395	-2.6%	16
Colorado	1,378	1,304	-74	-5.4%	29
Connecticut	882	845	-37	-4.2%	23
Delaware	593	569	-24	-4.0%	22
District of Columbia	67	67	0	0.0%	5
Florida	2,237	2,158	-79	-3.5%	18
Georgia	2,135	1,953	-182	-8.5%	45
Hawaii	288	290	2	0.7%	3
Idaho	273	260	-13	-4.8%	24
Illinois	7,462	7,226	-236	-3.2%	17
Indiana	2,096	2,087	-9	-0.4%	7
Iowa	2,113	1,960	-153	-7.2%	39
Kansas	3,361	3,242	-119	-3.5%	19
Kentucky	507	436	-71	-14.0%	50
Louisiana	7,527	7,738	211	2.8%	2
Maine	983	928	-55	-5.6%	30
Maryland	3,174	3,104	-70	-2.2%	12
Massachusetts	4,567	4,387	-180	-3.9%	20
Michigan	4,746	4,387	-359	-7.6%	42
Minnesota	8,371	7,957	-414	-4.9%	26
Mississippi	546	643	97	17.8%	1
Missouri	1,254	1,176	-78	-6.2%	35
Montana	661	604	-57	-8.6%	46
Nebraska	2,563	2,383	-180	-7.0%	38
Nevada	138	127	-11	-8.0%	44
New Hampshire	114	98	-16	-14.0%	51
New Jersey	511	476	-35	-6.8%	37
New Mexico	3,345	2,944	-401	-12.0%	48
New York	9,645	9,632	-13	-0.1%	6
North Carolina	2,292	2,110	-182	-7.9%	43
North Dakota	1,121	1,116	-5	-0.4%	8
Ohio	3,182	2,855	-327	-10.3%	47
Oklahoma	1,828	1,740	-88	-4.8%	25
Oregon	2,271	2,218	-53	-2.3%	15
Pennsylvania	1,734	1,746	12	0.7%	4
Rhode Island	299	284	-15	-5.0%	27
South Carolina	656	641	-15	-2.3%	14
South Dakota	601	564	-37	-6.2%	33
Tennessee	1,641	1,620	-21	-1.3%	10
Texas	5,862	5,515	-347	-5.9%	31
Utah	1,953	1,917	-36	-1.8%	11
Vermont	486	460	-26	-5.3%	28
Virginia	2,373	2,320	-53	-2.2%	13
Washington	2,221	2,079	-142	-6.4%	36
West Virginia	962	904	-58	-6.0%	32
Wisconsin	2,373	2,201	-172	-7.2%	41
Wyoming	345	320	-25	-7.2%	40
US	123,478	118,749	-4,729	-3.8%	

Change in the Average Daily Attendance of Family Child Care Homes, FY 1996 to FY 2014

