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EARLY CHILDHOOD NEEDS AND RESOURCES ASSESSMENT 2003

Table 1
Children and Families

	1999	2003	1999 to 2003 Change
Population			
Children age birth through five (i.e., 0-5)	712	745	+4.6%
Children under 1		144	
Children age 1		118	
Children age 2		138	
Children age 3		106	
Children age 4		120	
Children age 5		119	
Total county population		10,381	
Economics and Family Structure			
Income			
Median family income	\$32,100	\$35,180	+9.6%
Percentage of income spent on child care for families just above the subsidy cut-off		24.0%	
Children age 0-5 with one or both parents employed		581	
Percentage of children 0-5 with one or both parents employed		78.0%	
Children age 0-5 with all parents employed		422	
Percentage of children 0-5 with all parents employed		56.6%	
Poverty and Assistance			
Children age 0-5 below the poverty level	249	203	-18.5%
Percentage of children age 0-5 below the poverty level	35.0%	27.2%	
Children age 4 below the poverty level		34	
Percentage of children age 4 below the poverty level		28.2%	
Children age 0-5 below the 1.25 poverty level		285	
Percentage of children 0-5 below the 1.25 poverty level		38.3%	
Children age 0-5 below the 1.85 poverty level		415	
Percentage of children 0-5 below the 1.85 poverty level		55.7%	
Children age 0-5 below the 2.00 poverty level		427	
Percentage of children age 0-5 below the 2.00 poverty level		57.3%	
Families in poverty with children under 5		119	
Percentage of families in poverty with children under 5		21.9%	
Children age 0-5 in TANF-recipient families (Work First)	54	43	-20.4%
Percentage of children 0-5 in TANF-recipient families	7.6%	5.8%	
Children age 0-5 in families receiving Food Stamps	139	148	+6.5%
Percentage of children 0-5 in families receiving Food Stamps	19.5%	19.9%	

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Table 2
Early Care and Education

	1999	2003		1999 to 2003 Change
Regulated Programs				
Total - All Regulated Centers ^b	5	4		-20.0%
One Star (number & percentage of all regulated centers)		1	25.0%	
Two Star		1	25.0%	
Three Star		1	25.0%	
Four Star		1	25.0%	
Five Star		0	0.0%	
Religious Sponsored/GS -110		0	0.0%	
Temporary		0	0.0%	
Probationary		0	0.0%	
Provisional		0	0.0%	
Special Provisional		0	0.0%	
Total – All Regulated Homes ^b	7	9		+28.6%
One Star (number & percentage of all regulated homes)		9	100.0%	
Two Star		0	0.0%	
Three Star		0	0.0%	
Four Star		0	0.0%	
Five Star		0	0.0%	
Temporary		0	0.0%	
Probationary		0	0.0%	
Provisional		0	0.0%	
Special Provisional		0	0.0%	
Program Accreditation				
NAEYC accredited child care centers	0	0		↔
Percentage of centers that are NAEYC accredited	0.0%	0.0%		
Children 0-5 in regulated centers who are enrolled in NAEYC accredited centers		0		
Percentage of children 0-5 in regulated centers who are enrolled in NAEYC accredited centers		0.0%		
NAFCC accredited family child care homes	0	0		↔
Percentage of homes that are NAFCC accredited	0.0%	0.0%		
Children 0-5 in regulated homes who are enrolled in NAFCC accredited homes		0		
Percentage of children 0-5 in regulated homes who are enrolled in NAFCC accredited homes		0.0%		
Professional Development				
Centers sponsoring T.E.A.C.H. recipients	3	1		-66.7%
Percentage of centers sponsoring T.E.A.C.H. recipients	60.0%	25.0%		
T.E.A.C.H. recipients	12	5		-58.3%
Children in T.E.A.C.H. participating centers	150	34		-77.3%

^b Due to rounding, the numbers and percentages do not always add to the total or 100%.

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Table 2-continued
Early Care and Education

	1999	2003	1999 to 2003 Change
Services for Children^c			
Children 0-4 enrolled in regulated care		133	
Percentage of children 0-4 enrolled in regulated care		21.2%	
Infants enrolled in regulated care		16	
Percentage of infants enrolled in regulated care		11.1%	
One-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		17	
Percentage of one-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		14.4%	
Two-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		30	
Percentage of two-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		21.7%	
Three-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		42	
Percentage of three-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		39.6%	
Four-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		28	
Percentage of four-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		23.3%	
Child care enrollment by age and license level		<i>See Table 3</i>	
Children served in a More At Four Pre-K classroom		0	
Children 0-5 enrolled in regulated care who receive a subsidy		138	
Percentage of children 0-5 enrolled in regulated care who receive a subsidy		93.2%	
Children receiving subsidies by age and star license level		<i>See Table 4</i>	
Children served in a Title I Pre-K classroom		0	
Children served in Head Start/Early Head Start	34	36	+5.9%
Children served in Early Head Start		2	
3-year-olds served in Head Start		7	
4-year-olds served in Head Start		23	
5-year-olds served in Head Start		4	
Services for Children with Developmental Disabilities			
Children age 0-2 in early intervention	14	17	+21.4%
Percentage children 0-2 in early intervention		4.3%	
Children age 3-5 in early intervention	31	36	+16.1%
Percentage children 3-5 in early intervention		10.4%	

^c Children can be counted in more than one category.

