

YoungStar Measurements

Month: Oct-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	4	681	613	96	425	1,819	115	1,934
	*Licensed Camp	0	50	3	7	2	62	3	65
	Licensed Family	3	602	377	63	53	1,098	104	1,202
	Certified Family	0	288	53	8	4	353	86	439
	Public School	0	99	52	1	9	161	4	165
	Total	7	1,720	1,098	175	493	3,493	312	3,805
	Oct-23	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	-2	7	-5	-2	3	1	0	1
	*Licensed Camp	0	-1	0	1	0	0	0	0
	Licensed Family	-1	9	-2	0	0	6	-2	4
	Certified Family	-1	-2	0	0	1	-2	8	6
Public School	0	-2	0	0	0	-2	0	-2	
Total	-4	11	-7	-1	4	3	6	9	

Providers Rated: Providers who Take Wisconsin Shares	Cumulative	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	2	568	545	84	281	1,480	99	1,579
	*Licensed Camp	0	7	1	0	1	9	1	10
	Licensed Family	0	407	268	43	25	743	90	833
	Certified Family	0	214	40	5	1	260	67	327
	Public School	0	72	45	1	1	119	3	122
	Total	2	1,268	899	133	309	2,611	260	2,871
	Oct-23	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	0	11	-1	-4	4	10	-2	8
	*Licensed Camp	0	-4	-1	0	1	-4	0	-4
	Licensed Family	0	9	-4	0	0	5	2	7
	Certified Family	-1	2	0	-2	1	0	5	5
Public School	0	3	1	0	0	4	0	4	
Total	-1	21	-5	-6	6	15	5	20	

Providers Rated: All Providers by Region	Cumulative	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Southeastern	6	784	461	53	114	1,418	237	1,655
	Northeastern	1	239	197	33	85	555	14	569
	Northern	0	111	90	10	32	243	9	252
	Southern	0	373	202	62	200	837	31	868
	Western	0	213	148	17	62	440	21	461
	Total	7	1,720	1,098	175	493	3,493	312	3,805
	Oct-23	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Southeastern	-4	14	-2	-1	2	9	2	11
	Northeastern	1	2	-3	0	1	1	-1	0
	Northern	0	0	-1	1	0	0	2	2
	Southern	-1	2	-1	-1	2	1	2	3
Western	0	-7	0	0	-1	-8	1	-7	
Total	-4	11	-7	-1	4	3	6	9	

Wisconsin Shares Children at Star Rating Levels	Cumulative	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Pending	Total
	Southeastern	10,117	7,693	1,257	2,956	2,689	24,712
	Northeastern	635	1,446	232	687	76	3,076
	Northern	205	334	72	89	7	707
	Southern	1,366	1,283	135	1,332	177	4,293
	Western	646	657	35	223	85	1,646
	Total	12,969	11,413	1,731	5,287	3,034	34,434
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	2,069	1,908	282	990	611	5,860
	Age 2-4 Years	3,018	3,086	501	1,844	760	9,209
	Age 4-6 Years	2,599	2,452	383	1,251	557	7,242
	Age 6-12 Years	4,889	3,715	522	1,159	1,024	11,309
	Age 12-17 Years	394	252	43	43	82	814
	Total	12,969	11,413	1,731	5,287	3,034	34,434
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Type of Rating Chosen by Region	Region	Automated Rating Non-Accredited		Automated Rating Accredited		Technical Rating		Formal Rating	
		Oct-23	Cumulative	Oct-23	Cumulative	Oct-23	Cumulative	Oct-23	Cumulative
		Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active
	Western	-3	117	-1	56	-4	242	0	25
Northern	2	62	0	29	-2	136	0	16	
Northeastern	3	148	0	63	-2	286	0	58	
Southern	1	278	1	212	0	288	-1	59	
Southeastern	15	458	-1	99	-4	786	-1	75	
Total	18	1063	-1	459	-12	1,738	-2	233	

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	
		Oct-23	Y-T-D	Oct-23	Y-T-D	Oct-23	Y-T-D	Oct-23	Y-T-D
	Southeastern	0.0	1,037.7	0.0	1.3	0.0	98.8	0.0	1,137.7
Northeastern	0.0	633.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	46.8	0.0	680.8	
Northern	0.0	330.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	18.3	0.0	349.0	
Southern	0.0	1,075.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	101.5	0.0	1,177.1	
Western	0.0	468.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.7	0.0	474.5	
Total	0.0	3,545.8	0.0	2.3	0.0	270.9	0.0	3,819.0	

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	Oct-23							
	Region	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Southeastern	73	32	34	40	20	100	163
Northeastern	67	39	49	35	24	56	76	
Northern	15	9	6	13	3	16	34	
Southern	57	26	30	39	15	104	121	
Western	32	24	14	20	11	53	51	
Total	244	130	133	147	73	329	445	

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.