

MARYLAND EXCELS

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

December 2024

Participating Child Care Programs Statewide

Percent of All Licensed Child Care Programs Participating
71%
Percent of All Child Care Centers Participating
84%
Percent of All Family Child Care Homes Participating
62%

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	53	15	28	14	81%
Anne Arundel	552	195	156	68	64%
Baltimore	879	312	349	27	75%
Baltimore City	659	248	352	25	91%
Calvert	115	38	35	8	63%
Caroline	55	6	25	5	56%
Carroll	168	70	30	20	60%
Cecil	91	32	27	12	65%
Charles	218	70	88	10	72%
Dorchester	51	11	24	7	69%
Frederick	377	95	112	29	55%
Garrett	25	12	13	5	100%
Harford	282	84	92	23	62%
Howard	425	154	121	32	65%
Kent	20	5	4	3	45%
Montgomery	1197	394	446	44	70%
Prince George's	898	297	403	107	78%
Queen Anne's	72	12	30	6	58%
Saint Mary's	141	24	37	14	43%
Somerset	26	7	12	3	73%
Talbot	49	17	10	5	55%
Washington	172	50	71	27	70%
Wicomico	123	29	58	11	71%
Worcester	38	14	11	5	66%
Grand Total	6,686	2,191	2,534	510	71%

*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
57%

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	20	0	16	6	12	54
Anne Arundel	215	21	64	10	69	379
Baltimore	355	51	146	21	47	620
Baltimore City	344	61	123	22	32	582
Calvert	41	5	16	6	8	76
Caroline	20	0	8	1	7	36
Carroll	41	13	26	4	27	111
Cecil	35	5	11	1	4	56
Charles	106	14	20	3	8	151
Dorchester	15	4	11	0	7	37
Frederick	106	16	32	17	35	206
Garrett	9	2	4	1	11	27
Harford	84	27	36	2	42	191
Howard	156	38	32	7	23	256
Kent	6	0	1	0	2	9
Montgomery	396	54	193	42	113	798
Prince George's	450	59	105	54	54	722
Queen Anne's	23	4	4	3	8	42
Saint Mary's	40	5	5	2	12	64
Somerset	6	3	6	0	5	20
Talbot	12	6	2	0	7	27
Washington	56	22	22	2	37	139
Wicomico	40	4	25	5	14	88
Worcester	11	2	5	1	11	30
Grand Total	2,587	416	913	210	595	4,721

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