

## YoungStar Measurements

<b>Month: Feb-24</b>		YoungStar has transitioned 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.							
<b>Providers Rated: All Providers</b>	<b>Cumulative</b>	<b>1 Star</b>	<b>2 Star</b>	<b>3 Star</b>	<b>4 Star</b>	<b>5 Star</b>	<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
	Licensed Group	4	695	604	92	433	1,828	116	1,944
	*Licensed Camp	0	52	1	7	2	62	4	66
	Licensed Family	4	618	363	61	58	1,104	139	1,243
	Certified Family	0	277	51	8	3	339	92	431
	Public School	0	107	45	1	9	162	4	166
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1,749</b>	<b>1,064</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>3,495</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>3,850</b>
	<b>Feb-24</b>	<b>1 Star</b>	<b>2 Star</b>	<b>3 Star</b>	<b>4 Star</b>	<b>5 Star</b>	<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
	Licensed Group	-1	-10	4	-1	6	-2	-5	-7
	*Licensed Camp	0	2	0	-2	0	0	0	0
	Licensed Family	-1	7	-2	-2	2	4	9	13
	Certified Family	-1	-7	0	0	-1	-9	0	-9
Public School	0	3	-1	0	0	2	-2	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-3</b>	

<b>Providers Rated: Providers who Take Wisconsin Shares</b>	<b>Cumulative</b>	<b>1 Star</b>	<b>2 Star</b>	<b>3 Star</b>	<b>4 Star</b>	<b>5 Star</b>	<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
	Licensed Group	1	581	548	81	283	1,494	96	1,590
	*Licensed Camp	0	10	1	0	1	12	1	13
	Licensed Family	1	429	258	43	26	757	111	868
	Certified Family	0	217	36	5	0	258	72	330
	Public School	0	79	40	1	1	121	2	123
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1,316</b>	<b>883</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>2,642</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>2,924</b>
	<b>Feb-24</b>	<b>1 Star</b>	<b>2 Star</b>	<b>3 Star</b>	<b>4 Star</b>	<b>5 Star</b>	<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
	Licensed Group	0	-10	13	-2	3	4	-4	0
	*Licensed Camp	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	3
	Licensed Family	-1	2	1	-2	1	1	10	11
	Certified Family	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-3	-4
Public School	0	1	-1	0	0	0	-2	-2	
<b>Total</b>	<b>-2</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>-4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	

<b>Providers Rated: All Providers by Region</b>	<b>Cumulative</b>	<b>1 Star</b>	<b>2 Star</b>	<b>3 Star</b>	<b>4 Star</b>	<b>5 Star</b>	<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
	Southeastern	5	808	440	51	116	1,420	270	1,690
	Northeastern	0	242	195	30	85	552	20	572
	Northern	1	112	83	12	31	239	12	251
	Southern	2	371	200	60	207	840	30	870
	Western	0	216	146	16	66	444	23	467
	<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1,749</b>	<b>1,064</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>3,495</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>3,850</b>
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	Southeastern	-3	4	-3	-2	1	-3	3	0
	Northeastern	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	-1
	Northern	0	-2	-1	0	0	-3	1	-2
	Southern	1	-7	4	-3	6	1	-1	0
Western	0	0	1	0	0	1	-1	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-3</b>	

<b>Wisconsin Shares Children at Star Rating Levels</b>	<b>Cumulative</b>	<b>2 Star</b>	<b>3 Star</b>	<b>4 Star</b>	<b>5 Star</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>Total</b>
	Southeastern	10,833	7,675	1,291	3,053	2,617	25,469
	Northeastern	719	1,552	260	712	52	3,295
	Northern	218	358	104	54	20	754
	Southern	1,440	1,300	218	1,531	101	4,590
	Western	655	710	39	217	108	1,729
	<b>Total</b>	<b>13,865</b>	<b>11,595</b>	<b>1,912</b>	<b>5,567</b>	<b>2,898</b>	<b>35,837</b>
<b>Note:</b> 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.							

<b>Wisconsin Shares Children by Age and Star Rating Levels</b>	<b>Cumulative</b>	<b>2 Star</b>	<b>3 Star</b>	<b>4 Star</b>	<b>5 Star</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>Total</b>
	Age 0-2 Years	2,055	1,766	264	966	618	5,669
	Age 2-4 Years	3,061	2,948	511	1,877	651	9,048
	Age 4-6 Years	2,878	2,672	480	1,417	509	7,956
	Age 6-12 Years	5,394	3,919	613	1,254	1,010	12,190
	Age 12-17 Years	477	290	44	53	110	974
	<b>Total</b>	<b>13,865</b>	<b>11,595</b>	<b>1,912</b>	<b>5,567</b>	<b>2,898</b>	<b>35,837</b>
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Type of Rating Chosen by Region	Region	Automated Rating Non-Accredited		Automated Rating Accredited		Technical Rating		Formal Rating	
		Feb-24	Cumulative	Feb-24	Cumulative	Feb-24	Cumulative	Feb-24	Cumulative
		Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active
	Western	2	123	0	60	-1	237	0	24
Northern	-1	69	0	30	-2	124	0	16	
Northeastern	2	153	1	69	-3	276	-1	54	
Southern	-1	280	-1	209	2	289	1	62	
Southeastern	-3	446	-1	99	4	801	-3	74	
<b>Total</b>	<b>-1</b>	<b>1071</b>	<b>-1</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,727</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>230</b>	

**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	
		Feb-24	Y-T-D	Feb-24	Y-T-D	Feb-24	Y-T-D	Feb-24	Y-T-D
	Southeastern	150.5	277.3	-1.3	0.0	30.8	44.0	181.3	321.3
Northeastern	107.5	195.8	-2.0	0.0	19.5	26.0	127.0	221.8	
Northern	1.0	7.5	0.0	0.0	6.3	6.3	7.3	13.8	
Southern	181.0	307.8	0.8	0.8	4.5	21.5	186.3	330.0	
Western	38.5	96.3	0.0	0.0	8.8	8.8	47.3	105.0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>478.5</b>	<b>884.5</b>	<b>-2.5</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>69.8</b>	<b>106.5</b>	<b>549.0</b>	<b>991.8</b>	

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	Feb-24							
	Region	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Southeastern	73	33	41	41	21	97	142
Northeastern	59	37	47	35	22	54	76	
Northern	15	9	6	11	3	16	35	
Southern	59	27	36	38	16	101	122	
Western	28	21	12	18	10	48	48	
<b>Total</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>423</b>	

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.