

Legal Responsibility

Day Care: Statutory References

- ★ *Social Security Act*
- ★ *Human Resources Code*

. . . require us to:

- ▲ Issue licenses to facilities meeting minimum standards and monitor/inspect to see that they are met;
- ▲ Investigate complaints and see that corrective action is taken;
- ▲ Register family day homes; and
- ▲ Provide technical assistance on meeting and maintaining standards and achieving quality in child care.

Residential Care: Statutory References

- ★ *Social Security Act*
- ★ *Human Resources Code*

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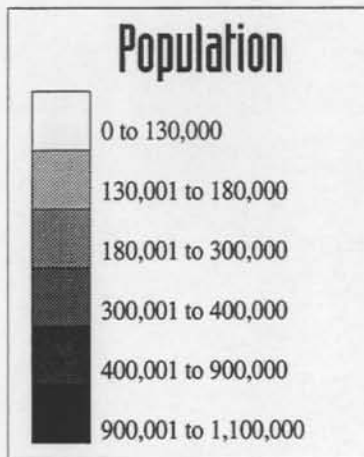
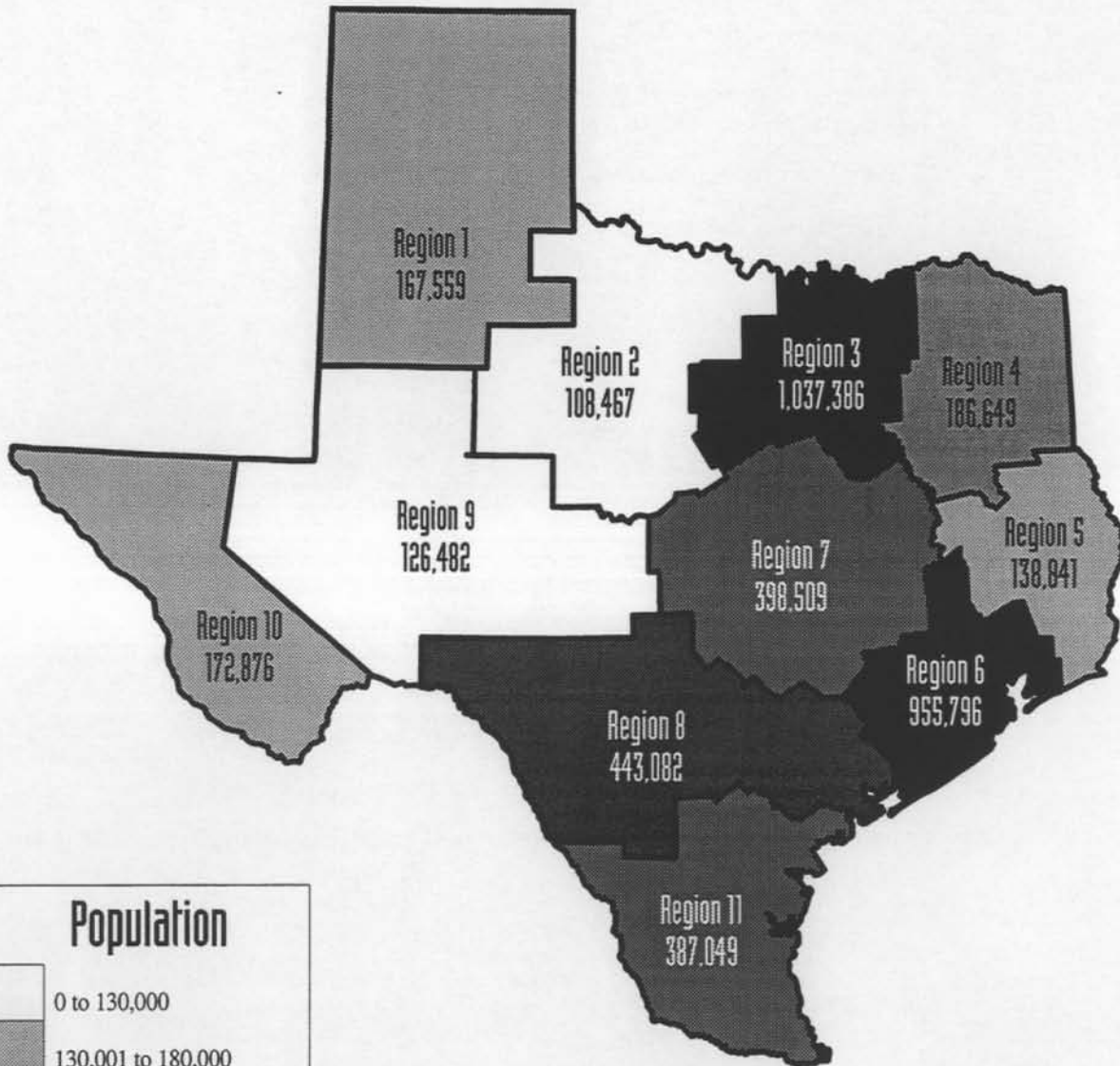
- ▲ License child-placing agencies and 24-hour child care facilities and maternity homes meeting minimum standards and monitor/inspect to see that they are met;
- ▲ License administrators of 24-hour child-care facilities;
- ▲ Investigate complaints; see that corrective action is taken; and
- ▲ Provide technical assistance on meeting and maintaining standards and achieving quality in child care.