State	ADA Homes FY 1996	ADA Homes FY 2014	ADA Change	Percent Change	Rank (Percent Change)
Alabama	11,502	4,473	-7,029	-61.1%	48
Alaska	2,596	1,665	-931	-35.9%	29
Arizona	9,690	9,995	305	3.1%	8
Arkansas	4,889	3,538	-1,351	-27.6%	22
California	133,463	114,279	-19,184	-14.4%	16
Colorado	20,530	7,127	-13,403	-65.3%	49
Connecticut	10,824	4,407	-6,417	-59.3%	47
Delaware	6,120	4,222	-1,898	-31.0%	24
District of Columbia	451	248	-203	-45.0%	39
Florida	10,372	13,094	2,722	26.2%	4
Georgia	18,656	13,550	-5,106	-27.4%	20
Hawaii	1,424	1,233	-191	-13.4%	15
Idaho	2,990	2,340	-650	-21.7%	18
Illinois	24,849	25,292	443	1.8%	9
Indiana	15,403	24,182	8,779	57.0%	3
Iowa	10,869	11,046	177	1.6%	10
Kansas	38,066	25,170	-12,896	-33.9%	28
Kentucky	3,895	4,034	139	3.6%	6
Louisiana	39,258	37,790	-1,468	-3.7%	11
Maine	10,157	6,055	-4,102	-40.4%	32
Maryland	29,860	17,259	-12,601	-42.2%	36
Massachusetts	22,757	26,170	3,413	15.0%	5
Michigan	35,727	31,346	-4,381	-12.3%	14
Minnesota	76,763	60,800	-15,963	-20.8%	17
Mississippi	4,497	2,989	-1,508	-33.5%	27
Missouri	17,743	11,117	-6,626	-37.3%	30
Montana	8,368	4,918	-3,450	-41.2%	34
Nebraska	24,465	17,707	-6,758	-27.6%	21
Nevada	1,593	683	-910	-57.1%	45
New Hampshire	2,624	816	-1,808	-68.9%	51
New Jersey	7,321	2,338	-4,983	-68.1%	50
New Mexico	26,653	11,245	-15,408	-57.8%	46
New York	41,859	79,290	37,431	89.4%	1
North Carolina	16,725	9,641	-7,084	-42.4%	37
North Dakota	14,208	8,887	-5,321	-37.5%	31
Ohio	19,872	18,113	-1,759	-8.9%	12
Oklahoma	18,995	9,809	-9,186	-48.4%	41
Oregon	24,182	14,288	-9,894	-40.9%	33
Pennsylvania	15,085	13,299	-1,786	-11.8%	13
Rhode Island	1,229	1,931	702	57.1%	2
South Carolina	8,745	5,071	-3,674	-42.0%	35
South Dakota	7,289	4,852	-2,437	-33.4%	26
Tennessee	10,296	10,660	364	3.5%	7
Texas	55,401	42,496	-12,905	-23.3%	19
Utah	25,453	14,490	-10,963	-43.1%	38
Vermont	6,981	3,126	-3,855	-55.2%	44
Virginia	14,204	9,859	-4,345	-30.6%	23
Washington	27,222	13,548	-13,674	-50.2%	43
West Virginia	6,025	4,070	-1,955	-32.4%	25
Wisconsin	23,506	12,904	-10,602	-45.1%	40
Wyoming	4,564	2,346	-2,218	-48.6%	42
Total	976,216	780,083	-196,133	-20.1%	

Change in the Average Daily Attendance of Family Child Care Homes, FY 2013 to FY 2014

State	ADA Homes FY 2013	ADA Homes FY 2014	ADA Change	Percent Change	Rank (Percent Change)
Alabama	4,747	4,473	-274	-5.8%	41
Alaska	1,697	1,665	-32	-1.9%	24
Arizona	11,885	9,995	-1,890	-15.9%	51
Arkansas	3,846	3,538	-308	-8.0%	45
California	114,901	114,279	-622	-0.5%	15
Colorado	7,499	7,127	-372	-5.0%	39
Connecticut	4,546	4,407	-139	-3.1%	29
Delaware	4,399	4,222	-177	-4.0%	35
District of Columbia	248	248	0	0.0%	13
Florida	13,189	13,094	-95	-0.7%	16
Georgia	14,522	13,550	-972	-6.7%	42
Hawaii	762	1,233	471	61.8%	1
Idaho	2,331	2,340	9	0.4%	11
Illinois	24,513	25,292	779	3.2%	5
Indiana	24,148	24,182	34	0.1%	12
Iowa	11,159	11,046	-113	-1.0%	20
Kansas	25,649	25,170	-479	-1.9%	23
Kentucky	4,657	4,034	-623	-13.4%	48
Louisiana	36,148	37,790	1,642	4.5%	3
Maine	6,156	6,055	-101	-1.6%	22
Maryland	17,417	17,259	-158	-0.9%	17
Massachusetts	26,204	26,170	-34	-0.1%	14
Michigan	30,754	31,346	592	1.9%	7
Minnesota	64,016	60,800	-3,216	-5.0%	40
Mississippi	2,627	2,989	362	13.8%	2
Missouri	11,688	11,117	-571	-4.9%	38
Montana	5,352	4,918	-434	-8.1%	46
Nebraska	18,177	17,707	-470	-2.6%	28
Nevada	708	683	-25	-3.5%	32
New Hampshire	956	816	-140	-14.6%	50
New Jersey	2,418	2,338	-80	-3.3%	31
New Mexico	13,056	11,245	-1,811	-13.9%	49
New York	76,223	79,290	3,067	4.0%	4
North Carolina	9,883	9,641	-242	-2.4%	27
North Dakota	8,975	8,887	-88	-1.0%	19
Ohio	20,051	18,113	-1,938	-9.7%	47
Oklahoma	10,043	9,809	-234	-2.3%	26
Oregon	14,419	14,288	-131	-0.9%	18
Pennsylvania	13,199	13,299	100	0.8%	9
Rhode Island	1,912	1,931	19	1.0%	8
South Carolina	5,241	5,071	-170	-3.2%	30
South Dakota	5,050	4,852	-198	-3.9%	34
Tennessee	10,429	10,660	231	2.2%	6
Texas	44,657	42,496	-2,161	-4.8%	37
Utah	14,726	14,490	-236	-1.6%	21
Vermont	3,246	3,126	-120	-3.7%	33
Virginia	9,800	9,859	59	0.6%	10
Washington	14,176	13,548	-628	-4.4%	36
West Virginia	4,154	4,070	-84	-2.0%	25
Wisconsin	13,961	12,904	-1,057	-7.6%	44
Wyoming	2,533	2,346	-187	-7.4%	43
Total	793,397	780,083	-13,314	-1.7%	

