

# 2010-2011 Cost of Care Appendices



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**TABLE I****2010 Average Annual Cost of Full-Time Center-Based Child Care by State**

State	Infant	4-Year-Old
Alabama	\$5,350	\$5,650
Alaska	\$9,450	\$7,650
Arizona	\$9,250	\$7,350
Arkansas	\$5,400	\$4,650
California	\$11,300	\$7,850
Colorado	\$12,400	\$9,000
Connecticut	\$12,650	\$10,350
Delaware	\$9,550	\$7,300
District of Columbia	\$18,200	\$14,050
Florida	\$7,950	\$6,350
Georgia	\$7,200	\$6,100
Hawaii	\$12,600	\$7,300
Idaho	\$6,200	\$5,400
Illinois	\$11,800	\$8,700
Indiana	\$9,200	\$7,000
Iowa	\$8,600	\$7,300
Kansas	\$9,950	\$7,100
Kentucky	\$6,500	\$6,750
Louisiana	\$5,900	\$4,400
Maine	\$9,050	\$7,650
Maryland	\$12,400	\$8,700
Massachusetts	\$16,500	\$12,200
Michigan	\$8,900	\$7,350
Minnesota	\$12,900	\$9,900
Mississippi	\$4,650	\$3,900
Missouri	\$8,550	\$5,950
Montana	\$9,100	\$7,800
Nebraska	\$7,950	\$6,850
Nevada	\$9,400	\$7,650
New Hampshire	\$10,900	\$8,750

State	Infant	4-Year-Old
New Jersey	\$11,200	\$9,250
New Mexico	\$7,300	\$6,600
New York	\$13,650	\$10,550
North Carolina	\$8,500	\$7,250
North Dakota	\$7,500	\$6,650
Ohio	\$7,750	\$5,900
Oklahoma	\$7,100	\$5,200
Oregon	\$10,750	\$8,300
Pennsylvania	\$11,300	\$7,000
Rhode Island	\$11,400	\$9,100
South Carolina	\$5,850	\$5,450
South Dakota	\$5,750	\$5,500
Tennessee	\$5,850	\$4,500
Texas	\$7,850	\$6,600
Utah	\$7,800	\$5,800
Vermont	\$9,300	\$8,500
Virginia	\$8,800	\$6,650
Washington	\$11,450	\$8,600
West Virginia	\$6,950	\$5,800
Wisconsin	\$10,500	\$9,050
Wyoming	\$8,150	\$7,050

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**TABLE II****2010 Average Annual Cost of Full-Time Family Child Care by State**

State	Infant	4-Year-Old
Alabama	\$4,650	\$4,750
Alaska	\$7,500	\$6,250
Arizona	\$6,550	\$6,200
Arkansas	\$4,500	\$4,100
California	\$6,850	\$6,600
Colorado	\$8,400	\$7,750
Connecticut	\$9,400	\$8,950
Delaware	\$6,950	\$6,150
District of Columbia	\$11,170	\$8,050
Florida	\$7,150	\$6,050
Georgia	\$5,400	\$5,000
Hawaii	\$7,350	\$7,300
Idaho	\$5,400	\$5,050
Illinois	\$7,150	\$6,600
Indiana	\$5,900	\$4,950
Iowa	\$6,500	\$6,250
Kansas	\$6,250	\$5,450
Kentucky	\$6,250	\$5,200
Louisiana	NR	\$4,350
Maine	\$6,700	NR
Maryland	\$8,850	\$7,450
Massachusetts	\$12,100	\$11,300
Michigan	\$6,450	\$6,250
Minnesota	\$7,350	\$6,600
Mississippi	\$3,850	\$3,600
Missouri	\$5,500	\$4,800
Montana	\$7,000	\$6,500
Nebraska	\$6,300	\$5,650
Nevada	\$8,000	NR
New Hampshire	\$8,200	\$7,500

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New Mexico	\$6,150	\$5,600
New York	\$10,200	\$9,450
North Carolina	\$6,600	\$5,750
North Dakota	\$6,100	\$5,750
Ohio	\$6,500	\$5,800
Oklahoma	\$5,750	\$4,950
Oregon	\$6,000	\$5,400
Pennsylvania	\$8,050	\$5,700
Rhode Island	\$8,700	\$8,300
South Carolina	\$4,550	\$4,100
South Dakota	\$5,050	\$4,900
Tennessee	\$4,750	\$4,050
Texas	\$6,450	\$5,350
Utah	\$5,750	\$5,000
Vermont	\$7,200	\$6,700
Virginia	\$6,800	\$5,650
Washington	\$8,650	\$7,200
West Virginia	\$5,350	\$5,150
Wisconsin	\$8,550	\$7,650
Wyoming	\$6,800	\$6,250