FY94 Expenditures (estimated): \$14,819,572

Total Staff: 403

Child Population by Region

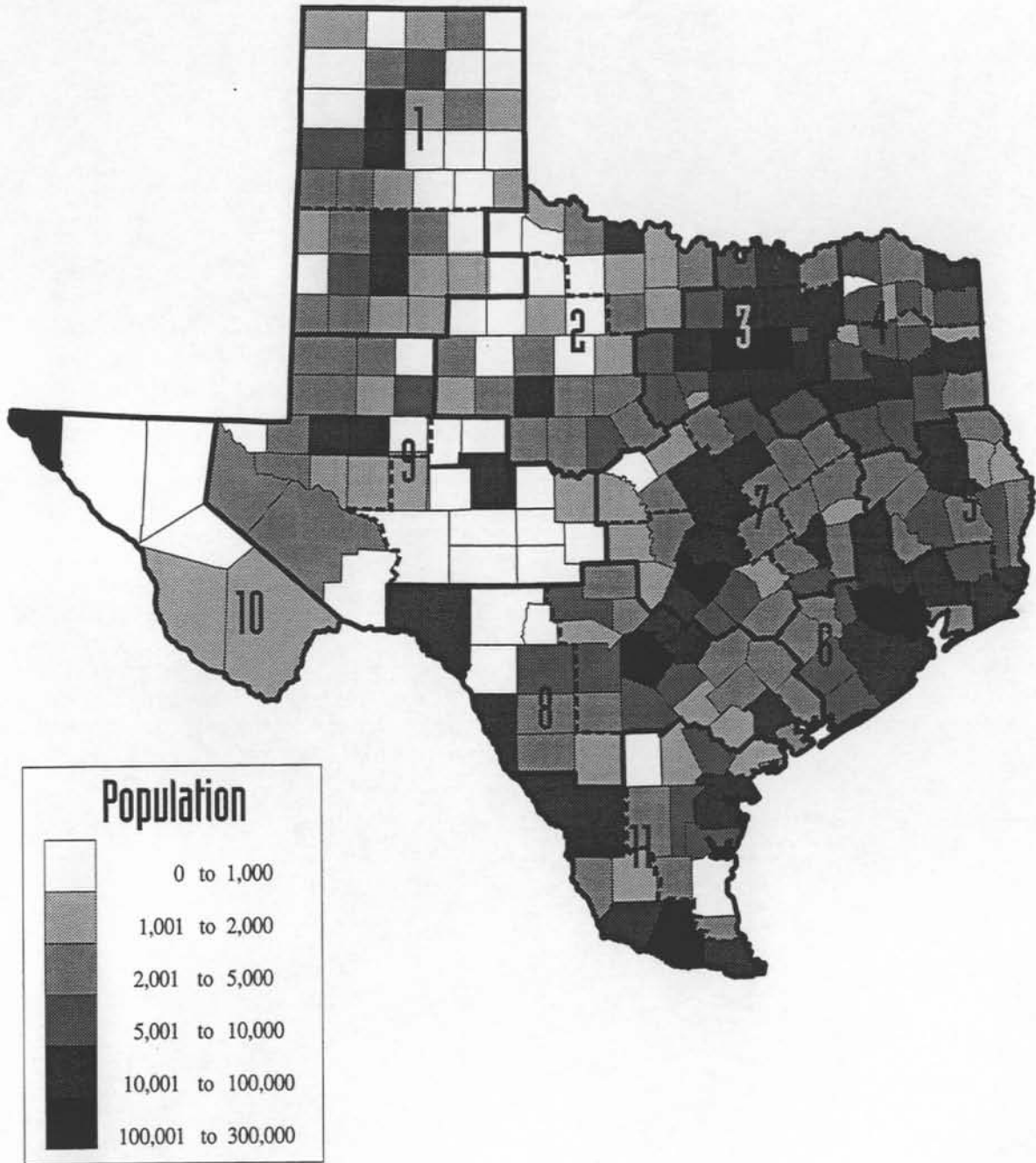
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Child Population by County

