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CHARTBOOK

Children's Participation in Child Care and Early Education in 2012 and 2019: Counts and Characteristics

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This chartbook presents nationally representative estimates of children’s participation in child care and early education (CCEE) using data from the 2012 and 2019 National Survey of Early Care and Education (NSECE). [Key Definitions](#) are found in the next section. This chartbook describes counts of children under 6 years participating in any CCEE and in each of five types of care, participation in CCEE for children under age 3 separately from children ages 3 through 5, and participation in CCEE for these two age groups of children with different child, household, and community characteristics. The chartbook also identifies statistically significant changes between 2012 and 2019 as well as statistically significant differences between demographic subgroups in 2019.

This chartbook features:

Overall CCEE Participation by Type of Care in 2012 and 2019 for Children under Age 3 and Children Ages 3 through 5

Participation by CCEE type of care, number and percentage of children in regular care, number and percentage of children under age 3 by type of care, number and percentage of children ages 3 through 5 by type of care

CCEE Participation by Type of Care in 2012 and 2019 by Child, Household, and Community Characteristics for Children under Age 3 and Children Ages 3 through 5

Summary of 2012 and 2019 differences across type of care, characteristics, and age of child under age 3 or ages 3 through 5

Characteristics included: child race/ethnicity, household income, number of resident parents, parental work status, community poverty density, community urbanicity

Chartbook Structure:

The *Participation in Child Care and Early Education in 2012 and 2019: Counts and Characteristics* chartbook contains estimates from the 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Surveys. There is one appendix, which contains detailed tables with point estimates and standard errors for each exhibit in the chartbook. The tables are numbered to align with their corresponding chart exhibits.

About the data for this chartbook. This chartbook draws from data collected in the 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Surveys. The household interview respondent was a parent or guardian of a child or children under age 13 in households with at least one member child under age 13. This chartbook focuses on children age under 60 months as of the September prior to the interview being conducted (i.e., September 1, 2011, for the 2012 NSECE and September 1, 2018, for the 2019 NSECE) but under 72 months at the time of the interview. For this chartbook, 2012 tabulations use data from 8,943 children. 2019 tabulations use data from 7,269 children.

About the NSECE. The National Survey of Early Care and Education (NSECE) is a set of four integrated, nationally representative surveys conducted in 2012 and 2019. These were surveys of 1) households with children under 13, 2) home-based providers of CCEE, 3) center-based providers of CCEE, and 4) the center-based provider workforce. Together, they characterize the supply of and demand for early care and education in America in 2012 and 2019 and permit better understanding of how well families' needs and preferences coordinated with providers' offerings and constraints. The 2019 NSECE largely replicated the design of the 2012 NSECE; both are cross-sectional surveys with no intentional overlap in sampled households or providers. The study was funded by the Office of Planning, Research, and Evaluation (OPRE) in the Administration for Children and Families (ACF), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Key Definitions

Age

Age at interview. Age at interview reflects a child’s age at the time of the NSECE household interview. Interviews were conducted during the first 6 months of each interview year (2012 and 2019). Children in this analysis were under age 60 months in the September prior to the interview (2011 and 2018, respectively).

Under age 3. Children less than age 36 months at interview date.

Ages 3 through 5. Children at least age 36 months and less than age 72 months (under age 6) at interview date.

Type of Care

Exhibit 1A lists five types of non-parental care that are reported in this chartbook. The household interview respondent reported a variety of characteristics of each non-parental care provider caring for each child in the household. These reports then informed type of care classifications.

Exhibit 1A. Types of Care: Non-parental

Type of Care	Definition
Center-based Child Care and Early Education	Includes all Head Starts, Public Pre-Ks, community-based child care, or any other care provided in a non-residential setting that is not drop-in, single activity, or before/after school care and occurs at least 5 hours weekly.
Individual, Paid, No prior Relationship	An individual with whom the respondent had no prior personal relationship, receives payment for caring for the child and cares for the child at least 5 hours weekly.
Individual, Paid, Prior Relationship	An individual with whom the respondent had a prior personal relationship, receives payment for caring for the child and cares for the child at least 5 hours weekly.
Individual, Unpaid	An individual who does not receive payment for caring for the child but provides care at least 5 hours weekly. The individual may or may not have a prior personal relationship with the respondent, although in almost all cases there was such a prior relationship.
Other Organizational Child Care and Early and Education	This type of care includes any regular organizational care that occurs at least 5 hours weekly but is not included in center-based CCEE above, including drop-in, single-activity, and before/after school wrap-around care. For example, children in a preschool located in a private or public elementary school may participate in the school’s before/after care program outside of the preschool’s scheduled hours of activity.

Regular CCEE

Non-parental care that occurs at least 5 hours weekly. A child participating in any of the five types of care listed in Exhibit 1A above is in regular CCEE. Children in regular CCEE may participate in more than one type of regular care arrangement, or even have more than one arrangement in the same type of care (for example, two providers of individual unpaid care).

Child, Household, and Community Characteristics

Child race/ethnicity. Household survey respondents reported race and ethnicity for each child under age 13 in the household and had the option to select multiple races and/or report Hispanic or Latino/a status separately. In this chartbook we report 4 categories: 1) Hispanic, 2) non-Hispanic White, 3) non-Hispanic Black, 4) Other Race/Ethnicity. The category Other Race/Ethnicity includes Asians, Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders, and American Indian/ Alaska Natives who are also non-Hispanic, as well as children of multiple races or children for whom no race was reported.

Household income. Household income was calculated as the ratio of a household's prior year (2011 or 2018) reported income to the prior year federal poverty threshold defined for that household's size and age composition. In this chartbook, the ratio is reported in 100 percent categories, such as less than 100 percent of the federal poverty level, or 300 percent or higher than the federal poverty level.

Number of resident parents. Number of household members who were biological or adoptive parents of any child under age 13 in the child's household at the time of the interview. Some parents in some households are not the parents of all children under age 13 in the household (for example, multi-family households).

Parental work status. Indicates whether all, some, or no parents in the household had work, school or training activities in the week prior to taking the survey. Non-working parents were those that had no work-related activities in the reference week. They were generally not employed or in the labor force, but some could have been on leave from a job, searching for a job, or disabled during that week. Students and trainees were counted as having work-related activities and therefore 'working' in the reference week. The indicator is undefined for households with zero parents or more than two parents in the household. Only two-parent households can have 'some' parents working.

Community poverty density. Low poverty density communities have less than 13.9% of their population in poverty; moderate density indicates poverty rates between 13.9 and 20%; and communities with more than 20% of residents in poverty are designated as high poverty density. A community is a cluster of neighboring census tracts. Populations in poverty are adjusted for proximity to the geographic center of the

community and for census tract population under age 18. Data come from the American Community Survey.^{1 2}

Community urbanicity. We designate high-density urban communities as those that have 85% or more of the total population urban, moderate-density urban areas have at least 30% and up to 85% of the total population urban, and rural communities have less than 30% of the total population urban.³ A community is a cluster of neighboring census tracts. Urban population counts are adjusted for proximity to the geographic center of the community and for census tract population under age 18. Data come from the American Community Survey¹.

¹ For more information on community characteristics please see the Household User's Guide for 2012 <https://www.childandfamilydataarchive.org/cfda/archives/cfda/studies/37941/datadocumentation#>

² These cut-offs were decided upon for the 2012 NSECE to represent a range of poverty contexts. The same cut-offs were used in the 2012 and 2019 data.

³ These cut-offs were developed for the 2012 NSECE to capture the distinction between places that are almost entirely urban (high urban density), almost entirely non-urban (rural) and places in between (moderate urban density). The same cut-offs were used in the 2012 and 2019 data.

Main Findings

Overall CCEE Participation by Type of Care in 2012 and 2019 for Children under Age 3 and Children Ages 3 through 5

The first section of this chartbook describes CCEE participation of children under age 3 and ages 3 through 5. CCEE participation includes using any regular CCEE and using each of five types of care. We also note any statistically significant differences between 2012 and 2019. Selected findings include:

- In 2019, there were 11.3 million children under age 3, of whom 5.5 million participated in a regular CCEE arrangement. Thus, 48.5% of children under 3 spent at least 5 hours weekly in non-parental care ([Exhibit 1](#) and [Exhibit 3](#)).
- In 2019, there were 10.8 million children ages 3 through 5, of whom 7.4 million participated in a regular CCEE arrangement. Thus, 68.1% of children ages 3 through 5 spent at least 5 hours weekly in non-parental care ([Exhibit 1](#) and [Exhibit 5](#)).
- In 2019, children under age 3 in regular care participated most often (26.5%) in individual unpaid care. By contrast, children ages 3 through 5 in regular care participated most often (42.1%) in center-based care ([Exhibit 3](#) and [Exhibit 5](#)).
- From 2012 to 2019, there was no change in the type of care that children participated in most often whether they were under age 3 (individual unpaid care) or ages 3 through 5 (center-based care) ([Exhibit 3](#) and [Exhibit 5](#)).
- From 2012 to 2019, fewer children under age 3 participated in individual paid care, with or without a prior relationship between the provider and the child's family. However, taking into account the total numbers of children in each year, the *percentage* of children under age 3 participating in individual paid care was not statistically different in the two years ([Exhibit 2](#) and [Exhibit 3](#)).
- For both age groups under age 3 and ages 3 through 5, the number and percentage of children participating in other organizational care increased from 2012 to 2019. These are regular care arrangements in non-residential settings that are drop-in, single activity, before/after school programs or otherwise not classified as center-based CCEE. ([Exhibit 2](#), [Exhibit 3](#), [Exhibit 4](#), and [Exhibit 5](#)).

CCEE Participation by Type of Care in 2012 and 2019 by Child, Household, and Community Characteristics for Children under Age 3 and Children Ages 3 through 5

The second section of this chartbook examines percentages of children with different demographic characteristics participating in any regular CCEE and the five types of regular CCEE. Across six examined demographic characteristics (child race/ethnicity, household income, number of resident parents, parental work status, community poverty density, community urbanicity), there were relatively few statistically significant differences in the percentages of children in different demographic subcategories that participated in each type of care in 2012 and 2019. Selected findings include:

- Significant differences from 2012 to 2019 ([Table 1](#)):
 - Many subcategories of children under age 3 had lower participation in 2019 than in 2012 in individual paid care where there was no prior relationship between the child’s family and the provider.
 - These subcategories included households with two parents, households in which all resident parents were working, households in high poverty density communities, and rural households.
 - Most subcategories of children ages 3 through 5 had higher participation in 2019 than in 2012 in other organizational CCEE.
 - These subcategories included Hispanic children, children in households below 200% FPL, households with two parents, households where no or some (but not all) parents were working, households in moderate poverty density communities, and households in all levels of urbanicity.
 - Children under age 3 living in high poverty density communities also had higher participation in 2019 than in 2012 in other organizational CCEE.
 - Children living in high poverty density communities (whether under age 3 or ages 3 through 5) had lower participation in 2019 than in 2012 in individual paid care (regardless of prior relationship).
 - Among children ages 3 through 5, participation in any regular CCEE decreased from 2012 to 2019 in high poverty density communities but increased in moderate poverty density communities. These were the only demographic subcategories that showed differences in participation in any regular CCEE from 2012 to 2019.
 - Among children ages 3 through 5 living with one parent, participation in paid care with an individual who had a prior relationship decreased from 2012 to 2019, while participation in unpaid individual care increased from 2012 to 2019.

- In 2019, there were consistent differences in participation in any regular CCEE by child race/ethnicity, household income, parental work status, and community poverty density. No statistically significant differences emerged based on number of resident parents or community urbanicity.
 - By child race/ethnicity, non-Hispanic Black children under age 3 were more likely to be in any regular CCEE than non-Hispanic White children ([Exhibit 6](#)). Hispanic children ages 3 through 5 were less likely to be in any regular CCEE than non-Hispanic White children ([Exhibit 12](#)).
 - Across household incomes, children in households with income at or above 300% of FPL were more likely to be in any regular CCEE than children in households with lower incomes. This was true for children under age 3 ([Exhibit 7](#)) and ages 3 through 5 ([Exhibit 13](#)).
 - Children in households with all parents working in the prior week were more likely to be in any regular CCEE than children in households with no or some parents working in the prior week. This was true for children under age 3 ([Exhibit 9](#)) and ages 3 through 5 ([Exhibit 15](#)).
 - Across community poverty densities, there were not statistically significant differences in participation in any regular CCEE among children under age 3 between children in low poverty density communities and children in moderate or high poverty density communities ([Exhibit 10](#)). Children ages 3 through 5 in high poverty density communities were less likely to participate in any regular CCEE than children in low poverty density ([Exhibit 16](#)).

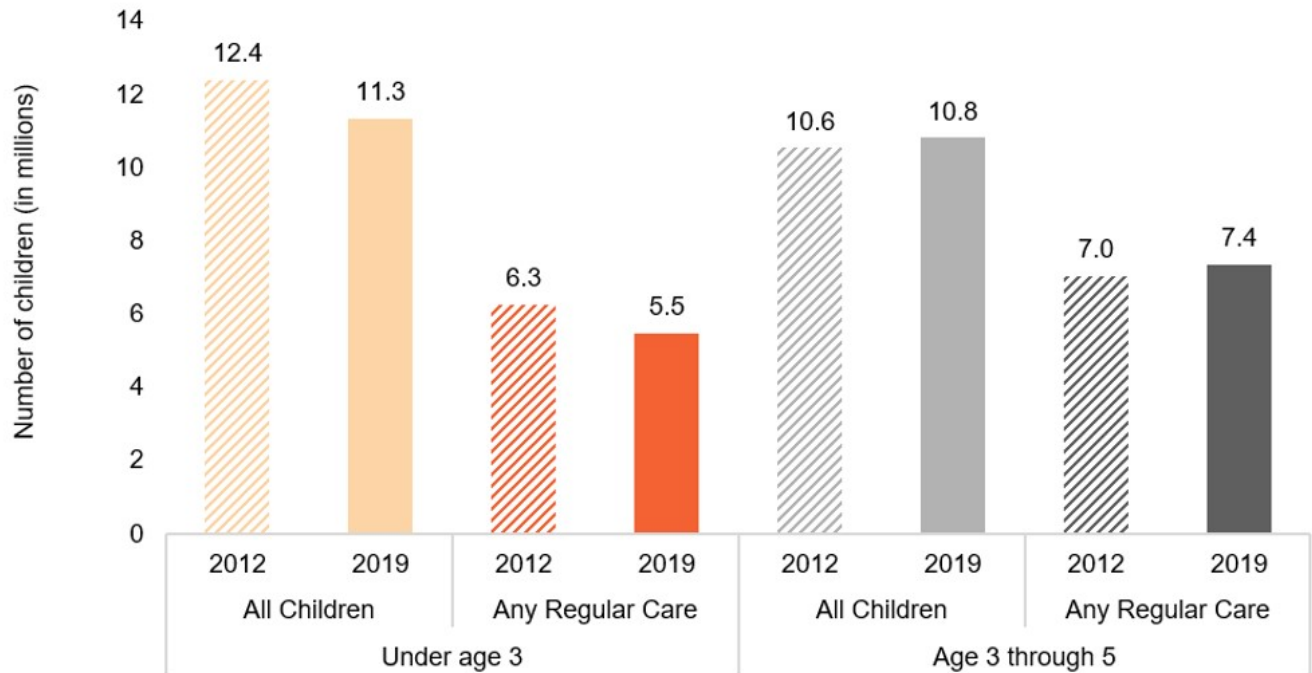
Overall CCEE Participation by Type of Care in 2012 and 2019 for Children under Age 3 and Children Ages 3 through 5

The exhibits in this section describe numbers and percentages of children under age 3 and ages 3 through 5 participating in CCEE in the years 2012 and 2019. Each exhibit indicates results of statistical significance testing between 2012 and 2019.

