



KEY FACTS ABOUT

Children birth to 3 years, their families, and the child care system that serves them

Nevada

2005 estimated population: 2,414,807

U.S. Census 2005 Population Estimate

2000 population: 1,998,257

U.S. Census 2000



An average of 1,478 children 0–3 are served per month by the Child Care and Development Fund

(FY 2005 ACF-801 data)

In Federal Fiscal Year 2006 the Infant/Toddler Child Care and Development Fund Set-Aside = \$662,971

(FY 2006 CCDF Allocations and Earmarks, U.S. Dept. of HHS, ACF)



216 children served by 2 grantees are in Early Head Start

(2006 Early Head Start Funded Enrollment) (EHSNRC Database—September 2006)

36% of all the requests for child care to the child care resource and referral programs for infant and toddler care is not available

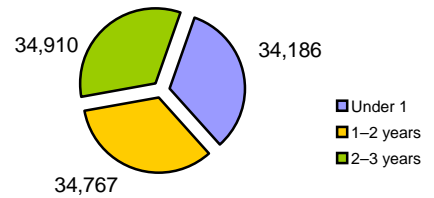
(Child Care in America: 2006 State Fact Book, NACCRRA)



1,417 children under 3 receive early intervention services under IDEA, Part C

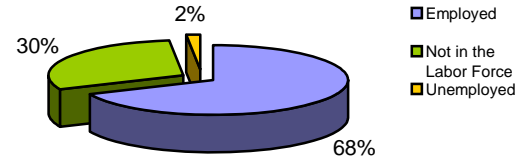
(U.S. Dept. of Education, Office of Special Ed. Programs, Data Analysis System (DANS), 2005)

103,863 Children Under the Age of 3 Live in Nevada



U.S. Census 2005 Population Estimate

68% of Nevada Women with Children Under the Age of 3 Are in the Labor Force



Current Population Survey, March 2001

Infant/Toddler Caregiver Credential:	No
Infant/Toddler Child Development Associate (CDA)*:	34 issued in 2005 22 issued in 2002 7 issued in 1998
Early Learning Guidelines for 0-3:	No
Infant/Toddler Specialist Network:	No

Average annual fee for full-time child care for an infant in center based care..... \$8,060

Cost of child care for an infant as percent of median income for two-parent families 14%

Cost of child care for an infant as percent of median income for single parent families..... 36%
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In Center-Based Care the staff-to-child ratios are

1:4 for birth to 8 months; 1:6 for 9 to 18 months; 1:8 for 18 months to 3 years
(State Licensing Regulations)

In Family Child Care the staff-to-child ratios are

1:6 (with no more than 4 children under 2 years, and of these, no more than 2 children under 1 year)
Three (3) additional school-age children are allowed.
(State Licensing Regulations)

In Group Home Child Care the staff-to-child ratios are

2:12 (with no more than 8 children under 3 years, and of these, no more than 4 children under 1 year)
(State Licensing Regulations)

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For more information about Nevada go to:

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