

# CHILD CARE IN FORSYTH COUNTY



## THE PEOPLE

	NORTH CAROLINA	FORSYTH COUNTY
Number of residents	8,049,313	306,067
Number of children 0-4	539,509	20,494
Number of children 5-9	562,553	21,241
Number of children 10-14	551,367	20,235
Number of children 0-12 in child care	220,974	8,253
Number of families	2,158,869	81,693
Female Headed Households	389,997	16,718
Number of families below poverty (income below \$14,999)	228,666	7,371
Median annual household income	\$46,335	\$52,032

Source: US Census

## CHILDREN UNDER SIX *(with parents in the labor force)*

Two parent family, both parents in the labor force	241,250	9,278
Two parent family, father in the labor force	162,591	5,442
Two parent family, mother in labor force	12,892	529
Single parent family, father in the labor force	31,877	929
Single parent family, mother in the labor force	102,442	4,595
Total with parents in the labor force	551,052	20,773

Source: US Census

## CHILD CARE COST *(average weekly fee for a center in Forsyth County)*

AGES OF CHILDREN	WEEKLY COST	
	2004	2005
Infant (0-12 months)	\$118.33	123.94
Toddler (13-23 months)	\$113.55	119.18
Two's (2 years)	\$111.43	108.48
Three's (3 years)	\$101.80	102.15
Four's (4 years)	\$100.51	101.12
Five's (5 years - not enrolled in public school)	\$100.31	100.33
School Aged (K-6 <sup>th</sup> grade)	\$73.13	75.85

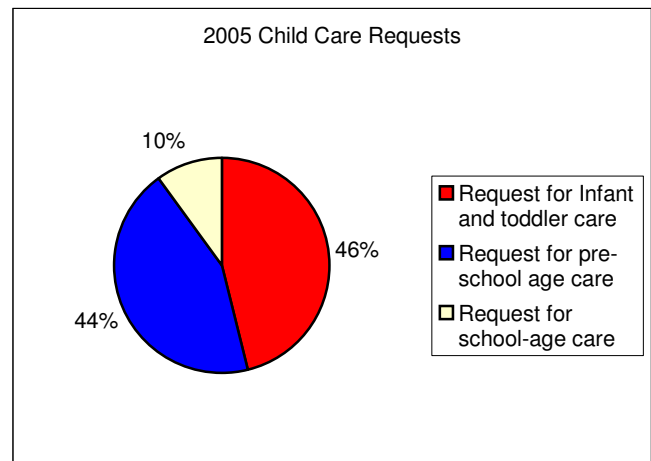
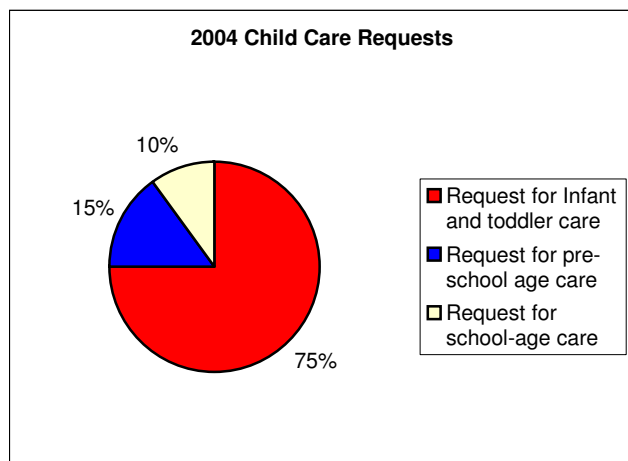
Source: Work Family Resource Center

## CHILD CARE SUPPLY - FORSYTH COUNTY

LICENSED PROGRAMS	CENTERS		SMALL CENTERS IN A RESIDENCE		FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
One star	17	16	1	0	85	64
Two stars	5	3	0	0	0	1
Three stars	38	40	2	1	25	39
Four stars	26	27	1	3	41	40
Five stars	6	9	2	1	23	29
GS - 110	25	26	0	0	0	0
Temporary License	2	4	0	0	0	1
Total number of licensed	119	130	6	5	174	187
<b>Nationally Accredited</b>	0	5	2	2	4	13
<b>SPACES BY PROGRAM TYPE</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>
Total Number of Spaces	16,752	16,840	72	60	3,063	3,674
<b>SPACES BY SHIFT</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> Shift	12,166	12,524	72	60	1,221	1,421
2 <sup>nd</sup> Shift	3,829	3,579	72	24	1,069	1,261
3 <sup>rd</sup> Shift	757	737	60	12	773	992

Source: NC Division of Child Development

## CHILD CARE REQUESTS BY TYPE OF CARE - FORSYTH COUNTY



Source: Work Family Resource Center

## CHILD CARE SUBSIDY - FORSYTH COUNTY

	NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED	
	2004	2005
Smart Start of Forsyth County Child Care Subsidy	315	343
Smart Start of Forsyth County Emergency Child Care Assistance	294	11
Division of Social Services Child Care Vouchers	4,096	4,696

Source: Work Family Resource Center & Forsyth County Division of Social Services