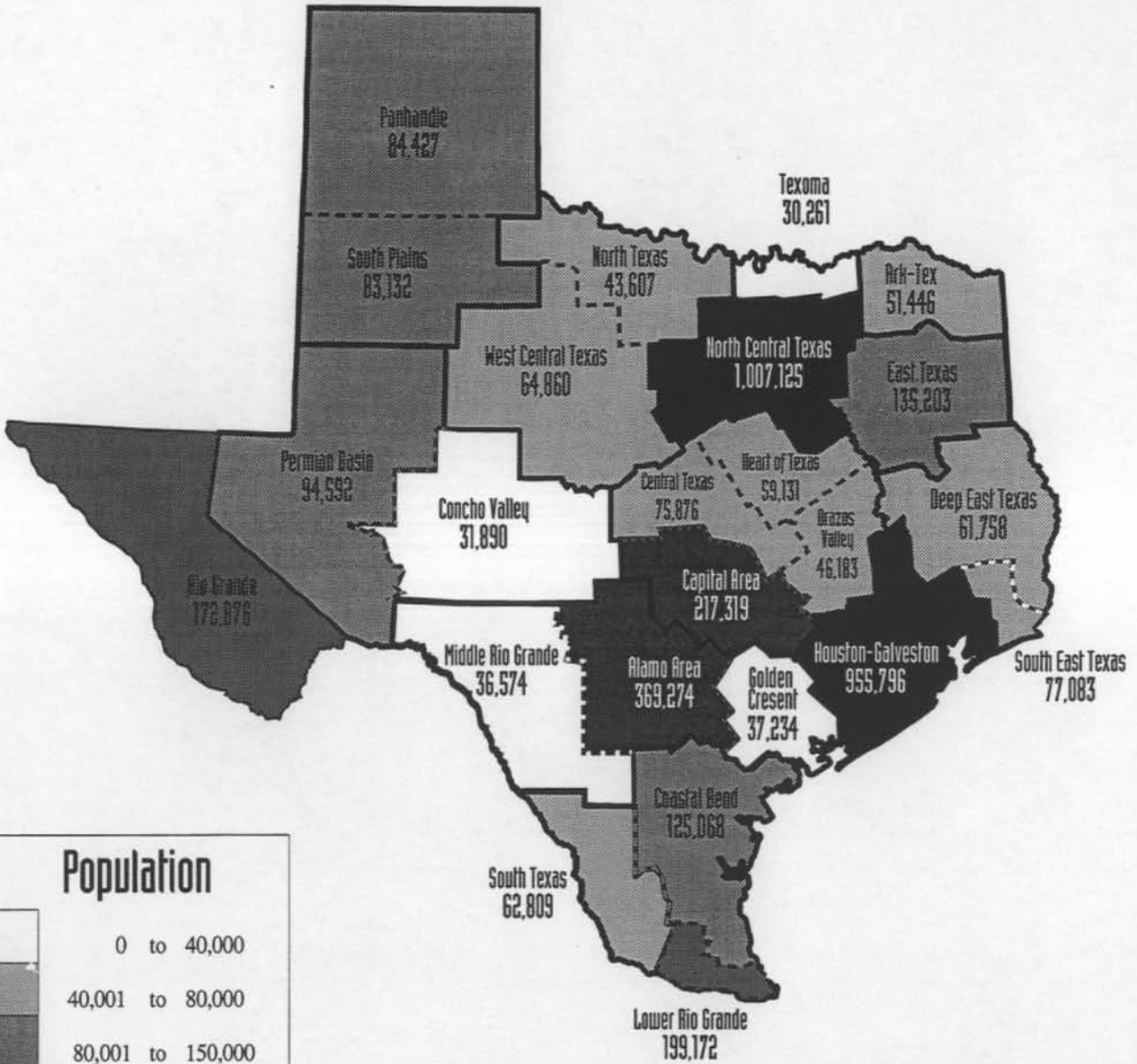
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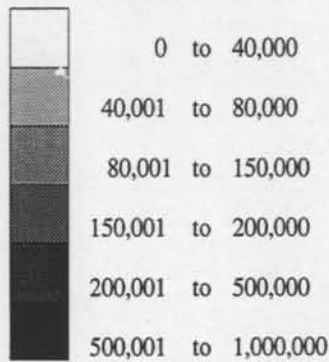


