



**DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**  
**SFY 2014 MAXIMUM CHILD CARE PAYMENT RATES**

|  | LICENSED CHILD CARE CENTERS |        |       | ACCREDITED CHILD CARE CENTERS |        |       | REGISTERED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES |        |       | ACCREDITED FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES |        |       | APPROVED HOME FAMILY FRIEND OR NEIGHBOR CAREGIVERS |        |       |
|--|-----------------------------|--------|-------|-------------------------------|--------|-------|------------------------------------|--------|-------|------------------------------------|--------|-------|--|--------|-------|
|  | MONTHLY                     | WEEKLY | DAILY | MONTHLY                       | WEEKLY | DAILY | MONTHLY                            | WEEKLY | DAILY | MONTHLY                            | WEEKLY | DAILY | MONTHLY  | WEEKLY | DAILY |
| <b>INFANTS &amp; TODDLERS</b><br><i>Birth to 2.5 years</i>                 |                             |        |       |                               |        |       |                                    |        |       |                                    |        |       |  |        |       |
| Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)   | 695.40                      | 160.60 | 32.12 | 730.04                        | 168.60 | 33.72 | 670.28                             | 154.80 | 30.96 | 703.20                             | 162.40 | 32.48 | 403.56   | 93.20  | 18.64 |
| 3/4 Time (4 or 5 hrs)  |                             | 120.45 | 24.09 |                               | 126.45 | 25.29 |                                    | 116.10 | 23.22 |                                    | 121.80 | 24.36 |  | 69.90  | 13.98 |
| Part Time Care (2 or 3 hrs)  | 347.70                      | 80.30  | 16.06 | 365.02                        | 84.30  | 16.86 | 335.14                             | 77.40  | 15.48 | 351.60                             | 81.20  | 16.24 | 201.78   | 46.60  | 9.32  |
| 1/4 Time (1 hr or fewer)   |                             | 40.15  | 8.03  |                               | 42.15  | 8.43  |                                    | 38.70  | 7.74  |                                    | 40.60  | 8.12  |  | 23.30  | 4.66  |
| <b>INFANTS &amp; TODDLERS</b><br><i>Birth to 2.5 years w/Special Needs</i> |                             |        |       |                               |        |       |                                    |        |       |                                    |        |       |  |        |       |
| Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)   | 695.40                      | 160.60 | 32.12 | 730.04                        | 168.60 | 33.72 | 814.04                             | 188.00 | 37.60 | 856.48                             | 197.80 | 39.56 | 487.56   | 112.60 | 22.52 |
| 3/4 Time (4 or 5 hrs)  |                             | 120.45 | 24.09 |                               | 126.45 | 25.29 |                                    | 141.00 | 28.20 |                                    | 148.35 | 29.67 |  | 84.45  | 16.89 |
| Part Time Care (2 or 3 hrs)  | 347.70                      | 80.30  | 16.06 | 365.02                        | 84.30  | 16.86 | 407.02                             | 94.00  | 18.80 | 428.24                             | 98.90  | 19.78 | 243.78   | 56.30  | 11.26 |
| 1/4 Time (1 hr or fewer)   |                             | 40.15  | 8.03  |                               | 42.15  | 8.43  |                                    | 47.00  | 9.40  |                                    | 49.45  | 9.89  |  | 28.15  | 5.63  |
| <b>EARLY PRESCHOOL</b><br><i>2 to 2.5 years</i>                            |                             |        |       |                               |        |       |                                    |        |       |                                    |        |       |  |        |       |
| Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)   | 695.40                      | 160.60 | 32.12 | 730.04                        | 168.60 | 33.72 | 670.28                             | 154.80 | 30.96 | 703.20                             | 162.40 | 32.48 | 403.56   | 93.20  | 18.64 |
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| <b>EARLY PRESCHOOL</b><br><i>2 to 2.5 years w/Special Needs</i>            |                             |        |       |                               |        |       |                                    |        |       |                                    |        |       |  |        |       |
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| <b>PRESCHOOL</b><br><i>2.5 to 5 years</i>                                  |                             |        |       |                               |        |       |                                    |        |       |                                    |        |       |  |        |       |
| Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)   | 573.30                      | 132.40 | 26.48 | 604.46                        | 139.60 | 27.92 | 526.52                             | 121.60 | 24.32 | 549.92                             | 127.00 | 25.40 | 314.36   | 72.60  | 14.52 |
| 3/4 Time (4 or 5 hrs)  |                             | 99.30  | 19.86 |                               | 104.70 | 20.94 |                                    | 91.20  | 18.24 |                                    | 95.25  | 19.05 |  | 54.45  | 10.89 |
| Part Time Care (2 or 3 hrs)  | 286.65                      | 66.20  | 13.24 | 302.23                        | 69.80  | 13.96 | 263.26                             | 60.80  | 12.16 | 274.96                             | 63.50  | 12.70 | 157.18   | 36.30  | 7.26  |
| 1/4 Time (1 hr or fewer)   |                             | 33.10  | 6.62  |                               | 34.90  | 6.98  |                                    | 30.40  | 6.08  |                                    | 31.75  | 6.35  |  | 18.15  | 3.63  |
| <b>PRESCHOOL</b><br><i>2.5 to 5 years w/Special Needs</i>                  |                             |        |       |                               |        |       |                                    |        |       |                                    |        |       |  |        |       |
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| <b>SCHOOL-AGE</b><br><i>5 to 13 years</i>                                  |                             |        |       |                               |        |       |                                    |        |       |                                    |        |       |  |        |       |
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| <b>SCHOOL-AGE</b><br><i>5 to 19 years w/Special Needs</i>                  |                             |        |       |                               |        |       |                                    |        |       |                                    |        |       |  |        |       |
| Full Time Care (6 hrs or more)   | 573.30                      | 132.40 | 26.48 | 604.46                        | 139.60 | 27.92 | 670.28                             | 154.80 | 30.96 | 703.20                             | 162.40 | 32.48 | 403.56   | 93.20  | 18.64 |
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The amounts listed above represent the maximum authorized rates for child care. Care given for any portion of an hour shall be rounded to the next full hour. For example, one hour and 15 minutes is rounded to two hours. Agencies responsible for administering voucher subsidy programs may authorize payment for the actual cost of care up to these amounts. Amounts paid for contracted services in licensed centers, in most cases, are based on the maximum weekly rates listed. When appropriate, any required co-payment will be deducted from the rate prior to issuance of payment. 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. Proportionate to the full time and part time rates listed above, maximum amounts paid only through the TANF Work First New Jersey and Transitional Child Care voucher program include rates for 3/4 time (4 or 5 hours per day) and 1/4-time (1 hour per day).

NJCK utilizes only 'Full Time Care' and 'Part Time Care' rates. 'Full Time Care' for NJCK is 6 hours or more and 'Part Time Care' for NJCK is less than 6 hours. Children who are under DCP&P child protective service (CPS) supervision are considered automatically as having special needs solely by virtue of their CPS status. Approved Homes (other than DCP&P approved in-home day care), exceptional child care programs and babysitting for DCP&P/CPS clients are not applicable for DCP&P/CPS child care service use and are not payable through the NJCK Child Care Voucher Program.

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.