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Yolo

Child Care Resource & Referral Agencies

Children's Home Society of California

Contact your local Child Care Resource and Referral Agency using the website information here to access the child care search tool or call 1-800-KIDS-793 (1-800-543-7793) for more information and support.

County Program Profile: Yolo

The QCC County Program Profile provides county data from the Common Data File (CDF) and the Annual Progress Report (APR). For counties that are a part of a consortium, the QCC County Program Profile provides a combined view of the CDF and APR. Both qualitative and quantitative data are presented to provide a local view of early learning and care climate.

QRIS:: Yolo Raising Quality Together

Yolo County's Raising Quality Together Quality Rating and Improvement System (QRIS) is a combined effort between City of West Sacramento, implementing the IMPACT and UP4WS grants, and Yolo County Office of Education, implementing the California State Preschool Program (CSPP) QRIS and Infant Toddler QRIS Block Grants. Currently, in our county we are serving 97 sites, providing them training, coaching, and other quality improvement efforts, and 34 have, or are in the process of receiving, a rating on the CA-QRIS matrix. Our county QRIS has five levels and does not vary from the California statewide QRIS in any section. All programs participating in Raising Quality Together are eligible to receive up to \$600 in stipends for attending training, to

improve the quality of their program, and coaching, plus a materials and supplies stipend if they receive assessments in order to be placed on the CA-QRIS matrix. Coaching, training, and technical assistance are offered by our Early Learning Specialists on an as-needed basis to all sites.

County Contact Information

website http://www.cityofwestsacramento.org/city/depts/pcs/up4ws/early_learning_tools/default.asp

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Funding Streams

- CDE
- First 5 CA IMPACT
- First 5 CA
- Local tax initiative
- Corporate partnership
- Head Start
- Local Planning Council
- CSPP

Partner Agencies

- First 5 Yolo
- Yolo County Office of Education
- Yolo County Children's Alliance
- Yolo County Library
- Children's Therapy Center
- Communicare
- Los Rios Community College

- Children's Home Society
- Washington, Woodland Joint, Davis Joint, Esparto, and Winters USD
- Yolo Crisis Nursery

Process to Outreach/Onboard Programs and Providers

Outreach is conducted via weekly and monthly updates to providers and programs, community resources, and councils.

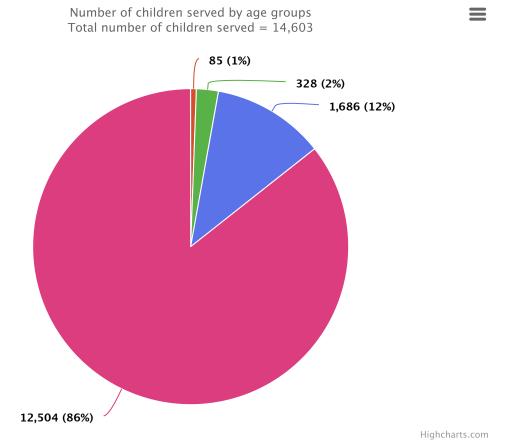
Quality Improvement Program Support Strategies

Yolo Quality Counts provides program support strategies through our multi-layered state-funded programs that offer coaching, professional development opportunities, and "quality" enhancements.

Local Approach to Offering Financial Incentives and Stipends

The Yolo County Quality Counts program offers financial incentives through specified professional development and leadership opportunities. Financial incentives are also offered for classroom enhancements to support quality classroom environments.