Number and Percentage of Tier I Child Care Homes FY 2014

State	CACFP Total Number of Homes	Total Tier I Homes	Tier I Homes as Percent of Total	Rank (Homes as Percent of Total)
Alabama	832	766	92.1%	20
Alaska	285	221	77.5%	39
Arizona	2,493	2,454	98.4%	6
Arkansas	442	433	98.0%	8
California	15,008	13,425	89.5%	25
Colorado	1,304	990	75.9%	40
Connecticut	845	605	71.6%	46
Delaware	569	527	92.6%	19
District of Columbia	67	67	100.0%	1
Florida	2,158	2,097	97.2%	9
Georgia	1,953	1,839	94.2%	17
Hawaii	290	255	87.9%	28
Idaho	260	245	94.2%	16
Illinois	7,226	6,321	87.5%	29
Indiana	2,087	1,891	90.6%	24
Iowa	1,960	1,572	80.2%	36
Kansas	3,242	2,550	78.7%	38
Kentucky	436	417	95.6%	13
Louisiana	7,738	7,693	99.4%	3
Maine	928	788	84.9%	32
Maryland	3,104	2,347	75.6%	42
Massachusetts	4,387	3,182	72.5%	45
Michigan	4,387	3,619	82.5%	34
Minnesota	7,957	3,627	45.6%	50
Mississippi	643	642	99.8%	2
Missouri	1,176	1,051	89.4%	26
Montana	604	513	84.9%	31
Nebraska	2,383	1,881	78.9%	37
Nevada	127	103	81.1%	35
New Hampshire	98	42	42.9%	51
New Jersey	476	412	86.6%	30
New Mexico	2,944	2,918	99.1%	4
New York	9,632	8,854	91.9%	21
North Carolina	2,110	2,024	95.9%	12
North Dakota	1,116	606	54.3%	49
Ohio	2,855	2,654	93.0%	18
Oklahoma	1,740	1,642	94.4%	15
Oregon	2,218	2,119	95.5%	14
Pennsylvania	1,746	1,552	88.9%	27
Rhode Island	284	273	96.1%	11
South Carolina	641	632	98.6%	5
South Dakota	564	381	67.6%	47
Tennessee	1,620	1,589	98.1%	7
Texas	5,515	5,004	90.7%	23
Utah	1,917	1,751	91.3%	22
Vermont	460	347	75.4%	43
Virginia	2,320	1,732	74.7%	44
Washington	2,079	1,764	84.8%	33
West Virginia	904	875	96.8%	10
Wisconsin	2,201	1,671	75.9%	41
Wyoming	320	204	63.8%	48
US	118,749	101,256	85.3%	

Change in Number of Sponsoring Organizations for Family Child Care Homes, FY 1996 to FY 2014

