

ATTACHMENT 3

Market Rate Survey and Market Rate Summary

**2005 North Dakota Child Care
Market Rate Survey
North Dakota Department of Human Services**

Provider Name
Provider Street Address
Provider Town ND Zip

The provider’s name and address were printed on two mailing labels. One was pasted on the survey and one was used for the envelope.

If you are no longer at the above address, please make changes in the space next to it.

1. How many children are you **currently serving** in each of the following age categories? They may not be in attendance today, but they are on your current roster of children in regular attendance. Item D is intended for children in kindergarten who may be in school part of day or part of a week.

Age	Number of Children
A. (0 to 23 months)	_____
B. (24 to 35 months)	_____
C. (3 years to less than 5 years)	_____
D. (5 or 6 years)	_____
E. (6 years to 13 years)	_____

Questions 2 through 7 ask for the rates that you charge PLUS the number of children currently paying that rate. If you charge less for additional children from the same family, enter the rate for the first child in the family.

If you do not take children for either a certain time frame or for a certain age grouping, place “NA” for Not Applicable in both the “Rate” blank and “Current # of Children” blank.

If you do take children at a certain rate but currently do not have any children at that rate, place the rate charged in the “Rate” blank and a “0” in the “Current # Number of Children” blank.

Please make sure that ALL blanks on the survey are filled in with either a rate, a specific number of children, a “NA” or an “O.”

2. What is your **FULL-TIME MONTHLY** rate for a child in each age grouping? Full-time monthly is defined as 100 or more hours per month.

	Rate	Current # of Children
A. (0 to 23 months)	\$ _____	_____
B. (24 to 35 months)	\$ _____	_____
C. (3 years to less than 5 years)	\$ _____	_____
D. (5 or 6 years)	\$ _____	_____
E. (6 to 13 years)	\$ _____	_____

3. What is your **FULL-TIME WEEKLY** rate for a child in each age grouping? Full-time weekly is defined as 25 or more hours per week.

	Rate	Current # of Children
A. (0 to 23 months)	\$ _____	_____
B. (24 to 35 months)	\$ _____	_____
C. (3 years to less than 5 years)	\$ _____	_____
D. (5 or 6 years)	\$ _____	_____
E. (6 to 13 years)	\$ _____	_____

4. What is your **PART-TIME WEEKLY** rate for a child in each age grouping? Part-time weekly is defined as less than 25 hours per week.

	Rate	Current # of Children
A. (0 to 23 months)	\$ _____	_____
B. (24 to 35 months)	\$ _____	_____
C. (3 years to less than 5 years)	\$ _____	_____
D. (5 or 6 years)	\$ _____	_____
E. (6 to 13 years)	\$ _____	_____

5. What is your **FULL-TIME DAILY** rate for a child in each age grouping? Full-time daily is defined as 5 or more hours per day.

	Rate	Current # of Children
A. (0 to 23 months)	\$ _____	_____
B. (24 to 35 months)	\$ _____	_____
C. (3 years to less than 5 years)	\$ _____	_____
D. (5 or 6 years)	\$ _____	_____
E. (6 to 13 years)	\$ _____	_____

6. What is your **PART-TIME DAILY** rate for a child in each age grouping? Part-time daily is defined as less than 5 hours per day.

	Rate	Current # of Children
A. (0 to 23 months)	\$ _____	_____
B. (24 to 35 months)	\$ _____	_____
C. (3 years to less than 5 years)	\$ _____	_____
D. (5 or 6 years)	\$ _____	_____
E. (6 to 13 years)	\$ _____	_____

7. What is your **HOULY** rate for a child in each age grouping?

	Rate	Current # of Children
A (0 to 23 months)	\$ _____	_____
B. 24 to 35 months)	\$ _____	_____
C. (3 years to less than 5 years)	\$ _____	_____
D. (5 or 6 years)	\$ _____	_____
E. (6 to 13 years)	\$ _____	_____

8. Do you accept Child Care Assistance parents?

___ A. Yes ___ B. No ___ C. Not Sure

9. Do you charge different rates for **MORE THAN ONE CHILD** (2nd, 3rd) from the same family? ___ A. No ___ B. Yes. Please explain what those rates are, the age(s) of the child(ren) affected and the number of children currently affected by those rates.

10. Do you have any **EXCEPTIONS** to the rates given in questions 3 through 9?

___ A. No ___ B. Yes. Please explain the exceptions, what those rates are, the age(s) of the child(ren) affected and the number of children currently affected by those exceptions.

Thank you very much for your assistance in this study.

Thank you for completing the survey. The Department of Human Services must complete this every other year as part the Child Care and Development Fund Services Plan.

Below is an example of how one provider will complete the survey. If you have any questions, please contact Bobbi Gitter at 1-800-755-2716.

Example

A family home provider charges **weekly** for the seven children she is licensed to care for and **hourly** for the two children before and after school. She is currently caring for six children plus two before and after school:

- two** between 24-35 months;
- three** between 3 years but less than five years;
- one** 5-6 years; and
- two** 6-13 before and after school.

In question 2, **full-time monthly**, she will enter “NA” in all “Rate” and “Current # of Children” blanks as she does not use these rates.

In question 3, **full-time weekly**, for (0-23 months) she will enter \$110, her infant rate, in the “Rate” and zero in “Current # of Children” blanks. For (24 to 35 months), she will enter \$95 a week in the “Rate” and 2 in “Current # of Children” blanks. For (3 years and less than five years), she will enter \$95 for “Rate” and “3” in “Current # of Children” blanks. For 5 or 6 year olds and 6-13 years old children, that are full time during the summer and school holidays, she will enter \$85 for “Rate” and “0” for each “Current # of Children” blanks.

