

# Lucas County - January 2010

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| Total County Population     | 9,276 |
| Children ages 0 through 5   | 678   |
| Children ages 6 through 9   | 433   |
| Children ages 10 through 12 | 375   |

Data source: Woods & Poole Population Estimates as of Dec 31, 2009.

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| Families with all parents working & children under age 6 | 61%       |
| Median Family Income                                     | \$ 38,352 |
| Average weekly income (Annual/52)                        | \$ 738    |

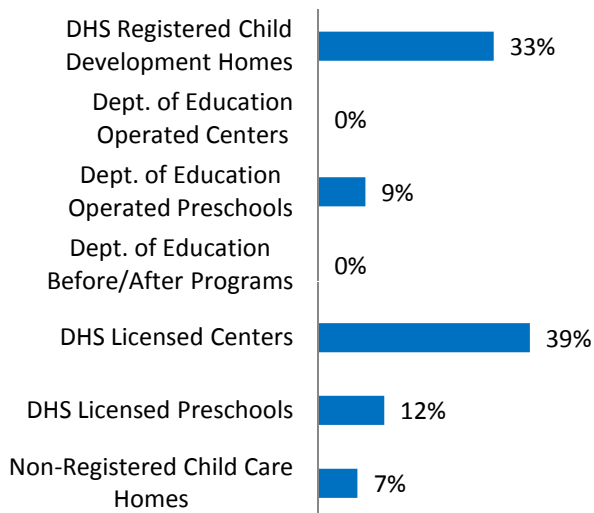
Data source: State Library of Iowa, www.iowadatabase.org.



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## Percent of Program Spaces



CCR&R may not have all DOE programs listed since they are not regulated by DHS.

## 344 Total # spaces LISTED with CCR&R

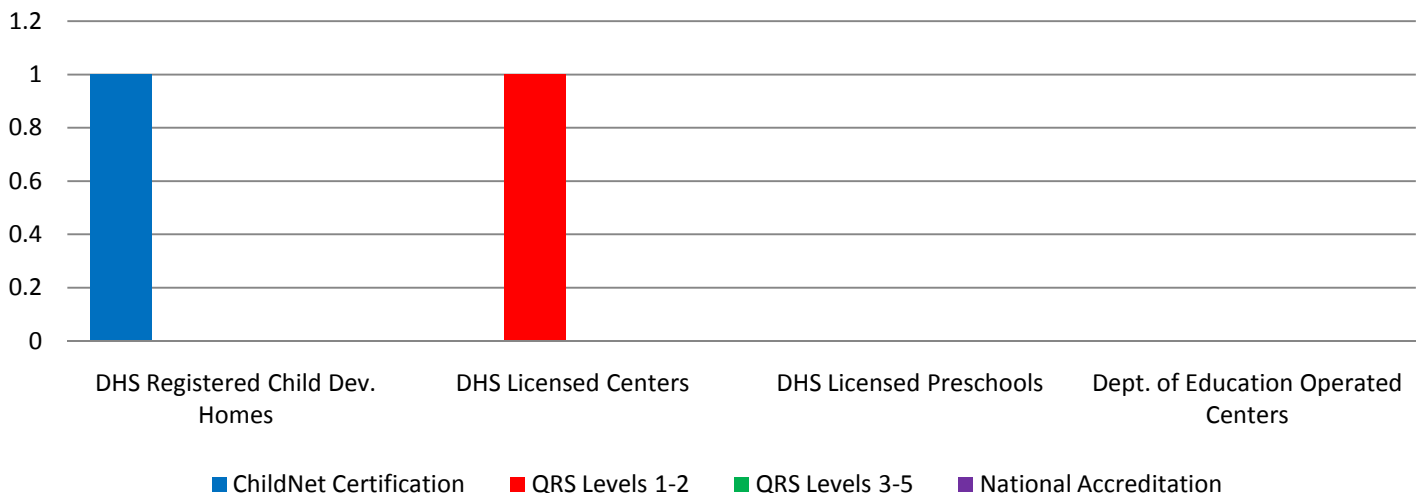
- 112 DHS Registered Child Development Homes
  - 0 Dept. of Education Operated Centers
  - 30 Dept. of Education Operated Preschools
  - 0 Dept. of Education Before/After Programs
- 135 DHS Licensed Centers
  - 42 DHS Licensed Preschools
  - 25 Non-Registered Child Care Homes

