

Serious Injuries and Deaths Report



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

Facility Type	2022 Total # of Children in Care	2022 # of Serious Injuries	2022 # of Deaths	2023 Total # of Children in Care	2023 # of Serious Injuries	2023 # of Deaths	2024 Total # of Children in Care	2024 # of Serious Injuries	2024 # of Deaths
Licensed Child Care Center	163282	409 (0.25%)	1	116453	617 (0.25%)	1 (0.01%)	120131	656 (0.55%)	0
Registered Family Child Care	38926	38 (0.10%)	3 (0.01%)	20135	60 (0.30%)	1 (0.005%)	19984	48 (0.24%)	1 (0.005%)
Large Family Child Care Home	1894	2 (0.11%)	0	1281	1 (0.08%)	0	1456	5 (0.34%)	0
Letter of Compliance Facility	14114	15 (0.11%)	0	11270	26 (0.23%)	0	12109	14 (0.12%)	0
Informal Care*	187	0 (0%)	0	275	0 (0%)	0	333	0 (0%)	0
Totals	216255	464 (0.21%)	1 (0.0005%)	149414	704 (0.47%)	1 (0.0005%)	154013	723 (0.47%)	1 (0.001%)

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

[Please note aggregate data regarding the Total # of children in care was calculated based on the capacity of programs.]

Year	2022	2023	2024
Total Instances of Substantiated Child Abuse and Neglect for licensed, regulated and monitored programs**	45	49	39

*Only children with scholarship vouchers for 20 care hours per week or greater. Represents actual number served.

**The data shown reflects the Department of Human Services (DHS) determinations that were reported to the Office of Child Care (OCC) at the time of the initial finding, which is at the end of the Child Protective Services (CPS) investigation. Please note initial findings are eligible for appeal and the data shown may include findings that are currently in appeal status.