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## EARLY CHILDHOOD NEEDS AND RESOURCES ASSESSMENT 2003

<b>Table 1 Children and Families</b>	<b>1999</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>1999 to 2003 Change</b>
<b>Population</b>			
Children age birth through five (i.e., 0-5)	220	241	+9.5%
Children under 1		41	
Children age 1		44	
Children age 2		39	
Children age 3		39	
Children age 4		41	
Children age 5		37	
Total county population		4,149	
<b>Economics and Family Structure</b>			
<b>Income</b>			
Median family income	\$23,400	\$32,468	+38.8%
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		177	
Percentage of children 0-5 with one or both parents employed		75.0%	
Children age 0-5 with all parents employed		126	
Percentage of children 0-5 with all parents employed		53.4%	
<b>Poverty and Assistance</b>			
Children age 0-5 below the poverty level	94	82	-12.8%
Percentage of children age 0-5 below the poverty level	42.7%	34.8%	
Children age 4 below the poverty level		14	
Percentage of children age 4 below the poverty level		33.3%	
Children age 0-5 below the 1.25 poverty level		98	
Percentage of children 0-5 below the 1.25 poverty level		41.5%	
Children age 0-5 below the 1.85 poverty level		143	
Percentage of children 0-5 below the 1.85 poverty level		60.6%	
Children age 0-5 below the 2.00 poverty level		150	
Percentage of children age 0-5 below the 2.00 poverty level		63.6%	
Families in poverty with children under 5		51	
Percentage of families in poverty with children under 5		31.2%	
Children age 0-5 in TANF-recipient families (Work First)	20	0	-100.0%
Percentage of children 0-5 in TANF-recipient families	9.1%	0.0%	
Children age 0-5 in families receiving Food Stamps	63	78	+23.8%
Percentage of children 0-5 in families receiving Food Stamps	28.6%	32.4%	

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**Table 1-continued**  
**Children and Families**

	1999	2003	1999 to 2003 Change
<b>Family Structure</b>			
Families with children age 0-5		196	
Children age 0-5 living in single-parent families		48	
Percentage of children 0-5 living in single-parent families		20.3%	
Children age 0-5 in foster care	2	0	-100.0%
Percentage of children 0-5 in foster care	0.9%	0.0%	
Births to teen parents (age 15-19)	4	5	+25.0%
Percentage of children 5-17 with Spanish as first language		2.2%	
<b>Health</b>			
<b>Access to Health Care</b>			
Children 0-5 enrolled in Medicaid	98	128	+30.6%
Percentage of children 0-5 enrolled in Medicaid	44.5%	53.1%	
Children 0-5 enrolled in NC Health Choice		28	
Kindergartners with untreated tooth decay	25.0%	27.6%	
<b>Safety</b>			
Children age 0-6 reported as abused and/or neglected	9	6	-33.3%
Children age 0-6 with substantiated abuse and/or neglect	0	2	↑

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**Table 2**  
**Early Care and Education**

	1999	2003		1999 to 2003 Change
<b>Regulated Programs</b>				
Total - All Regulated Centers <sup>b</sup>	2	2		0.0%
One Star (number & percentage of all regulated centers)		0	0.0%	
Two Star		0	0.0%	
Three Star		1	50.0%	
Four Star		0	0.0%	
Five Star		0	0.0%	
Religious Sponsored/GS -110		1	50.0%	
Temporary		0	0.0%	
Probationary		0	0.0%	
Provisional		0	0.0%	
Special Provisional		0	0.0%	
Total – All Regulated Homes <sup>b</sup>	5	2		-60.0%
One Star (number & percentage of all regulated homes)		1	50.0%	
Two Star		0	0.0%	
Three Star		1	50.0%	
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%	
<b>Program Accreditation</b>				
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%		
<b>Professional Development</b>				
Centers sponsoring T.E.A.C.H. recipients	1	1		0.0%
Percentage of centers sponsoring T.E.A.C.H. recipients	50.0%	50.0%		
T.E.A.C.H. recipients	2	2		0.0%
Children in T.E.A.C.H. participating centers	65	20		-69.2%