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1	Massachusetts	\$16,500	\$28,125	58.7%	\$103,225	16.0%
2	New York	\$13,650	\$25,958	52.6%	\$86,996	15.7%
3	Colorado	\$12,400	\$26,630	46.6%	\$82,335	15.1%
4	Hawaii	\$12,600	\$28,401	44.4%	\$83,650	15.1%
5	Minnesota	\$12,900	\$27,188	47.4%	\$86,687	14.9%
6	District of Columbia	\$18,200	\$26,244	69.3%	\$123,449	14.7%
7	Oregon	\$10,750	\$23,093	46.6%	\$72,961	14.7%
8	Illinois	\$11,800	\$25,239	46.8%	\$83,669	14.1%
9	Montana	\$9,100	\$19,399	46.9%	\$64,581	14.1%
10	Pennsylvania	\$11,300	\$24,176	46.7%	\$80,403	14.1%
11	California	\$11,300	\$28,179	40.1%	\$80,937	14.0%
12	Washington	\$11,450	\$25,905	44.2%	\$82,027	14.0%
13	Kansas	\$9,950	\$24,152	41.2%	\$73,495	13.5%
14	Wisconsin	\$10,500	\$24,178	43.4%	\$79,222	13.3%
15	Arizona	\$9,250	\$26,754	34.6%	\$72,049	12.8%
16	Maine	\$9,050	\$21,760	41.6%	\$70,515	12.8%
17	Rhode Island	\$11,400	\$25,281	45.1%	\$88,924	12.8%
18	Nevada	\$9,400	\$30,042	31.3%	\$73,823	12.7%
19	Indiana	\$9,200	\$22,328	41.2%	\$72,850	12.6%
20	Vermont	\$9,300	\$25,711	36.2%	\$77,177	12.1%
21	Connecticut	\$12,650	\$30,551	41.4%	\$105,018	12.0%
22	New Hampshire	\$10,900	\$29,489	37.0%	\$91,696	11.9%
23	North Carolina	\$8,500	\$21,702	39.2%	\$71,714	11.9%
24	Missouri	\$8,550	\$21,874	39.1%	\$72,740	11.8%
25	Maryland	\$12,400	\$36,429	34.0%	\$105,736	11.7%
26	Iowa	\$8,600	\$23,173	37.1%	\$74,272	11.6%
27	New Mexico	\$7,300	\$20,888	34.9%	\$63,010	11.6%
28	West Virginia	\$6,950	\$15,938	43.6%	\$60,118	11.6%

Rank	State	Annual Price-Infant, Center <sup>^</sup>	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
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29	Michigan	\$8,900	\$22,295	39.9%	\$78,068	11.4%
30	Texas	\$7,850	\$22,289	35.2%	\$68,795	11.4%
31	Oklahoma	\$7,100	\$19,457	36.5%	\$63,597	11.2%
32	Utah	\$7,800	\$28,071	27.8%	\$69,897	11.2%
33	Florida	\$7,950	\$25,782	30.8%	\$72,396	11.0%
34	Nebraska	\$7,950	\$22,217	35.8%	\$72,148	11.0%
35	Wyoming	\$8,150	\$24,270	33.6%	\$73,908	11.0%
36	Alaska	\$9,450	\$30,680	30.8%	\$86,538	10.9%
37	Delaware	\$9,550	\$29,430	32.4%	\$87,535	10.9%
38	New Jersey	\$11,200	\$31,803	35.2%	\$105,336	10.6%
39	North Dakota	\$7,500	\$21,524	34.8%	\$72,637	10.3%
40	Ohio	\$7,750	\$21,538	36.0%	\$76,556	10.1%
41	Idaho	\$6,200	\$22,265	27.8%	\$62,082	10.0%
42	Kentucky	\$6,500	\$18,692	34.8%	\$67,070	9.7%
43	Virginia	\$8,800	\$28,223	31.2%	\$90,318	9.7%
44	Georgia	\$7,200	\$24,023	30.0%	\$75,844	9.5%
45	Arkansas	\$5,400	\$18,478	29.2%	\$61,111	8.8%
46	Tennessee	\$5,850	\$20,210	28.9%	\$67,952	8.6%
47	South Carolina	\$5,850	\$20,973	27.9%	\$70,721	8.3%
48	South Dakota	\$5,750	\$22,671	25.4%	\$69,705	8.2%
49	Louisiana	\$5,900	\$18,435	32.0%	\$73,489	8.0%
50	Alabama	\$5,350	\$18,540	28.9%	\$68,939	7.8%
51	Mississippi	\$4,650	\$17,327	26.8%	\$63,822	7.3%

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Note: 1 = least affordable and 51 = most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for married-couple families. Income is based on single-parent and married-couple families with own children under the age of 18.