In the text above each exhibit, we state at least one 2019 estimate that can be found in the exhibit to aid in interpretation of the exhibits. Then we state any significant differences between 2012 and 2019 estimates where they exist.

In 2019, there were 11.3 million children under age 3, and among them 5.5 million were in any regular care. The number of children in any regular care in 2019 did not change significantly from 2012 for all children, children under age 3, or children ages 3 through 5.

Exhibit 1. Number of Children in Any Regular Care by Age Group, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE. No significant differences found.

Note: Non-parental care that occurs at least 5 hours weekly is considered 'regular care'.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household survey, children not yet 5 as of prior September 1.

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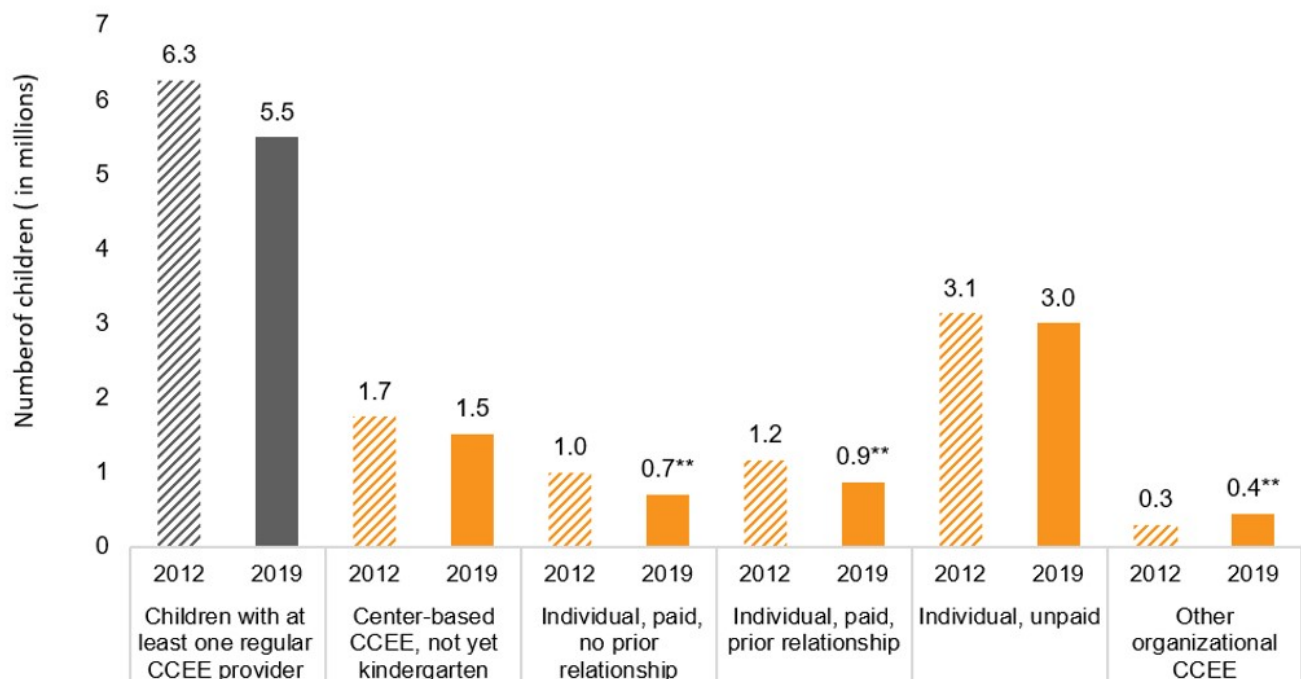
<https://www.acf.hhs.gov/opre/project/national-survey-early-care-and-education-2019-2017-2022>.

(See Appendix Tables 1a-1b)

In 2019, there were 5.5 million children under age 3 who participated in regular CCEE. Among these, 3.0 million participated in individual unpaid care.

The number of children under age 3 who used individual paid care with no prior relationship with the provider decreased from 1.0 million in 2012 to 0.7 million in 2019. Similarly, the number of children in individual paid care that had a prior relationship with the provider decreased from 1.2 million in 2012 to 0.9 million in 2019. By contrast, the number of children who used other organizational CCEE increased from 0.3 million in 2012 to 0.4 million children in 2019.

Exhibit 2. Number of Children Under Age 3 by Type of Care, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Type of care is a derived construct using a variety of data were used to classify each arrangement into a type of care. These include information from the respondent about whether the care occurs at least 5 hours weekly, personal relationship with the provider prior to the establishment of an CCEE arrangement, child’s age and whether or not the care was drop-in, single activity, or for regular elementary or middle schooling.

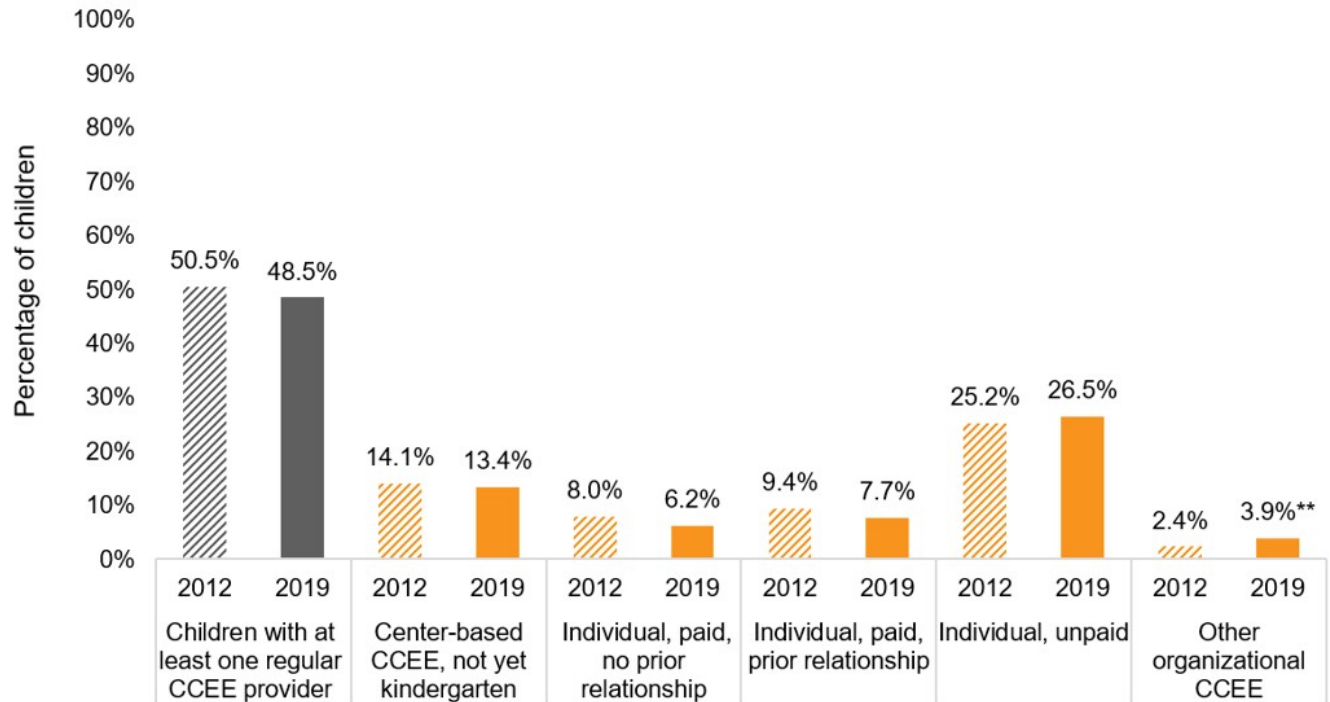
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In 2019, 26.5% of children under age 3 participated in individual unpaid care while 13.4% participated in center-based CCEE.

The percent of children who used other organizational CCEE increased from 2.4% in 2012 to 3.9% in 2019.

Exhibit 3. Percent of Children Under Age 3 by Type of Care, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Type of care is a derived construct using a variety of data were used to classify each arrangement into a type of care. These include information from the respondent about whether the care occurs at least 5 hours weekly, personal relationship with the provider prior to the establishment of an CCEE arrangement, child’s age and whether or not the care was drop-in, single activity, or for regular elementary or middle schooling.

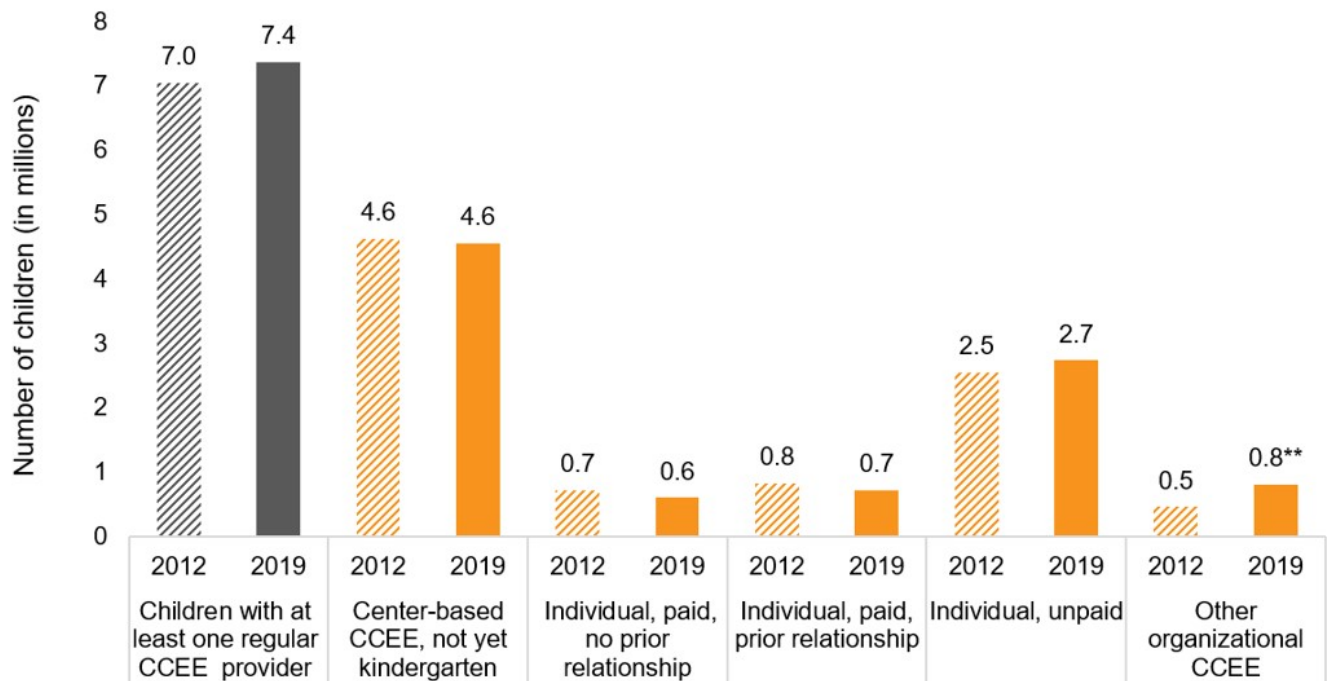
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In 2019, 4.6 million children ages 3 through 5 used center-based CCEE while 2.7 million used individual unpaid care.

The number of children ages 3 through 5 who used other organizational CCEE increased from 0.5 million children in 2012 to 0.8 million children in 2019.

Exhibit 4. Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 by Type of Care, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Type of care is a derived construct using a variety of data were used to classify each arrangement into a type of care. These include information from the respondent about whether the care occurs at least 5 hours weekly, personal relationship with the provider prior to the establishment of an CCEE arrangement, child’s age and whether or not the care was drop-in, single activity, or for regular elementary or middle schooling.

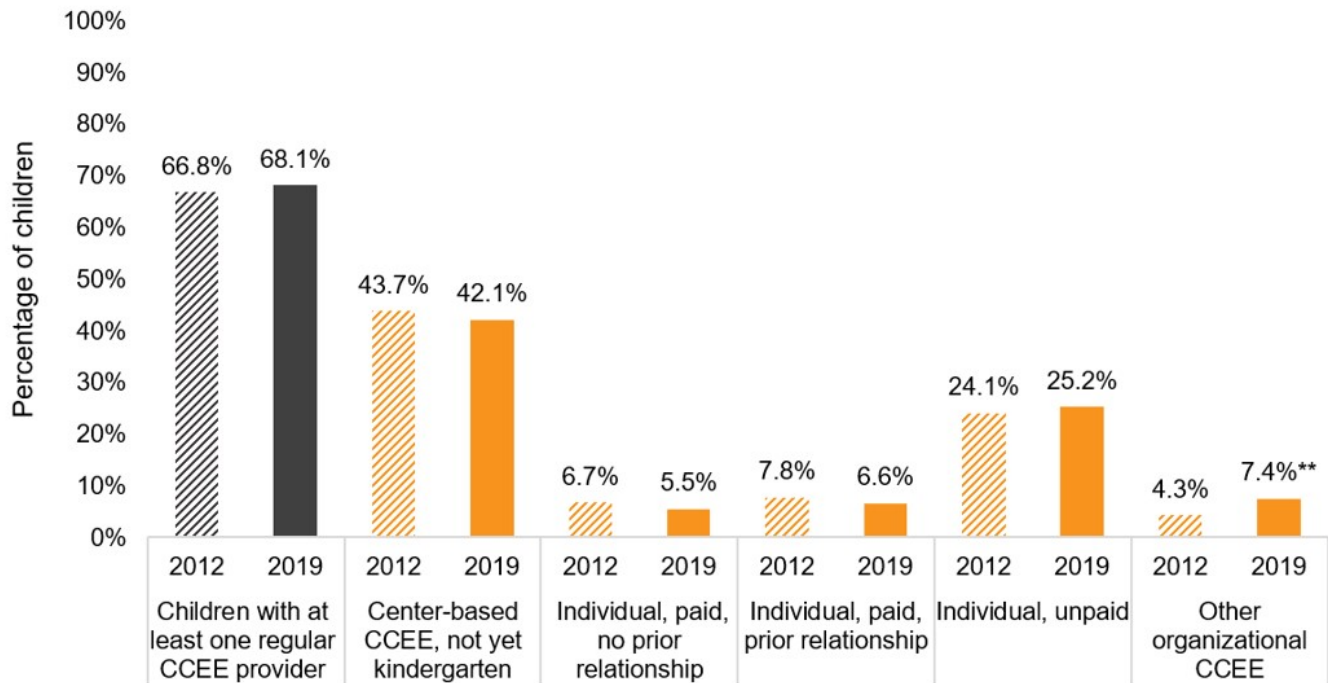
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(See Appendix Tables 4/5a-4/5b)

In 2019, 42.1% of children ages 3 through 5 used center-based CCEE while 25.2% used individual unpaid care.

