

Pennsylvania Child Care Serious Injury and Child Fatality Report

The Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG) Act of 2014 requires states to make available by electronic means, easily accessible provider-specific information showing results of monitoring and inspection reports, as well as the number of deaths and serious injuries that occur in child care settings each year. Information regarding provider specific monitoring and inspection can be viewed at www.findchildcare.pa.gov. Information is posted for every certified child care facility related to licensing visits and information regarding the program's participation in Pennsylvania's quality rating and improvement system, Keystone STARS.

The Office of Child Development and Early Learning (OCDEL), the administrator for CCDBG in Pennsylvania will make serious injury and child fatality information available to parents and other stakeholders on a monthly and annual basis.

Information regarding serious injury and child fatality is published at <http://www.dhs.pa.gov/citizens/childcareearlylearning/index.htm>.

Type Facility	FY 14-15 Total	FY 15-16 Total	Number of Child Fatalities Reported												Total to Date	
			7/16	8/16	9/16	10/16	11/16	12/16	1/17	2/17	3/17	4/17	5/17	6/17		
Center	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Group	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Family	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Illegal	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All	5	5	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

Type Facility	FY 14-15 Total	FY 15-16 Total **	Number of Serious Child Injuries Reported *												Total to Date	
			7/16	8/16	9/16	10/16	11/16	12/16	1/17	2/17	3/17	4/17	5/17	6/17		
Center	na	na	85	101	64	75	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	392
Group	na	na	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Family	na	na	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Illegal	na	na	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
All	na	na	85	102	64	75	68	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	394

Number of Substantiated Cases of Child Abuse in a Child Care Setting	
Calendar year	Number of Substantiated Cases***
2014	122
2015	146

* Serious injury is defined for purposes of this report "as any occurrence during the time a child receiving care at the facility resulting in a trip to the hospital or emergency treatment facility".

** Number of Serious Injuries Reported FY2015-16 – data collection began in May 2016

*** Information as reported in the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services Annual Child Abuse Report