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## Child Day Care Licensing Overview

The Texas Department of Family and Protective Services is granted its authority to regulate child-care facilities and child-placing agencies by the Texas Legislature in Chapter 42 of the Texas Human Resources Code.

The purpose of regulation is to protect a group or class of children by establishing and enforcing statewide minimum standards.

### Total Average Filled Full Time Equivalent (FTE) Staff\*

Investigators	62.4
Inspectors	216.7
Supervisors	41.0
Other Staff	128.9
<b>Total CCL Staff</b>	<b>449.0</b>

### Worker Demographics

Turnover Rate	25.1%
Agency Tenure:	
Less Than 1 Year	19.4%
1 - 3 Years	29.3%
Greater than 3 Years	51.3%
Entry Salary (Inv)*	\$32,976
Entry Salary (Non Inv)*	\$29,439
Average Age	38.6
Race/Ethnicity:	
Anglo	39.2%
African American	27.5%
Hispanic	26.4%
Other	7.0%

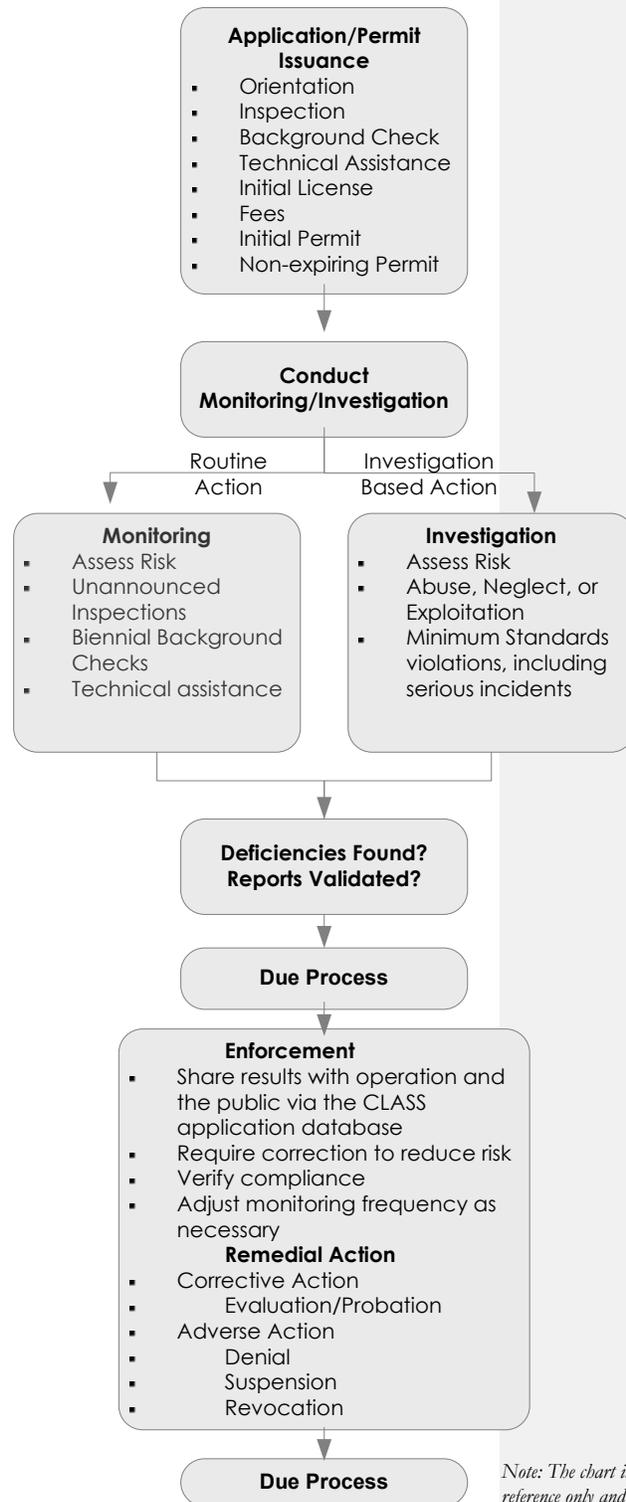
### Supervisor Demographics

Turnover Rate	7.1%
Tenure as Supervisor:	
Less Than 1 Year	14.3%
1 - 3 Years	31.0%
Greater than 3 Years	54.8%
Entry Salary*	\$42,244
Average Age	46.5
Race/Ethnicity:	
Anglo	40.5%
Hispanic	28.6%
African American	26.2%
Other	4.8%

### CCL Expenditures\*

CCL Staff	\$28,887,147
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\* Source: DFPS Office of Finance and FY 2016 Operating Budget (plus benefit replacement pay).



Note: The chart is for reference only and does not necessarily represent the flow of a case.

