

YoungStar Measurements

Month: Aug-23
 YoungStar is transitioning to a new service provider in 2023. There are now five YoungStar Regions instead of six. The Milwaukee and Kenosha/Racine Regions have been merged into the Southeastern Region. Waukesha County is now part of the Southeastern Region. These changes and adjustments are reflected below.

Providers Rated: All Providers	Cumulative	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	5	680	620	101	424	1,830	101	1,931
	*Licensed Camp	0	48	5	6	2	61	4	65
	Licensed Family	4	598	382	64	54	1,102	99	1,201
	Certified Family	0	294	50	8	3	355	72	427
	Public School	0	102	51	2	10	165	3	168
	Total	9	1,722	1,108	181	493	3,513	279	3,792
	Aug-23	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	-4	7	-12	2	-2	-9	1	-8
	*Licensed Camp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Licensed Family	-2	3	-2	-2	1	-2	-5	-7	
Certified Family	0	5	-1	0	-1	3	-4	-1	
Public School	0	-2	1	0	1	0	0	0	
Total	-6	13	-14	0	-1	-8	-8	-16	

Providers Rated: Providers who Take Wisconsin Shares	Cumulative	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	0	448	519	91	263	1,321	80	1,401
	*Licensed Camp	0	39	5	5	1	50	3	53
	Licensed Family	0	411	273	42	24	750	85	835
	Certified Family	0	222	36	7	0	265	60	325
	Public School	0	40	26	2	0	68	2	70
	Total	0	1,160	859	147	288	2,454	230	2,684
	Aug-23	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	0	5	1	3	7	16	5	21
	*Licensed Camp	0	-1	1	0	0	0	-1	-1
Licensed Family	0	0	-1	0	3	2	-1	1	
Certified Family	0	3	0	0	-1	2	3	5	
Public School	0	-21	-14	0	0	-35	0	-35	
Total	0	-14	-13	3	9	-15	6	-9	

Providers Rated: All Providers by Region	Cumulative	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Southeastern	9	854	494	67	142	1,566	217	1,783
	Northeastern	0	232	200	34	84	550	20	570
	Northern	0	109	92	10	33	244	7	251
	Southern	0	303	174	53	171	701	16	717
	Western	0	224	148	17	63	452	19	471
	Total	9	1,722	1,108	181	493	3,513	279	3,792
	Aug-23	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Southeastern	-5	-5	-2	0	3	-9	0	-9
	Northeastern	0	10	-5	1	-9	-3	2	-1
Northern	0	6	-4	0	0	2	-3	-1	
Southern	-1	0	-1	0	3	1	-2	-1	
Western	0	2	-2	-1	2	1	-5	-4	
Total	-6	13	-14	0	-1	-8	-8	-16	

Wisconsin Shares Children at Star Rating Levels	Cumulative	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Pending	Total
	Southeastern	10,908	8,166	1,592	3,610	2,658	26,934
	Northeastern	734	1,557	247	738	110	3,386
	Northern	281	416	101	123	6	927
	Southern	1,238	1,106	135	944	71	3,494
	Western	697	724	39	295	100	1,855
	Total	13,858	11,969	2,114	5,710	2,945	36,596
Note: Wisconsin Shares does not reimburse providers at the 1 Star level for caring for children. In the past, children authorized to a participating program not yet rated were not reported. Due to the pandemic and the high number of programs waiting for ratings, these numbers are now being reported.							

Wisconsin Shares Children by Age and Star Rating Levels	Cumulative	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Pending	Total
	Age 0-2 Years	1,946	1,753	296	932	577	5,504
	Age 2-4 Years	2,996	3,027	550	1,726	689	8,988
	Age 4-6 Years	2,869	2,792	514	1,568	594	8,337
	Age 6-12 Years	5,521	4,088	691	1,432	993	12,725
	Age 12-17 Years	526	309	63	52	92	1,042
	Total	13,858	11,969	2,114	5,710	2,945	36,596
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Type of Rating Chosen by Region	Region	Automated Rating Non-Accredited		Automated Rating Accredited		Technical Rating		Formal Rating	
		Aug-23	Cumulative	Aug-23	Cumulative	Aug-23	Cumulative	Aug-23	Cumulative
		Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active
	Western	6	121	2	57	-6	249	-1	25
Northern	6	57	0	29	-4	142	0	16	
Northeastern	11	139	-8	63	-6	289	0	59	
Southern	4	245	3	184	-7	224	1	48	
Southeastern	0	481	2	130	-11	865	0	90	
Total	27	1043	-1	463	-34	1,769	0	238	

Definitions

Automated Rating Non-Accredited: A program that is in regulatory compliance and does not want to participate in services can receive an Automated Rating. A program that chooses this option cannot be rated above 2 Stars. Providers electing to receive an Automated Non-Accredited Rating are not required to be on The Registry. **Automated Rating Accredited:** A program that is in regulatory compliance and wants to participate in YoungStar as an accredited program may also receive an Automated Rating. A program that chooses this option can be rated either a 4 or 5 Star, depending on the Accreditation earned and staff educational qualifications.

Technical Rating: a process of rating a provider using the YoungStar quality indicators over the course of several on-site visits.

Formal Rating: a rating that is delivered utilizing a combination of YoungStar quality indicators and the Environment Rating Scales (<http://ers.fpg.unc.edu/>).

Type of Direct Service Hours	Region	Initial and Site Visits		Practice Based Coaching		Other Direct Services		Total Direct Services	
		Aug-23	Y-T-D	Aug-23	Y-T-D	Aug-23	Y-T-D	Aug-23	Y-T-D
	Southeastern	132.5	700.2	1.3	1.3	14.5	31.3	148.3	732.7
Northeastern	93.0	402.8	0.0	1.0	4.0	22.5	97.0	426.3	
Northern	33.8	246.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.8	33.8	257.8	
Southern	116.3	679.1	0.0	0.0	9.3	57.0	125.6	736.1	
Western	57.3	345.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.7	57.3	349.2	
Total	432.8	2,373.6	1.3	2.3	27.8	126.2	461.8	2,502.0	

Direct time is measured in hours by type for YoungStar service delivery. Direct services can be provided onsite or virtually as selected by providers. Other direct service visits includes things like rating verification visits.

Number of Programs with High-Quality Practices	Aug-23							
	Region	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Southeastern	88	35	41	45	21	118	185
Northeastern	69	39	50	35	24	55	79	
Northern	15	9	6	12	3	14	31	
Southern	45	20	22	35	11	104	111	
Western	33	25	15	20	12	54	58	
Total	250	128	134	147	71	345	464	

The following high-quality practices are measured in YoungStar: (1) uses age-appropriate learning plans (2) gathers information on children's experiences (3) experiences are adapted to each child's needs (4) uses a developmental screener (5) tracks children's growth and progress (6) most staff have social/emotional or inclusion training and (7) staff have strengthening families training.