The percent of children ages 3 through 5 who used other organizational CCEE increased from 4.3% in 2012 to 7.4% in 2019.

Exhibit 5. Percent of Children Ages 3 through 5 by Type of Care, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Type of care is a derived construct using a variety of data were used to classify each arrangement into a type of care. These include information from the respondent about whether the care occurs at least 5 hours weekly, personal relationship with the provider prior to the establishment of an CCEE arrangement, child’s age and whether or not the care was drop-in, single activity, or for regular elementary or middle schooling.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household survey, children not yet 5 as of prior September 1.

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CCEE Participation by Type of Care in 2012 and 2019 by Child, Household, and Community Characteristics for Children under Age 3 and Children Ages 3 through 5

This section of the chartbook describes overall CCEE participation by child age and year and child, household, and community characteristics. The first table provides a summary of significant differences between 2012 and 2019 in the percentage of different demographic groups who participated in a particular type of care. The exhibits in the following sections describe these changes in more detail for children under age 3 and children ages 3 through 5. Characteristics explored are child race/ethnicity, household income, number of resident parents, parental work status, community poverty density, community urbanicity. The largest group of each characteristic was used as the reference group, with the remaining categories compared against the reference group.

The table on the next page indicates statistically significant differences between 2012 and 2019 in the percentage of children in different demographic groups who participated in a particular type of care. Blank cells indicate no significant difference between 2012 and 2019 data, orange cells indicate a significant change from 2012 to 2019, and arrows pointing up or down indicate an increase or decrease, respectively, from 2012 to 2019.

We find statistically significant differences in use of any regular care from 2012 to 2019 for only two groups: an increase for children ages 3 through 5 in moderate poverty density communities, and a decrease for children ages 3 through 5 in high poverty density communities.

In general, there were relatively few statistically significant differences in subcategories' participation in CCEE from 2012 to 2019. However, children under age 3 in six subcategories decreased their participation in individual paid CCEE with no prior relationship from 2012 to 2019. These six subcategories were quite varied, including children living with two parents, in rural areas, or in communities of high poverty. In addition, both children under age 3 and children ages 3 through 5 living in high poverty communities decreased their participation in individual paid CCEE, with or without a prior relationship, from 2012 to 2019.

By contrast, children ages 3 through 5 across eleven subcategories increased their participation in other organizational CCEE from 2012 to 2019. This type of regular care includes drop-in care, single activity programs, and before- and after-school care that takes place at least 5 hours weekly.

Table 1. Summary of Statistically Significant Differences Between 2012 and 2019 by Type of Care

Significance Testing		Children with at least one regular CCEE provider		Individual, paid, no prior relationship		Individual, paid, prior relationship		Individual, unpaid		Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten		Other organizational CCEE	
		<3	3-5	<3	3-5	<3	3-5	<3	3-5	<3	3-5	<3	3-5
Race/ethnicity	Hispanic												↑
	Non-Hispanic Black												
	Non-Hispanic White												
	Other Race/Ethnicity			↓									↑
Household Income	< 100% FPL				↓								↑
	100-199% FPL									↓	↑		↑
	200-299% FPL			↓									
	> 300% FPL												
Household Structure	One parent						↓		↑				
	Two parents			↓									↑
	Other												
Parental Employment	No Parents Working						↓						↑
	Some Parents Working												↑
	All Parents Working			↓								↑	
Community Poverty Density	High Poverty Density		↓	↓	↓	↓	↓					↑	
	Moderate Poverty Density		↑										↑
	Low Poverty Density												
Community Urbanicity	Rural			↓									↑
	Moderate Urban												↑
	High Urban												↑

Note: Blank cells indicate no significant difference between 2012 and 2019 data, orange cells indicate a significant change from 2012 to 2019, and arrows pointing up or down indicate an increase or decrease, respectively, from 2012 to 2019.

Children under age 3 CCEE Participation by Type of Care in 2012 and 2019 by Child, Household, and Community Characteristics

The exhibits in this section describe differences in the percentages of children who participate in CCEE across child and household characteristics for children under age 3 in the years 2012 and 2019. The characteristics include child's race/ethnicity, household income, number of resident parents, parental work status, community poverty density, and community urbanicity. Each exhibit indicates results of statistical significance testing between 2012 and 2019, which are also summarized in Table 1.

The text above each exhibit reports any statistically significant difference in the 2019 use of any regular CCEE between the largest category of characteristic and all remaining categories (e.g., non-Hispanic White children's use of regular CCEE in comparison to Hispanic children, Black non-Hispanic children, and children of Other Race/Ethnicities).

The largest categories for each characteristic are listed below:

Child's Race/Ethnicity: Non-Hispanic White

Household Income: At least 300% of Federal Poverty Level

Number of Resident Parents: Two Parents

Parental Work Status: All Parents Working

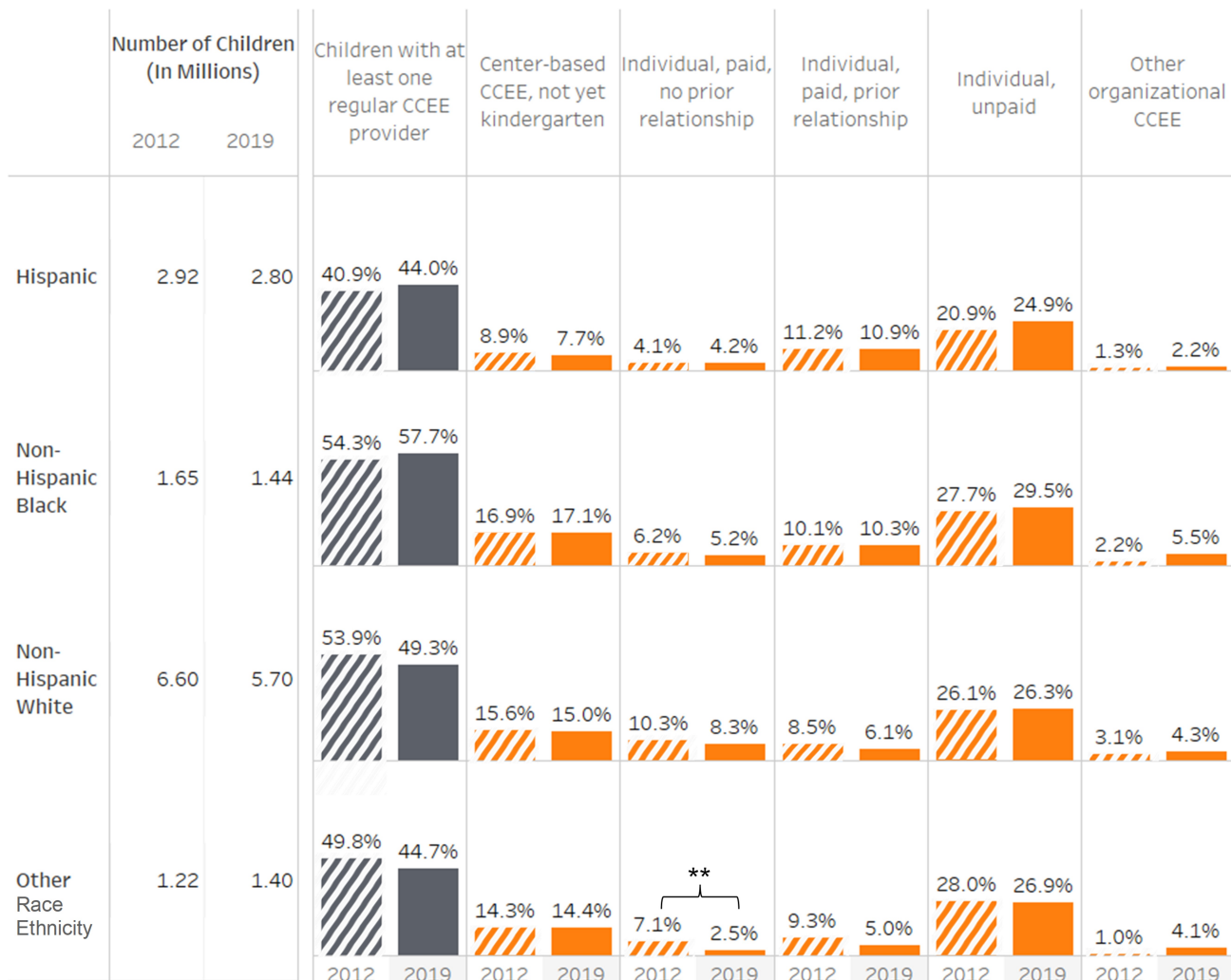
Community Poverty Density: Low Poverty Density

Community Urbanicity: High Urban Density

Because the text above each exhibit reports only statistically significant differences in use of any regular CCEE between children in different 2019 categories, and the exhibits depict statistically significant differences between each 2019 estimate and the corresponding 2012 estimate, readers may find notable patterns in the exhibits that are not discussed in the text. Some of these are discussed in the [Findings](#) section at the start of the document.

In 2019, among children under age 3, a greater percentage of non-Hispanic Black children (57.7%) used at least one regular CCEE provider than non-Hispanic White children (49.3%). There was no difference between participation in regular CCEE between Hispanic children or non-Hispanic children of another race and non-Hispanic White children.

Exhibit 6. Type of Care for Children Under Age 3 by Child Race/Ethnicity, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

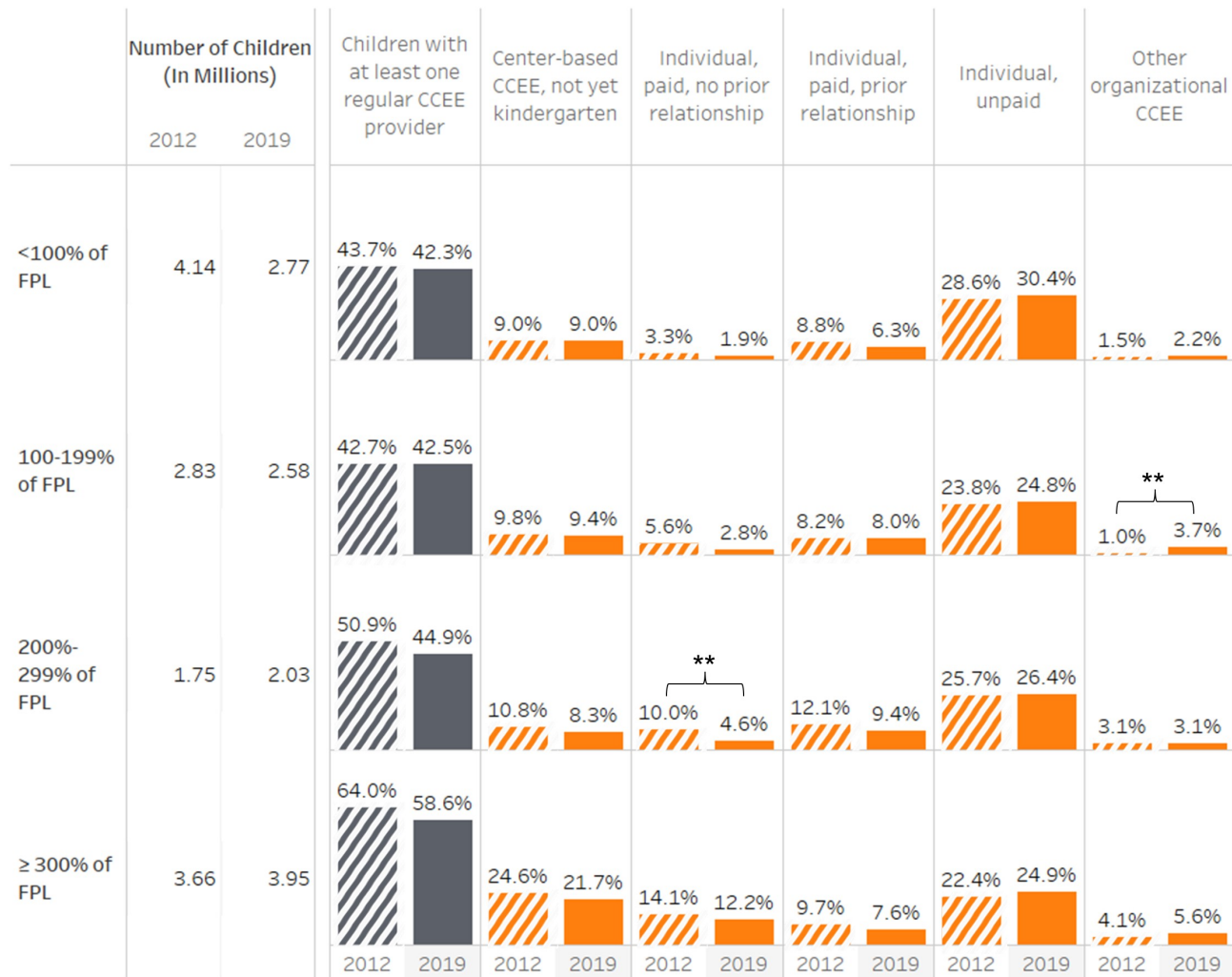
Note: Child’s race and ethnicity as reported by the respondent in two separate questions on race and Hispanic/Latino ethnicity. “Other Race Ethnicity” includes children reported as having multiple races or another race, as well as children whose race or ethnicity was not reported.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household survey, children not yet 5 as of prior September 1.

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In 2019, among children under age 3, a higher percentage of children in households with income above 300% of the federal poverty level (FPL) participated in regular CCEE (58.6%) than children in households with income less than 100% of the FPL (42.3%), children in households with income between 100% and 199% of the FPL (42.5%), and children in households with income between 200% and 299% of the FPL (44.9%).

Exhibit 7. Type of Care for Children Under Age 3 by Household Income, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Household income is calculated as the ratio of the household’s reported prior year income (2018 or 2011) to the prior year federal poverty threshold defined for that household’s size and age composition.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household survey, children not yet 5 as of prior September 1.