State	Sponsors FY 1996	Sponsors FY 2014	Number Change	Percent Change	Rank (Percent Change)
Alabama	26	17	-9	-34.6%	31
Alaska	13	8	-5	-38.5%	36
Arizona	18	16	-2	-11.1%	12
Arkansas	19	12	-7	-36.8%	34
California	107	73	-34	-31.8%	26
Colorado	10	13	3	30.0%	3
Connecticut	12	7	-5	-41.7%	38
Delaware	5	6	1	20.0%	5
District of Columbia	6	4	-2	-33.3%	27
Florida	38	39	1	2.6%	7
Georgia	27	23	-4	-14.8%	17
Hawaii	4	2	-2	-50.0%	42
Idaho	6	7	1	16.7%	6
Illinois	20	13	-7	-35.0%	32
Indiana	38	20	-18	-47.4%	40
Iowa	27	22	-5	-18.5%	19
Kansas	31	20	-11	-35.5%	33
Kentucky	15	10	-5	-33.3%	27
Louisiana	75	28	-47	-62.7%	49
Maine	23	14	-9	-39.1%	37
Maryland	8	7	-1	-12.5%	13
Massachusetts	47	21	-26	-55.3%	45
Michigan	8	3	-5	-62.5%	48
Minnesota	12	8	-4	-33.3%	27
Mississippi	27	14	-13	-48.1%	41
Missouri	18	10	-8	-44.4%	39
Montana	13	10	-3	-23.1%	22
Nebraska	8	7	-1	-12.5%	13
Nevada	3	3	0	0.0%	8
New Hampshire	11	14	3	27.3%	4
New Jersey	29	12	-17	-58.6%	47
New Mexico	24	19	-5	-20.8%	20
New York	123	81	-42	-34.1%	30
North Carolina	35	32	-3	-8.6%	11
North Dakota	8	5	-3	-37.5%	35
Ohio	39	18	-21	-53.8%	44
Oklahoma	15	21	6	40.0%	2
Oregon	19	7	-12	-63.2%	50
Pennsylvania	34	25	-9	-26.5%	23
Rhode Island	4	1	-3	-75.0%	51
South Carolina	13	9	-4	-30.8%	25
South Dakota	7	6	-1	-14.3%	16
Tennessee	19	15	-4	-21.1%	21
Texas	75	63	-12	-16.0%	18
Utah	18	8	-10	-55.6%	46
Vermont	7	7	0	0.0%	8
Virginia	23	20	-3	-13.0%	15
Washington	22	11	-11	-50.0%	42
West Virginia	9	13	4	44.4%	1
Wisconsin	10	7	-3	-30.0%	24
Wyoming	3	3	0	0.0%	8
US	1,211	833	-378	-31.2%	

Change in Number of Sponsoring Organizations for Family Child Care Homes, FY 2013 to FY 2014

State	Sponsors FY 2013	Sponsors FY 2014	Number Change	Percent Change	Rank (Percent Change)
Alabama	18	17	-1	-5.6%	41
Alaska	8	8	0	0.0%	3
Arizona	16	16	0	0.0%	3
Arkansas	12	12	0	0.0%	3
California	76	73	-3	-3.9%	38
Colorado	13	13	0	0.0%	3
Connecticut	7	7	0	0.0%	3
Delaware	6	6	0	0.0%	3
District of Columbia	4	4	0	0.0%	3
Florida	41	39	-2	-4.9%	40
Georgia	23	23	0	0.0%	3
Hawaii	2	2	0	0.0%	3
Idaho	8	7	-1	-12.5%	49
Illinois	14	13	-1	-7.1%	44
Indiana	20	20	0	0.0%	3
Iowa	22	22	0	0.0%	3
Kansas	20	20	0	0.0%	3
Kentucky	11	10	-1	-9.1%	48
Louisiana	28	28	0	0.0%	3
Maine	15	14	-1	-6.7%	43
Maryland	7	7	0	0.0%	3
Massachusetts	22	21	-1	-4.5%	39
Michigan	3	3	0	0.0%	3
Minnesota	8	8	0	0.0%	3
Mississippi	16	14	-2	-12.5%	49
Missouri	10	10	0	0.0%	3
Montana	10	10	0	0.0%	3
Nebraska	7	7	0	0.0%	3
Nevada	3	3	0	0.0%	3
New Hampshire	14	14	0	0.0%	3
New Jersey	13	12	-1	-7.7%	46
New Mexico	16	19	3	18.8%	2
New York	82	81	-1	-1.2%	36
North Carolina	34	32	-2	-5.9%	42
North Dakota	5	5	0	0.0%	3
Ohio	18	18	0	0.0%	3
Oklahoma	21	21	0	0.0%	3
Oregon	7	7	0	0.0%	3
Pennsylvania	27	25	-2	-7.4%	45
Rhode Island	2	1	-1	-50.0%	51
South Carolina	9	9	0	0.0%	3
South Dakota	6	6	0	0.0%	3
Tennessee	15	15	0	0.0%	3
Texas	64	63	-1	-1.6%	37
Utah	8	8	0	0.0%	3
Vermont	7	7	0	0.0%	3
Virginia	20	20	0	0.0%	3
Washington	12	11	-1	-8.3%	47
West Virginia	13	13	0	0.0%	3
Wisconsin	7	7	0	0.0%	3
Wyoming	2	3	1	50.0%	1
US	853	833	-20	-2.3%	