

YoungStar Measurements

Month: Jan-26
 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	0	740	598	103	425	1,866	113	1,979
	*Licensed Camp	0	57	4	3	2	66	2	68
	Licensed Family	1	675	367	63	72	1,178	120	1,298
	Certified Family	0	353	53	7	6	419	104	523
	Public School	0	99	47	3	12	161	17	178
	Total	1	1,924	1,069	179	517	3,690	356	4,046
	Jan-26	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	-1	-5	1	1	-1	-5	-5	-10
	*Licensed Camp	0	1	0	-7	0	-6	0	-6
Licensed Family	0	0	2	1	0	3	-3	0	
Certified Family	0	6	-6	0	0	0	-3	-3	
Public School	0	-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	-1	1	-2	-5	-1	-8	-11	-19	

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	612	513	80	250	1,455	96	1,551
	*Licensed Camp	0	9	1	1	0	11	0	11
	Licensed Family	0	483	271	41	37	832	91	923
	Certified Family	0	291	43	4	2	340	74	414
	Public School	0	77	41	3	1	122	10	132
	Total	0	1,472	869	129	290	2,760	271	3,031
	Jan-26	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Licensed Group	0	12	27	5	-5	39	-7	32
	*Licensed Camp	0	1	0	-1	0	0	0	0
Licensed Family	0	19	21	1	0	41	-8	33	
Certified Family	0	9	0	-1	0	8	-2	6	
Public School	0	0	3	1	-1	3	-1	2	
Total	0	41	51	5	-6	91	-18	73	

Providers Rated: All Providers by Region	Cumulative	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Southeastern	1	1,068	529	59	165	1,822	292	2,114
	Northeastern	0	254	160	41	93	548	19	567
	Northern	0	94	82	11	32	219	10	229
	Southern	0	289	166	53	166	674	20	694
	Western	0	219	132	15	61	427	15	442
	Total	1	1,924	1,069	179	517	3,690	356	4,046
	Jan-26	1 Star	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Sub-Total	Pending	TOTAL
	Southeastern	-1	8	2	0	1	10	-13	-3
	Northeastern	0	-3	-1	1	0	-3	2	-1
Northern	0	-2	0	0	0	-2	1	-1	
Southern	0	-1	-1	-6	-1	-9	0	-9	
Western	0	-1	-2	0	-1	-4	-1	-5	
Total	-1	1	-2	-5	-1	-8	-11	-19	

Wisconsin Shares Children at Star Rating Levels	Cumulative	2 Star	3 Star	4 Star	5 Star	Pending	Total
	Southeastern	13,398	8,631	1,097	3,526	3,049	29,701
	Northeastern	788	1,331	395	619	84	3,217
	Northern	169	442	42	81	20	754
	Southern	1,267	1,074	137	1,054	119	3,651
	Western	743	691	58	194	32	1,718
	Total	16,365	12,169	1,729	5,474	3,304	39,041
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	2,152	1,790	270	936	527	5,675
	Age 2-4 Years	3,174	2,925	483	1,782	644	9,008
	Age 4-6 Years	3,166	2,555	423	1,327	598	8,069
	Age 6-12 Years	7,116	4,486	510	1,353	1,357	14,822
	Age 12-17 Years	757	413	43	76	178	1,467
	Total	16,365	12,169	1,729	5,474	3,304	39,041
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Type of Rating Chosen by Region	Region	Automated Rating Non-Accredited		Automated Rating Accredited		Technical Rating		Formal Rating	
		Jan-26 Active	Cumulative Active	Jan-26 Active	Cumulative Active	Jan-26 Active	Cumulative Active	Jan-26 Active	Cumulative Active
	Western	-2	143	0	54	-2	208	0	22
Northern	-1	56	0	28	-1	119	0	16	
Northeastern	-1	184	2	77	-5	224	1	63	
Southern	-9	221	1	174	-1	226	0	53	
Southeastern	-8	455	1	133	17	1,131	0	103	
Total	-21	1059	4	466	8	1,908	1	257	

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	
		Jan-26	Y-T-D	Jan-26	Y-T-D	Jan-26	Y-T-D	Jan-26	Y-T-D
	Southeastern	0.0	238.3	0.0	2.8	0.0	20.0	0.0	261.0
Northeastern	0.0	141.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.8	0.0	153.5	
Northern	0.0	40.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.8	0.0	43.5	
Southern	0.0	140.8	0.0	2.8	0.0	7.0	0.0	150.5	
Western	0.0	68.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	0.0	74.3	
Total	0.0	629.8	0.0	5.5	0.0	47.5	0.0	682.8	

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	Jan-26							
	Region	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Southeastern	104	45	70	70	36	106	154
Northeastern	62	50	54	44	37	46	79	
Northern	14	11	8	13	2	16	31	
Southern	50	23	34	35	12	99	109	
Western	21	16	8	17	2	29	37	
Total	251	145	174	179	89	296	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.