Child Population by COG

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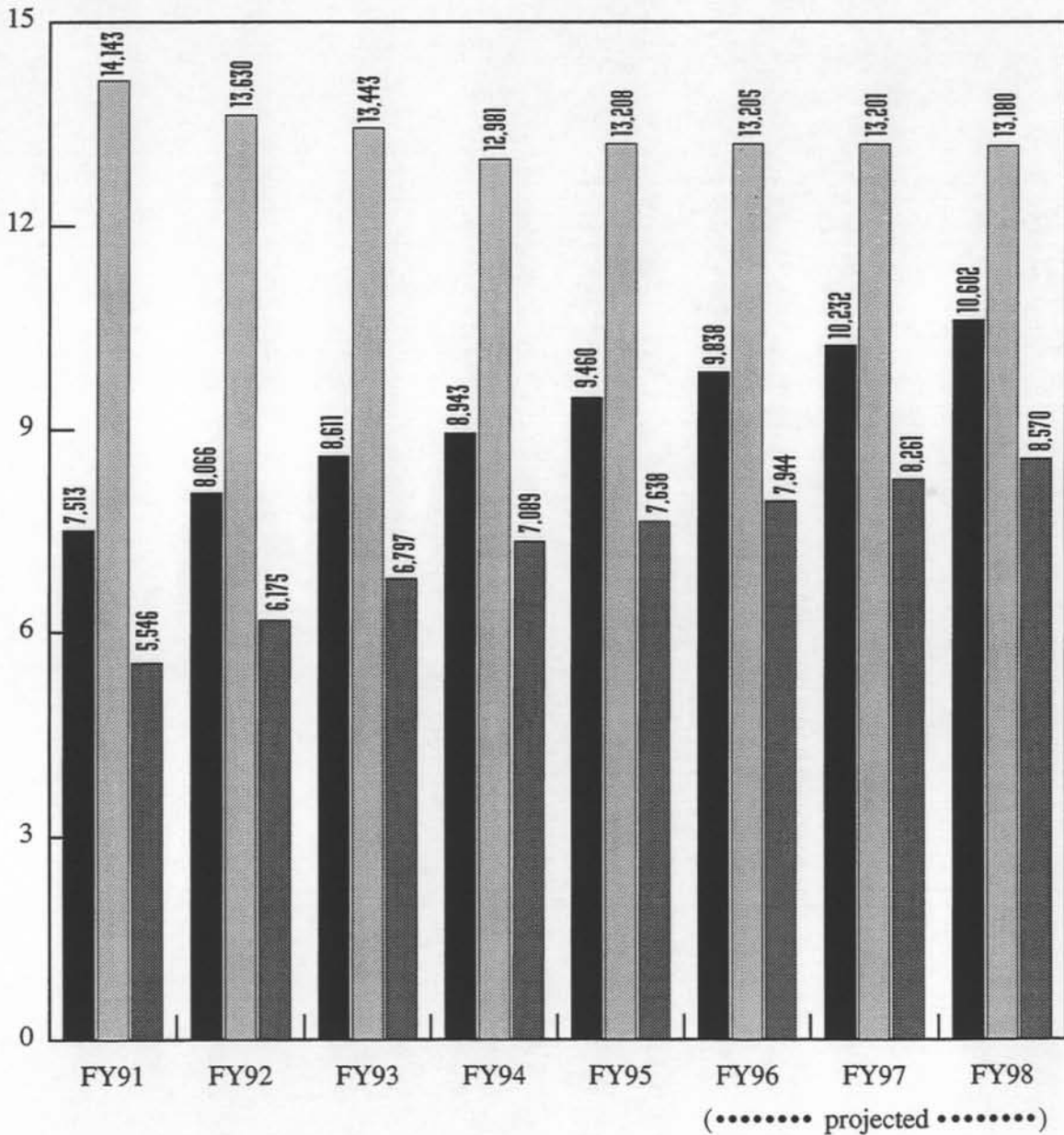
Population