### Statistics FY 2015

Daycare Operations/Homes (Aug 31):	20,882
Capacity (Aug 31):	1,099,918
Abuse/Neglect Investigations:	1,899
Non-Abuse/Neglect Investigations:	21,572
Inspections:	35,412
Adverse Actions:	79

## Legal Responsibility for Child-Care Licensing

**Day Care and Residential Care: Statutory References**  
**Social Security Act**  
**Human Resources Code, Chapters 40, 42, and 43**  
**Texas Family Code, Title 5**  
**Texas Government Code**  
**Texas Health and Safety Code, Chapter 249**  
**Texas Administrative Code, Title 40**

### Major Provisions:

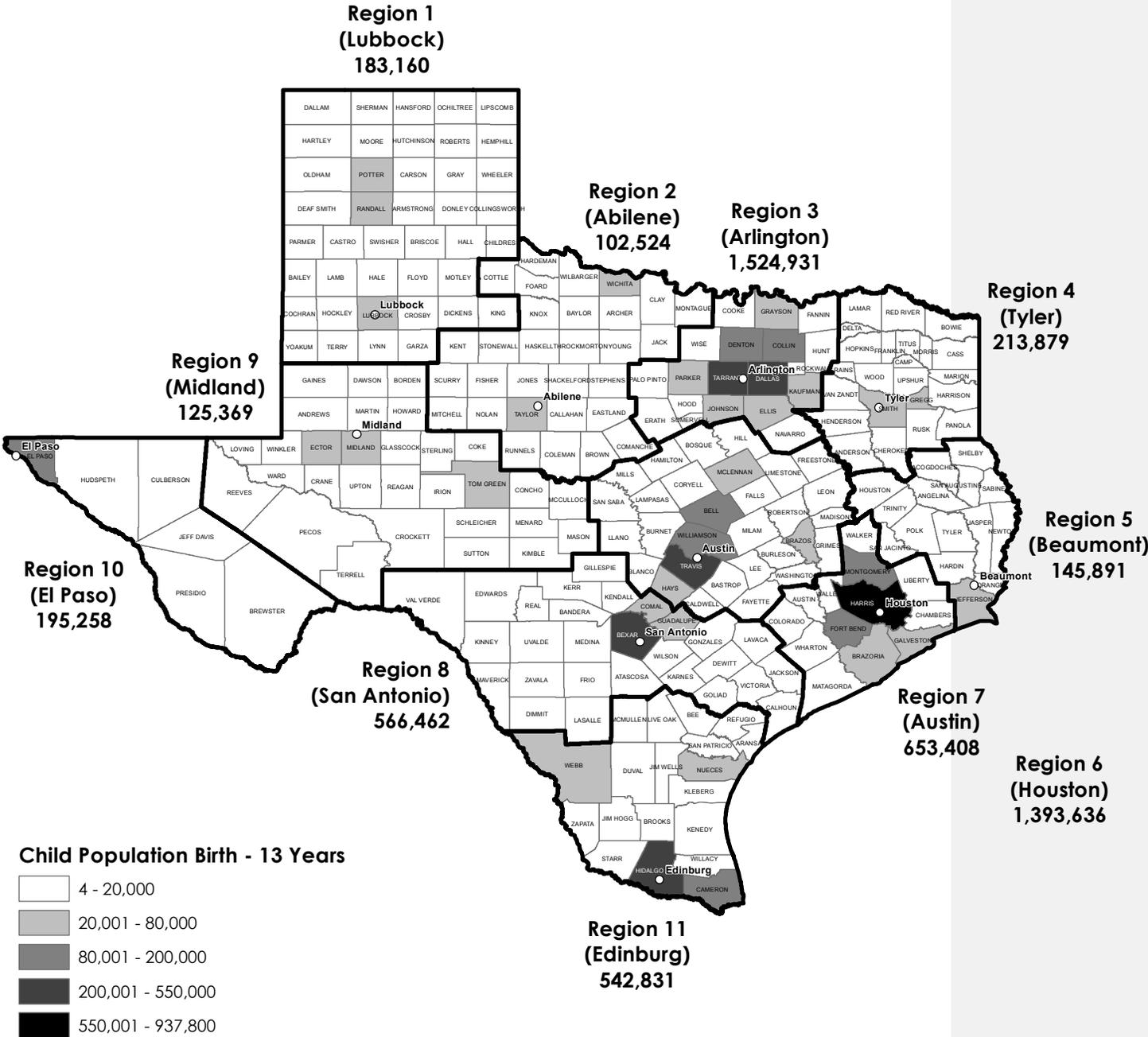
- Develop minimum standards to promote the health, safety, and well-being of children in out-of-home care.
- Inspect child-care operations to ensure they maintain compliance with minimum standards.
- Investigate allegations of abuse/neglect, investigate violations of standards or the law and ensure appropriate enforcement actions are taken.
- Conduct criminal background checks and DFPS Central Registry checks on all adult staff or caregivers, other adults and youth ages 14 to 18 who will be in regular or frequent contact with children in child-care operations.
- Take corrective and adverse actions when necessary.
- Offer consultation to potential applicants and permit holders about meeting and maintaining compliance with Licensing standards.
- Educate the general public about choosing regulated child-care and inform them of the child-care options in Texas through media campaigns and by maintaining an online database of child-care providers, including information regarding each operation's compliance history.
- Enforce regulatory requirements for all child-care providers, including illegally operating child-care providers.

