

# OKLAHOMA CHILD CARE & EARLY EDUCATION 2018

### **CHEROKEE COUNTY**

COUNTY SEAT: TAHLEQUAH

**QUALITY RANK: 12** 



### **NEED: CHILDREN NEEDING CARE WHILE PARENTS WORK**

AGE	CHILD Population	CHILDREN WITH WORKING PARENTS		
	NUMBER	NUMBER	PERCENT	
0-5	3,504	1,950	55.7%	
6-12	4,343	2,815	64.8%	
0-12	7,847	4,765	60.7%	

### **AVAILABILITY: LICENSED CHILD CARE**

	NUMBER OF TOTAL CAPACI		DHS SUBSIDY
COUNTY TOTAL	42	1,309	47.6%
CENTERS	23	1,136	52.2%
HOMES	19	173	42.1%

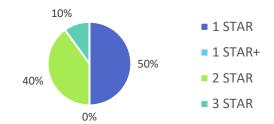
### AFFORDABILITY: CHILD CARE COST

CENTERS Average full-time weekly		HOMES Average full-time weekly	
UNDER 1	\$157.69	UNDER 1	\$114.39
1 YEAR	\$146.98	1 YEAR	\$117.45
2 YEARS	\$133.92	2 YEARS	\$116.99
3 YEARS	\$130.08	3 YEARS	\$114.04
4-5 YEARS	\$144.97	4-5 YEARS	\$113.30
KINDERGARTEN+	\$101.04	KINDERGARTEN+	\$112.43

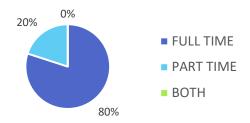
3.1% of children whose parents work receive child care paid for by OKDHS subsidy.

n/a: no facilities operate in the county, - no data reported for county

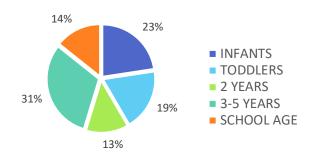
## QUALITY: STAR RATINGS FOR CHILD CARE FACILITIES



### **AMOUNT OF CARE SOUGHT**



### AGES FOR WHOM CARE IS SOUGHT



#### **EARLY EDUCATION**

AGE	4 YEAR OLD Pre-kindergarten		KINDERGARTEN	
	½ DAY	FULL DAY	½ DAY	FULL DAY
# OF SITES	0	12	0	15
# ENROLLED	0	495	0	628

81.4% of 4 year olds are enrolled in a full or part day Pre-K program.

100.0% of 5 year olds are enrolled in a full or part day Kindergarten program.

### NON-TRADITIONAL SCHEDULES SOUGHT

0%

- AFTER SCHOOL
- BEFORE SCHOOL
- **24 HOUR**
- EVENING
- OVERNIGHT