Rice County

2017 Child Care Supply Demand County Profile

Extent Desired Capacity Meets Potential Demand
43%

In many Kansas communities, families searching for child care find that the number of available openings for their young children can be few and far between. When a parent has a choice to select a quality program that is best for their children, everyone in the community benefits.

For the full Child Care Supply Demand Report, visit our website!

Child Care Aware® of Kansas is the network of four Child Care Resource and Referral (CCR&R) agencies that serve all 105 counties in Kansas. Daily, we provide information, support and resources to child care providers, families, and communities.

Child Care Resource and Referral Agency:

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Child Care Facilities in the County

| TYPES OF LICENSED CHILD CARE | |
|------------------------------|---|
| Licensed Day Care Home | 3 |
| Group Day Care Home | 1 |
| Child Care Center | 3 |
| Preschool | 1 |
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| CAPACITY OF CHILD CARE PROGRAMS | |
|---|-----|
| Licensed Capacity | 255 |
| Number of Children a Facility is Willing to Accept (Desired Capacity) | 225 |
| Extent Desired Capacity Meets Potential Demand | 43% |

Child Care Aware® of Kansas collects self-reported data on families, children, and child care providers. While the licensing data provided is comprehensive, it cannot be considered complete. There is likely a delay leading to some closed facilities being included and some newly opened facilities being excluded.





Number of Children Under Age 6

757

Number of Children Under Age 6 Receiving DCF¹ Child Care Subsidy

18

Children with All Parents in the Workforce

69%

Unique Services Offered by Child Care Providers

| NON-TRADITIONAL CARE | |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Care Available in the Evenings | 0 |
| Care Available Overnight | 0 |
| Care Available on Weekends | 0 |
| Part-time Care Available | 7 |
| Special Needs Care Available | 5 |
| Infant Toddler Care Available | 6 |

| FACILITY/PROVIDER INFORMATION | |
|--|--------|
| Number of Providers in Field for 5 or More Years | 8 |
| Number of Providers That Speak a Language Other Than English | 0 |
| Number of Providers Accepting DCF ¹ Child Care Subs | sidy 4 |

¹DCF stands for the Kansas Department for Children and Families.



Sources: 2010 Census; 2011-2015: DP03; Child Care Aware® of Kansas; WorkLife Systems; Kansas Department for Children and Families (Child Care Subsidy benefits issued for February 2017 - 2/1/17 through 2/28/17).

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