

State of New Jersey
 DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
 CLIENT INCOME ELIGIBILITY and
 CO-PAYMENT SCHEDULE for

2019-2020

Effective: March 1, 2019



SUBSIDIZED CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE or SERVICES

	Full Time Child Care				Part-Time Child Care				Percent of 2019 Federal Poverty Index		Family Size and Annual Income								
	Weekly Co-Payment		Monthly Co-Payment		Weekly Co-Payment		Monthly Co-Payment		More than	Less than	Income Levels 5		Income Levels 6		Income Levels 7		Income Levels 8		
	First Child 100%	Second Child 75%	First Child 100%	Second Child 75%	First Child 100%	Second Child 75%	First Child 100%	Second Child 75%											
	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	100%	100%	\$30,170	\$30,170	\$34,590	\$34,590	\$39,010	\$39,010	\$43,430	\$43,430	
A	\$17.67	\$13.25	\$76.51	\$57.38	\$8.84	\$6.63	\$57.38	\$28.69	100%	105%	\$30,171 - \$31,679	\$34,591 - \$36,320	\$39,011 - \$40,961	\$43,431 - \$45,602	\$48,091 - \$50,616	\$52,741 - \$55,616	\$57,571 - \$60,801	\$62,481 - \$66,146	\$67,501 - \$71,566
B	\$24.50	\$18.38	\$106.09	\$79.56	\$12.25	\$9.19	\$53.04	\$39.78	150%	155%	\$45,256 - \$46,764	\$51,886 - \$53,615	\$58,516 - \$60,466	\$65,146 - \$67,317	\$71,976 - \$74,147	\$78,806 - \$81,221	\$85,736 - \$88,506	\$92,766 - \$95,896	\$100,006 - \$103,421
C	\$30.96	\$23.22	\$134.06	\$100.54	\$15.48	\$11.61	\$67.03	\$50.27	175%	180%	\$52,799 - \$54,306	\$60,534 - \$62,262	\$68,269 - \$70,218	\$76,004 - \$78,174	\$83,739 - \$86,009	\$91,469 - \$94,039	\$99,199 - \$102,069	\$106,929 - \$110,059	\$114,659 - \$118,074
D	\$39.80	\$29.85	\$172.33	\$129.25	\$19.90	\$14.93	\$86.17	\$64.63	200%	205%	\$60,341 - \$61,849	\$69,181 - \$70,910	\$78,021 - \$79,971	\$86,861 - \$89,032	\$95,701 - \$97,751	\$104,541 - \$106,811	\$113,381 - \$115,831	\$122,221 - \$124,851	\$131,061 - \$133,911

EXCEPTIONS: Children who are under the child protective service (CPS) supervision of the State lead agency are eligible to receive subsidized assistance or services whenever child care is required as part of treatment plan. If family income exceeds the income eligibility level, services may be provided without regard to income and the co-payment is assessed based upon the highest amount indicated in the appropriate child care co-payment scale for the size of the family. For children who are in paid foster placement, the co-payment is assessed based on the income of the child. Since in most cases, the child has no income, the assessed child care co-payment is almost always \$0.

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- B** Tier B: A child who has been initially determined eligible on the basis of the annual gross income of the family, which must be between 151% and 175% of the current FPL.
- C** Tier C: A child who has been initially determined eligible on the basis of the annual gross income of the family, which must be between 176% and 200% of the current FPL.
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Table with columns for Full Time Child Care (Weekly/Monthly Co-Payment), Part-Time Child Care (Weekly/Monthly Co-Payment), Percent of 2019 Federal Poverty Index (More/Less than), and Family Size and Annual Income (Income Levels 9-12). Rows are categorized by tiers A, B, C, and D.

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