

YoungStar Measurements

| Month: Feb-25 | | 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. | | | | | | | |
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| Providers Rated: All Providers | Cumulative | 1 Star | 2 Star | 3 Star | 4 Star | 5 Star | Sub-Total | Pending | TOTAL |
| | Licensed Group | 3 | 735 | 574 | 94 | 424 | 1,830 | 123 | 1,953 |
| | *Licensed Camp | 0 | 53 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 65 | 2 | 67 |
| | Licensed Family | 3 | 622 | 352 | 65 | 59 | 1,101 | 153 | 1,254 |
| | Certified Family | 1 | 287 | 51 | 7 | 4 | 350 | 107 | 457 |
| | Public School | 0 | 102 | 42 | 2 | 8 | 154 | 14 | 168 |
| | Total | 7 | 1,799 | 1,020 | 177 | 497 | 3,500 | 399 | 3,899 |
| | Feb-25 | 1 Star | 2 Star | 3 Star | 4 Star | 5 Star | Sub-Total | Pending | TOTAL |
| | Licensed Group | -1 | 21 | -3 | -3 | 1 | 15 | -7 | 8 |
| | *Licensed Camp | 0 | -1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | -1 | 0 |
| Licensed Family | 2 | -1 | -3 | 4 | 0 | 2 | -6 | -4 | |
| Certified Family | 1 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | -2 | 5 | |
| Public School | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | |
| Total | 2 | 24 | -4 | 3 | 1 | 26 | -16 | 10 | |

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| 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 | 590 | 464 | 73 | 254 | 1,381 | 96 | 1,477 |
| | *Licensed Camp | 0 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 10 |
| | Licensed Family | 0 | 424 | 258 | 44 | 27 | 753 | 116 | 869 |
| | Certified Family | 0 | 229 | 43 | 5 | 1 | 278 | 76 | 354 |
| | Public School | 0 | 69 | 37 | 1 | 1 | 108 | 10 | 118 |
| | Total | 0 | 1,321 | 803 | 123 | 283 | 2,530 | 298 | 2,828 |
| | Feb-25 | 1 Star | 2 Star | 3 Star | 4 Star | 5 Star | Sub-Total | Pending | TOTAL |
| | Licensed Group | 0 | 17 | -9 | -5 | -2 | 1 | -4 | -3 |
| | *Licensed Camp | 0 | -1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -1 | 0 | -1 |
| Licensed Family | 0 | -3 | -7 | 2 | -2 | -10 | -3 | -13 | |
| Certified Family | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 | -3 | 3 | |
| Public School | 0 | 0 | 3 | -1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | |
| Total | 0 | 17 | -11 | -4 | -4 | -2 | -9 | -11 | |

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| Providers Rated: All Providers by Region | Cumulative | 1 Star | 2 Star | 3 Star | 4 Star | 5 Star | Sub-Total | Pending | TOTAL |
| | Southeastern | 7 | 915 | 462 | 60 | 145 | 1,589 | 337 | 1,926 |
| | Northeastern | 0 | 262 | 176 | 31 | 92 | 561 | 16 | 577 |
| | Northern | 0 | 96 | 81 | 11 | 30 | 218 | 11 | 229 |
| | Southern | 0 | 301 | 162 | 60 | 167 | 690 | 18 | 708 |
| | Western | 0 | 225 | 139 | 15 | 63 | 442 | 17 | 459 |
| | Total | 7 | 1,799 | 1,020 | 177 | 497 | 3,500 | 399 | 3,899 |
| | Feb-25 | 1 Star | 2 Star | 3 Star | 4 Star | 5 Star | Sub-Total | Pending | TOTAL |
| | Southeastern | 2 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 26 | -23 | 3 |
| | Northeastern | 0 | 1 | 0 | -2 | 0 | -1 | 5 | 4 |
| Northern | 0 | -1 | 1 | 0 | -1 | -1 | 1 | 0 | |
| Southern | 0 | 1 | -5 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | |
| Western | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | |
| Total | 2 | 24 | -4 | 3 | 1 | 26 | -16 | 10 | |

