



**2012 Child Care Availability Survey Summary
by Age Group, Region, and Service Type
Fall 2012**

	INFANT/TODDLER				PRESCHOOL				SCHOOL AGE				NURSERY SCHOOL			
	Capacity	Enrollment	Vacancies	Availability	Capacity	Enrollment	Vacancies	Availability	Capacity	Enrollment	Vacancies	Availability	Capacity	Enrollment	Vacancies	Availability
East	2890	1768	382	13.22%	5840	3110	1007	17.24%	4113	2259	786	19.11%	3713	1520	315	8.48%
North Central	7259	4607	1066	14.69%	17793	10520	2549	14.33%	12726	6449	3111	24.45%	8698	5260	731	8.40%
Northwest	3812	2392	572	15.01%	8629	4902	1313	15.22%	6196	3302	1485	23.97%	5677	2942	413	7.27%
South Central	6528	3807	1019	15.61%	13651	8180	2218	16.25%	9890	4506	2301	23.27%	7318	3670	743	10.15%
Southwest	4342	2783	656	15.11%	11688	7328	1499	12.83%	8948	5372	1163	13.00%	10282	6518	546	5.31%
Total	24831	15357	3695	14.88%	57601	34040	8586	14.91%	41873	21888	8846	21.13%	35688	19910	2748	7.70%

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

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

*2-1-1 Child Care was successful in gathering data from 84% of the Family Day Care Homes, 91% of the Child Care Centers and 85% of the Nursery Schools for the survey.