### Other Programmatic Information: Challenges

- Consistently enforcing adherence to minimum standards across the state.
- Developing cooperative, professional, and effective relationships with child-care operations resulting in increased compliance and stronger protection for children.
- Providing technical assistance to all child care operations, especially focusing on those struggling to maintain compliance with standards.
- Providing thorough, efficient and timely background check results to over a quarter of a million people each year seeking to work in child care, provide foster care or adopt a child.
- Maximizing technology resources to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of regulatory practices and allow licensing staff to become an increasingly mobile workforce.
- Creating standards that protect the health and safety of children in care without impacting the affordability and availability of that care.

**Texas Child Population  
Ages Birth through 13 Years  
Fiscal Year 2015**

**State Total: 5,647,349**



*Population Data Source: Population Estimates and Projections Program, Texas State Data Center, Office of the State Demographer and the Institute for Demographic and Socioeconomic Research, The University of Texas at San Antonio. Current Population Estimates and Projections Data as of December 2015.*

### Child Day Care Operations in Texas on August 31 By Fiscal Year

Day Care Licensing Operation Type	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Licensed Child Care Centers	9,517	9,595	9,533	9,495	9,439
Licensed Child Care Homes	1,743	1,774	1,756	1,740	1,720
Registered Child Care Homes	6,302	5,837	5,266	5,079	4,678
Listed Family Homes	7,477	6,774	5,411	5,285	5,026
Small Employer Based Child Care	4	6	6	5	8
Temporary Shelter	2	6	8	8	11
<b>Total Child Day Care Operations</b>	<b>25,045</b>	<b>23,992</b>	<b>21,980</b>	<b>21,612</b>	<b>20,882</b>

*Note: Counts do not include applicants.*

### Child Day Care Operations in Texas on August 31 by Fiscal Year

Day Care Licensing Operation Type	2014		2015	
	Count	Capacity	Count	Capacity
Licensed Child Care Centers				
Child Care Program	7,941	868,187	7,888	877,717
Before/After School & School Age Programs	1,554	131,169	1,551	131,440
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>9,495</b>	<b>999,356</b>	<b>9,439</b>	<b>1,009,157</b>
Listed Family Homes	5,285	15,862	5,026	15,079
Registered Child Care Homes	5,079	59,313	4,678	54,604
Licensed Child Care Homes	1,740	20,761	1,720	20,494
Temporary Shelter	8	369	11	488
Small Employer Based Child Care	5	60	8	96
<b>Total Child Day Care Operations</b>	<b>21,612</b>	<b>1,095,721</b>	<b>20,882</b>	<b>1,099,918</b>

## Child Day Care Operations on August 31 by Region and Fiscal Year

### on August 31, 2014

Region	Totals	Licensed Center	Listed Family Home	Registered Home	Licensed Home	Temporary Shelter Program	Small Employer Based Child Care
1 Lubbock	725	273	256	131	65	0	0
2 Abilene	486	193	120	120	53	0	0
3 Arlington	6,423	2,390	1,851	1,672	508	0	2
4 Tyler	618	331	169	63	54	1	0
5 Beaumont	364	208	72	58	26	0	0
6 Houston	5,390	2,382	988	1,726	287	6	1
7 Austin	2,842	1,364	710	494	273	0	1
8 San Antonio	1,783	847	362	462	111	0	1
9 Midland	426	212	128	46	40	0	0
10 El Paso	754	271	273	81	128	1	0
11 Edinburg	1,801	1,024	356	226	195	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>21,612</b>	<b>9,495</b>	<b>5,285</b>	<b>5,079</b>	<b>1,740</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>

### on August 31, 2015

Region	Totals	Licensed Center	Listed Family Home	Registered Home	Licensed Home	Temporary Shelter Program	Small Employer Based Child Care
1 Lubbock	677	249	250	113	64	0	1
2 Abilene	465	194	115	109	47	0	0
3 Arlington	6,061	2,368	1,668	1,515	508	0	2
4 Tyler	607	316	178	59	52	1	1
5 Beaumont	375	203	96	52	24	0	0
6 Houston	5,313	2,389	982	1,635	300	6	1
7 Austin	2,770	1,396	655	451	268	0	0
8 San Antonio	1,765	848	369	425	118	3	2
9 Midland	402	211	109	45	37	0	0
10 El Paso	740	273	272	77	116	1	1
11 Edinburg	1,707	992	332	197	186	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>20,882</b>	<b>9,439</b>	<b>5,026</b>	<b>4,678</b>	<b>1,720</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>8</b>

## Licensing of Child Day Care Operations by Region Fiscal Year 2015

### Licensed Child Care Centers

Region	Applications Accepted	Initial Permits Issued*	Full Permits Issued**
1 Lubbock	13	15	16
2 Abilene	10	10	9
3 Arlington	177	136	199
4 Tyler	28	31	25
5 Beaumont	20	15	16
6 Houston	224	226	214
7 Austin	143	119	138
8 San Antonio	78	73	76
9 Midland	10	9	15
10 El Paso	16	18	19
11 Edinburg	84	97	91
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>749</b>	<b>818</b>

### Licensed Child Care Homes

Region	Applications Accepted	Initial Permits Issued*	Full Permits Issued**
1 Lubbock	3	4	6
2 Abilene	4	3	3
3 Arlington	70	69	87
4 Tyler	2	1	4
5 Beaumont	5	4	6
6 Houston	56	61	55
7 Austin	35	37	42
8 San Antonio	14	18	15
9 Midland	7	4	5
10 El Paso	3	6	7
11 Edinburg	18	17	14
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>244</b>

\* An initial permit is valid for six months and can only be renewed once for an additional six months.

