



The State's Quality Rating and Improvement System for child care and early education programs.

**March 2025**

**Participating Child Care Programs Statewide**

Percent of All Licensed Child Care Programs Participating
<b>71%</b>
Percent of All Child Care Centers Participating
<b>83%</b>
Percent of All Family Child Care Homes Participating
<b>63%</b>

**State Licensed Programs and Maryland EXCELS Participating Programs**

Jurisdiction	Total Licensed Child Care Programs*	Maryland EXCELS Participating Child Care Centers	Maryland EXCELS Participating Family Child Care	Maryland EXCELS Participating Public Prek	% Licensed Child Care Programs Participating*
Allegany	52	15	27	14	81%
Anne Arundel	552	194	157	68	64%
Baltimore	883	309	350	25	75%
Baltimore City	663	248	356	26	91%
Calvert	116	38	34	8	62%
Caroline	55	6	24	5	55%
Carroll	165	69	30	20	60%
Cecil	88	34	23	12	65%
Charles	224	71	90	23	72%
Dorchester	51	11	24	7	69%
Frederick	380	96	115	29	56%
Garrett	22	11	10	5	95%
Harford	279	84	93	23	63%
Howard	427	152	122	32	64%
Kent	21	5	5	3	48%
Montgomery	1200	396	459	44	71%
Prince George's	898	294	414	107	79%
Queen Anne's	73	12	29	6	56%
Saint Mary's	138	24	35	14	43%
Somerset	26	7	12	3	73%
Talbot	47	17	9	5	55%
Washington	170	49	70	27	70%
Wicomico	121	28	59	11	72%
Worcester	37	14	10	5	65%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>6,688</b>	<b>2,184</b>	<b>2,557</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>71%</b>

\*Does not include Public Prekindergarten programs.



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**Maryland EXCELS Quality Rated Programs Statewide**

<b>Percent of Quality Rated Child Care Centers</b>
<b>80%</b>
<b>Percent of Quality Rated Family Child Care Homes</b>
<b>58%</b>

**Maryland EXCELS Programs by Quality Rating and County**

<b>Jurisdiction</b>	<b>Quality Rating 1</b>	<b>Quality Rating 2</b>	<b>Quality Rating 3</b>	<b>Quality Rating 4</b>	<b>Quality Rating 5</b>	<b>Grand Total</b>
Allegany	18	0	18	5	12	53
Anne Arundel	217	22	64	8	71	382
Baltimore	357	49	143	23	46	618
Baltimore City	343	64	124	26	30	587
Calvert	40	5	16	6	8	75
Caroline	18	1	8	1	7	35
Carroll	40	8	30	4	30	112
Cecil	29	4	14	3	4	54
Charles	106	15	23	3	15	162
Dorchester	16	3	12	0	7	38
Frederick	107	16	36	16	37	212
Garrett	7	1	4	1	11	24
Harford	84	23	41	3	43	194
Howard	153	38	32	9	25	257
Kent	6	0	1	0	2	9
Montgomery	392	59	200	63	120	834
Prince George's	455	57	115	55	56	738
Queen Anne's	23	5	4	3	7	42
Saint Mary's	42	4	6	3	12	67
Somerset	8	3	6	0	5	22
Talbot	11	5	3	0	8	27
Washington	54	20	23	2	37	136
Wicomico	40	5	26	5	14	90
Worcester	10	2	5	1	11	29
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>2,576</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>954</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>4,797</b>

For additional information, visit the Maryland EXCELS website at [MarylandEXCELS.org](https://www.marylandexcels.org)



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