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Executive Statistical Summary Licensing Data

Data as of August 31, 2021

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Illinois Department of Children & Family Services

Licensing Data

Data as of 8/31/2021

Statewide

LICENSING AGENT	FACILITY TYPE	LICENSED	EXPIRED / RENEWAL*	CAPACITY**	EXPIRED	PENDING***
DCFS	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	56	5	2,692	9	1
	AGENCIES	130	5	0	46	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	2,597	231	239,488	75	54
	DAY CARE HOMES	5,471	191	42,476	334	78
	FOSTER HOMES	1,988	33	4,300	185	238
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	706	22	8,422	15	20
	GROUP HOMES	95	4	740	23	1
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	6	0	37	2	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
DCFS Total:		11,049	491	298,155	689	392
PRIVATE	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	0	0	0	0	0
	AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	FOSTER HOMES	6,870	250	18,248	1,432	1,160
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	GROUP HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
PRIVATE Total:		6,870	250	18,248	1,432	1,160
TOTAL	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	56	5	2,692	9	1
	AGENCIES	130	5	0	46	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	2,597	231	239,488	75	54
	DAY CARE HOMES	5,471	191	42,476	334	78
	FOSTER HOMES	8,858	283	22,548	1,617	1,398
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	706	22	8,422	15	20
	GROUP HOMES	95	4	740	23	1
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	6	0	37	2	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
Total:		17,919	741	316,403	2,121	1,552

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Cook Region

LICENSING AGENT	FACILITY TYPE	LICENSED	EXPIRED / RENEWAL*	CAPACITY**	EXPIRED	PENDING***
DCFS	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	25	3	1,261	7	0
	AGENCIES	57	1	0	31	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	1,257	122	109,953	34	32
	DAY CARE HOMES	2,253	84	17,436	110	31
	FOSTER HOMES	463	7	888	86	71
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	308	12	3,713	5	1
	GROUP HOMES	24	1	200	15	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	4	0	31	2	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
	DCFS Total:	4,391	230	133,482	290	135
PRIVATE	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	0	0	0	0	0
	AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	FOSTER HOMES	2,203	135	5,853	845	325
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	GROUP HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE Total:	2,203	135	5,853	845	325
TOTAL	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	25	3	1,261	7	0
	AGENCIES	57	1	0	31	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	1,257	122	109,953	34	32
	DAY CARE HOMES	2,253	84	17,436	110	31
	FOSTER HOMES	2,666	142	6,741	931	396
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	308	12	3,713	5	1
	GROUP HOMES	24	1	200	15	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	4	0	31	2	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
	Total:	6,594	365	139,335	1,135	460

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Central Region

LICENSING AGENT	FACILITY TYPE	LICENSED	EXPIRED / RENEWAL*	CAPACITY**	EXPIRED	PENDING***
DCFS	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	10	1	431	2	0
	AGENCIES	27	0	0	6	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	382	32	33,536	11	6
	DAY CARE HOMES	1,428	16	10,871	86	16
	FOSTER HOMES	663	14	1,629	23	70
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	92	4	1,111	3	2
	GROUP HOMES	22	0	157	3	1
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
DCFS Total:		2,624	67	47,735	134	95
PRIVATE	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	0	0	0	0	0
	AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	FOSTER HOMES	2,166	48	5,834	256	378
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	GROUP HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
PRIVATE Total:		2,166	48	5,834	256	378
TOTAL	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	10	1	431	2	0
	AGENCIES	27	0	0	6	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	382	32	33,536	11	6
	DAY CARE HOMES	1,428	16	10,871	86	16
	FOSTER HOMES	2,829	62	7,463	279	448
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	92	4	1,111	3	2
	GROUP HOMES	22	0	157	3	1
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
Total:		4,790	115	53,569	390	473

