

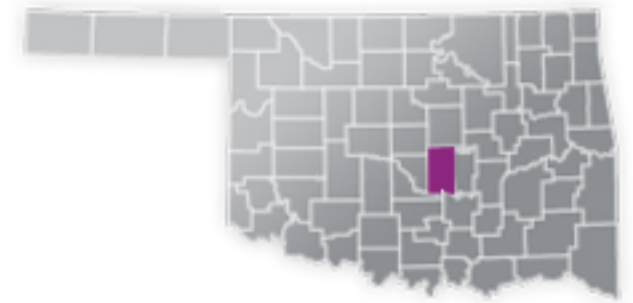
## OKLAHOMA CHILD CARE &amp; EARLY EDUCATION DATA

## ★ COUNTY PROFILES

## Pottawatomie County

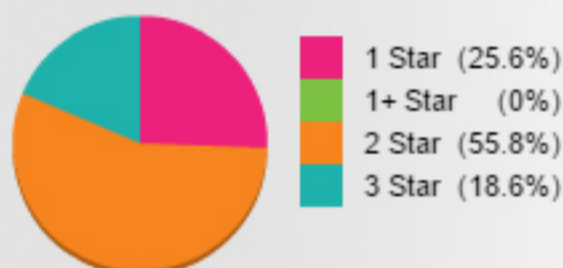
County Seat: Shawnee

Quality Rank: 3

Need Children Needing Care While Parents Work 

| Age  | Child Population | Children With Working Parents |         |
|------|------------------|-------------------------------|---------|
|      | Number           | Number                        | Percent |
| 0-5  | 5,730            | 3,668                         | 64.0%   |
| 6-12 | 6,843            | 4,566                         | 66.7%   |
| 0-12 | 12,573           | 8,234                         | 65.5%   |

## Quality

Star Ratings For Child Care Facilities 


98.8% of children receiving DHS subsidies receive child care in 2 or 3 star facilities.

## Availability

Licensed Child Care 

|              | Number of Facilities | Total Capacity | % Facilities accepting DHS Subsidies |
|--------------|----------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| County Total | 43                   | 1,760          | 79.1%                                |
| Centers      | 27                   | 1,617          | 85.2%                                |
| Homes        | 16                   | 143            | 68.8%                                |

## Affordability

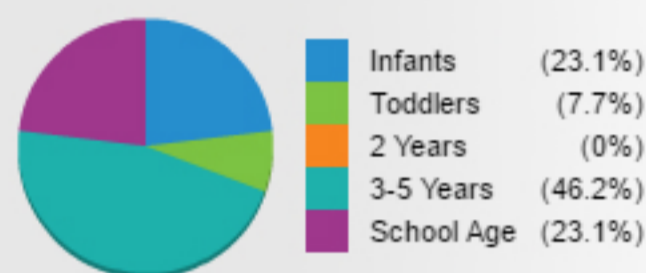
Child Care Cost 

| Centers<br>Average Full Time Weekly |          | Homes<br>Average Full Time Weekly |          |
|-------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Under 1                             | \$147.32 | Under 1                           | \$129.52 |
| 1 Year                              | \$139.14 | 1 Year                            | \$122.77 |
| 2 Years                             | \$126.32 | 2 Years                           | \$111.03 |
| 3 Years                             | \$114.59 | 3 Years                           | \$106.70 |
| 4-5 Years                           | \$106.95 | 4-5 Years                         | \$99.29  |
| Kinder-garten+                      | \$86.92  | Kinder-garten+                    | \$93.05  |

7.8% of children whose parents work receive child care paid for by OKDHS subsidy.

## Requests To R&amp;R

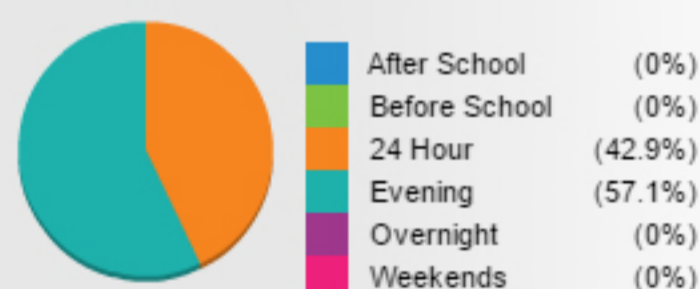
Ages for Whom Care is Sought

Received requests for providers serving children with special needs. **Yes**Received requests for providers speaking a specific non-English language or sign language. **NO**

## Amount of Care Sought



## Non Traditional Schedules Sought

Early Education 

|                 | 4 Year Old Pre-Kindergarten |          | Kindergarten |          |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|----------|--------------|----------|
|                 | 1/2 DAY                     | FULL DAY | 1/2 DAY      | FULL DAY |
| NO. of Programs | 1                           | 13       | 0            | 14       |
| NO. Enrolled    | 198                         | 618      | 0            | 1,020    |

85.6% 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.

For info about child care in this county contact:  
**Child Care R&R at East Central University**  
 800-862-5593 / [www.ecok.edu/ccrra/](http://www.ecok.edu/ccrra/)