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Table 3. Child Care Enrollment by Age and License Level

CENTERS	Infants		1-yr-olds		2-yr-olds		3-yr-olds		4-yr-olds		5-yr-olds		Total 0-5	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
One Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	14.3%	14	34.1%	17	65.4%	3	21.4%	38	27.9%
Two Star	1	8.3%	5	33.3%	12	42.9%	9	22.0%	5	19.2%	0	0.0%	32	23.5%
Three Star	5	41.7%	6	40.0%	7	25.0%	11	26.8%	1	3.8%	10	71.4%	40	29.4%
Four Star	6	50.0%	4	26.7%	5	17.9%	7	17.1%	3	11.5%	1	7.1%	26	19.1%
Five Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
GS 110-106	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Temporary	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Probationary	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Provisiona	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Special Provisiona	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total Children	12		15		28		41		26		14		136	

HOMES	Infants		1-yr-olds		2-yr-olds		3-yr-olds		4-yr-olds		5-yr-olds		Total 0-5	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
One Star	4	100.0%	2	100.0%	2	100.0%	1	100.0%	2	100.0%	1	100.0%	12	100.0%
Two Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Three Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Four Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Five Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Temporary	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Probationary	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Provisiona	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Special Provisiona	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total Children	4		2		2		1		2		1		12	

TOTAL FACILITIES	Infants		1-yr-olds		2-yr-olds		3-yr-olds		4-yr-olds		5-yr-olds		Total 0-5	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
One Star	4	25.0%	2	11.8%	6	20.0%	15	35.7%	19	67.9%	4	26.7%	50	33.8%
Two Star	1	6.3%	5	29.4%	12	40.0%	9	21.4%	5	17.9%	0	0.0%	32	21.6%
Three Star	5	31.3%	6	35.3%	7	23.3%	11	26.2%	1	3.6%	10	66.7%	40	27.0%
Four Star	6	37.5%	4	23.5%	5	16.7%	7	16.7%	3	10.7%	1	6.7%	26	17.6%
Five Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
GS 110-106	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Temporary	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Probationary	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Provisiona	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Special Provisiona	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total Children	16		17		30		42		28		15		148	

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Table 4. Children Receiving Subsidies by Age and Star License Level

REGULATED CENTERS	Infants		1-yr-olds		2-yr-olds		3-yr-olds		4-yr-olds		5-yr-olds		Total 0-5 ^a	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
One Star ^b	0	0.0%	1	11.1%	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	3.8%
Two Star	0	0.0%	3	33.3%	4	40.0%	0	0.0%	1	16.7%	0	0.0%	8	15.4%
Three Star	5	83.3%	5	55.6%	4	40.0%	16	84.2%	4	66.7%	2	100.0%	36	69.2%
Four Star	1	16.7%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	3	15.8%	1	16.7%	0	0.0%	6	11.5%
Five Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total Children	6		9		10		19		6		2		52	

REGULATED HOMES	Infants		1-yr-olds		2-yr-olds		3-yr-olds		4-yr-olds		5-yr-olds		Total 0-5 ^a	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
One Star ^b	0	0.0%	3	100.0%	1	100.0%	2	100.0%	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	7	100.0%
Two Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Three Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Four Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Five Star	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total Children	0		3		1		2		1		0		7	

SUMMARY	Infants #	1-yr-olds #	2-yr-olds #	3-yr-olds #	4-yr-olds #	5-yr-olds #	Total 0-5 ^a #
Regulated Care	6	12	11	21	7	2	59
Unregulated Care	0	0	0	1	2	9	12
All Care	6	12	11	22	9	11	71

^a Totals represent all preschool children served/paid in January 2003 through the Division of Child Development Child Care Reimbursement System, including children served with Smart Start funds. In January 2003, an additional 79 children were served in a variety of regulated settings with Smart Start funds that were paid outside the DCD Child Care Reimbursement System.

^b The one star category includes GS 110-106, temporary, probationary, provisional, and special provisional programs.

Survey of *More At Four* Programs for the
2003 Needs and Resources Assessment

This county is not participating in the *More at Four* program at this time.