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Northern Region

LICENSING AGENT	FACILITY TYPE	LICENSED	EXPIRED / RENEWAL*	CAPACITY**	EXPIRED	PENDING***
DCFS	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	12	0	712	0	0
	AGENCIES	28	3	0	5	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	703	69	74,935	30	14
	DAY CARE HOMES	1,325	86	10,613	133	25
	FOSTER HOMES	421	3	906	52	46
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	247	6	2,916	7	16
	GROUP HOMES	29	2	202	5	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	2	0	6	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
DCFS Total:		2,767	169	90,290	232	101
PRIVATE	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	0	0	0	0	0
	AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	FOSTER HOMES	1,421	45	3,907	219	199
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	GROUP HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
PRIVATE Total:		1,421	45	3,907	219	199
TOTAL	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	12	0	712	0	0
	AGENCIES	28	3	0	5	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	703	69	74,935	30	14
	DAY CARE HOMES	1,325	86	10,613	133	25
	FOSTER HOMES	1,842	48	4,813	271	245
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	247	6	2,916	7	16
	GROUP HOMES	29	2	202	5	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	2	0	6	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
Total:		4,188	214	94,197	451	300

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Southern Region

LICENSING AGENT	FACILITY TYPE	LICENSED	EXPIRED / RENEWAL*	CAPACITY**	EXPIRED	PENDING***
DCFS	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	9	1	288	0	1
	AGENCIES	16	0	0	3	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	255	8	21,064	0	2
	DAY CARE HOMES	465	5	3,556	5	6
	FOSTER HOMES	441	8	875	16	51
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	59	0	682	0	1
	GROUP HOMES	20	1	181	0	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
DCFS Total:		1,265	23	26,646	24	61
PRIVATE	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	0	0	0	0	0
	AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	FOSTER HOMES	1,079	20	2,643	101	258
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	GROUP HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
PRIVATE Total:		1,079	20	2,643	101	258
TOTAL	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	9	1	288	0	1
	AGENCIES	16	0	0	3	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	255	8	21,064	0	2
	DAY CARE HOMES	465	5	3,556	5	6
	FOSTER HOMES	1,520	28	3,518	117	309
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	59	0	682	0	1
	GROUP HOMES	20	1	181	0	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
Total:		2,344	43	29,289	125	319

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Out of State

LICENSING AGENT	FACILITY TYPE	LICENSED	EXPIRED / RENEWAL*	CAPACITY**	EXPIRED	PENDING***
DCFS	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	0	0	0	0	0
	AGENCIES	2	1	0	1	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	FOSTER HOMES	0	1	2	8	0
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	GROUP HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
DCFS Total:		2	2	2	9	0
PRIVATE	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	0	0	0	0	0
	AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	FOSTER HOMES	1	2	11	11	0
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	GROUP HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
PRIVATE Total:		1	2	11	11	0
TOTAL	CHILD CARE INSTITUTIONS	0	0	0	0	0
	AGENCIES	2	1	0	1	0
	DAY CARE AGENCIES	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE CENTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	FOSTER HOMES	1	3	13	19	0
	GROUP DAY CARE HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	GROUP HOMES	0	0	0	0	0
	EMERGENCY SHELTERS	0	0	0	0	0
	YOUTH TRANSITIONAL HOUSING	0	0	0	0	0
Total:		3	4	13	20	0

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Understanding the Licensing Data report:

LICENSING AGENT - A department or private agency licensing worker who is responsible for making a particular licensing recommendation/decision.

LICENSED - The number of facilities that have a current license. In most cases, licenses are valid for a four-year period, after which a renewal of the license is required.

EXPIRED / RENEWAL - The number of facilities where the current license has expired and the renewal is in process.

CAPACITY - The number of children a facility is entitled to serve as determined by the licensing worker.

EXPIRED - The number of facilities where the current license has expired and a renewal license has not been yet issued.

PENDING - The number of new facilities currently under study for a license. The count does not include facilities requesting a renewal of an existing license.

Note: Licensing information provided is non-duplicated, point-in-time data based on information available on the last day of the reporting period.