\*\* A full permit is issued once the operation demonstrates compliance with all minimum standards, rules, and laws.

Note: Operations that received an initial or full permit in the fiscal year may have submitted their application in a prior fiscal year.

## Licensing of Child Day Care Operations by Region Fiscal Year 2015

### Listed Family Homes

Region	Applications Accepted	Listings Issued
1 Lubbock	75	77
2 Abilene	47	49
3 Arlington	505	549
4 Tyler	62	63
5 Beaumont	34	50
6 Houston	363	419
7 Austin	224	230
8 San Antonio	87	123
9 Midland	33	35
10 El Paso	76	125
11 Edinburg	89	146
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>1,595</b>	<b>1,866</b>

### Registered Child Care Homes

Region	Applications Accepted	Registrations Issued
1 Lubbock	12	7
2 Abilene	16	12
3 Arlington	213	192
4 Tyler	8	9
5 Beaumont	6	6
6 Houston	168	195
7 Austin	78	77
8 San Antonio	54	59
9 Midland	9	10
10 El Paso	13	14
11 Edinburg	14	16
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>597</b>

*Note: Operations that received a Listing or Registration in the fiscal year may have submitted their application in a prior fiscal year.*

## Licensing of Child Day Care Operations by Region Fiscal Year 2015

### Small Employer Based Child Care

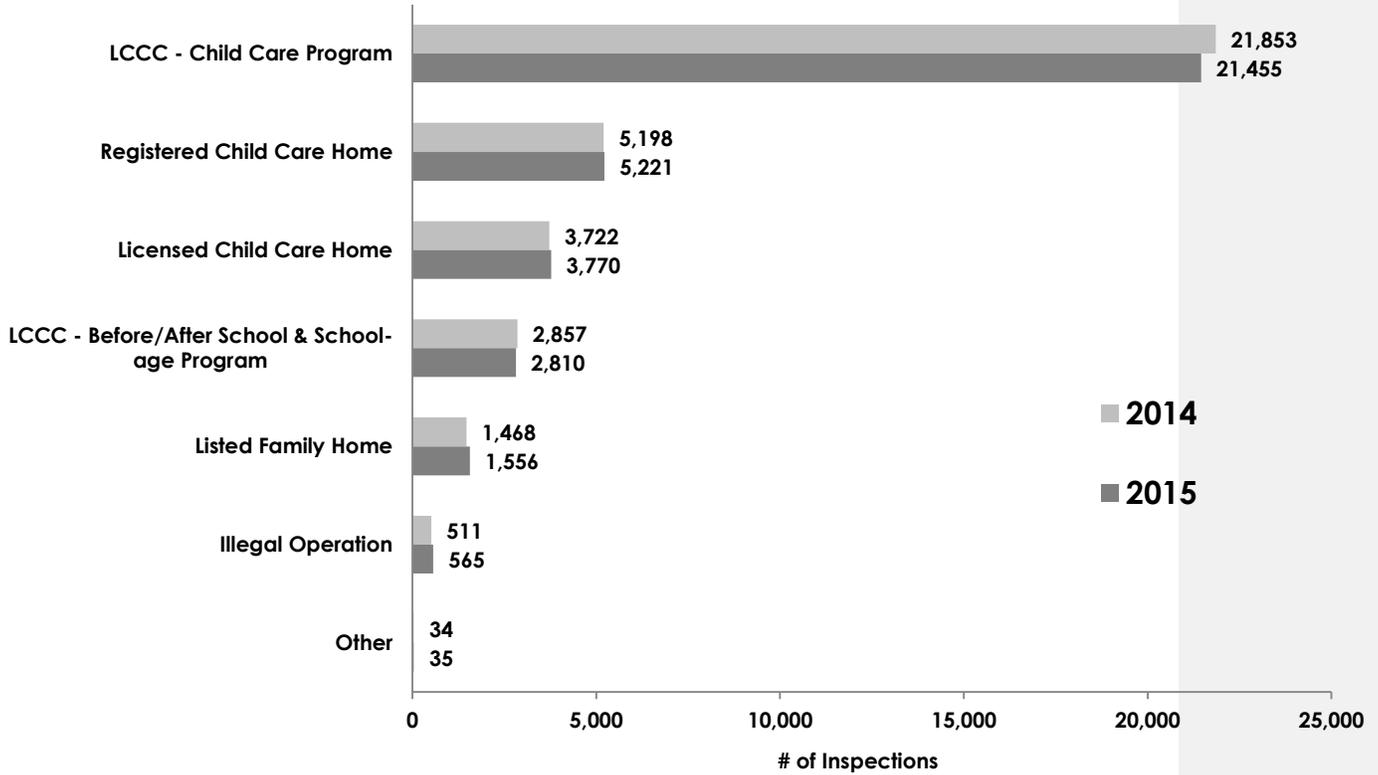
Region	Applications Accepted	Licenses Issued
1 Lubbock	1	1
2 Abilene	0	0
3 Arlington	0	0
4 Tyler	0	1
5 Beaumont	0	0
6 Houston	0	0
7 Austin	0	0
8 San Antonio	0	1
9 Midland	0	0
10 El Paso	0	1
11 Edinburg	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>

