Child Care Aware of America’s recent report Demanding Change: Repairing our Child Care System found that in 2020 in Minnesota:

In Minnesota, the median income for a single-parent family is $33,474, which means center-based child care for an infant would use 51% of family median income.

In Minnesota, the median income for a married couple is $114,765, which means center-based child care for an infant would use 15% of family median income.

### Annual Price

**Full-Time Center Based Child Care**

- **Infant Care**: $4,483 (lowest in nation)
- **4 Year Old Care**: $24,378 (highest in nation)

**Full-Time Family Child Care**

- **Infant Care**: $3,766 (lowest in nation)
- **4 Year Old Care**: $18,425 (highest in nation)

### Compared to Tuition and Housing

- **Infant Care**: 42.15% more than the average tuition and fees at an in-state, four-year public university.
- **Two Children in Center-Based Child Care**: 155.26% more than the average annualized rent cost and 57.84% more than the average annualized mortgage cost.

Source: Child Care Aware® of America’s Demanding Change: Repairing our Child Care System Report
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