Licensed/Registered Daycare and Residential Facilities

Daycare Facility
 Family Homes
 Residential Facility

(in thousands)



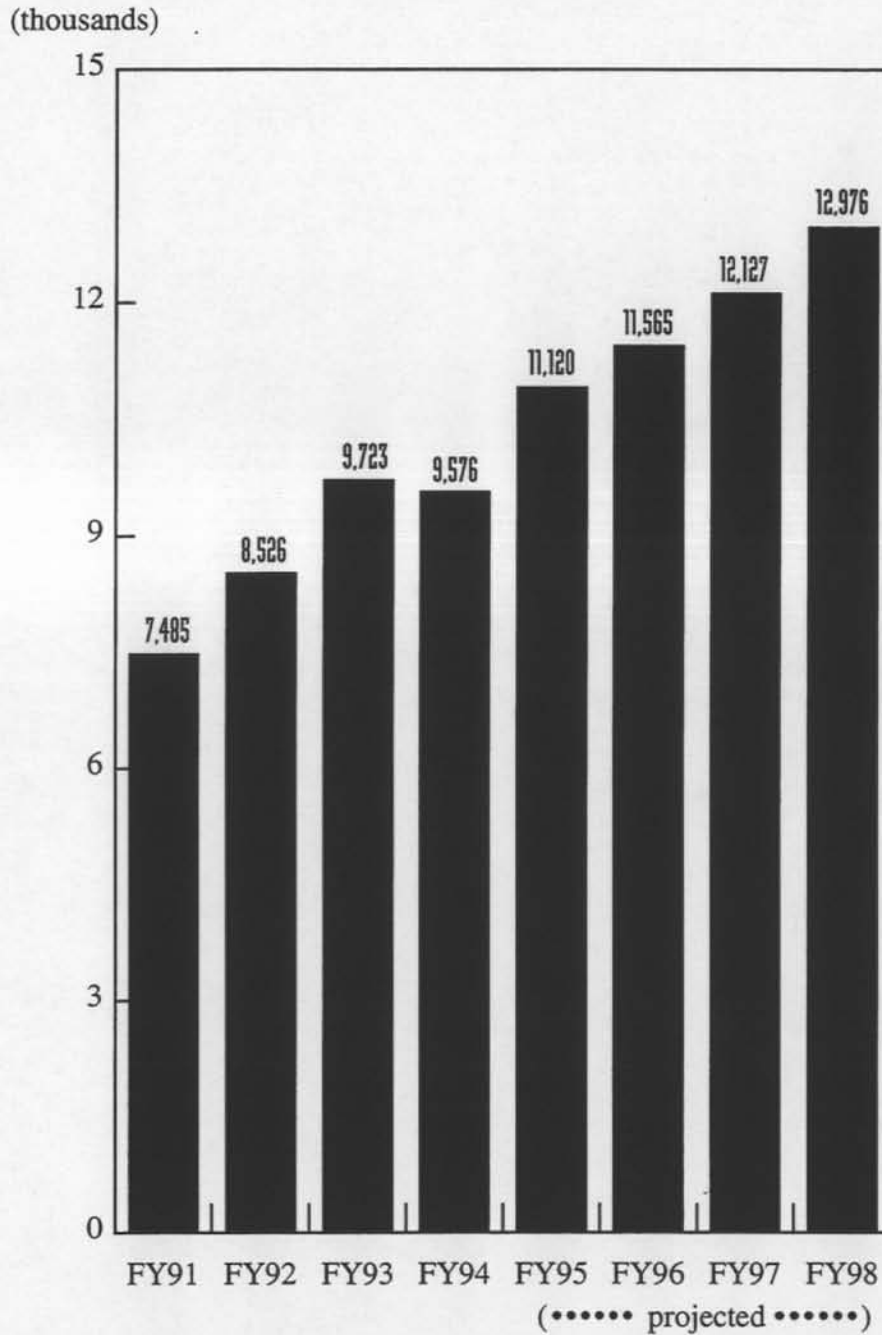
Licensed, Certified, and Registered Child-care Facilities by Number, Capacity, and Percent of Change