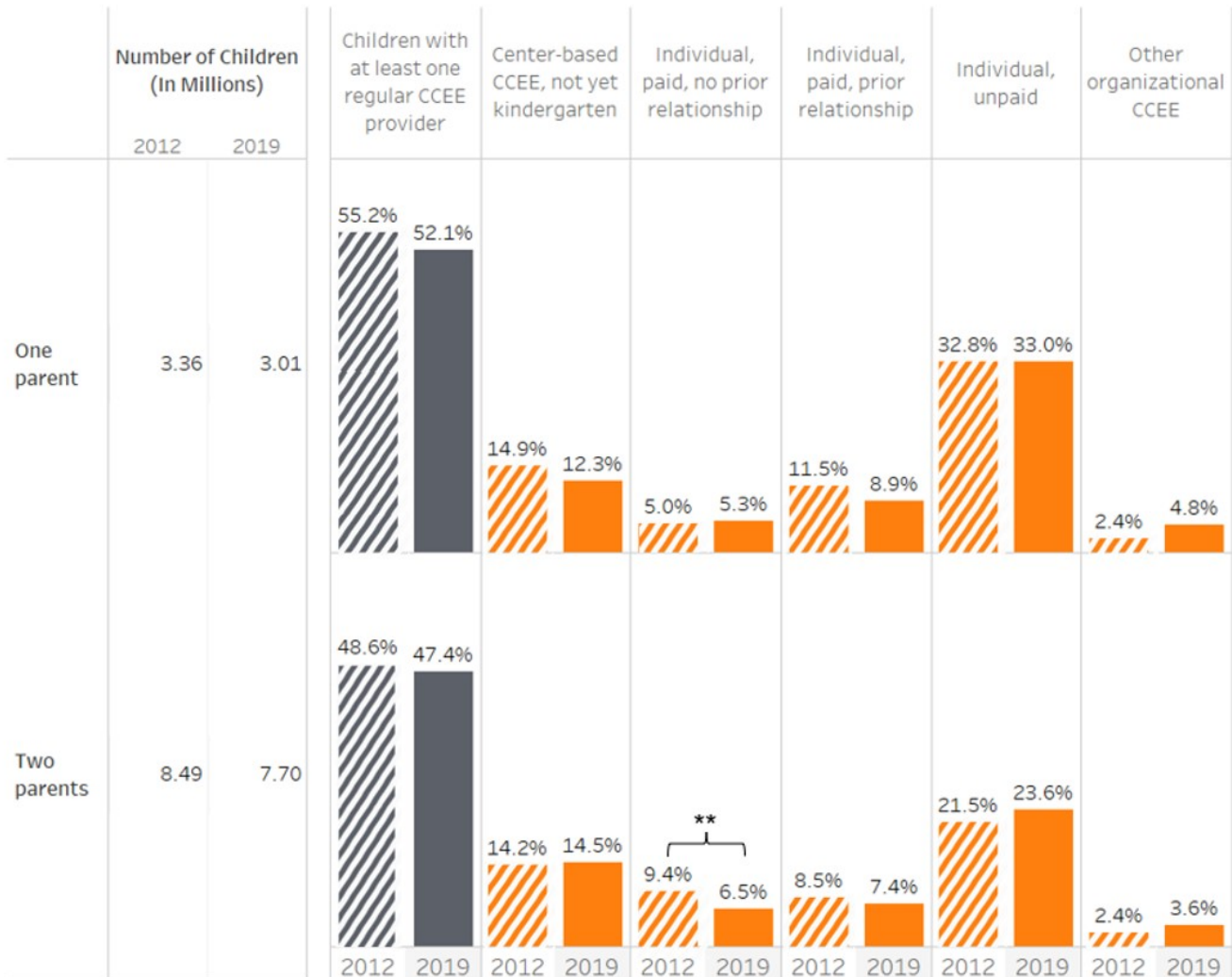
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(See Appendix Tables 7a-7b)

In 2019, there was no statistically significant difference in the percentage of children under age 3 who participated in any regular CCEE whether the household had one resident parent or two.

Exhibit 8. Type of Care for Children Under Age 3 by Number of Resident Parents in Household, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Number of household members who are parents of any child under age 13 in the child’s household.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household survey, children not yet 5 as of prior September 1.

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In 2019, among children under age 3 in households with all parents working, a higher percentage (76.8%) used any regular CCEE, compared to children living in households with no parents working (27.8%) or children living in households with some parents working (21.7%).

Exhibit 9. Type of Care for Children Under Age 3 by Parental Work Status, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

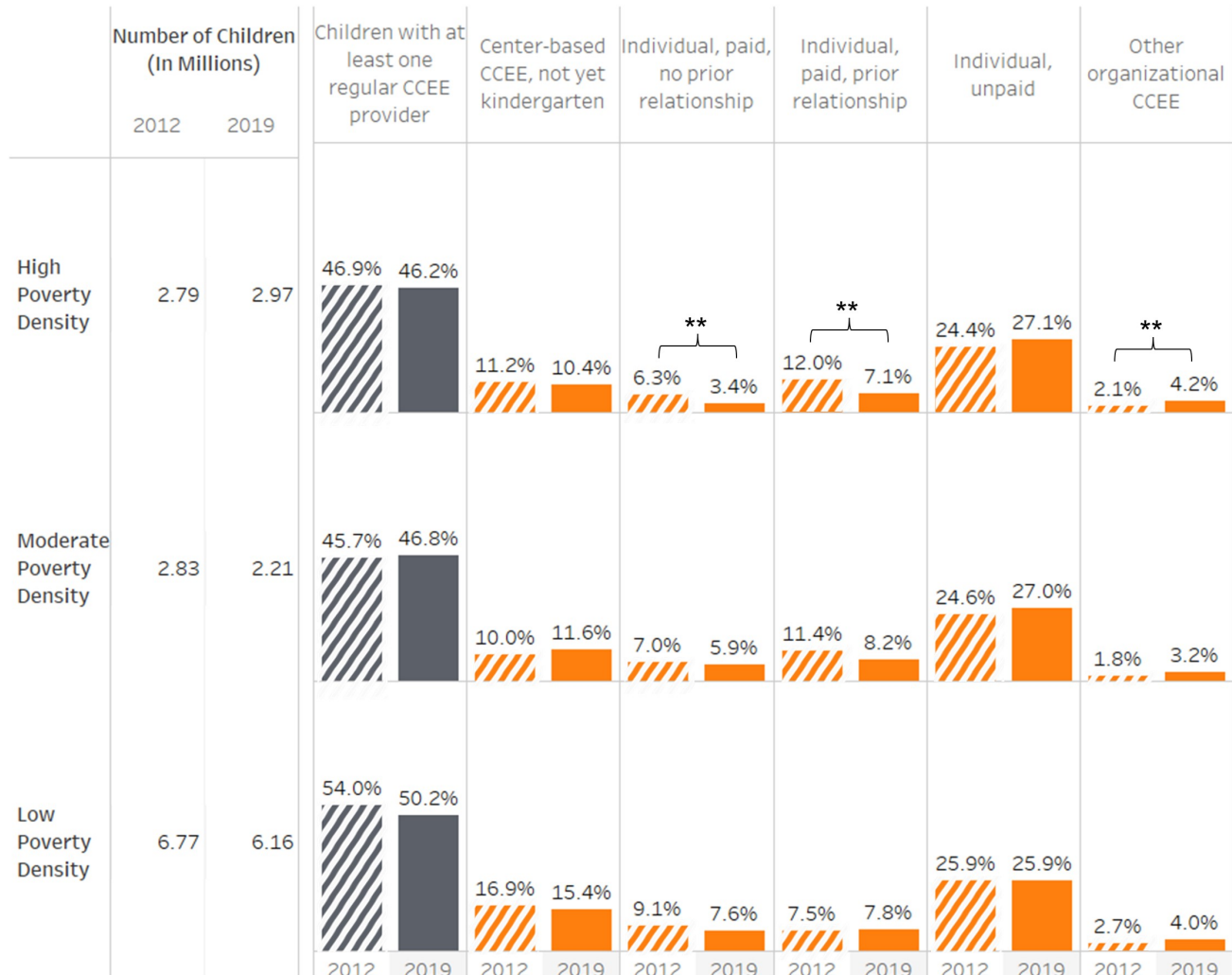
Note: Portion of parents in the household who reported any work, school, and training hours in the prior week. “All parents working” can describe a working parent in a one-parent household or two working parents in a two-parent household. Variable is undefined for households with zero parents or more than two parents.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household survey, children not yet 5 as of prior September 1.

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In 2019, there were no statistically significant differences in the percentage of children under age 3 who participated in regular CCEE in low poverty density communities (50.2%) compared to high poverty density (46.2%) or moderate poverty density communities (46.8%).

Exhibit 10. Type of Care for Children Under Age 3 by Community Poverty Density, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Proportion of the population in a cluster of census tracts around the household with incomes below the Federal Poverty Level: low poverty density (< 13.9%); moderate poverty density (13.9 through 20%); high poverty density (>20%).

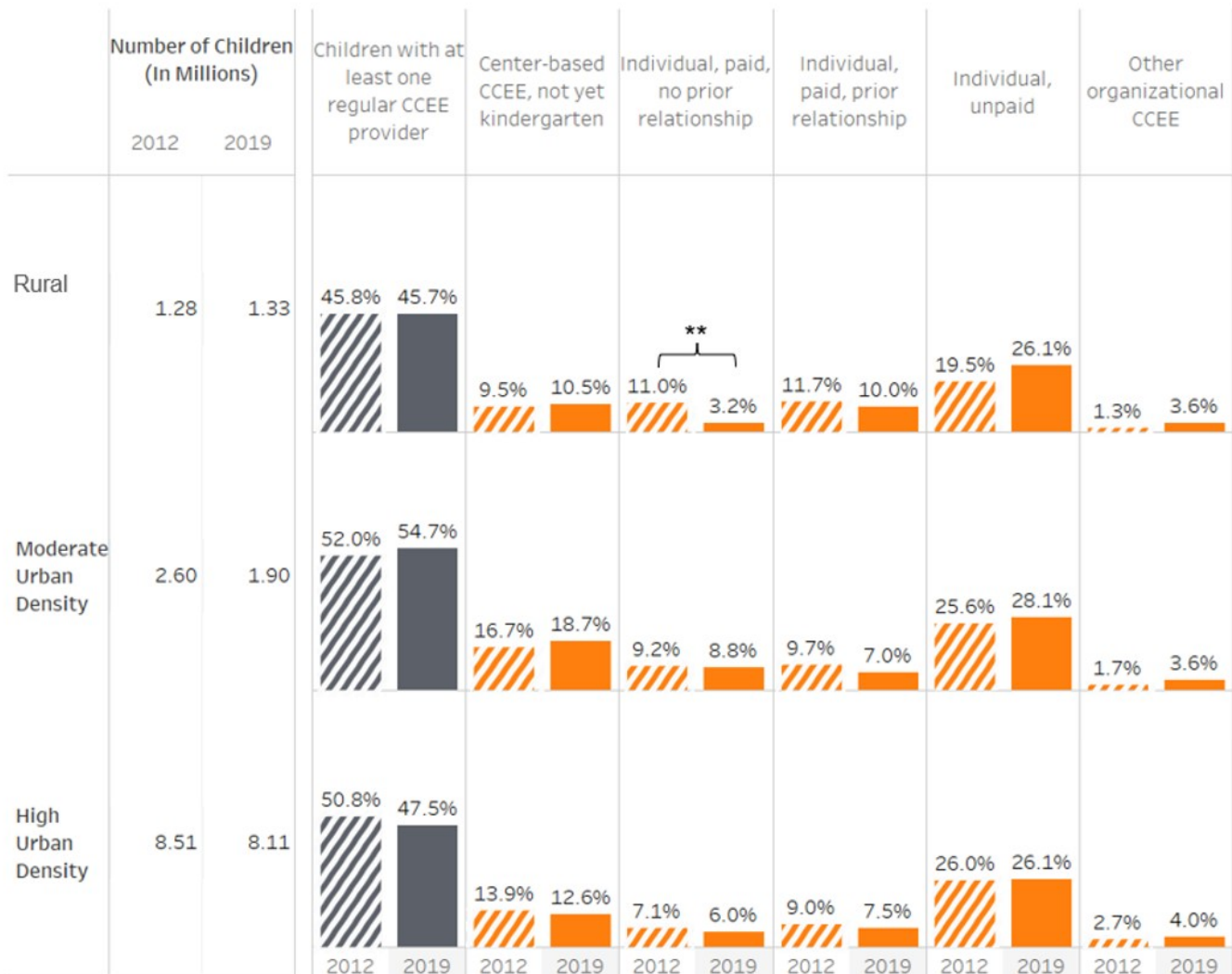
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(See Appendix Tables 10a-10b)

In 2019, there were no statistically significant differences in the percentage of children under age 3 who used any regular CCEE in high urban density communities (47.5%) compared with rural (45.7%) or moderate urban density (54.7%) communities.

Exhibit 11. Type of Care for Children Under Age 3 by Community Urbanicity, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Proportion of the population in a cluster of census tracts around the household that is in an urban area: rural (< 30%); moderate-density urban (30 through 85%); high-density urban (> 85%).

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household survey, children not yet 5 as of prior September 1.

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Children Ages 3 through 5 CCEE Participation by Type of Care in 2012 and 2019 by Child, Household, and Community Characteristics

The exhibits in this section describe differences in the percentages of children who participate in CCEE across child and household characteristics for children ages 3 through 5 in the years 2012 and 2019. The characteristics include child's race/ethnicity, household income, number of resident parents, parental work status, community poverty density, and community urbanicity. Each exhibit indicates results of statistical significance testing between 2012 and 2019, which are also summarized in Table 1.

The text above each exhibit reports any statistically significant difference in the 2019 use of any regular CCEE between the largest category of characteristic and all remaining categories (e.g., non-Hispanic White children's use of regular CCEE in comparison to Hispanic children, Black non-Hispanic children, and children of Other Race/Ethnicities).

The largest categories for each characteristic are listed below:

Child's Race/Ethnicity: Non-Hispanic White

Household Income: At least 300% of Federal Poverty Level

Number of Resident Parents: Two Parents

Parental Work Status: All Parents Working

Community Poverty Density: Low Poverty Density

Community Urbanicity: High Urban Density

Because the text above each exhibit reports only statistically significant differences in use of any regular CCEE between children in different 2019 categories, and the exhibits depict statistically significant differences between each 2019 estimate and the corresponding 2012 estimate, readers may find notable patterns in the exhibits that are not discussed in the text. Some of these are discussed in the [Findings](#) section at the start of the document.

In 2019, among children ages 3 through 5, a lower percentage of Hispanic children used any regular CCEE (60.1%) than non-Hispanic White children (70.9%).

Exhibit 12. Type of Care for Children Ages 3 through 5 by Child Race/Ethnicity, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Child’s race and ethnicity as reported by the respondent in two separate questions on race and Hispanic/Latino ethnicity. “Other Race Ethnicity” includes children reported as having multiple races or another race, as well as children whose race or ethnicity was not reported.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household survey, children not yet 5 as of prior September 1.

