

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



Effective: January 1, 2022

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

	CHILD CARE RATES						CHILD CARE RATES INCLUDING TEMPORARY COVID-19 FAMILY DIFFERENTIAL PAYMENT*					
	LICENSED CHILD CARE CENTERS			ACCREDITED CHILD CARE CENTERS			LICENSED CHILD CARE CENTERS			ACCREDITED CHILD CARE CENTERS		
	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY
INFANTS <i>Birth to 17 Months</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,224.25	282.74	56.55	1,285.46	296.87	59.37	1,524.25	352.02	70.40	1,585.46	366.16	73.23
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	612.13	141.37	28.27	642.73	148.44	29.69	762.13	176.01	35.20	792.73	183.08	36.62
INFANTS <i>Birth to 17 Months w/Special Needs</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,469.10	339.28	67.86	1,542.56	356.25	71.25	1,769.10	408.57	81.71	1,842.56	425.53	85.11
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	734.55	169.64	33.93	771.28	178.12	35.62	884.55	204.28	40.86	921.28	212.77	42.55
TODDLERS <i>18 to 29 Months</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,050.74	242.67	48.53	1,103.28	254.80	50.96	1,350.74	311.95	62.39	1,403.28	324.08	64.82
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	525.37	121.33	24.27	551.64	127.40	25.48	675.37	155.97	31.19	701.64	162.04	32.41
TODDLERS <i>18 to 29 Months w/Special Needs</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,260.89	291.20	58.24	1,323.93	305.76	61.15	1,560.89	360.48	72.10	1,623.93	375.04	75.01
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	630.45	145.60	29.12	661.97	152.88	30.58	780.45	180.24	36.05	811.97	187.52	37.50
PRESCHOOL <i>30 Months to 5 Years</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	907.36	209.55	41.91	952.73	220.03	44.01	1,207.36	278.84	55.77	1,252.73	289.31	57.86
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	453.68	104.78	20.96	476.36	110.01	22.00	603.68	139.42	27.88	626.36	144.66	28.93
PRESCHOOL <i>30 Months to 5 Years w/Special Needs</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,152.35	266.13	53.23	1,209.97	279.44	55.89	1,452.35	335.42	67.08	1,509.97	348.72	69.74
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	576.18	133.07	26.61	604.98	139.72	27.94	726.18	167.71	33.54	754.98	174.36	34.87
SCHOOL-AGE <i>5 to 13 Years</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	850.13	196.33	39.27	892.64	206.15	41.23	1,150.13	265.62	53.12	1,192.64	275.44	55.09
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	425.07	98.17	19.63	446.32	103.08	20.62	575.07	132.81	26.56	596.32	137.72	27.54
SCHOOL-AGE <i>5 to 19 Years w/Special Needs</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,079.67	249.35	49.87	1,133.65	261.81	52.36	1,379.67	318.63	63.73	1,433.65	331.10	66.22
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	539.84	124.67	24.93	566.83	130.91	26.18	689.84	159.32	31.86	716.83	165.55	33.11

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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.

	CHILD CARE RATES									CHILD CARE RATES INCLUDING TEMPORARY COVID-19 FAMILY DIFFERENTIAL PAYMENT*					
	REGISTERED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			ACCREDITED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			APPROVED HOMES** FFN & IN-HOME PROVIDERS			REGISTERED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			ACCREDITED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES		
	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY
INFANTS <i>Birth to 17 Months</i>															
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	870.28	200.99	40.20	903.20	208.59	41.72	603.56	139.39	27.88	1,170.28	270.27	54.05	1,203.20	277.88	55.58
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	435.14	100.49	20.10	451.60	104.30	20.86	301.78	69.70	13.94	585.14	135.14	27.03	601.60	138.94	27.79
INFANTS <i>Birth to 17 Months w/Special Needs</i>															
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,014.04	234.19	46.84	1,056.48	243.99	48.80	687.56	158.79	31.76	1,314.04	303.47	60.69	1,356.48	313.27	62.65
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	507.02	117.09	23.42	528.24	122.00	24.40	343.78	79.39	15.88	657.02	151.74	30.35	678.24	156.64	31.33
TODDLERS <i>18 to 29 Months</i>															
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	870.28	200.99	40.20	903.20	208.59	41.72	603.56	139.39	27.88	1,170.28	270.27	54.05	1,203.20	277.88	55.58
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	435.14	100.49	20.10	451.60	104.30	20.86	301.78	69.70	13.94	585.14	135.14	27.03	601.60	138.94	27.79
TODDLERS <i>18 to 29 Months w/Special Needs</i>															
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,014.04	234.19	46.84	1,056.48	243.99	48.80	687.56	158.79	31.76	1,314.04	303.47	60.69	1,356.48	313.27	62.65
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	507.02	117.09	23.42	528.24	122.00	24.40	343.78	79.39	15.88	657.02	151.74	30.35	678.24	156.64	31.33
PRESCHOOL <i>30 Months to 5 Years</i>															
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	726.52	167.79	33.56	749.92	173.19	34.64	514.36	118.79	23.76	1,026.52	237.07	47.41	1,049.92	242.48	48.50
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	363.26	83.89	16.78	374.96	86.60	17.32	257.18	59.39	11.88	513.26	118.54	23.71	524.96	121.24	24.25
PRESCHOOL <i>30 Months to 5 Years w/Special Needs</i>															
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	870.28	200.99	40.20	903.20	208.59	41.72	603.56	139.39	27.88	1,170.28	270.27	54.05	1,203.20	277.88	55.58
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	435.14	100.49	20.10	451.60	104.30	20.86	301.78	69.70	13.94	585.14	135.14	27.03	601.60	138.94	27.79
SCHOOL-AGE <i>5 to 13 Years</i>															
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	726.52	167.79	33.56	749.92	173.19	34.64	514.36	118.79	23.76	1,026.52	237.07	47.41	1,049.92	242.48	48.50
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	363.26	83.89	16.78	374.96	86.60	17.32	257.18	59.39	11.88	513.26	118.54	23.71	524.96	121.24	24.25
SCHOOL-AGE <i>5 to 19 Years w/Special Needs</i>															
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	870.28	200.99	40.20	903.20	208.59	41.72	603.56	139.39	27.88	1,170.28	270.27	54.05	1,203.20	277.88	55.58
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	435.14	100.49	20.10	451.60	104.30	20.86	301.78	69.70	13.94	585.14	135.14	27.03	601.60	138.94	27.79

