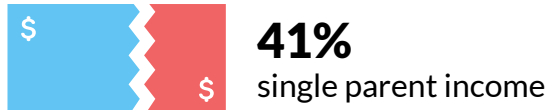


Child Care Affordability in NEBRASKA

Child Care Aware of America's recent report **Demanding Change: Repairing our Child Care System** found that in 2020 in Nebraska:

In Nebraska, the median income for a single-parent family is \$29,170, which means center-based child care for an infant would use **41%** of family median income.



In Nebraska, the median income for a married couple is \$96,217, which means center-based child care for an infant would use **12%** of family median income.



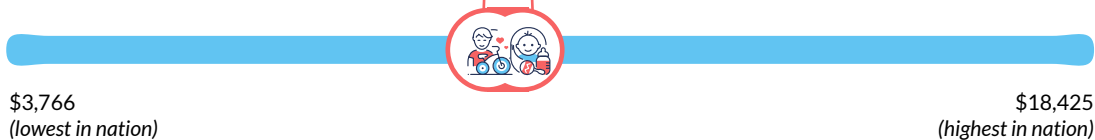
\$11,440
for 4-year-olds

\$11,960
for infants

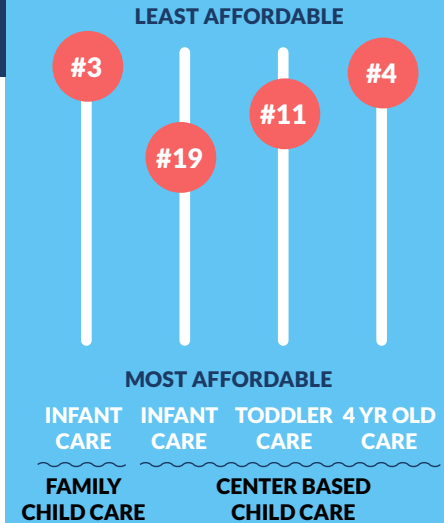


\$10,140
for 4-year-olds

\$10,660
for infants



When ranked among other states on the affordability of care:



Compared to tuition and housing...



In Nebraska, the average price of infant care in a center-based program is **31.72% more** than the average tuition and fees at an in-state, four-year public university.



In Nebraska, the average price for two children in center-based child care is **134.09% more** than the average annualized rent cost and **40.69% more** than the average annualized mortgage cost.