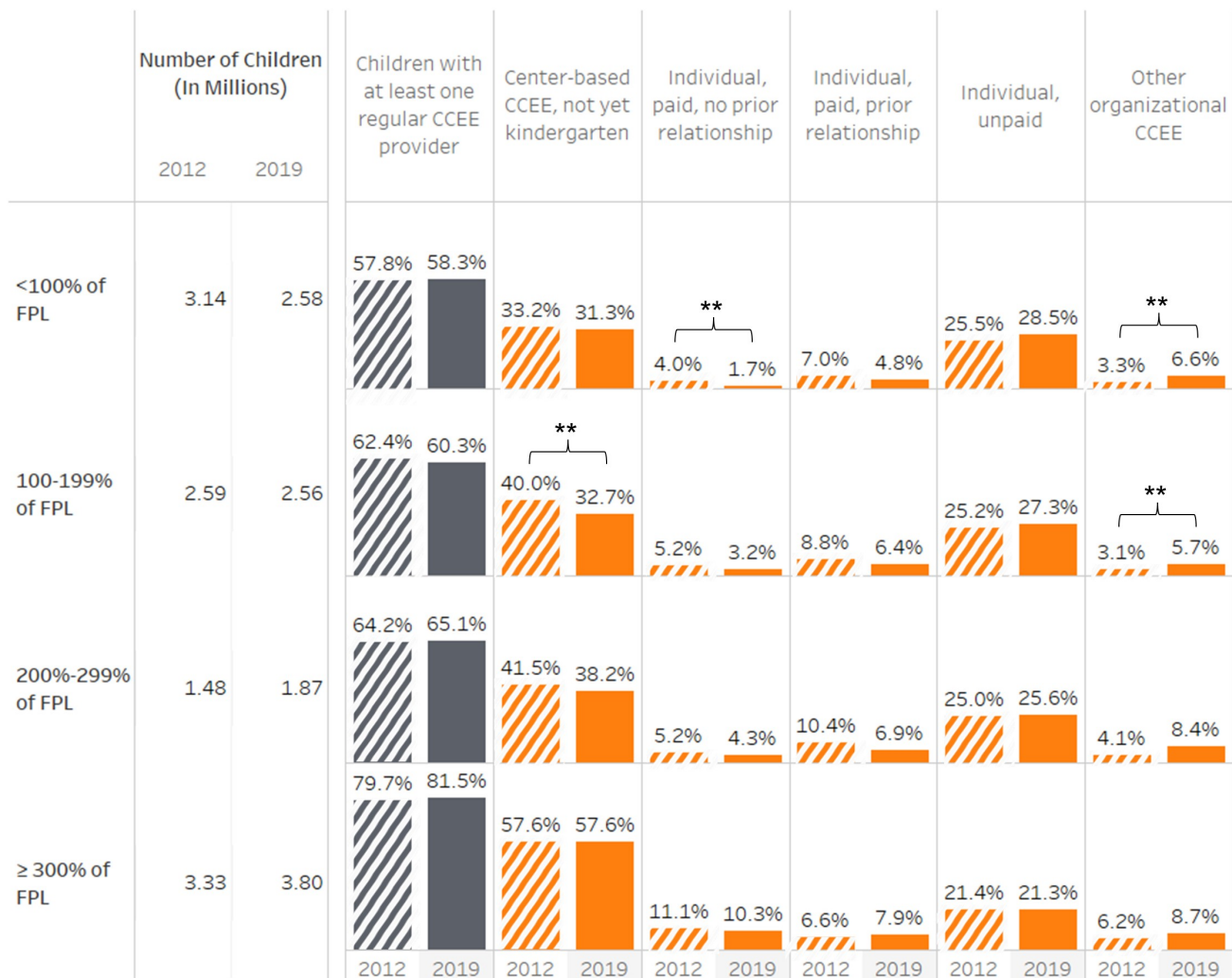
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[\(See Appendix Tables 12a-12b\)](#)

In 2019, among children ages 3 through 5, the percentage who used any regular CCEE was higher for children in households with income above 300% of the FPL (81.5%) than children in households with income less than 100% of the FPL (58.3%), children in households with income between 100% and 199% of the FPL (60.3%), and children in households with income between 200% and 299% of the FPL (65.1%).

Exhibit 13. Type of Care for Children Ages 3 through 5 by Household Income, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Ratio of the household’s prior year income (2018 or 2011) to the prior year federal poverty threshold defined for that household’s size and age composition.

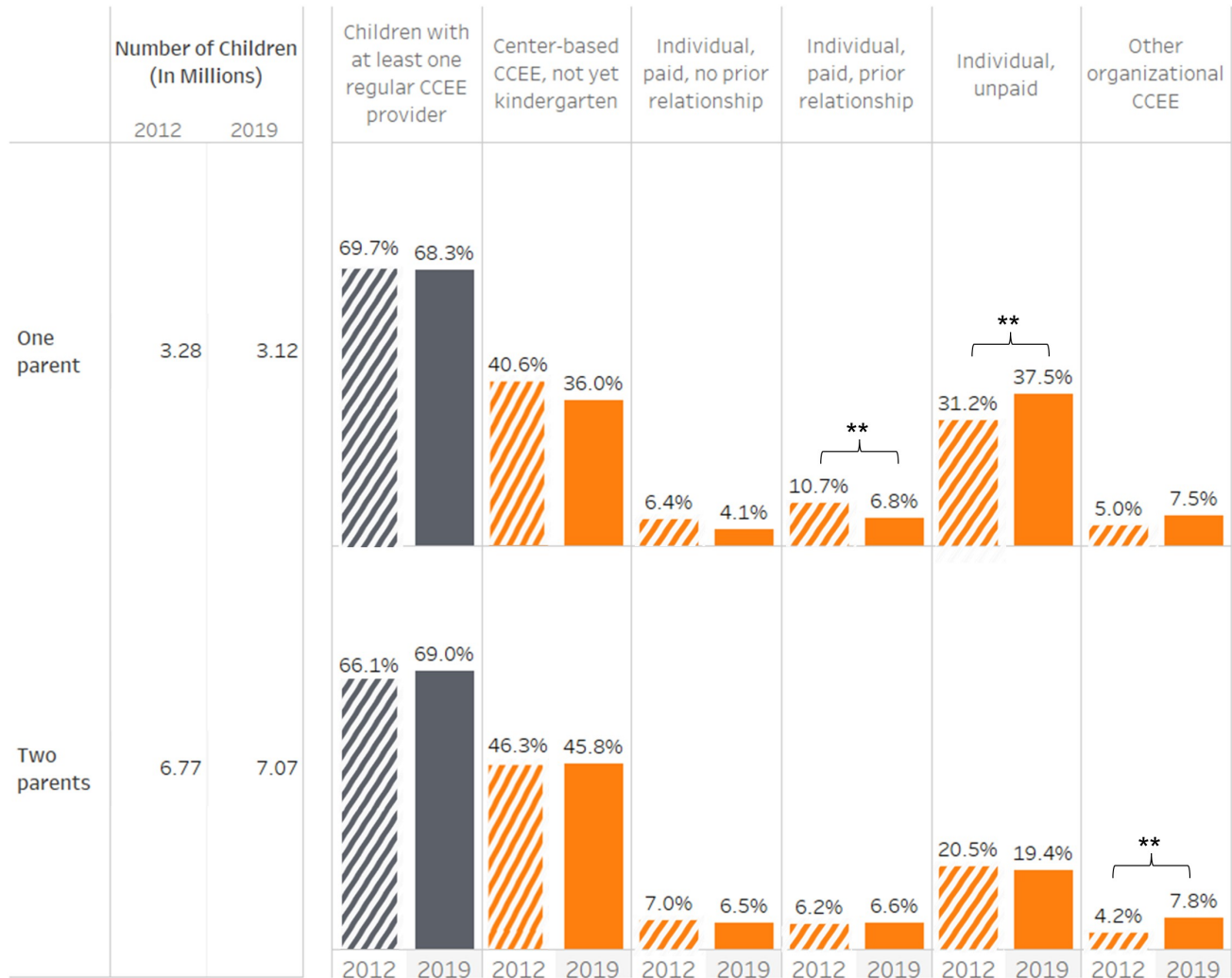
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(See Appendix Tables 13a-13b)

In 2019, there was no statistically significant difference between the percentage of children ages 3 through 5 who used any regular CCEE in households with one parent versus two parents.

Exhibit 14. Type of Care for Children Ages 3 through 5 by Household Number of Resident Parents, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Number of household members who are parents of any child under age 13 in the child’s household.

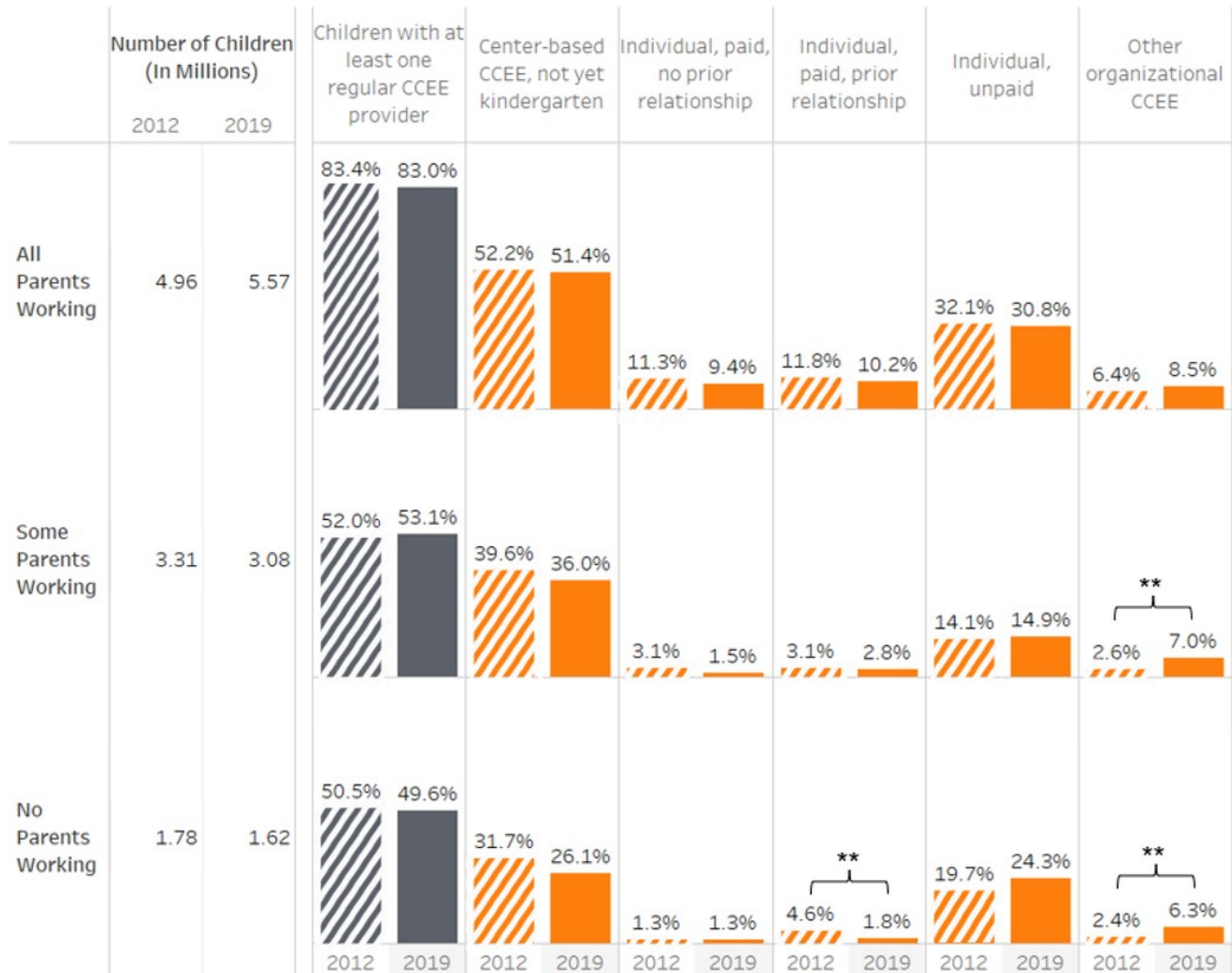
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(See Appendix Tables 14a-14b)

In 2019, among children ages 3 through 5 living in households with all parents working, a higher percentage participated in regular CCEE (83.0%) compared to children living in households with some parents working (53.1%) or children living in households with no parents working (49.6%).

Exhibit 15. Type of Care for Children Ages 3 through 5 by Parental Work Status, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Portion of parents in the household who reported any work, school, and training hours in the prior week. “All parents working” can describe a working parent in a one-parent household or two working parents in a two-parent household. Variable is undefined for households with zero parents or more than two parents.

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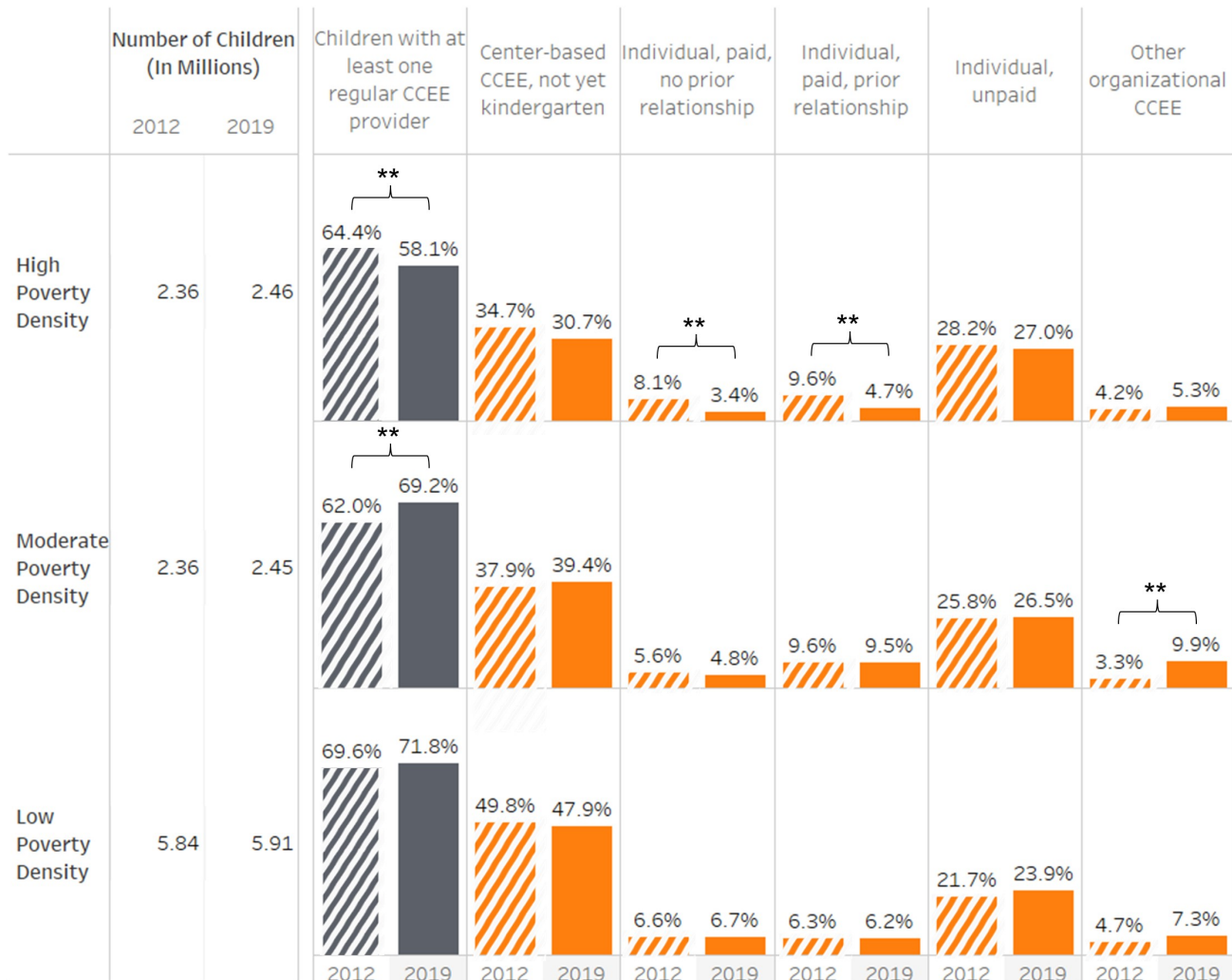
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(See Appendix Tables 15a-15b)

In 2019, among children ages 3 through 5 living in households in low poverty density, a higher percentage participated in regular CCEE (71.8%) compared to children living in households in high poverty density communities (58.1%).