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** As of December 31, 2021 Approved Homes (FFN & In-Home Providers) no longer receive the \$300 Temporary COVID-19 Family Differential Payment.



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

	CHILD CARE RATES								
	GROW NJ KIDS 3-STAR RATED PROVIDERS			GROW NJ KIDS 4-STAR RATED PROVIDERS			GROW NJ KIDS 5-STAR RATED PROVIDERS		
	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY
INFANTS <i>Birth to 17 Months</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,326.31	306.31	61.26	1,371.68	316.79	63.36	1,430.25	330.31	66.06
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	663.16	153.15	30.63	685.84	158.39	31.68	715.13	165.16	33.03
INFANTS <i>Birth to 17 Months w/Special Needs</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,591.57	367.57	73.51	1,646.01	380.14	76.03	1,716.30	396.37	79.27
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	795.79	183.78	36.76	823.01	190.07	38.01	858.15	198.19	39.64
TODDLERS <i>18 to 29 Months</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,093.60	252.56	50.51	1,129.50	260.85	52.17	1,175.98	271.59	54.32
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	546.80	126.28	25.26	564.75	130.43	26.09	587.99	135.79	27.16
TODDLERS <i>18 to 29 Months w/Special Needs</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,312.31	303.07	60.61	1,355.40	313.03	62.61	1,411.18	325.91	65.18
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	656.16	151.54	30.31	677.70	156.51	31.30	705.59	162.95	32.59
PRESCHOOL <i>30 Months to 5 Years</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	963.82	222.59	44.52	994.45	229.67	45.93	1,034.17	238.84	47.77
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	481.91	111.30	22.26	497.23	114.83	22.97	517.09	119.42	23.88
PRESCHOOL <i>30 Months to 5 Years w/Special Needs</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,224.05	282.69	56.54	1,262.95	291.67	58.33	1,313.39	303.32	60.66
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	612.03	141.35	28.27	631.48	145.84	29.17	656.70	151.66	30.33

	CHILD CARE RATES <i>INCLUDING TEMPORARY COVID-19 FAMILY DIFFERENTIAL PAYMENT*</i>								
	GROW NJ KIDS 3-STAR RATED PROVIDERS			GROW NJ KIDS 4-STAR RATED PROVIDERS			GROW NJ KIDS 5-STAR RATED PROVIDERS		
	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY
INFANTS <i>Birth to 17 Months</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,626.31	375.59	75.12	1,671.68	386.07	77.21	1,730.25	399.60	79.92
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	813.16	187.80	37.56	835.84	193.03	38.61	865.13	199.80	39.96
INFANTS <i>Birth to 17 Months w/Special Needs</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,891.57	436.85	87.37	1,946.01	449.42	89.88	2,016.30	465.66	93.13
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	945.79	218.43	43.69	973.01	224.71	44.94	1,008.15	232.83	46.57
TODDLERS <i>18 to 29 Months</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,393.60	321.85	64.37	1,429.50	330.14	66.03	1,475.98	340.87	68.17
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	696.80	160.92	32.18	714.75	165.07	33.01	737.99	170.44	34.09
TODDLERS <i>18 to 29 Months w/Special Needs</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,612.31	372.36	74.47	1,655.40	382.31	76.46	1,711.18	395.19	79.04
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	806.16	186.18	37.24	827.70	191.15	38.23	855.59	197.60	39.52
PRESCHOOL <i>30 Months to 5 Years</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,263.82	291.88	58.38	1,294.45	298.95	59.79	1,334.17	308.12	61.62
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	631.91	145.94	29.19	647.23	149.47	29.89	667.09	154.06	30.81
PRESCHOOL <i>30 Months to 5 Years w/Special Needs</i>									
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,524.05	351.97	70.39	1,562.95	360.96	72.19	1,613.39	372.61	74.52
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	762.03	175.99	35.20	781.48	180.48	36.10	806.70	186.30	37.26

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