### Temporary Shelters

Region	Applications Accepted	Certificates of Compliance Issued
1 Lubbock	0	0
2 Abilene	0	0
3 Arlington	0	0
4 Tyler	0	0
5 Beaumont	0	0
6 Houston	0	0
7 Austin	0	0
8 San Antonio	2	3
9 Midland	0	0
10 El Paso	0	0
11 Edinburg	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>

*Note: Operations that received a License or Certificate of Compliance in the fiscal year may have submitted their application in a prior fiscal year.*

**Inspections in Day Care Operations by Operation Type and Fiscal Year**



Operation Type	2014			2015		
	Operations	Inspections*	% of Total Inspections	Operations	Inspections*	% of Total Inspections
<b>Licensed Child Care Centers</b>						
Child Care Program	8,844	21,853	61.3%	8,801	21,455	60.6%
Before/After School & School-age Program	1,786	2,857	8.0%	1,768	2,810	7.9%
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>10,630</b>	<b>24,710</b>	<b>69.3%</b>	<b>10,569</b>	<b>24,265</b>	<b>68.5%</b>
<b>Registered Child Care Home</b>	6,741	5,198	14.6%	6,332	5,221	14.7%
<b>Licensed Child Care Home</b>	2,340	3,722	10.4%	2,239	3,770	10.6%
<b>Listed Family Home</b>	8,009	1,468	4.1%	7,811	1,556	4.4%
<b>Illegal Operation</b>	3,907	511	1.4%	4,133	565	1.6%
<b>Exemption Request**</b>	690	27	0.1%	871	28	0.1%
<b>Temporary Shelter Program</b>	8	4	0.0%	11	4	0.0%
<b>Small Employer Based Child Care</b>	10	3	0.0%	10	3	0.0%
<b>Totals***</b>	<b>32,335</b>	<b>35,643</b>		<b>31,976</b>	<b>35,412</b>	
<b>Unduplicated Operations</b>	<b>31,852</b>			<b>31,559</b>		

\*Excludes Inspections conducted as part of an investigation.

\*\*Inspections may be conducted to determine if a program is exempt from regulation.

\*\*\*Includes operations that were open with the specified operation type any time during the fiscal year. Operations that changed from an Illegal Operation or Exemption Request to a permitted operation type would be included in counts for both operation types.

NOTE: The methodology used for this chart was modified in FY15; therefore, the data captured within it may not match prior data books.

## Inspections in Child Day Care Operations by Operation Type and Type of Inspection Fiscal Year 2015

Licensed Centers		
Inspection Type	Inspections	
Monitoring*	16,101	66.4%
Follow-up	7,025	29.0%
Other**	1,139	4.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>24,265</b>	

Licensed Homes		
Inspection Type	Inspections	
Monitoring*	3,011	79.9%
Follow-up	716	19.0%
Other**	43	1.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,770</b>	

Registered Homes		
Inspection Type	Inspections	
Monitoring*	3,438	65.8%
Follow-up	1,641	31.4%
Other**	142	2.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,221</b>	

Listed Homes		
Inspection Type	Inspections	
Follow-up	1,440	92.5%
Other**	109	7.0%
Monitoring*	7	0.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,556</b>	

\* Includes inspections conducted as part of the application process, during the initial license period, and ongoing regular inspections conducted at fully permitted operations.

\*\* Includes inspections that are conducted for purposes other than determining compliance with pre-identified minimum standards and attempted inspections.

### Completed Non-Abuse/Neglect Investigations in Child Day Care Operations Fiscal Year 2015

Operation Type	Operations		Non-Abuse/Neglect Investigations	
	Count	With a Non-A/N Investigation	Completed	With at Least One Deficiency Cited*
<b>Licensed Child Care Centers</b>				
Child Care Program	8,801	5,009	11,373	2,578
Before/After School & School-age Program	1,768	585	882	111
<b>LCCC Subtotals</b>	<b>10,569</b>	<b>5,594</b>	<b>12,255</b>	<b>2,689</b>
<b>Listed Home</b>	7,811	2,450	3,288	47
<b>Registered Home</b>	6,332	1,769	2,390	75
<b>Licensed Child Care Home</b>	2,239	666	876	59
<b>Temporary Shelter Care</b>	11	3	4	0
<b>Small Employer Based Child Care</b>	10	0	0	0
<b>Subtotals</b>	<b>16,403</b>	<b>4,888</b>	<b>6,558</b>	<b>181</b>
<b>Other</b>				
Illegal Operation	4,138	2,727	2,758	419
Exemption Request	871	1	1	1
<b>Totals**</b>	<b>31,981</b>	<b>13,210</b>	<b>21,572</b>	<b>3,290</b>
<b>Unduplicated Operations</b>	<b>31,559</b>	<b>13,013</b>		

\*Only includes deficiencies that are related to the investigation allegations.

