



STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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

April 2024

Participating Child Care Programs Statewide

Percent of All Licensed Child Care Programs Participating
69%
Percent of All Child Care Centers Participating
83%
Percent of All Family Child Care Homes Participating
60%

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	55	16	29	12	82%
Anne Arundel	549	192	150	48	62%
Baltimore	892	306	345	11	73%
Baltimore City	659	245	348	21	90%
Calvert	119	39	40	4	66%
Caroline	54	6	25	5	57%
Carroll	174	72	28	15	57%
Cecil	96	32	343	12	68%
Charles	220	66	90	3	71%
Dorchester	55	11	26	7	67%
Frederick	380	91	103	25	51%
Garrett	24	11	13	5	100%
Harford	288	83	93	22	61%
Howard	429	154	118	24	63%
Kent	20	5	5	3	50%
Montgomery	1193	384	423	38	68%
Prince George's	907	293	401	77	77%
Queen Anne's	72	13	29	6	58%
Saint Mary's	147	25	37	14	42%
Somerset	28	7	14	2	75%
Talbot	49	17	13	5	61%
Washington	174	49	61	26	63%
Wicomico	113	26	56	11	73%
Worcester	37	14	11	5	68%
Grand Total	6,734	2,157	2,491	401	69%

*Does not include Public Prekindergarten programs.



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Maryland EXCELS Quality Rated Programs Statewide

Percent of Quality Rated Child Care Centers
79%
Percent of Quality Rated Family Child Care Homes
55%

Maryland EXCELS Programs by Quality Rating and County

Jurisdiction	Quality Rating 1	Quality Rating 2	Quality Rating 3	Quality Rating 4	Quality Rating 5	Grand Total
Allegany	24	2	16	2	9	53
Anne Arundel	213	17	65	10	18	323
Baltimore	397	46	110	21	41	615
Baltimore City	349	54	133	17	23	576
Calvert	44	6	17	3	8	78
Caroline	16	0	8	0	7	31
Carroll	44	11	22	3	22	102
Cecil	40	4	10	3	3	60
Charles	102	10	23	5	4	144
Dorchester	16	5	9	3	6	39
Frederick	100	17	34	7	35	193
Garrett	10	2	2	1	11	26
Harford	104	23	22	5	35	189
Howard	166	41	24	4	19	254
Kent	7	1	0	0	1	9
Montgomery	391	59	188	48	80	766
Prince George's	458	50	103	34	41	686
Queen Anne's	24	7	2	5	5	43
Saint Mary's	44	4	4	0	7	59
Somerset	8	2	7	0	4	21
Talbot	12	8	2	1	5	28
Washington	58	18	22	3	30	131
Wicomico	36	5	26	2	16	85
Worcester	12	0	6	0	9	27
Grand Total	2,675	392	855	177	439	4,538

For additional information, visit the Maryland EXCELS website at MarylandEXCELS.org