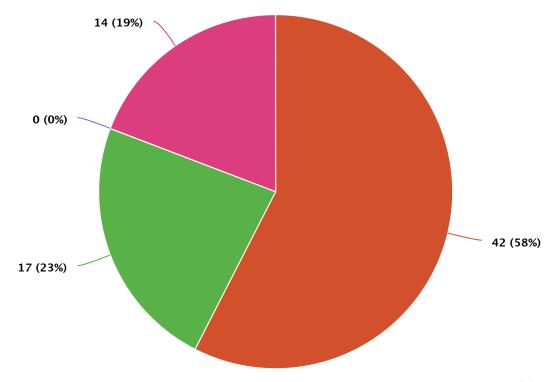
How Children Are Served by QCC



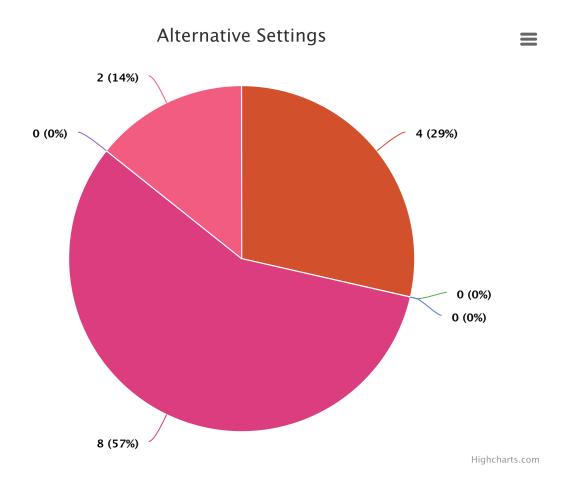
QCC Settings

Early care and education (ECE) providers participating in QCC

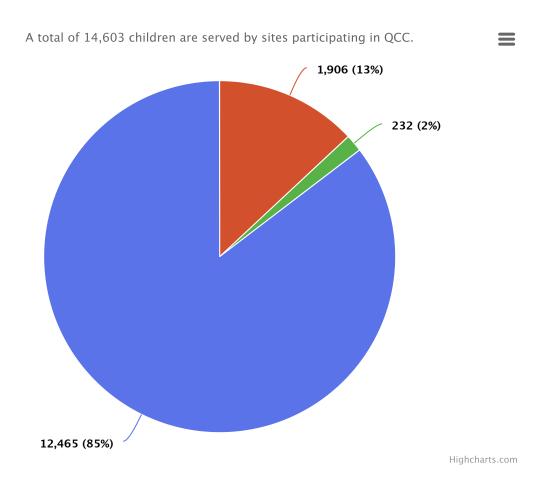
A total of 73 early care and education (ECE) providers participated in QCC last year.



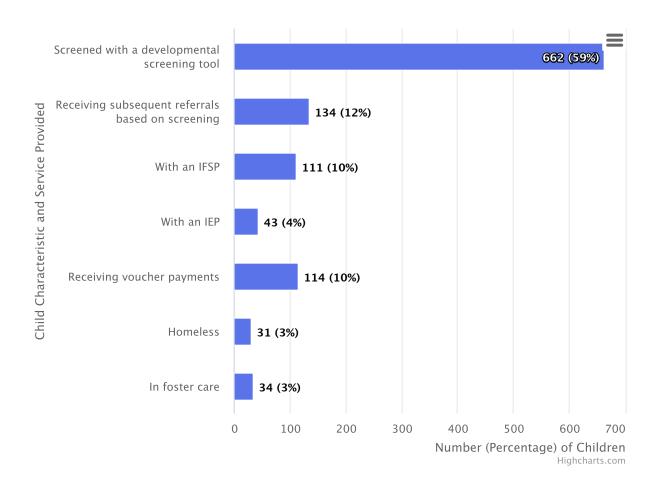
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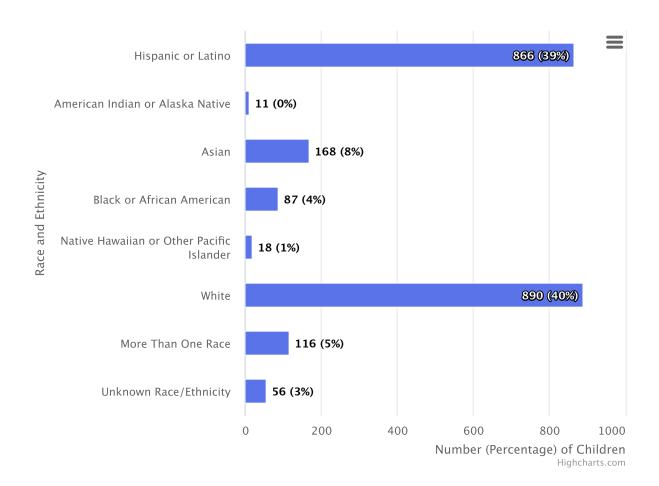
Children Served by Setting