Type of Facility	Sept. 1, 1993		Aug. 31, 1994		Percent of Change	
	Number of Facilities	Capacity	Number of Facilities	Capacity	Number of Facilities	Capacity
<i>Day Care</i>						
Day-care centers	6,847	552,848	7,049	578,186	3.00	4.58
Kindergartens/nursery schools	435	28,516	409	27,276	-4.60	-4.55
Schools/kindergartens and above	96	6,767	96	6,873	0.00	1.57
Group day-care homes	1,233	15,046	1,389	16,550	12.65	10.00
Total Licensed/Certified Facilities	8,611	603,177	8,943	628,885	3.86	4.26
Total Registered Family Homes	13,443	80,658	12,981	77,886	-3.44	-3.44
Total Day-care Facilities	22,054	683,835	21,924	706,771	0.59	3.35
<i>Residential Child Care</i>						
Institutions providing basic child care	77	4,830	75	4,846	-2.60	0.33
Institutions serving children with mental retardation	7	400	9	462	28.57	15.50
Emergency Shelters	70	1,613	65	1,524	-7.14	-5.52
Halfway houses	3	67	3	82	0.00	22.39
Residential treatment centers	81	4,151	91	4,212	12.35	1.47
Therapeutic camps	11	396	8	280	-27.27	-29.29
Foster group homes	36	422	39	492	8.33	16.59
Foster family homes	73	371	73	383	0.00	3.23
Child-placing agencies (24-hour care and adoption)	176	NA	175	NA	0.57	NA
Agency foster group homes	56	501	128	982	128.57	96.01
Agency homes	6,207	18,836	6,423	18,896	3.48	0.32
Total 24-hour Care Facilities	6,797	31,587	7,089	32,159	4.30	1.8
Grand Total	28,851	715,422	29,013	738,930	0.56	3.29

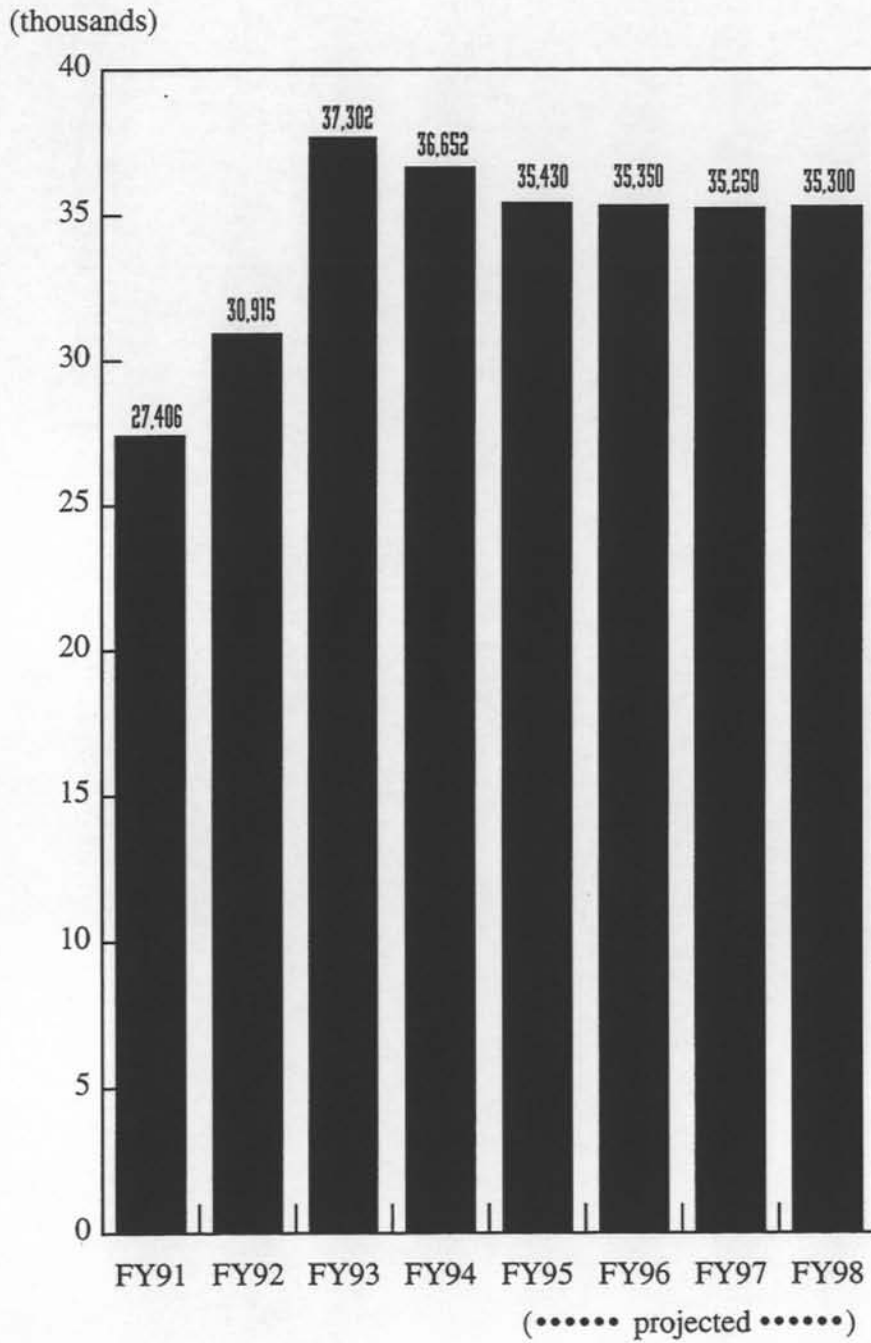
Licensing Staff by Function as of September 1st