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| Wisconsin Shares Children at Star Rating Levels | Cumulative | 2 Star | 3 Star | 4 Star | 5 Star | Pending | Total |
| | Southeastern | 11,536 | 7,192 | 1,091 | 3,507 | 3,539 | 26,865 |
| | Northeastern | 748 | 1,309 | 262 | 643 | 38 | 3,000 |
| | Northern | 173 | 369 | 58 | 58 | 15 | 673 |
| | Southern | 1,242 | 1,010 | 94 | 1,063 | 80 | 3,489 |
| | Western | 766 | 673 | 25 | 177 | 39 | 1,680 |
| | Total | 14,465 | 10,553 | 1,530 | 5,448 | 3,711 | 35,707 |
| 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. | | | | | | | |

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| Wisconsin Shares Children by Age and Star Rating Levels | Cumulative | 2 Star | 3 Star | 4 Star | 5 Star | Pending | Total |
| | Age 0-2 Years | 2,036 | 1,620 | 220 | 951 | 628 | 5,455 |
| | Age 2-4 Years | 3,111 | 2,579 | 366 | 1,844 | 783 | 8,683 |
| | Age 4-6 Years | 2,989 | 2,406 | 353 | 1,300 | 676 | 7,724 |
| | Age 6-12 Years | 5,776 | 3,644 | 545 | 1,281 | 1,446 | 12,692 |
| | Age 12-17 Years | 553 | 303 | 46 | 72 | 178 | 1,152 |
| | Total | 14,465 | 10,553 | 1,530 | 5,448 | 3,711 | 35,707 |
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| Type of Rating Chosen by Region | Region | Automated Rating Non-Accredited | | Automated Rating Accredited | | Technical Rating | | Formal Rating | |
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| | | Feb-25 | Cumulative | Feb-25 | Cumulative | Feb-25 | Cumulative | Feb-25 | Cumulative |
| | | Active | Active | Active | Active | Active | Active | Active | Active |
| | Western | 3 | 139 | 0 | 57 | -2 | 223 | 0 | 23 |
| Northern | -1 | 56 | 0 | 28 | 1 | 118 | -1 | 16 | |
| Northeastern | 4 | 180 | 0 | 73 | -3 | 248 | -2 | 60 | |
| Southern | 0 | 235 | 4 | 180 | -2 | 223 | -1 | 52 | |
| Southeastern | -5 | 455 | 0 | 134 | 32 | 910 | -1 | 90 | |
| Total | 1 | 1065 | 4 | 472 | 26 | 1,722 | -5 | 241 | |

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-25 | Y-T-D | Feb-25 | Y-T-D | Feb-25 | Y-T-D | Feb-25 | Y-T-D |
| | Southeastern | 240.5 | 451.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 17.0 | 43.0 | 257.5 | 494.3 |
| Northeastern | 102.3 | 218.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 12.3 | 28.3 | 114.5 | 247.0 | |
| Northern | 60.0 | 85.3 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 3.0 | 9.3 | 63.0 | 94.8 | |
| Southern | 136.8 | 249.5 | 5.8 | 9.5 | 8.8 | 15.3 | 151.3 | 274.3 | |
| Western | 55.8 | 95.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.0 | 5.5 | 58.8 | 100.8 | |
| Total | 595.3 | 1,100.0 | 5.8 | 9.8 | 44.0 | 101.3 | 645.0 | 1,211.0 | |

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 | Feb-25 | | | | | | | |
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| | Region | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| | Southeastern | 90 | 38 | 57 | 56 | 28 | 87 | 157 |
| Northeastern | 60 | 42 | 50 | 37 | 23 | 45 | 71 | |
| Northern | 14 | 10 | 6 | 12 | 3 | 16 | 32 | |
| Southern | 49 | 23 | 31 | 37 | 13 | 90 | 100 | |
| Western | 23 | 17 | 9 | 13 | 5 | 30 | 38 | |
| Total | 236 | 130 | 153 | 155 | 72 | 268 | 398 | |

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.