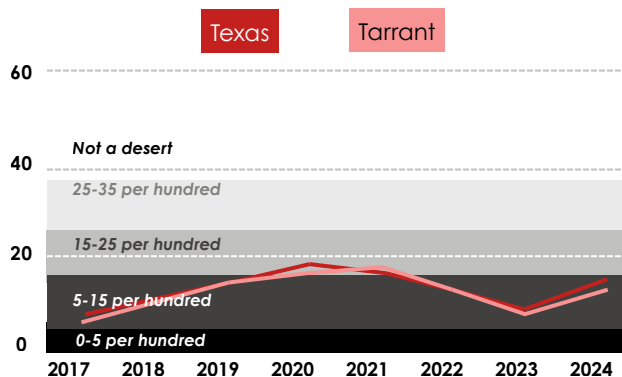


FORT WORTH TARRANT COUNTY

TRS RISING 2, 3, 4 CHILD CARE ONLY

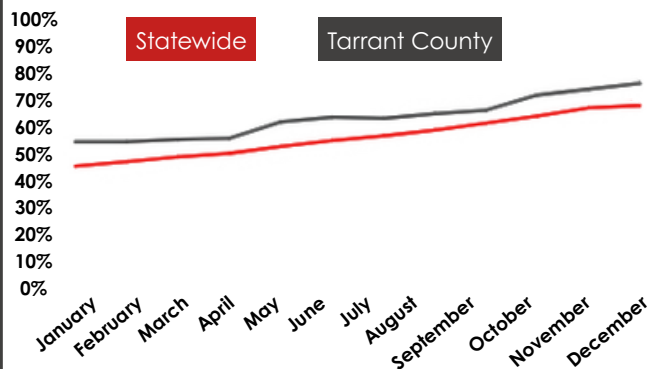
Number of TRS child care seats per 100 children of working parents (<200% of poverty line)



OF TRS PROGRAMS BY TRS RATING TARRANT COUNTY

	2024	2023
TRS 4	143	126
TRS 3	95	62
TRS 2	27	11

PERCENT OF CHILDREN RECEIVING TRS QUALITY CARE (2024)



TRS CHILD CARE DESERTS TEXAS VS. TARRANT COUNTY

TEXAS TRS CHILD CARE DESERTS

84,132
Total # of TRS Seats ↑

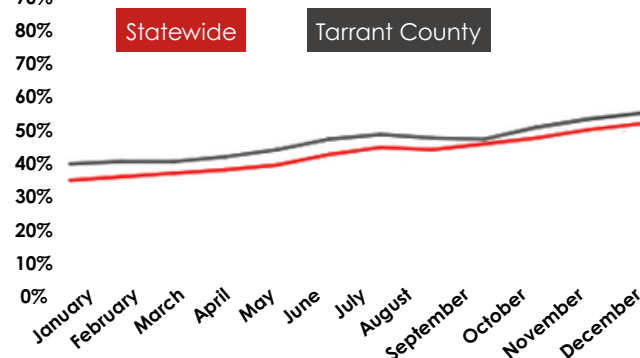
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TRS Desert Zip Codes ↓

TARRANT COUNTY TRS CHILD CARE DESERTS

6,256
Total # of TRS Seats ↑

61
TRS Desert Zip Codes ↓

PERCENT OF PROVIDERS PARTICIPATING IN TRS (2024)



CHRONIC CHILD CARE DESERTS

ZIP CODES WHERE THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 5 WITH WORKING PARENTS IS 3X THE AMOUNT OF CHILD CARE SEATS AVAILABLE IN THE ZIP CODE FOR THREE CONSECUTIVE YEARS.

GREATER DALLAS OVERALL CHILD CARE DESERTS

16
Overall Desert Zip Codes

17%
Of Eligible Zip Codes

TARRANT COUNTY CHRONIC CHILD CARE DESERTS

5
Overall Chronic Desert Zip Codes

7%
of Eligible Zip Codes

WHAT'S NEXT? INTERIM ADVOCACY OPPORTUNITIES

GET INVOLVED & ADVOCATE FOR TEXAS CHILD CARE

TEXAS SUNSET REVIEW ADVISORY COMMISSION

TWC HHSC DFPS DSHS

QUAD AGENCY CHILD CARE INITIATIVE COMMISSION

TWC HHSC DFPS TEA

GOVERNOR'S TASKFORCE ON GOVERNANCE OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION & CARE

TWC HHSC TEA DSHS

REGULAR INTERIM CHARGES

TWC HHSC TEA DSHS DPFS Dept of Ag

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TEXAS CHILD CARE GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION

- Child Care Regulations
- Family Support Services
- 211
- Early Childhood Intervention
- Texas Thriving Families
- Medicaid & CHIP
- SNAP

TEXAS WORKFORCE COMMISSION

- Child Care Services
- Child Care Subsidies
- Texas Rising Star (QRIS)

DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY & PROTECTIVE SERVICES

- Child Abuse and Neglect Statewide Intake
- Foster Care
- Kinship Care

TEXAS EDUCATION AGENCY

- Pre-K
- Special Education Services

DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES

- Maternal & Child Health
- Help Me Grow

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

- CACFP (Child and Adult Care Food Program)