Exhibit 16. Type of Care for Children Ages 3 through 5 by Community Poverty Density, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Proportion of the population in a cluster of census tracts around the household with incomes below the Federal Poverty Level: low poverty density (< 13.9%); moderate poverty density (13.9 through 20%); high poverty density (>20%).

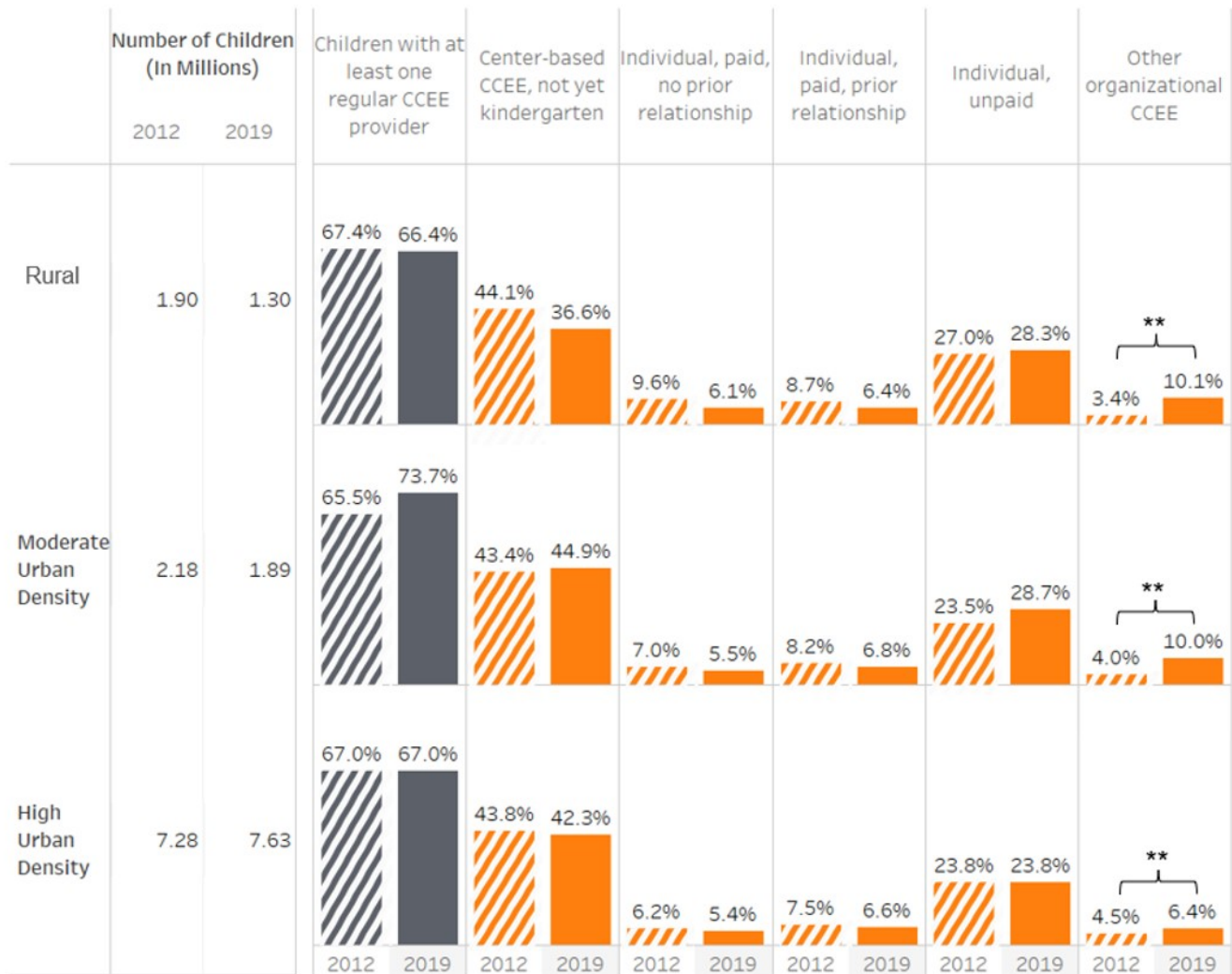
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(See Appendix Tables 16a-16b)

In 2019, there was no statistically significant difference between the percentage of children ages 3 through 5 who used any regular CCEE and lived in households in rural, moderate urban density, or high urban density communities.

Exhibit 17. Type of Care for Children Ages 3 through 5 by Community Urbanicity, by Year



Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Note: Proportion of the population in a cluster of census tracts around the household that is in an urban area: rural (< 30%); moderate-density urban (30 through 85%); high-density urban (> 85%).

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household survey, children not yet 5 as of prior September 1.

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▶ **NSECE Resources**

<https://www.childandfamilydataarchive.org/cfda/archives/CFDA/studies/37941>

▶ **Questionnaires**

2012

<https://www.acf.hhs.gov/opre/report/household-questionnaire-revised>

2019

<https://www.acf.hhs.gov/opre/report/national-survey-early-care-and-education-2019-household-questionnaire>

▶ **2012/2019 NSECE Quick Tabulation Data File and Documentation for Household**

<https://www.childandfamilydataarchive.org/cfda/archives/CFDA/studies/37941>

2019 NSECE Public Use User's Guide for Household

<https://www.childandfamilydataarchive.org/cfda/archives/CFDA/studies/37941/datadocumentation>

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Appendix I. Detailed Tables

Table 1a. Percent and Number of Children in Any Regular Care by Age Group, 2012

	Children Under Age 3				Children Ages 3 through 5			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of %
All Children	12,400,000	436,000	100.0%	0.00%	10,600,000	340,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	6,260,000	281,000	50.5%	1.25%	7,040,000	256,000	66.8%	1.23%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 1b. Percent and Number of Children in Any Regular Care by Age Group, 2019

	Children Under Age 3				Children Ages 3 through 5			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of %
All Children	11,300,000	505,000	100.0%	0.00%	10,800,000	474,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	5,500,000	279,000	48.5%	1.44%	7,370,000	362,000	68.1%	1.30%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 2/3a. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 by Type of Care (TOC), 2012

	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	12,400,000	436,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	6,260,000	281,000	50.5%	1.25%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):				
1. Individual, paid, no prior relationship	988,000**	96,900	8.0%	0.69%
2. Individual, paid, prior relationship	1,170,000**	98,400	9.4%	0.71%
3. Individual, unpaid	3,130,000	169,000	25.2%	1.11%
4. Center-based CCEE	1,740,000	147,000	14.1%	1.01%
5. Other organizational CCEE	294,000**	48,600	2.4%**	0.39%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 2/3b. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 by Type of Care, 2019

	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	11,300,000	505,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	5,500,000	279,000	48.5%	1.44%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):				
1. Individual, paid, no prior relationship	700,000**	87,200	6.2%	0.72%
2. Individual, paid, prior relationship	870,000**	84,600	7.7%	0.67%
3. Individual, unpaid	3,000,000	187,000	26.5%	1.24%
4. Center-based CCEE	1,510,000	139,000	13.4%	1.03%
5. Other organizational CCEE	442,000**	56,300	3.9%**	0.49%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 4/5a. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 by Type of Care, 2012

	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	10,600,000	340,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	7,040,000	256,000	66.8%	1.23%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):				
1. Individual, paid, no prior relationship	709,000	64,100	6.7%	0.58%
2. Individual, paid, prior relationship	821,000	69,700	7.8%	0.62%
3. Individual, unpaid	2,540,000	132,000	24.1%	1.09%
4. Center-based CCEE	4,620,000	202,000	43.7%	1.33%
5. Other organizational CCEE	451,000**	57,800	4.3%**	0.51%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 4/5b. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 by Type of Care, 2019

	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	10,800,000	474,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	7,370,000	362,000	68.1%	1.30%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):				
1. Individual, paid, no prior relationship	596,000	75,600	5.5%	0.66%
2. Individual, paid, prior relationship	716,000	79,900	6.6%	0.64%
3. Individual, unpaid	2,730,000	169,000	25.2%	1.20%
4. Center-based CCEE	4,550,000	264,000	42.1%	1.45%
5. Other organizational CCEE	806,000**	87,900	7.4%**	0.71%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 6a. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 by Race/Ethnicity by Type of Care, 2012

	White				Black				Hispanic				Other Race/Ethnicity			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	6,600,000	321,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,650,000	136,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,920,000	176,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,220,000	116,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	3,560,000**	212,000	53.9%	1.77%	894,000	94,300	54.3%	2.95%	1,200,000	93,500	40.9%	1.76%	610,000	75,000	49.8%	3.88%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	678,000	82,800	10.3%	1.10%	103,000	28,800	6.2%	1.62%	121,000	20,400	4.1%	0.68%	86,400	26,000	7.1%**	2.04%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	560,000**	74,200	8.5%	1.03%	167,000	36,900	10.1%	2.03%	327,000	50,100	11.2%	1.47%	113,000	24,400	9.3%	2.00%
Individual, unpaid	1,720,000	133,000	26.1%	1.62%	456,000	53,900	27.7%	2.87%	611,000	60,800	20.9%	1.64%	342,000	56,900	28.0%	3.93%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	1,030,000	116,000	15.6%	1.50%	278,000	54,600	16.9%	2.72%	261,000	37,700	8.9%	1.21%	176,000	43,900	14.3%	3.19%
Other organizational CCEE	207,000	43,800	3.1%	0.65%	36,300	12,000	2.2%	0.71%	38,100	12,900	1.3%	0.44%	11,700	6,080	1.0%	0.50%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 6b. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Race/Ethnicity by Type of Care, 2019

	White				Black				Hispanic				Other Race/Ethnicity			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	5,700,000	361,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,440,000	146,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,800,000	190,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,400,000	141,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	2,810,000**	212,000	49.3%	2.06%	828,000	93,400	57.7%	2.97%	1,230,000	106,000	44.0%	2.48%	626,000	74,300	44.7%	3.87%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	475,000	75,500	8.3%	1.18%	74,400	25,800	5.2%	1.67%	116,000	26,600	4.2%	0.93%	34,900	13,000	2.5%**	0.94%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	348,000**	53,000	6.1%	0.86%	148,000	36,400	10.3%	2.19%	304,000	48,900	10.9%	1.47%	70,200	21,300	5.0%	1.53%
Individual, unpaid	1,500,000	141,000	26.3%	1.84%	423,000	56,100	29.5%	2.73%	697,000	75,000	24.9%	2.20%	378,000	58,600	26.9%	3.17%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	853,000	110,000	15.0%	1.57%	245,000	42,000	17.1%	2.35%	215,000	35,600	7.7%	1.18%	202,000	37,900	14.4%	2.52%
Other organizational CCEE	243,000	40,900	4.3%	0.70%	79,200	24,800	5.5%	1.63%	61,200	17,000	2.2%	0.61%	58,200	27,200	4.1%	1.91%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 7a. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Household Income by Type of Care, 2012

	Less than 100 % of the federal poverty level				100 to 199 % of the federal poverty level				200 to 299 % of the federal poverty level				300 % and higher of the federal poverty level			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	4,140,000**	198,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,830,000	169,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,750,000	120,000	100.0%	0.00%	3,660,000	256,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	1,810,000**	127,000	43.7%	1.90%	1,210,000	98,400	42.7%	2.49%	891,000	84,700	50.9%	3.53%	2,340,000	185,000	64.0%	2.22%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	138,000**	25,700	3.3%	0.61%	158,000	32,500**	5.6%	1.10%	174,000	37,400	10.0%**	2.01%	518,000	72,400	14.1%	1.73%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	365,000**	46,700	8.8%	1.01%	233,000	39,400	8.2%	1.30%	212,000	48,100	12.1%	2.56%	356,000	59,700	9.7%	1.58%
Individual, unpaid	1,180,000**	97,500	28.6%	1.81%	675,000	76,400	23.8%	2.21%	450,000	58,000	25.7%	2.95%	820,000	89,400	22.4%	2.14%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	375,000	61,900	9.0%	1.38%	278,000	44,000	9.8%	1.55%	189,000	33,500	10.8%	1.83%	901,000	109,000	24.6%	2.12%
Other organizational CCEE	62,000	17,400	1.5%	0.42%	27,400	9,180**	1.0%**	0.32%	53,900	21,700	3.1%	1.22%	150,000	35,000	4.1%	0.90%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 7b. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Household Income by Type of Care, 2019

	Less than 100 % of the federal poverty level				100 to 199 % of the federal poverty level				200 to 299 % of the federal poverty level				300 % and higher of the federal poverty level			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	2,770,000**	180,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,580,000	185,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,030,000	162,000	100.0%	0.00%	3,950,000	282,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	1,180,000**	100,000	42.3%	2.27%	1,100,000	114,000	42.5%	3.31%	913,000	95,700	44.9%	3.41%	2,310,000	181,000	58.6%	2.36%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	52,600**	16,700	1.9%	0.59%	72,000	22,400	2.8%	0.87%	94,300	22,500	4.6%**	1.08%	481,000	77,400	12.2%	1.70%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	175,000**	30,700	6.3%	1.02%	206,000	32,500	8.0%	1.16%	190,000	42,100	9.4%	1.96%	299,000	51,900	7.6%	1.29%
Individual, unpaid	843,000**	83,500	30.4%	2.13%	640,000	93,600	24.8%	3.02%	536,000	67,800	26.4%	2.59%	981,000	105,000	24.9%	2.05%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	250,000	39,200	9.0%	1.30%	242,000	45,400	9.4%	1.68%	168,000	43,100	8.3%	1.99%	855,000	108,000	21.7%	2.11%
Other organizational CCEE	61,900	15,500	2.2%	0.55%	94,300	22,900	3.7%**	0.88%	63,000	17,800	3.1%	0.89%	223,000	45,700	5.6%	1.11%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 8a. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Household Resident Parents by Type of Care, 2012

