

Serious Injuries and Deaths Report

This table displays the annual number of serious injuries and deaths that occurred in licensed and regulated facilities over a 3-year period. It also includes the total number of children in each type of care.

Facility Type	2018			2019			2020		
	Total # of Children in Care	# of Serious Injuries	# of Deaths	Total # of Children in Care	# of Serious Injuries	# of Deaths	Total # of Children in Care	# of Serious Injuries	# of Deaths
Licensed Child Care Center	125306	533 (0.43%)	0	131213	603 (0.46%)	0	161722	254 (0.16%)	0
Registered Family Child Care	26756	63 (0.24%)	0	26373	55 (0.21%)	0	38599	27 (0.07%)	0
Large Family Child Care Home	1188	7 (0.59%)	0	1234	2 (0.16%)	0	1655	1 (0.06%)	0
Letter of Compliance Facility	11510	21 (0.18%)	0	12066	17 (0.14%)	0	13599	13 (0.10%)	0

A serious injury is an injury that requires medical attention from a healthcare provider.

Death in child care is the death of a child that occurred while the child was in care.

Note: A serious injury or death is not necessarily related to licensing violations.

Total Instances of Substantiated Child Abuse, by Year:

As of January 1, 2021, no instance of child abuse have been reported to the Maryland State Department of Education.