Positions	September 1, 1993	September 1, 1994
Day Care	343	338
Residential Child Care	51	45
State Office	22	20
Total	416	403

Investigations of Complaints in Licensed or Certified Facilities by Fiscal Year



Child-care Facility Inspections by Fiscal Year



Facilities Licensed, Regulated and Certified by Fiscal Year

	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
<i>Day Care Facilities Licensed</i>					
Regional Area 1	1,852	2,102	2,082	2,164	2,261
Regional Area 2	2,032	1,932	2,270	2,361	2,456
Regional Area 3	2,523	2,624	2,743	2,853	2,967
Regional Area 4	2,204	2,285	2,365	2,460	2,558
State	8,611	8,943	9,460	9,838	10,232
<i>Family Day Homes Regulated</i>					
Regional Area 1	2,527	2,492	2,510	2,509	2,508
Regional Area 2	2,689	2,358	2,642	2,641	2,640
Regional Area 3	3,925	4,098	3,830	3,829	3,828
Regional Area 4	4,302	4,033	4,226	4,226	4,225
State	13,443	12,981	13,208	13,205	13,201
<i>24-hour Care Facilities Licensed</i>					
Regional Area 1	1,761	1,836	1,986	2,065	2,147
Regional Area 2	1,312	1,368	1,451	1,509	1,569
Regional Area 3	1,984	2,070	2,215	2,304	2,397
Regional Area 4	1,740	1,815	1,986	2,066	2,148
State	6,797	7,089	7,638	7,944	8,261

Regulation of Day-care Facilities by Region for Fiscal Year 1994

	Regional Area 1	Regional Area 2	Regional Area 3	Regional Area 4	TOTAL
Provisional applications accepted	529	623	570	541	2,263
Provisional licenses issued	374	296	366	352	1,388
Provisional licenses denied	2	0	1	4	7
Licenses issued	325	279	368	320	1,292
Licenses revoked	7	2	1	6	16
Requests to register granted	528	451	778	760	2,517
Requests to register denied	4	2	1	12	19
Registrations revoked	9	5	0	50	64
Complaint investigations	2,434	1,507	2,530	2,264	8,735
Licenses suspended	0	1	4	2	7
Probations	8	9	11	8	36

PRS regions included in the regional area are:

Regional Area 1 - Regions 1, 2, 7 and 9;

Regional Area 2 - Regions 8, 10, and 11;

Regional Area 3 - Regions 3 and 4;

Regional Area 4 - Regions 5 and 6