



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

Effective: March 1, 2024	REGISTERED FAMILY CHILD CARE RATES INCLUDING TEMPORARY COVID-19 FAMILY DIFFERENTIAL PAYMENT*											
	REGISTERED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			3-STAR GROW NJ KIDS RATED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			4-STAR GROW NJ KIDS RATED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES			5-STAR GROW NJ KIDS RATED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES		
	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>	1,205.51	278.41	55.68	1,386.39	320.18	64.04	1,438.15	332.14	66.43	1,499.24	346.24	69.25
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	602.76	139.20	27.84	693.20	160.09	32.02	719.08	166.07	33.21	749.62	173.12	34.62
INFANTS												
<i>Birth to 17 Months w/Special Needs</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,354.33	312.78	62.56	1,406.10	324.73	64.95	1,457.86	336.69	67.34	1,509.63	348.64	69.73
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	677.17	156.39	31.28	703.05	162.37	32.47	728.93	168.34	33.67	754.82	174.32	34.86
TODDLERS												
<i>18 to 29 Months</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,205.51	278.41	55.68	1,309.04	302.32	60.46	1,360.51	314.21	62.84	1,421.59	328.31	65.66
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	602.76	139.20	27.84	654.52	151.16	30.23	680.26	157.10	31.42	710.80	164.16	32.83
TODDLERS												
<i>18 to 29 Months w/Special Needs</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,354.33	312.78	62.56	1,360.80	314.27	62.85	1,412.57	326.23	65.25	1,473.65	340.33	68.07
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	677.17	156.39	31.28	680.40	157.14	31.43	706.29	163.11	32.62	736.83	170.17	34.03
PRESCHOOL												
<i>30 Months to 5 Years</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,056.67	244.03	48.81	1,257.27	290.36	58.07	1,308.74	302.25	60.45	1,369.82	316.36	63.27
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	528.34	122.02	24.40	628.64	145.18	29.04	654.37	151.12	30.22	684.91	158.18	31.64
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SCHOOL-AGE												
<i>5 to 13 Years**</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,056.67	244.03	48.81									
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	528.34	122.02	24.40									
SCHOOL-AGE												
<i>5 to 18 Years w/Special Needs</i>												
<i>Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)</i>	1,205.51	278.41	55.68									
<i>Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)</i>	602.76	139.20	27.84									

The amounts listed above represent the maximum authorized rates for registered family 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.

*Temporary COVID-19 Family Differential Payments provide up to \$300 for full-time care, or \$150 for part-time care, per month on top of the child care assistance rate paid by the state. Family Differential Payments will be made through June 2024. To calculate the state's base rate, without the Temporary COVID-19 Family Differential Payment, subtract \$300 from full-time rates and \$150 from part-time rates.

** A 13-year old child is only eligible for child care payments if they turn 13 during an eligibility period. A family will not be eligible for child care payments for a 13-year old child at initial eligibility, except if the child has special needs.



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APPROVED HOME RATES

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	APPROVED HOMES FFN & IN-HOME PROVIDERS		
	MONTHLY	WEEKLY	DAILY
INFANTS <i>Birth to 17 Months</i> Full Time Care (6 hrs or more) Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	603.56 301.78	139.39 69.70	27.88 13.94
INFANTS <i>Birth to 17 Months w/Special Needs</i> Full Time Care (6 hrs or more) Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	687.56 343.78	158.79 79.39	31.76 15.88
TODDLERS <i>18 to 29 Months</i> Full Time Care (6 hrs or more) Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	603.56 301.78	139.39 69.70	27.88 13.94
TODDLERS <i>18 to 29 Months w/Special Needs</i> Full Time Care (6 hrs or more) Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	687.56 343.78	158.79 79.39	31.76 15.88
PRESCHOOL <i>30 Months to 5 Years</i> Full Time Care (6 hrs or more) Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	514.36 257.18	118.79 59.39	23.76 11.88
PRESCHOOL <i>30 Months to 5 Years w/Special Needs</i> Full Time Care (6 hrs or more) Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	603.56 301.78	139.39 69.70	27.88 13.94
SCHOOL-AGE <i>5 to 13 Years*</i> Full Time Care (6 hrs or more) Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	514.36 257.18	118.79 59.39	23.76 11.88
SCHOOL-AGE <i>5 to 18 Years w/Special Needs</i> Full Time Care (6 hrs or more) Part Time Care (less than 6 hrs)	603.56 301.78	139.39 69.70	27.88 13.94

The amounts listed above represent the maximum authorized rates for approved homes, including Family, Friend and Neighbor (FFN) and in-home child care providers. 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.

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