

January 2017 Market Rate Summary

Market Region Analysis is posted for public review and comment. Rates will go into effect August 1, 2018. Send any comments to earlychildhood.msde@maryland.gov.

Data Collection Method:

Fee information is received from the child care providers. It is captured in the following ways:

- Provider completes our questionnaire, which is mailed to all new providers either on Survey Monkey or via mail or email.
- Provider calls provider phone line or emails LOCATE: with update of fees
- The questionnaire is mailed to all new providers.
- In 2017 the MRS was mailed to all providers for an update.
- Fees are represented as the monthly cost of child care

Results:

These numbers represent 2650 Family Providers and 1112 Centers & Schools

Payment Rate for 3 Units of Care, Income Level 0, 1st Child in Care

Regions	Family Child Care	Family Child Care	Child Care Center	Child Care Center
	Age 2 & Over	Under Age 2	Age 2 & Over	Under Age 2
Region U	\$110.00	\$135.00	\$119.00	\$190.00
Region V	\$92.00	\$110.00	\$104.00	\$162.00
Region W	\$137.00	\$177.00	\$145.00	\$220.00
Region X	\$168.00	\$215.00	\$203.00	\$305.00
Region Y	\$134.00	\$164.00	\$148.00	\$235.00
Region Z	\$94.00	\$107.00	\$99.00	\$125.00
Region BC	\$117.00	\$156.00	\$123.00	\$207.00

Payment Regions

Region Glossary
Region U – Cecil, Queen Anne’s, St. Mary’s, Talbot and Washington counties
Region V – Caroline, Dorchester, Kent, Somerset and Wicomico counties
Region W – Anne Arundel, Calvert, Carroll, Charles and Prince George’s counties
Region X – Howard and Montgomery counties
Region Y – Baltimore, Frederick and Harford counties
Region Z – Allegany, Garrett and Worcester counties
Region BC – Baltimore City