\*\*Open any time during the fiscal year. Operations that changed from an Illegal Operation or Exemption Request to a permitted operation type would be included in the counts for both operation types.

### Completed Non-Abuse/Neglect Investigations in Child Day Care Operations by Operation Type and Region Fiscal Year 2015

Region	Totals	Licensed Child Care Center	Listed Home	Illegal Operation	Registered Home	Licensed Child Care Home	Temporary Shelter Care	Exemption Request	Small Emp. Based Child Care
1 Lubbock	992	509	145	250	63	25	0	0	0
2 Abilene	452	213	102	66	56	15	0	0	0
3 Arlington	6,131	3,341	1,224	559	777	230	0	0	0
4 Tyler	515	371	69	26	26	23	0	0	0
5 Beaumont	456	196	60	184	9	7	0	0	0
6 Houston	4,650	2,646	638	336	830	197	3	0	0
7 Austin	2,805	1,820	373	162	288	161	0	1	0
8 San Antonio	2,178	1,560	156	238	179	44	1	0	0
9 Midland	606	305	88	159	24	30	0	0	0
10 El Paso	750	294	200	184	28	44	0	0	0
11 Edinburg	2,024	1,000	233	581	110	100	0	0	0
Unknown	13	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>21,572</b>	<b>12,255</b>	<b>3,288</b>	<b>2,758</b>	<b>2,390</b>	<b>876</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>

### Closed Abuse/Neglect Investigations in Day Care Operations Fiscal Year 2015

Operation Type	Operations		Abuse/Neglect Investigations			
	Count	With an Abuse/Neglect Investigation	Closed	Validated	% Validated	With at Least One Deficiency Cited*
<b>Licensed Child Care Centers</b>						
Child Care Program	8,801	1,104	1,323	150	11.3%	650
Before/After School & School-age Program	1,768	32	32	4	12.5%	21
<b>Subtotals</b>	<b>10,569</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>1,355</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>11.4%</b>	<b>671</b>
Listed Home	7,811	55	57	15	26.3%	33
Registered Home	6,332	107	111	27	24.3%	67
Licensed Child Care Home	2,239	55	57	7	12.3%	33
Temporary Shelter Care	11	2	2	0	0.0%	0
Small Employer Based Child Care	10	0	0	0	0.0%	0
<b>Subtotals</b>	<b>16,403</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>21.6%</b>	<b>133</b>
<b>Other</b>						
Illegal Operation	4,138	311	315	67	21.3%	301
Exemption Request	871	2	2	0	0.0%	0
<b>Totals**</b>	<b>31,981</b>	<b>1,668</b>	<b>1,899</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>14.2%</b>	<b>1,105</b>
<b>Unduplicated Operations</b>	<b>31,559</b>	<b>1,662</b>				

\*\*Open any time during the fiscal year. Operations that changed from an Illegal Operation or Exemption Request to a permitted operation type would be included in the counts for both operation types.

\*Only includes deficiencies that are related to the investigation allegations.

### Closed Abuse/Neglect Investigations in Day Care Operations Fiscal Year 2015

Region	Totals	Licensed Child Care Center	Illegal Operation	Registered Home	Licensed Child Care Home	Listed Home	Temporary Shelter Care	Exemption Request	Small Emp. Based Child Care
1 Lubbock	120	97	13	3	4	3	0	0	0
2 Abilene	52	28	14	3	2	5	0	0	0
3 Arlington	487	305	104	37	23	18	0	0	0
4 Tyler	48	31	12	3	1	1	0	0	0
5 Beaumont	42	34	4	2	1	1	0	0	0
6 Houston	424	314	69	24	5	10	2	0	0
7 Austin	310	215	54	17	12	12	0	0	0
8 San Antonio	199	144	25	19	3	7	0	1	0
9 Midland	66	61	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 El Paso	29	25	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
11 Edinburg	121	101	13	3	4	0	0	0	0
Unknown	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>1,899</b>	<b>1,355</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>

## Illegal Operations Identified and Resolution Fiscal Year 2015

Region	Illegal Operations Identified*	Resolutions**					
		Not Subject to Regulation	Permits Issued	Inquiry Closed	Voluntary Closures	Exemptions Granted	Permits Denied
1 Lubbock	265	230	21	1	15	2	0
2 Abilene	83	48	13	11	8	5	0
3 Arlington	795	386	91	47	92	10	1
4 Tyler	57	26	5	4	6	0	0
5 Beaumont	185	183	23	5	14	1	0
6 Houston	497	324	71	53	51	6	0
7 Austin	271	124	43	31	40	16	0
8 San Antonio	357	297	38	11	28	1	3
9 Midland	164	132	5	2	19	1	0
10 El Paso	174	176	8	2	7	0	0
11 Edinburg	644	584	10	23	12	3	0
Unknown	48	21	0	6	1	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>3,540</b>	<b>2,531</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>4</b>