<sup>b</sup> 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
<b>Services for Children <sup>c</sup></b>			
Children 0-4 enrolled in regulated care		48	
Percentage of children 0-4 enrolled in regulated care		23.5%	
Infants enrolled in regulated care		7	
Percentage of infants enrolled in regulated care		17.1%	
One-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		4	
Percentage of one-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		9.1%	
Two-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		13	
Percentage of two-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		33.3%	
Three-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		9	
Percentage of three-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		23.1%	
Four-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		15	
Percentage of four-year-olds enrolled in regulated care		36.6%	
Child care enrollment by age and license level		See Table 3	
Children served in a More At Four Pre-K classroom		0	
Children 0-5 enrolled in regulated care who receive a subsidy		28	
Percentage of children 0-5 enrolled in regulated care who receive a subsidy		50.9%	
Children receiving subsidies by age and star license level		See Table 4	
Children served in a Title I Pre-K classroom		0	
Children served in Head Start/Early Head Start	30	20	-33.3%
Children served in Early Head Start		0	
3-year-olds served in Head Start		7	
4-year-olds served in Head Start		10	
5-year-olds served in Head Start		3	
<b>Services for Children with Developmental Disabilities</b>			
Children age 0-2 in early intervention	3	12	+300.0%
Percentage children 0-2 in early intervention		9.7%	
Children age 3-5 in early intervention	15	13	-13.3%
Percentage children 3-5 in early intervention		11.1%	

<sup>c</sup> 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%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
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%	3	33.3%	4	26.7%	1	14.3%	8	16.7%
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%
GS 110-106	4	100.0%	3	100.0%	10	100.0%	6	66.7%	11	73.3%	6	85.7%	40	83.3%
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		3		10		9		15		7		48	

  

HOMES	Infants		1-yr-olds		2-yr-olds		3-yr-olds		4-yr-olds		5-yr-olds		Total 0-5	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
One Star	2	66.7%	1	100.0%	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	57.1%
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	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	2	66.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	42.9%
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	3		1		3		0		0		0		7	

  

TOTAL FACILITIES	Infants		1-yr-olds		2-yr-olds		3-yr-olds		4-yr-olds		5-yr-olds		Total 0-5	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
One Star	2	28.6%	1	25.0%	1	7.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	7.3%
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	1	14.3%	0	0.0%	2	15.4%	3	33.3%	4	26.7%	1	14.3%	11	20.0%
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%
GS 110-106	4	57.1%	3	75.0%	10	76.9%	6	66.7%	11	73.3%	6	85.7%	40	72.7%
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	7		4		13		9		15		7		55	

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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 <sup>a</sup>	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
One Star <sup>b</sup>	2	100.0%	4	100.0%	4	80.0%	4	100.0%	2	100.0%	1	100.0%	17	94.4%
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%	1	20.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	5.6%
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	2		4		5		4		2		1		18	

  

REGULATED HOMES	Infants		1-yr-olds		2-yr-olds		3-yr-olds		4-yr-olds		5-yr-olds		Total 0-5 <sup>a</sup>	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
One Star <sup>b</sup>	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	40.0%
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%	1	100.0%	3	100.0%	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	1	100.0%	6	60.0%
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	2		1		3		2		1		1		10	

  

SUMMARY	Infants #	1-yr-olds #	2-yr-olds #	3-yr-olds #	4-yr-olds #	5-yr-olds #	Total 0-5 <sup>a</sup> #
Regulated Care	4	5	8	6	3	2	28
Unregulated Care	1	4	1	0	2	4	12
All Care	5	9	9	6	5	6	40

<sup>a</sup> 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.

<sup>b</sup> The one star category includes GS 110-106, temporary, probationary, provisional, and special provisional programs.

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January-February 2003

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.**