## 19 Total Child Care Programs LISTED with CCR&R

- 11 DHS Registered Child Development Homes
  - 0 Dept. of Education Operated Centers
  - 1 Dept. of Education Operated Preschools
  - 0 Dept. of Education Before/After Programs
- 1 DHS Licensed Centers
  - 1 DHS Licensed Preschools
- 5 Non-Registered Child Care Homes

\*School District Dept of Education programs are not licensed by DHS but meet Standards for Child Care adopted by the State Board of Education.

## Quality Programs for Providers



\* Programs may choose to participate in more than one quality measure. The number of QRS Providers changes monthly.

Go to <http://www.dhs.state.ia.us/iqrs/> for up-to-date information.

\*\*Centers, Preschools and Before/After school programs do not qualify for ChildNet Certification.

**For a family earning the median income of \$38,352 with an infant in child care they would pay:**

- 18% of their income before taxes, if their child was in a center
- 13% of their income before taxes, if their child was in a child care home

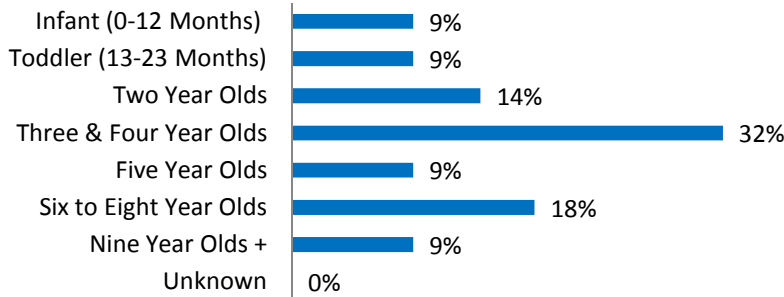
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**Out of 19 child care programs, 14 programs report they accept DHS Child Care Assistance funded children.**

| Child Care Rates<br>Per week           | Infant<br>(0-12<br>Months) | Toddler<br>(13-23<br>months) | Two Year<br>Olds | Three<br>Year Olds | Four &<br>Five Year<br>Olds | Before &<br>After School | Full Time School-age |
|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| DHS Registered Child Development Homes | \$96.04                    | \$92.29                      | \$88.33          | \$90.94            | \$93.15                     | \$49.55                  | \$112.50             |
| DHS Licensed Centers                   | \$130.00                   | \$103.00                     | \$103.00         | \$98.00            | \$93.00                     | \$48.00                  | \$93.00              |

\* Note provider may charge by the month, week, day or hour.

### Percent of Requests for Child Care by Age



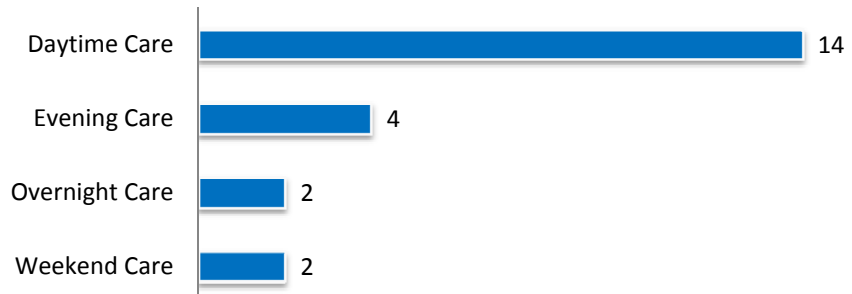
### Range of Preschool Tuition Rates per month by Age

|                | Lowest                         | Highest |
|----------------|--------------------------------|---------|
| Three Yr Olds  | \$62.00                        | \$62.00 |
| Four Yr Olds + | Preschool available at no cost |         |

\*Preschool classes range from 1-5 days a week.

**CCR&R referred 13 families with 22 children to child care providers.**

### Requests for Child Care by Type



\*Families may request more than one type of care for their child(ren).

Requests for Child Care data is from July 1 - December 31, 2009

Data provided by Southwest Iowa Child Care Resource & Referral using NACCRRAware as of January 1, 2010 unless otherwise noted.