	One parent				Two parents				More than two parents or unknown			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	3,370,000	185,000	100.0%	0.00%	8,490,000	370,000	100.0%	0.00%	533,000	61,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	1,860,000	135,000	55.2%	2.22%	4,130,000	238,000	48.6%	1.58%	268,000	46,800	50.2%	5.97%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	168,000	26,400	5.0%	0.75%	800,000**	94,000	9.4%**	0.95%	19,600	8,520	3.7%	1.64%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	388,000	52,000	11.5%	1.41%	725,000	81,400	8.5%	0.85%	53,400	17,200	10.0%	3.08%
Individual, unpaid	1,100,000	92,700	32.8%	2.16%	1,820,000	128,000	21.5%	1.21%	201,000	44,300	37.8%	6.00%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	501,000	77,000	14.9%	1.97%	1,200,000	116,000	14.2%	1.17%	37,200	11,100	7.0%	2.12%
Other organizational CCEE	80,400	24,400	2.4%	0.71%	201,000	39,200	2.4%	0.45%	12,400	7,410	2.3%	1.37%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 8b. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Household Resident Parents by Type of Care, 2019

	One parent				Two parents				More than two parents or unknown			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	3,010,000	194,000	100.0%	0.00%	7,700,000	379,000	100.0%	0.00%	636,000	100,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	1,560,000	118,000	52.1%	2.56%	3,650,000	215,000	47.4%	1.72%	287,000	45,500	45.1%	6.13%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	160,000	37,200	5.3%	1.17%	503,000**	71,000	6.5%**	0.87%	37,500	16,600	5.9%	2.60%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	268,000	41,700	8.9%	1.27%	571,000	66,700	7.4%	0.82%	30,900	15,100	4.9%	2.38%
Individual, unpaid	991,000	86,900	33.0%	2.37%	1,820,000	147,000	23.6%	1.51%	190,000	38,600	29.8%	5.16%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	370,000	57,000	12.3%	1.76%	1,110,000	117,000	14.5%	1.34%	32,100	16,100	5.1%	2.54%
Other organizational CCEE	146,000	36,600	4.8%	1.19%	279,000	42,400	3.6%	0.54%	17,700	9,540	2.8%	1.52%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 9a. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Parental Work Status by Type of Care, 2012

	All parents working				One working, one non-working parent				No parents working				Zero parents or more than two parents			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	5,120,000	258,000	100.0%	0.00%	4,140,000	214,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,600,000**	143,000	100.0%	0.00%	533,000	61,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	4,050,000	213,000	79.1%	1.45%	1,080,000	98,900	26.1%	1.93%	856,000**	79,900	32.9%	2.38%	268,000	46,800	50.2%	5.97%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	805,000**	84,700	15.7%**	1.40%	106,000	23,900	2.6%	0.55%	57,300	21,800	2.2%	0.83%	19,600	8,520	3.7%	1.64%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	872,000	87,700	17.0%	1.52%	134,000	29,100	3.2%	0.68%	107,000**	27,100	4.1%	0.99%	53,400	17,200	10.0%	3.08%
Individual, unpaid	1,760,000	119,000	34.4%	1.80%	565,000	66,600	13.7%	1.40%	600,000**	69,700	23.1%	2.34%	201,000	44,300	37.8%	6.00%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	1,240,000	117,000	24.2%	1.81%	311,000	49,100	7.5%	1.17%	153,000	32,200	5.9%	1.20%	37,200	11,100	7.0%	2.12%
Other organizational CCEE	184,000**	39,500	3.6%**	0.76%	66,100	20,300	1.6%	0.48%	30,800	11,700	1.2%	0.45%	12,400	7,410	2.3%	1.37%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 9b. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Parental Work Status by Type of Care, 2019

	All parents working				One working, one non-working parent				No parents working				Zero parents or more than two parents			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	5,040,000	260,000	100.0%	0.00%	3,820,000	235,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,840,000**	147,000	100.0%	0.00%	636,000	100,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	3,870,000	221,000	76.8%	1.72%	828,000	85,100	21.7%	1.96%	513,000**	58,200	27.8%	2.79%	287,000	45,500	45.1%	6.13%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	552,000**	77,700	11.0%**	1.35%	80,800	26,000	2.1%	0.67%	29,300	9,740	1.6%	0.53%	37,500	16,600	5.9%	2.60%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	706,000	71,700	14.0%	1.26%	102,000	27,900	2.7%	0.72%	31,600**	13,900	1.7%	0.75%	30,900	15,100	4.9%	2.38%
Individual, unpaid	1,920,000	142,000	38.1%	2.02%	495,000	68,000	13.0%	1.67%	398,000**	53,200	21.6%	2.56%	190,000	38,600	29.8%	5.16%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	1,190,000	121,000	23.6%	1.90%	216,000	39,900	5.6%	0.99%	77,300	22,900	4.2%	1.23%	32,100	16,100	5.1%	2.54%
Other organizational CCEE	327,000**	50,000	6.5%**	0.96%	68,900	19,800	1.8%	0.52%	28,800	9,700	1.6%	0.51%	17,700	9,540	2.8%	1.52%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 10a. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Community Poverty Density by Type of Care, 2012

	Low Poverty Density				Moderate Poverty Density				High Poverty Density			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	6,780,000	443,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,830,000	294,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,790,000	251,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	3,660,000	273,000	54.0%	1.92%	1,290,000	148,000	45.7%	2.43%	1,310,000	145,000	46.9%	1.98%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	615,000	86,900	9.1%	1.09%	197,000	39,000	7.0%	1.14%	177,000	39,100	6.3%**	1.22%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	508,000	65,300	7.5%	0.85%	323,000**	65,900	11.4%	2.00%	335,000	54,900	12.0%**	1.50%
Individual, unpaid	1,760,000	162,000	25.9%	1.74%	695,000	85,300	24.6%	1.96%	679,000	75,500	24.4%	1.86%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	1,150,000	137,000	16.9%	1.62%	284,000	43,100	10.0%	1.10%	312,000	63,000	11.2%	1.73%
Other organizational CCEE	184,000	39,100	2.7%	0.56%	50,700	20,800	1.8%	0.72%	59,200**	17,600	2.1%**	0.57%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 10b. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Community Poverty Density by Type of Care, 2019

	Low Poverty Density				Moderate Poverty Density				High Poverty Density			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	6,160,000	456,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,210,000	229,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,970,000	283,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	3,090,000	261,000	50.2%	2.16%	1,030,000	107,000	46.8%	2.19%	1,370,000	149,000	46.2%	2.65%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	469,000	82,400	7.6%	1.18%	130,000	31,200	5.9%	1.32%	101,000	21,200	3.4%**	0.69%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	478,000	72,800	7.8%	1.07%	180,000**	27,900	8.2%	1.06%	211,000	35,000	7.1%**	0.94%
Individual, unpaid	1,600,000	164,000	25.9%	1.81%	598,000	68,200	27.0%	1.95%	806,000	104,000	27.1%	2.57%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	950,000	129,000	15.4%	1.65%	256,000	43,800	11.6%	1.65%	309,000	51,000	10.4%	1.35%
Other organizational CCEE	247,000	48,100	4.0%	0.77%	70,300	17,200	3.2%	0.72%	125,000**	25,100	4.2%**	0.78%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 11a. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Community Urbanicity by Type of Care, 2012

	High Urban Density				Moderate Urban Density				Rural			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	8,510,000	463,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,600,000	327,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,280,000	214,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	4,320,000	279,000	50.8%	1.49%	1,350,000	185,000	52.0%	2.70%	585,000	114,000	45.8%	4.27%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	608,000	74,800	7.1%	0.78%	239,000	60,800	9.2%	1.82%	141,000**	40,600	11.0%**	2.43%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	765,000	81,100	9.0%	0.83%	252,000**	50,600	9.7%	1.50%	150,000	46,900	11.7%	3.11%
Individual, unpaid	2,220,000	172,000	26.0%	1.40%	665,000	89,600	25.6%	2.31%	249,000	49,900	19.5%	2.70%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	1,190,000	122,000	13.9%	1.15%	434,000	91,500	16.7%	2.60%	122,000	48,200	9.5%	3.20%
Other organizational CCEE	232,000	45,000	2.7%	0.51%	44,900	16,900	1.7%	0.64%	16,300	9,770	1.3%	0.73%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 11b. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 3 Community Urbanicity by Type of Care, 2019

	High Urban Density				Moderate Urban Density				Rural			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	8,110,000	509,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,900,000	252,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,330,000	192,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	3,850,000	255,000	47.5%	1.57%	1,040,000	171,000	54.7%	4.06%	607,000	105,000	45.7%	4.68%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	490,000	74,200	6.0%	0.83%	168,000	47,700	8.8%	2.21%	42,300**	18,200	3.2%**	1.25%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	604,000	76,400	7.5%	0.81%	133,000**	29,200	7.0%	1.26%	133,000	37,000	10.0%	2.43%
Individual, unpaid	2,120,000	164,000	26.1%	1.40%	534,000	111,000	28.1%	3.83%	346,000	63,100	26.1%	3.30%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	1,020,000	119,000	12.6%	1.17%	355,000	77,300	18.7%	3.01%	139,000	34,100	10.5%	2.17%
Other organizational CCEE	325,000	50,600	4.0%	0.62%	69,200	20,800	3.6%	1.01%	48,100	15,700	3.6%	1.11%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 12a. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Race/Ethnicity by Type of Care, 2012

	White				Black				Hispanic				Other Race/Ethnicity			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	5,560,000	264,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,460,000	120,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,590,000	157,000	100.0%	0.00%	946,000	90,700	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	3,870,000	210,000	69.5%	1.70%	1,060,000	87,900	72.5%	2.53%	1,510,000	108,000	58.5%	2.06%	607,000**	61,800	64.2%	3.72%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	454,000	57,100	8.2%	0.97%	71,400	16,500	4.9%	1.03%	93,900	19,000	3.6%	0.70%	89,900	25,900	9.5%	2.68%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	401,000	56,700	7.2%	0.96%	116,000	23,700	7.9%	1.52%	225,000	27,200	8.7%	0.97%	79,000	21,700	8.4%	2.24%
Individual, unpaid	1,330,000	106,000	23.9%	1.64%	413,000	50,500	28.3%	2.90%	572,000	60,300	22.1%	1.91%	226,000	35,500	23.8%	3.32%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	2,620,000	166,000	47.1%	1.96%	666,000	66,700	45.6%	3.19%	967,000	76,100	37.4%	1.83%	364,000	45,600	38.5%	3.80%
Other organizational CCEE	274,000	50,300	4.9%	0.84%	66,800	17,900	4.6%	1.11%	83,100**	17,500	3.2%**	0.63%	26,800**	10,300	2.8%**	1.03%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 12b. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Race/Ethnicity by Type of Care, 2019

	White				Black				Hispanic				Other Race/Ethnicity			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	5,370,000	329,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,440,000	134,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,770,000	217,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,240,000	123,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	3,810,000	272,000	70.9%	2.00%	1,010,000	108,000	70.2%	2.93%	1,670,000	136,000	60.1%	2.17%	884,000**	93,800	71.2%	3.07%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	367,000	54,400	6.8%	0.96%	42,700	16,700	3.0%	1.13%	129,000	40,900	4.7%	1.44%	57,300	24,700	4.6%	1.92%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	285,000	49,000	5.3%	0.83%	116,000	34,300	8.0%	2.17%	269,000	47,300	9.7%	1.42%	46,700	16,200	3.8%	1.29%
Individual, unpaid	1,310,000	128,000	24.5%	1.89%	462,000	56,900	32.1%	2.37%	613,000	66,600	22.1%	1.89%	339,000	58,400	27.3%	3.71%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	2,530,000	207,000	47.1%	2.15%	601,000	72,500	41.7%	2.98%	898,000	84,300	32.4%	1.94%	524,000	70,900	42.2%	3.58%
Other organizational CCEE	413,000	67,900	7.7%	1.13%	81,100	21,300	5.6%	1.39%	191,000**	29,200	6.9%**	0.88%	121,000**	28,400	9.7%**	2.19%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 13a. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Household Income by Type of Care, 2012

	Less than 100% of the federal poverty level				100 to 199% of the federal poverty level				200 to 299% of the federal poverty level				300% and higher of the federal poverty level			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	3,140,000**	155,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,590,000	149,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,480,000	120,000	100.0%	0.00%	3,330,000	196,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	1,820,000	113,000	57.8%	1.85%	1,620,000	103,000	62.4%	2.58%	952,000	105,000	64.2%	4.07%	2,660,000	167,000	79.7%	2.13%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	126,000**	23,800	4.0%**	0.71%	136,000	22,800	5.2%	0.89%	77,600	19,600	5.2%	1.28%	370,000	57,000	11.1%	1.68%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	219,000**	29,500	7.0%	0.87%	228,000	35,800	8.8%	1.35%	155,000	40,200	10.4%	2.39%	219,000	41,300	6.6%	1.22%
Individual, unpaid	801,000	67,600	25.5%	1.73%	654,000	73,900	25.2%	2.54%	371,000	57,300	25.0%	3.08%	715,000	79,400	21.4%	2.20%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	1,040,000**	83,100	33.2%	2.08%	1,040,000	84,500	40.0%**	2.36%	615,000	79,500	41.5%	3.79%	1,920,000	143,000	57.6%	2.71%
Other organizational CCEE	104,000	20,800	3.3%**	0.62%	80,300	21,300	3.1%**	0.80%	60,200**	15,800	4.1%	1.06%	207,000	47,000	6.2%	1.31%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 13b. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Household Income by Type of Care, 2019

	Less than 100% of the federal poverty level				100 to 199% of the federal poverty level				200 to 299% of the federal poverty level				300% and higher of the federal poverty level			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	2,590,000**	165,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,560,000	173,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,880,000	136,000	100.0%	0.00%	3,800,000	289,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	1,510,000	113,000	58.3%	2.13%	1,540,000	134,000	60.3%	2.66%	1,220,000	107,000	65.1%	3.20%	3,100,000	248,000	81.5%	1.83%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	43,200**	13,800	1.7%**	0.53%	81,200	20,100	3.2%	0.80%	81,200	22,200	4.3%	1.15%	390,000	65,500	10.3%	1.56%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	124,000**	20,800	4.8%	0.79%	163,000	30,200	6.4%	1.14%	130,000	28,700	6.9%	1.46%	299,000	60,500	7.9%	1.42%
Individual, unpaid	739,000	66,800	28.5%	1.92%	700,000	80,500	27.3%	2.15%	481,000	70,600	25.6%	3.23%	810,000	89,000	21.3%	1.99%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	810,000**	76,400	31.3%	2.10%	839,000	86,300	32.7%**	2.29%	716,000	77,500	38.2%	3.25%	2,190,000	199,000	57.6%	2.58%
Other organizational CCEE	170,000	28,400	6.6%**	0.96%	147,000	27,500	5.7%**	1.04%	158,000**	42,900	8.4%	2.15%	331,000	61,400	8.7%	1.45%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 14a. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Household Resident Parents by Type of Care, 2012