## Illegal Operations Pending Actions on August 31, 2015

Region	Pending Resolution ***	Pending Applications	Pending Exemption Requests
1 Lubbock	17	4	0
2 Abilene	8	2	1
3 Arlington	317	16	0
4 Tyler	19	4	0
5 Beaumont	10	1	1
6 Houston	76	9	1
7 Austin	31	14	2
8 San Antonio	78	7	3
9 Midland	22	4	0
10 El Paso	9	1	0
11 Edinburg	114	2	0
Unknown	26	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>8</b>

\*The number of times that an illegal operation was identified by receipt of an intake. Illegal operations that close, begin operating again, and are identified again would be counted more than once.

\*\*Resolutions:

*Inquiry Closed* - Operation was closed after determining that the illegal operation intake was actually related to a permitted or exempted operation, the intake was entered in error, or the illegal operation did not provide a complete application during the required timeframe and was required to close.

*Not Subject to Regulation* - Licensing has either determined that the operation is not subject to regulation or does not have enough information to make the determination.

*Voluntary Closures* - Operation was found to be subject to regulation and made a decision to voluntarily close.

## Adverse Actions and Corrective Actions Initiated in Child Day Care Operations by Region Fiscal Year 2015

Region	Licensed Child Care Centers						
	Corrective Actions*			Adverse Actions**			
	Totals	Evaluation	Probation	Totals	Permits Denied	Permits Revoked	Permits Suspended***
1 Lubbock	8	7	1	0	0	0	0
2 Abilene	4	3	1	0	0	0	0
3 Arlington	22	11	11	4	2	2	0
4 Tyler	5	5	0	1	1	0	0
5 Beaumont	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
6 Houston	31	28	3	14	10	4	0
7 Austin	25	21	4	2	1	1	0
8 San Antonio	12	10	2	3	0	3	0
9 Midland	3	1	2	2	1	1	0
10 El Paso	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
11 Edinburg	26	15	11	3	3	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>

Region	Licensed Child Care Homes						
	Corrective Actions*			Adverse Actions**			
	Totals	Evaluation	Probation	Totals	Permits Denied	Permits Revoked	Permits Suspended***
1 Lubbock	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
2 Abilene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3 Arlington	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
4 Tyler	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
5 Beaumont	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6 Houston	1	1	0	1	0	1	0
7 Austin	1	1	0	1	0	1	0
8 San Antonio	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9 Midland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 El Paso	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11 Edinburg	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>

\*Only includes corrective actions for which the begin date of the corrective action is within the fiscal year.

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### Corrective and Adverse Actions in Child Day Care Operations by Region Fiscal Year 2015

Region	Registered Child Care Homes						
	Corrective Actions*			Adverse Actions**			
	Totals	Evaluation	Probation	Totals	Permits Denied	Permits Revoked	Permits Suspended***
1 Lubbock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2 Abilene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3 Arlington	6	1	5	5	1	4	0
4 Tyler	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 Beaumont	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6 Houston	2	1	1	4	0	4	0
7 Austin	1	1	0	2	0	2	0
8 San Antonio	2	0	2	4	3	1	0
9 Midland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 El Paso	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11 Edinburg	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>

Region	Listed Family Homes				
	Corrective Actions	Adverse Actions**			
	Not Applicable for Listed Family Homes	Totals	Permits Denied	Permits Revoked	Permits Suspended***
1 Lubbock		5	3	2	0
2 Abilene		0	0	0	0
3 Arlington		8	6	2	0
4 Tyler		1	1	0	0
5 Beaumont		0	0	0	0
6 Houston		0	0	0	0
7 Austin		8	6	2	0
8 San Antonio		6	3	3	0
9 Midland		1	0	1	0
10 El Paso		0	0	0	0
11 Edinburg		1	1	0	0
<b>Statewide</b>		<b>30</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>

Grand Total	Child Day Care Operations						
	Corrective Actions*			Adverse Actions**			
	Totals	Evaluation	Probation	Totals	Permits Denied	Permits Revoked	Permits Suspended***
	<b>155</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>0</b>

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## Background Checks for Day Care Licensing Child Care Operations Fiscal Year 2015

Operation Type	Background Checks Requested		
	Central Registry	DPS	FBI
Licensed Child Care Center	230,075	230,073	203,390
Registered Child Care Home	8,790	8,783	1,041
Listed Family Home	7,151	7,151	735
Licensed Child Care Home	5,019	5,018	907
Temporary Shelter Programs	101	101	48
Small Employer Based Child Care	36	36	32
<b>Total</b>	<b>251,172</b>	<b>251,162</b>	<b>206,153</b>

