

YoungStar Measurements

Month: Jul-24		YoungStar 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.							
Providers Rated: All Providers	Cumulative	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	7	706	582	98	427	1,820	101	1,921
	*Licensed Camp	0	52	3	9	2	66	2	68
	Licensed Family	0	638	359	60	60	1,117	137	1,254
	Certified Family	0	280	51	7	3	341	106	447
	Public School	0	104	44	1	9	158	6	164
	Total	7	1,780	1,039	175	501	3,502	352	3,854
	JUL-24	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	1	-2	-9	3	-1	-8	3	-5
	*Licensed Camp	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Licensed Family	-2	5	-1	0	0	2	0	2
	Certified Family	0	-7	0	0	0	-7	7	0
	Public School	0	2	-1	0	0	1	0	1
Total	-1	-2	-11	3	-1	-12	10	-2	

Providers Rated: Providers who Take Wisconsin Shares	Cumulative	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	1	479	495	80	265	1,320	72	1,392
	*Licensed Camp	0	43	3	8	1	55	2	57
	Licensed Family	0	444	264	43	31	782	118	900
	Certified Family	0	225	41	5	0	271	82	353
	Public School	0	64	36	1	1	102	2	104
	Total	1	1,255	839	137	298	2,530	276	2,806
	JUL-24	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	0	-89	-39	0	-15	-143	-14	-157
	*Licensed Camp	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
	Licensed Family	0	3	-1	0	1	3	2	5
	Certified Family	0	-2	0	0	0	-2	1	-1
	Public School	0	-15	-6	0	0	-21	-2	-23
Total	0	-102	-46	0	-14	-162	-13	-175	

Providers Rated: All Providers by Region	Cumulative	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Southeastern	5	888	467	61	149	1,570	303	1,873
	Northeastern	0	257	178	31	90	556	15	571
	Northern	2	102	85	13	30	232	10	242
	Southern	0	306	172	54	167	699	9	708
	Western	0	227	137	16	65	445	15	460
	Total	7	1,780	1,039	175	501	3,502	352	3,854
	JUL-24	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Southeastern	-1	0	-5	2	0	-4	5	1
	Northeastern	0	0	-5	-1	0	-6	4	-2
	Northern	0	-2	0	0	0	-2	1	-1
	Southern	0	2	-3	2	-2	-1	1	0
	Western	0	-2	2	0	1	1	-1	0
Total	-1	-2	-11	3	-1	-12	10	-2	

Wisconsin Shares Children at Star Rating Levels	Cumulative	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Pending	Total
	Southeastern	11,796	7,722	1,139	3,923	3,174	27,754
	Northeastern	910	1,518	311	790	62	3,591
	Northern	202	437	119	77	14	849
	Southern	1,463	1,062	140	1,089	45	3,799
	Western	708	749	47	228	68	1,800
	Total	15,079	11,488	1,756	6,107	3,363	37,793
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	2,057	1,700	219	1,010	639	5,625
	Age 2-4 Years	3,094	2,849	438	1,892	785	9,058
	Age 4-6 Years	3,201	2,695	418	1,604	609	8,527
	Age 6-12 Years	6,124	3,950	631	1,539	1,186	13,430
	Age 12-17 Years	603	293	50	62	144	1,152
	Total	15,079	11,488	1,756	6,107	3,363	37,793
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Type of Rating Chosen by Region	Region	Automated Rating Non-Accredited		Automated Rating Accredited		Technical Rating		Formal Rating	
		Jul-24	Cumulative	Jul-24	Cumulative	Jul-24	Cumulative	Jul-24	Cumulative
		Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active
	Western	1	127	1	57	-1	236	0	25
Northern	-2	63	0	28	1	125	-1	16	
Northeastern	0	159	0	72	-4	268	-2	57	
Southern	1	244	0	177	-1	230	-1	48	
Southeastern	-9	482	2	133	1	862	2	93	
Total	-9	1075	3	467	-4	1,721	-2	239	

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	
		Jul-24	Y-T-D	Jul-24	Y-T-D	Jul-24	Y-T-D	Jul-24	Y-T-D
	Southeastern	199.0	1,444.1	0.0	0.0	27.8	151.0	226.8	1,595.1
Northeastern	115.5	869.8	0.0	1.8	17.0	98.0	132.5	969.5	
Northern	26.3	172.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	4.8	26.5	176.8	
Southern	78.8	846.8	12.3	37.8	13.8	67.3	104.8	951.8	
Western	110.3	586.3	0.0	6.3	0.0	19.3	110.3	611.8	
Total	529.8	3,918.8	12.3	45.8	58.8	340.3	600.8	4,304.8	

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	Jul-24							
	Region	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Southeastern	92	41	56	55	28	98	162
Northeastern	58	38	49	34	21	45	70	
Northern	15	9	6	12	3	17	35	
Southern	48	23	28	35	14	92	100	
Western	27	20	10	16	7	41	43	
Total	240	131	149	152	73	293	410	

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.