	One parent				Two parents				More than two parents or unknown			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	3,280,000	174,000	100.0%	0.00%	6,770,000	267,000	100.0%	0.00%	506,000	59,700	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	2,280,000	145,000	69.7%	1.98%	4,470,000	203,000	66.1%	1.75%	288,000	39,500	57.0%	6.35%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	211,000	34,400	6.4%	0.99%	475,000	57,100	7.0%	0.82%	22,600	8,750	4.5%	1.80%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	349,000**	43,800	10.7%**	1.25%	423,000	60,300	6.2%	0.86%	48,600	18,100	9.6%	3.41%
Individual, unpaid	1,020,000	85,200	31.2%**	2.16%	1,390,000	103,000	20.5%	1.36%	131,000	25,900	25.9%	4.74%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	1,330,000	102,000	40.6%	2.03%	3,130,000	166,000	46.3%	1.76%	153,000	28,300	30.1%	5.14%
Other organizational CCEE	164,000	31,900	5.0%	0.90%	281,000**	48,300	4.2%**	0.67%	6,120	2,900	1.2%	0.60%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 14b. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Household Resident Parents by Type of Care, 2019

	One parent				Two parents				More than two parents or unknown			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	3,190,000	188,000	100.0%	0.00%	7,070,000	382,000	100.0%	0.00%	561,000	69,500	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	2,180,000	148,000	68.3%	2.02%	4,880,000	288,000	69.0%	1.54%	310,000	49,300	55.3%	6.05%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	132,000	26,600	4.1%	0.83%	458,000	69,700	6.5%	0.92%	5,920	3,670	1.1%	0.66%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	216,000**	36,800	6.8%**	1.10%	469,000	67,700	6.6%	0.84%	30,400	12,500	5.4%	2.19%
Individual, unpaid	1,190,000	102,000	37.5%**	2.18%	1,370,000	109,000	19.4%	1.31%	160,000	30,500	28.4%	4.94%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	1,150,000	103,000	36.0%	2.30%	3,240,000	227,000	45.8%	1.81%	162,000	39,300	28.8%	5.64%
Other organizational CCEE	239,000	45,300	7.5%	1.34%	551,000**	67,900	7.8%**	0.87%	15,100	5,500	2.7%	1.01%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 15a. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Parental Work Status by Type of Care, 2012

	All parents working				One working, one non-working parent				No parents working				Zero parents or more than two parents			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	4,960,000	220,000	100.0%	0.00%	3,310,000	177,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,780,000	109,000	100.0%	0.00%	506,000	59,700	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	4,130,000	192,000	83.4%	1.43%	1,720,000	129,000	52.0%	2.68%	898,000	77,600	50.5%	2.74%	288,000	39,500	57.0%	6.35%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	559,000	59,300	11.3%	1.12%	104,000	31,100	3.1%	0.91%	23,400	7,190	1.3%	0.41%	22,600	8,750	4.5%	1.80%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	587,000	57,500	11.8%	1.09%	103,000	28,800	3.1%	0.87%	82,400**	16,700	4.6%**	0.91%	48,600	18,100	9.6%	3.41%
Individual, unpaid	1,590,000	105,000	32.1%	1.83%	467,000	72,600	14.1%	1.99%	350,000	41,800	19.7%	2.09%	131,000	25,900	25.9%	4.74%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	2,590,000	147,000	52.2%	1.73%	1,310,000	112,000	39.6%	2.58%	564,000	62,200	31.7%	2.61%	153,000	28,300	30.1%	5.14%
Other organizational CCEE	316,000	48,400	6.4%	0.92%	86,900**	20,700	2.6%**	0.61%	42,000**	12,000	2.4%**	0.67%	6,120	2,900	1.2%	0.60%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 15b. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Parental Work Status by Type of Care, 2019

	All parents working				One working, one non-working parent				No parents working				Zero parents or more than two parents			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	5,570,000	293,000	100.0%	0.00%	3,080,000	207,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,620,000	118,000	100.0%	0.00%	561,000	69,500	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	4,620,000	256,000	83.0%	1.37%	1,630,000	135,000	53.1%	2.33%	804,000	84,000	49.6%	2.89%	310,000	49,300	55.3%	6.05%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):																
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	522,000	74,400	9.4%	1.23%	46,500	17,200	1.5%	0.56%	21,200	9,710	1.3%	0.59%	5,920	3,670	1.1%	0.66%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	570,000	73,500	10.2%	1.16%	87,500	21,300	2.8%	0.69%	28,400**	10,600	1.8%**	0.64%	30,400	12,500	5.4%	2.19%
Individual, unpaid	1,720,000	137,000	30.8%	1.90%	458,000	62,700	14.9%	1.82%	394,000	50,600	24.3%	2.49%	160,000	30,500	28.4%	4.94%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	2,860,000	193,000	51.4%	1.98%	1,110,000	110,000	36.0%	2.51%	423,000	56,300	26.1%	2.60%	162,000	39,300	28.8%	5.64%
Other organizational CCEE	472,000	68,700	8.5%	1.12%	217,000**	39,300	7.0%**	1.19%	101,000**	25,600	6.3%**	1.42%	15,100	5,500	2.7%	1.01%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 16a. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Community Poverty Density by Type of Care, 2012

	Low Poverty Density				Moderate Poverty Density				High Poverty Density			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	5,840,000	349,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,360,000	217,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,360,000	223,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	4,070,000	255,000	69.6%	1.98%	1,460,000	142,000	62.0%**	2.13%	1,520,000	157,000	64.4%**	2.05%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	388,000	53,500	6.6%	0.85%	131,000	18,600	5.6%	0.80%	191,000**	41,200	8.1%**	1.49%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	368,000	55,200	6.3%	0.88%	226,000	35,800	9.6%	1.15%	226,000**	33,200	9.6%**	1.19%
Individual, unpaid	1,270,000	119,000	21.7%	1.69%	608,000	71,500	25.8%	1.88%	665,000	84,900	28.2%	2.07%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	2,900,000	201,000	49.8%	2.10%	893,000	92,100	37.9%	2.13%	819,000	94,700	34.7%	2.18%
Other organizational CCEE	274,000	49,700	4.7%	0.78%	77,800**	21,200	3.3%**	0.85%	98,800	25,300	4.2%	0.90%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 16b. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Community Poverty Density by Type of Care, 2019

	Low Poverty Density				Moderate Poverty Density				High Poverty Density			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	5,910,000	429,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,450,000	254,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,460,000	225,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	4,240,000	337,000	71.8%	1.93%	1,700,000	187,000	69.2%**	2.16%	1,430,000	136,000	58.1%**	2.29%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	393,000	70,100	6.7%	1.07%	119,000	28,900	4.8%	1.14%	83,500**	17,300	3.4%**	0.65%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	368,000	64,400	6.2%	0.94%	232,000	42,200	9.5%	1.40%	116,000**	21,000	4.7%**	0.74%
Individual, unpaid	1,410,000	150,000	23.9%	1.74%	649,000	82,200	26.5%	2.08%	665,000	73,100	27.0%	1.97%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	2,830,000	246,000	47.9%	2.20%	968,000	124,000	39.4%	2.62%	755,000	80,800	30.7%	1.88%
Other organizational CCEE	432,000	75,200	7.3%	1.15%	244,000**	42,300	9.9%**	1.26%	130,000	21,600	5.3%	0.72%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 17a. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Community Urbanicity by Type of Care, 2012

	Urban				Moderate Urban				Rural			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	7,280,000	385,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,180,000	252,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,090,000	197,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	4,880,000	291,000	67.0%	1.40%	1,430,000	170,000	65.5%	3.22%	732,000	129,000	67.4%	4.42%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	453,000	61,800	6.2%	0.73%	152,000	34,100	7.0%	1.43%	104,000	26,800	9.6%	1.97%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	546,000	60,900	7.5%	0.70%	180,000	41,400	8.2%	1.71%	94,300	30,600	8.7%	2.58%
Individual, unpaid	1,730,000	125,000	23.8%	1.22%	514,000	76,600	23.5%	2.66%	293,000	71,200	27.0%	4.44%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	3,190,000	212,000	43.8%	1.62%	947,000	123,000	43.4%	3.32%	479,000	92,600	44.1%	3.41%
Other organizational CCEE	326,000**	50,600	4.5%**	0.62%	87,900	30,300	4.0%**	1.23%	36,600**	12,000	3.4%**	1.10%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 17b. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 Community Urbanicity by Type of Care, 2019

	Urban				Moderate Urban				Rural			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	7,630,000	471,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,890,000	252,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,300,000	188,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	5,110,000	335,000	67.0%	1.52%	1,390,000	206,000	73.7%	3.11%	864,000	144,000	66.4%	3.96%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	412,000	67,400	5.4%	0.82%	104,000	33,300	5.5%	1.61%	79,800	22,800	6.1%	1.59%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	505,000	68,600	6.6%	0.76%	128,000	35,000	6.8%	1.47%	83,300	21,800	6.4%	1.57%
Individual, unpaid	1,820,000	143,000	23.8%	1.40%	542,000	88,600	28.7%	2.64%	368,000	81,600	28.3%	3.94%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	3,230,000	247,000	42.3%	1.73%	847,000	141,000	44.9%	3.81%	476,000	81,600	36.6%	3.52%
Other organizational CCEE	486,000**	59,300	6.4%**	0.65%	189,000	53,100	10.0%**	2.40%	131,000**	43,300	10.1%**	2.71%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 18a1. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 in Any Regular Care by Detailed Race/Ethnicity, 2012

	Non-Hispanic or Latino, White				Non-Hispanic or Latino, Black or African American				Hispanic or Latino origin (any race or race not reported)			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	12,200,000	528,000	100.0%	0.00%	3,110,000	229,000	100.0%	0.00%	5,510,000	295,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	7,420,000	368,000	61.0%	1.38%	1,950,000	160,000	62.9%	2.14%	2,710,000	171,000	49.2%	1.50%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	1,130,000	113,000	9.3%	0.82%	174,000	36,800	5.6%	1.05%	215,000	32,100	3.9%	0.55%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	961,000**	105,000	7.9%**	0.77%	282,000	45,800	9.1%	1.31%	552,000	59,500	10.0%	0.91%
Individual, unpaid	3,050,000	191,000	25.1%	1.24%	869,000	88,300	28.0%	2.46%	1,180,000	93,000	21.5%	1.26%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	3,650,000	235,000	30.0%	1.34%	944,000	98,200	30.4%	2.08%	1,230,000	93,200	22.3%	1.24%
Other organizational CCEE	482,000	82,000	4.0%**	0.64%	103,000	22,600	3.3%	0.65%	121,000**	24,000	2.2%**	0.42%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 18a2. Percent and Number of Children Ages 3 through 5 in Any Regular Care by Detailed Race/Ethnicity, 2012

	Non-Hispanic or Latino, Other				Two or more Non-Hispanic or Latino races				Missing (if Hispanic or Latino origin is not known)			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	940,000	141,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,150,000	99,600	100.0%	0.00%	81,900**	25,900	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	421,000**	68,900	44.8%	3.95%	756,000	79,200	65.8%	3.61%	40,100	19,400	49.0%	13.79%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	47,700**	17,000	5.1%**	1.66%	129,000	39,200	11.2%	3.22%	-	-	0.0%	0.00%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	49,000	14,200	5.2%	1.58%	141,000**	29,400	12.3%**	2.34%	2,230	2,230	2.7%	2.78%
Individual, unpaid	177,000	36,700	18.8%	3.66%	368,000	51,900	32.0%	3.68%	23,200	18,200	28.3%	17.13%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	193,000**	41,100	20.6%	2.87%	334,000	55,400	29.1%	4.11%	11,900	5,900	14.5%	6.47%
Other organizational CCEE	10,700**	8,470	1.1%**	0.82%	25,000**	8,130	2.2%**	0.73%	2,850	2,850	3.5%	3.48%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 18b1. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 5 in Any Regular Care by Detailed Race/Ethnicity, 2019

	Non-Hispanic or Latino, White				Non-Hispanic or Latino, Black or African American				Hispanic or Latino origin (any race or race not reported)			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	11,100,000	610,000	100.0%	0.00%	2,880,000	253,000	100.0%	0.00%	5,570,000	378,000	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	6,620,000	416,000	59.8%	1.69%	1,840,000	177,000	64.0%	2.46%	2,900,000	207,000	52.0%	1.90%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	841,000	115,000	7.6%	0.92%	117,000	36,800	4.1%	1.21%	245,000	48,500	4.4%	0.85%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	634,000**	82,800	5.7%**	0.67%	263,000	61,700	9.2%	1.90%	573,000	78,000	10.3%	1.13%
Individual, unpaid	2,820,000	216,000	25.4%	1.44%	885,000	92,400	30.8%	1.88%	1,310,000	115,000	23.5%	1.59%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	3,380,000	266,000	30.5%	1.48%	846,000	96,900	29.4%	2.20%	1,110,000	96,100	20.0%	1.21%
Other organizational CCEE	657,000	80,900	5.9%**	0.66%	160,000	39,100	5.6%	1.25%	252,000**	37,400	4.5%**	0.60%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey

Table 18b2. Percent and Number of Children Under Age 5 in Any Regular Care by Detailed Race/Ethnicity, 2019

	Non-Hispanic or Latino, Other				Two or more Non-Hispanic or Latino races				Missing (if Hispanic or Latino origin is not known)			
	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %	Count	SE of Count	Col %	SE of Col %
All Children	1,270,000	166,000	100.0%	0.00%	1,200,000	120,000	100.0%	0.00%	175,000**	35,900	100.0%	0.00%
Children with at least one regular CCEE provider	692,000**	95,800	54.5%	4.20%	748,000	88,300	62.3%	4.50%	70,600	19,800	40.5%	8.72%
Children with at least one provider in each TOC (All types of care are for regular providers only):												
Individual, paid, no prior relationship	6,180**	3,410	0.5%**	0.27%	78,900	27,500	6.6%	2.18%	7,120	6,710	4.1%	3.49%
Individual, paid, prior relationship	51,200	19,100	4.0%	1.54%	54,800**	16,300	4.6%**	1.32%	10,900	9,200	6.3%	5.11%
Individual, unpaid	316,000	61,200	24.9%	3.85%	363,000	57,200	30.2%	3.75%	38,000	14,600	21.8%	7.05%
Center-based CCEE, not yet kindergarten	356,000**	67,700	28.1%	3.41%	348,000	55,300	29.0%	3.82%	21,400	9,900	12.2%	5.57%
Other organizational CCEE	73,100**	22,900	5.8%**	1.83%	99,000**	31,700	8.2%**	2.48%	6,740	5,340	3.9%	3.06%

Significance Testing: *** < 0.01, ** ≤ 0.05, * < 0.1 reflects differences between 2012 NSECE and 2019 NSECE.

Source: 2012 and 2019 NSECE Household Survey