## State's Top 10 Standards Deficiencies for Child Day Care Operations Fiscal Year 2015

### Licensed Centers

Rank	Standard Rule	Description	Deficiencies*	% of Total
1	745.625(b)	Renewal background checks submitted - No later than two years from the date of your most recently requested initial or renewal background check	1,592	2.3%
2	746.1203(4)	Responsibilities of Caregivers- Supervision of Children	1,194	1.7%
3	746.3701	Safety - Areas Free From Hazards	1,074	1.6%
4	746.3407	Maintenance of Building, Grounds and Equipment	979	1.4%
5	745.626(a)	Background check results - Must receive DPS and Central Registry prior to allowing unsupervised contact or direct access to children in care	878	1.3%
6	746.1201(1)	Responsibilities of Employees and Caregivers -Demonstrate Competency, Good Judgment, Self-control	874	1.3%
7	746.1601	Child/ Caregiver Ratio - 13 or More Children	861	1.3%
8	745.626(b)	Background check results - When FBI required, must receive FBI result prior to allowing unsupervised contact or direct access to children in care	851	1.2%
9	746.5101(a)	Annual Fire Inspection - Before Initial Permit Issued and Every 12 Months	746	1.1%
10	746.605(6)	Required Admission Information - Emergency Contact	643	0.9%

### Licensed Homes

Rank	Standard Rule	Description	Deficiencies*	% of Total
1	747.3501	Safety - Areas Free From Hazards	200	0.3%
2	745.625(b)	Renewal background checks submitted - No later than two years from the date of your most recently requested initial or renewal background check	163	0.2%
3	747.603(a)(3)	Children's Records - Health Statement	155	0.2%
4	747.605(6)	Required Admission Information - Emergency Contact	153	0.2%
5	747.2315(5)	Prohibited equip for infants-No soft/loose bedding, blankets, sleep positioners, stuffed toys, pillows, bumper pads, in crib infants 12 mo old or less	129	0.2%
6	747.603(a)(4)	Children's Records - Immunizations	121	0.2%
7	747.5005(2)	Severe Weather Drill Every 3 Months	104	0.2%
8	747.3935(b)	Children's Products- Annual Certification	100	0.1%
9	747.1303(2)	Training Requirements for Primary Caregiver - Annual Training	99	0.1%
10	747.5003(1)	Emergency Preparedness Plan - Evacuation Procedures	94	0.1%

\* Includes inspection, investigation, and assessment deficiencies for which the administrative review was upheld or waived.

Note: The following items are evaluated during most inspections and therefore may be cited more frequently: background checks, supervision of children; child/ caregiver ratio; swimming pools and transportation safety, if applicable; fire, safety, sanitation requirements; and responsibilities of the director, administrator, staff, or caregivers.

## State's Top 10 Standards Deficiencies for Child Day Care Operations Fiscal Year 2015

### Registered Homes

Rank	Standard Rule	Description	Deficiencies*	% of Total
1	747.3501	Safety - Areas Free From Hazards	503	0.7%
2	747.603(a)(3)	Children's Records - Health Statement	438	0.6%
3	745.625(b)	Renewal background checks submitted - No later than two years from the date of your most recently requested initial or renewal background check	405	0.6%
4	747.1303(2)	Training Requirements for Primary Caregiver - Annual Training	329	0.5%
4	747.603(a)(4)	Children's Records - Immunizations	329	0.5%
5	747.605(6)	Required Admission Information - Emergency Contact	317	0.5%
6	747.5005(1)	Fire Drill Monthly - Exit in 3 Minutes	305	0.4%
7	747.5005(2)	Severe Weather Drill Every 3 Months	287	0.4%
8	747.603(a)(2)	Children's Records - Admission Information	269	0.4%
9	747.5111	Smoke-Detection System	259	0.4%
10	747.207(1)	Policies Comply with Rules	250	0.4%

### Listed Homes

Rank	Standard Rule	Description	Deficiencies*	% of Total
1	HRC42.052(c)	Illegal Operation - Not Listed	230	0.3%
2	HRC42.052(d)	Illegal Operation - Not Registered	76	1.1%
3	745.8427(1)	Expectations for listed family home - Operate within the limits of its permit	27	0.4%
4	HRC42.048(b)	Restrictions on the License (Capacity, Age Range)	21	0.04%
5	745.626(a)	Background check results - Must receive DPS and Central Registry prior to allowing unsupervised contact or direct access to children in care	12	0.02%
5	HRC42.041(a)	Illegal Operation - Not Licensed	12	0.02%
6	745.625(a)(5)	Initial background checks submitted - At the time a non-client resident 14 or older moves into your home or operation	8	0.01%
7	HRC42.052(f)	To remain listed or registered, home must comply with the department's applicable rules and standards	7	0.01%
8	745.8427(3)	Expectations for listed family home - ensure no immediate risk to health or safety of child in care	6	0.01%
9	TFC261.401(a)(3)	Neglect in an operation	4	0.01%
10	HRC42.04412(a)	Interference with an investigation	3	0.00%
10	HRC42.056	Background Checks	3	0.00%

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