## TABLE IV

### 2010 Ranking of Least Affordable Family Child Care (FCC) for Infants

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1	Massachusetts	\$12,100	\$28,125	43.0%	\$103,225	11.7%
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21	Oklahoma	\$5,750	\$19,457	29.6%	\$63,597	9.0%
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15	Florida	\$6,050	\$25,782	23.5%	\$72,396	8.4%
16	Iowa	\$6,250	\$23,173	27.0%	\$74,272	8.4%
17	California	\$6,600	\$28,179	23.4%	\$80,937	8.2%
18	New Hampshire	\$7,500	\$29,489	25.4%	\$91,696	8.2%
19	Idaho	\$5,050	\$22,265	22.7%	\$62,082	8.1%
20	Michigan	\$6,250	\$22,295	28.0%	\$78,068	8.0%
21	North Carolina	\$5,750	\$21,702	26.5%	\$71,714	8.0%
22	Illinois	\$6,600	\$25,239	26.2%	\$83,669	7.9%
23	North Dakota	\$5,750	\$21,524	26.7%	\$72,637	7.9%
24	Kentucky	\$5,200	\$18,692	27.8%	\$67,070	7.8%
25	Nebraska	\$5,650	\$22,217	25.4%	\$72,148	7.8%
26	Oklahoma	\$4,950	\$19,457	25.4%	\$63,597	7.8%
27	Texas	\$5,350	\$22,289	24.0%	\$68,795	7.8%
28	Minnesota	\$6,600	\$27,188	24.3%	\$86,687	7.6%

Rank	State	Annual Price- 4-year-old, FCC <sup>^</sup>	Single-Parent Family		Married-Couple Family	
			Median Income <sup>^^</sup>	% of Median Income	Median Income <sup>^^</sup>	% of Median Income
29	Ohio	\$5,800	\$21,538	26.9%	\$76,556	7.6%
30	Kansas	\$5,450	\$24,152	22.6%	\$73,495	7.4%
31	Oregon	\$5,400	\$23,093	23.4%	\$72,961	7.4%
32	Alaska	\$6,250	\$30,680	20.4%	\$86,538	7.2%
33	Utah	\$5,000	\$28,071	17.8%	\$69,897	7.2%
34	Pennsylvania	\$5,700	\$24,176	23.6%	\$80,403	7.1%
35	Delaware	\$6,150	\$29,430	20.9%	\$87,535	7.0%
36	Maryland	\$7,450	\$36,429	20.5%	\$105,736	7.0%
37	South Dakota	\$4,900	\$22,671	21.6%	\$69,705	7.0%
38	Alabama	\$4,750	\$18,540	25.6%	\$68,939	6.9%
39	Indiana	\$4,950	\$22,328	22.2%	\$72,850	6.8%
40	Arkansas	\$4,100	\$18,478	22.2%	\$61,111	6.7%
41	New Jersey	\$7,050	\$31,803	22.2%	\$105,336	6.7%
42	Georgia	\$5,000	\$24,023	20.8%	\$75,844	6.6%
43	Missouri	\$4,800	\$21,874	21.9%	\$72,740	6.6%
44	District of Columbia	\$8,050	\$26,244	30.7%	\$123,449	6.5%
45	Virginia	\$5,650	\$28,223	20.0%	\$90,318	6.3%
46	Tennessee	\$4,050	\$20,210	20.0%	\$67,952	6.0%
47	Louisiana	\$4,350	\$18,435	23.6%	\$73,489	5.9%
48	South Carolina	\$4,100	\$20,973	19.5%	\$70,721	5.8%
49	Mississippi	\$3,600	\$17,327	20.8%	\$63,822	5.6%
50	Maine	NR	\$21,760	NR	\$70,515	NR
51	Nevada	NR	\$30,042	NR	\$73,823	NR

<sup>^</sup> Source of Child Care Prices: Child Care Aware<sup>®</sup> of America's January 2011 survey of Child Care Resource and Referral State Networks. Some states used the latest state market rate survey.

<sup>^^</sup> Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 2009 5-Year Estimates, Table B19126, <https://data.census.gov/>

NR: Data not reported or not available for some categories of care.

Note: 1 = least affordable and 51 = most affordable. Rank is based on price of child care as percentage of state median income for married-couple families. Income is based on single-parent and married-couple families with own children under the age of 18.