

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES  
MAXIMUM CHILD CARE PAYMENT RATES**

Below are two charts. The first chart shows current family child care rates. The second chart shows current family child care rates with the Temporary COVID-19 Family Differential Payment added into the rates.



Effective: November 1, 2021

	CHILD CARE RATES								
	REGISTERED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			ACCREDITED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			APPROVED HOMES FFN & IN-HOME PROVIDERS		
	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY
<b>INFANTS</b> <i>Birth to 17 Months</i>									
Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)	670.28	154.80	30.96	703.20	162.40	32.48	403.56	93.20	18.64
Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	335.14	77.40	15.48	351.60	81.20	16.24	201.78	46.60	9.32
<b>INFANTS</b> <i>Birth to 17 Months w/Special Needs</i>									
Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)	814.04	188.00	37.60	856.48	197.80	39.56	487.56	112.60	22.52
Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	407.02	94.00	18.80	428.24	98.90	19.78	243.78	56.30	11.26
<b>TODDLERS</b> <i>18 to 29 Months</i>									
Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)	670.28	154.80	30.96	703.20	162.40	32.48	403.56	93.20	18.64
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<b>PRESCHOOL</b> <i>30 Months to 5 Years</i>									
Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)	526.52	121.60	24.32	549.92	127.00	25.40	314.36	72.60	14.52
Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	263.26	60.80	12.16	274.96	63.50	12.70	157.18	36.30	7.26
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	CHILD CARE RATES <i>INCLUDING TEMPORARY COVID-19 FAMILY DIFFERENTIAL PAYMENT*</i>								
	REGISTERED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			ACCREDITED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			APPROVED HOMES FFN & IN-HOME PROVIDERS		
	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY
<b>INFANTS</b> <i>Birth to 17 Months</i>									
Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)	970.28	224.08	44.82	1,003.20	231.69	46.34	703.56	162.48	32.50
Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	485.14	112.04	22.41	501.60	115.84	23.17	351.78	81.24	16.25
<b>INFANTS</b> <i>Birth to 17 Months w/Special Needs</i>									
Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)	1,114.04	257.28	51.46	1,156.48	267.09	53.42	787.56	181.88	36.38
Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	557.02	128.64	25.73	578.24	133.54	26.71	393.78	90.94	18.19
<b>TODDLERS</b> <i>18 to 29 Months</i>									
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<b>PRESCHOOL</b> <i>30 Months to 5 Years</i>									
Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)	826.52	190.88	38.18	849.92	196.29	39.26	614.36	141.88	28.38
Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	413.26	95.44	19.09	424.96	98.14	19.63	307.18	70.94	14.19
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The amounts listed above represent the maximum authorized rates for child care. The parent/applicant may select a provider with a cost higher than these maximum rates; however, in such instances, the parent/applicant is totally responsible for all expenses in excess of these maximum rates, as well as for the required co-payment.

Provider/caregivers eligible for accredited rates include:

- > Licensed child care centers accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children - National Academy of Early Childhood Programs, Council on Accreditation (COA) of Services for Families and Children, and National Early Childhood Professional Accreditation (NECPA);
- > Registered family child care providers accredited by the National Association for Family Child Care;
- > School age child care programs accredited by the National School Age Child Care Alliance; and
- > Summer camps accredited by the American Camping Association.

\* Temporary COVID-19 Family Differential Payments provide up to \$300 for full-time care, or \$150 for part-time care, per eligible child, per month on top of the child care assistance rate paid by the state.