In question 4, **part-time weekly**, she never charges part-time for (0-23 months), (24-35 months), (3 years to less than 5 years), and (6-13 years) children. She will enter “NA” in the “Rate” and “Current # of Children” for these four sets of blanks. For (5 or 6 years) she enters \$55 in the “Rate” and “1” in the “Current # of Children” blanks.

In questions 5, **full-time daily**, and 6, **part-time daily**, because she does not charge these rates, “NA” will be entered in the all the “Rate” and “Current # of Children” blanks.

In question 7, **hourly-rate**, for ages (0-23 months), (24-35 months), (3 years to less than 5 years), and (5 to 6 years) children she will enter “NA” in the “Rate” and “Current # of Children” slots. She will enter \$1.10 in the “Rate” and “2” in the “Current # of Children” blanks for 6-13 years.

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2005 Child Care Market Rate Study
Statewide
FULL-TIME MONTHLY
75th Percentile**

Provider Type*

AGE	C	E	F	G	H	K	P
0-23 mo.	\$490	\$470	\$454	\$460	\$390	**	**
24-35mo	\$470	\$460	\$400	\$400	\$360	**	**
3-<5 yr	\$435	\$125	\$400	\$400	\$360	**	**
5 or 6 yr	\$375	\$95	\$360	\$360	\$282	**	**
6-13 yr	\$175	\$385	\$260	\$320	\$150	\$75	**

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P = Public approvals

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2005 Child Care Market Rate Study
Statewide
FULL-TIME WEEKLY
75th Percentile**

Provider Type*

AGE	C	E	F	G	H	K	P
0-23 mo.	\$150	\$130	\$110	\$110	\$119	**	**
24-35mo	\$127	\$125	\$100	\$100	\$90	**	**
3-<5 yr	\$117.50	\$117.50	\$100	\$100	\$80	**	**
5 or 6 yr	\$110	\$117.50	\$95	\$95	\$80	**	**
6-13 yr	\$87	\$50	\$90	\$85	**	**	**

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Statewide
PART-TIME WEEKLY
75th Percentile**

Provider Type*

AGE	C	E	F	G	H	K	P
0-23 mo.	\$90	**	\$70	\$75	\$54	**	**
24-35mo	\$276	**	\$72	\$72	**	**	**
3-<5 yr	\$276	\$144	\$65	\$70	\$54	**	**
5 or 6 yr	\$70	\$70	\$65	\$55	\$54	**	**
6-13 yr	\$60	**	\$60	\$50	**	**	**

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2005 Child Care Market Rate Study
Statewide
FULL-TIME DAILY
75th Percentile**

Provider Type*

AGE	C	E	F	G	H	K	P
0-23 mo.	\$27	**	\$23	\$22	\$29	**	\$21
24-35mo	\$27.50	\$25	\$22.50	\$20	\$28	**	\$19
3-<5 yr	\$24	\$22	\$19	\$19	\$17	**	\$19
5 or 6 yr	\$24	\$22	\$17	\$18	\$17	**	\$16
6-13 yr	\$20	**	\$18	\$17.50	**	**	**

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Statewide
PART-TIME DAILY
75th Percentile**

Provider Type*

AGE	C	E	F	G	H	K	P
0-23 mo.	\$17	**	\$22	\$27	**	**	**
24-35mo	\$17	\$20	\$16	\$22	**	**	**
3-<5 yr	\$24	\$10	\$16	\$20	**	**	**
5 or 6 yr	\$23	\$9.75	\$14	\$11.25	**	**	**
6-13 yr	\$13.50	**	\$6	\$7	**	\$5.50	**

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**2005 Child Care Market Rate Study
Statewide
HOURLY
75th Percentile**

Provider Type*

AGE	C	E	F	G	H	K	P
0-23 mo.	\$2.69	\$2.50	\$2.35	\$2.25	\$2.25	**	\$2.50
24-35mo	\$2.52	\$2.50	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.25	**	\$2.50
3-<5 yr	\$3.25	\$2.70	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.00	**	\$2.50
5 or 6 yr	\$3.25	\$2.50	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.00	**
6-13 yr	\$3.25	\$2.70	\$2.25	\$2.15	\$2.00	\$2.33	**

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2005 Child Care Market Rate Study
Statewide
75th Percentile
By Time Period
Provider Types * C, E, G, H, K, and P (n = 626 providers)
Excludes Provider Type * F (n = 256 providers)**

AGE	FULL-TIME MONTHLY	FULL-TIME WEEKLY	PART-TIME WEEKLY	FULL-TIME DAILY	PART-TIME DAILY	HOURLY
0-23 mo.	\$470	\$130	\$90	\$25	\$17	\$2.25
24-35 mo.	\$445	\$125	\$110	\$25	\$20	\$2.25
3<5 yr.	\$404	\$115	\$108	\$23.50	\$16	\$2.38
5 or 6 yr.	\$320	\$105	\$70	\$23.50	\$10	\$2.25
6-13 yr	\$175	\$85	\$60	\$20	\$9.50	\$2.50

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The charts above depict what the results were from the market rate survey at the 75 percentile. The return rate was al

The rates were compared to what the State is already paying for the purpose of Section 3.2, Payment Rates for the Provision of Child Care. Because of the cuts in federal funding and because the State had to make a cut at the beginning and two more cuts in the subsidy program eligibility during the 03-05 Plan, rate changes are not planned at this time.