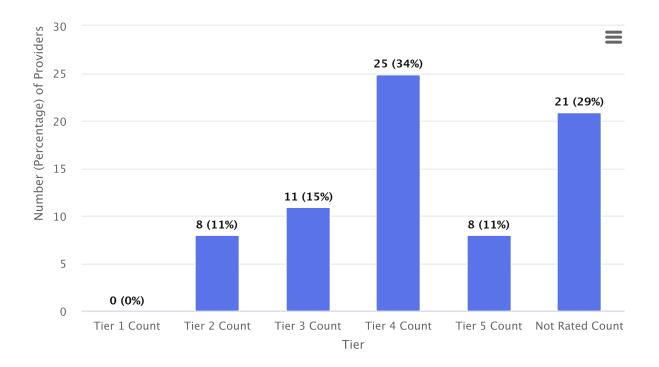
Overall Child Characteristics and Services Provided



Children's Races and Ethnicities



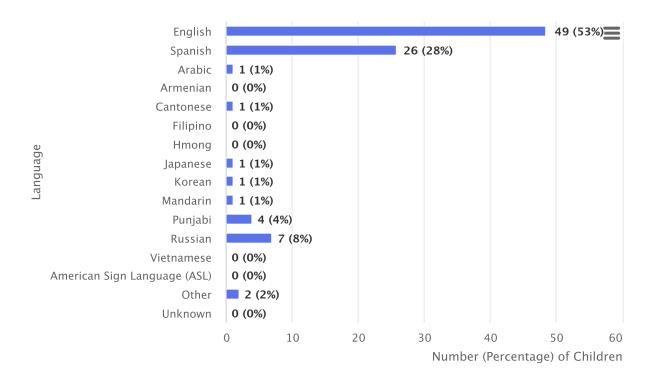
QCC Tier Rating Distribution



Footnote 1: Providers receive tier ratings based on how well they meet program standards and guidance, which follow three core areas (1) Child Development and School Readiness, (2) Teacher Qualifications and Teacher Interactions, and (3) Program Leadership and Learning Environment. Tier ratings help providers identify areas for improvement and find ways to sustain success.

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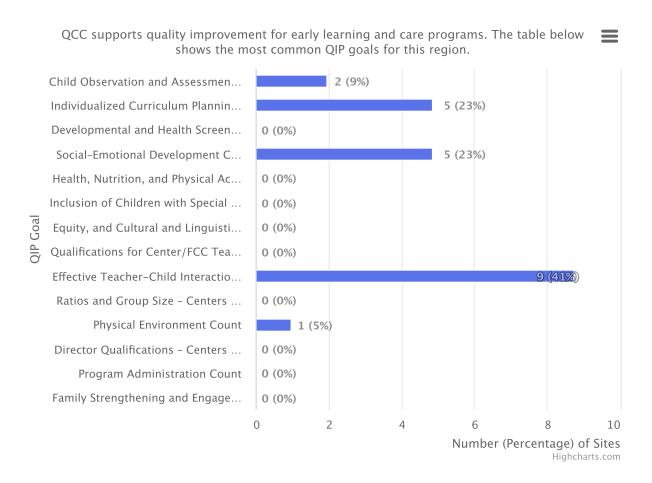
Language Spoken with Children



Footnote 1: QCC providers aim to develop and support children's early language skills. Providers at the QCC settings reported using the following languages for instruction with children. Many sites provide instruction in more than one language, thus, the percentages may add up to more than 100%.

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Quality Improvement Plan (QIP) Goals



Testimonial

The Yolo Quality Counts program has been a great learning experience and continues to give us opportunities for growth.

Teacher

Success Story

A Teacher shared: QRIS has given me the ability to have my coach observe, and then together we look at ways to improve my teaching practices and classroom environment. I am gaining experience to maintain fidelity to curriculum and my children's successful development.

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