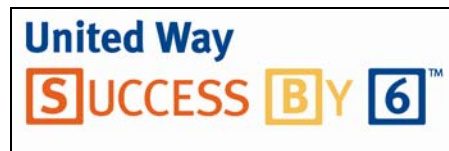


The Health and Well-Being of Greater Cincinnati Children Ages 0 to 5 Years

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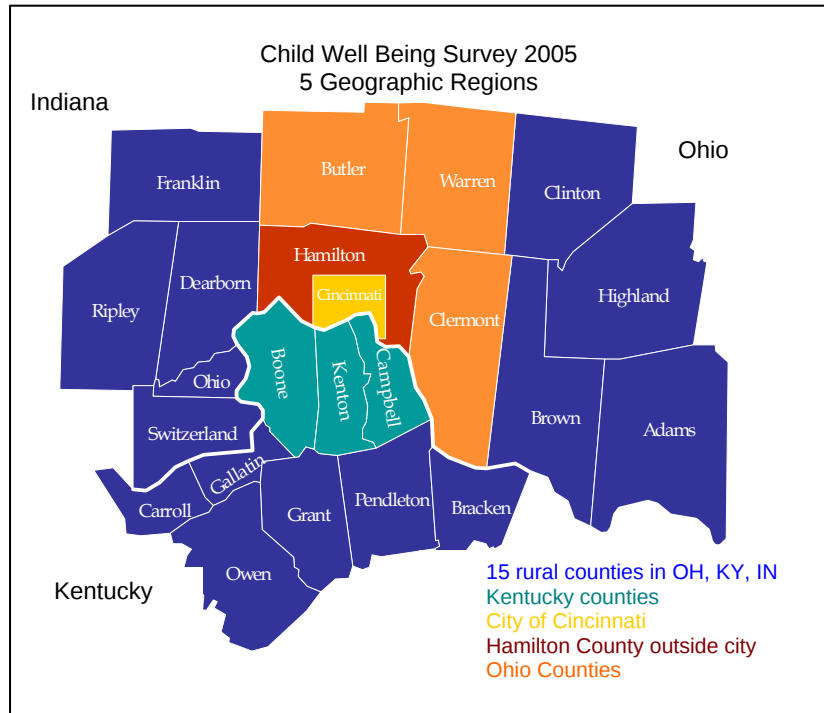
The Child Well Being Survey of 2005

An Overview

The *Child Well Being Survey (CWB) 2005* is a joint project of the Child Policy Research Center at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, the United Way of Greater Cincinnati, and the Health Foundation of Greater Cincinnati. Families were surveyed by telephone by the Institute for Policy Research at the University of Cincinnati during the months of October through December of 2005.

The CWB 2005 includes 1,559 families from a 22-county area in Ohio, Indiana, and Kentucky (see adjacent map). The survey provides population estimates on the health and well-being of children who live in the tri-state area.

The results of this survey provide policy makers, decision makers, public agencies, and academicians with population-based information to describe and monitor the health and well-being of children in the greater Cincinnati region. Data from the CWB survey can be used to guide and implement change in policy to improve the outcomes of our children.



This custom report prepared for United Way of Greater Cincinnati *Success by 6* provides population estimates on the well-being of children ages 0 to 5.

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I. Introduction

The Health and Well-Being of Greater Cincinnati Children Ages 0 to 5 Years

- A total of 528 caregivers in 5 survey regions responded to questions about a randomly selected child 0 to 5 years old under their care.
- Among caregiver respondents, 93% were birth parents. Fifty-two percent of the children 0-5 years were male and 48% were female. Nearly 70% were white non-Appalachian, 11% white and of Appalachian heritage, and 11% African American.
- When appropriate, the analyses include differences between the city of Cincinnati and the remainder of Hamilton County, race/ethnicity differences (African American, white Appalachian and non-Appalachian) and statewide and national estimates from The National Survey of Children's Health (2003).
- Child health and well-being measures include child health status, medical home, usual source of care, insurance type, early learning (frequency of reading to child), childhood injuries, emotional health, and child care arrangements.
- Frequency tables are included in the appendix. If the number of respondents was less than 50 for an indicator, values are not reported.

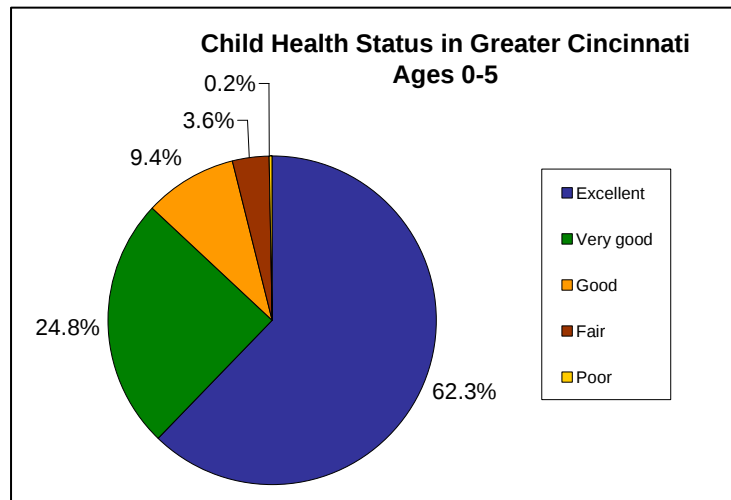
II. Key Findings Related to Kindergarten Readiness in Greater Cincinnati

- Among caregivers of young children, more than 1 in 8 report that their child's health is neither very good nor excellent. It is estimated that as many as 24,000 young children in the greater Cincinnati region have suboptimal health
- 16.4% of young children (0 to 5 years) experienced an injury that required medical attention in the preceding 12 months, well above the comparable Ohio estimate of 10.4% or the national benchmark of 9.4%
- Poor social-emotional health may be a very important impediment to early childhood learning.
- CWB 2005 estimates that 13.4% of all children ages 0 to 5 do not have a medical home. Lack of medical home is associated with suboptimal health status.
- Nearly 8% of African American children's usual source of care is the hospital emergency room compared to 0% white Appalachians and 0.2% white non-Appalachians. Racial differences in care for young children may help explain the observed difference in child health and well-being.
- Implementation of SCHIP may have reduced the proportion of uninsured children.
- 59% of caregivers of children 0 to 5 years old report reading to their child daily. This compared favorably to a national estimate of 51%. (Source: The National Survey of Children's Health, 2003).
- Almost half of caregivers report that trust in the provider or wanting to send their child to family or friends for child care is the most important factor determining their choice of child care provider.
- According to CWB 2005 estimates, 11% of families have had to quit a job, not take a job, or greatly change their job in the last year because of problems with child care. Consistent access to child care is a widespread problem with important policy implications.

III. Health Measures of Children Ages 0 to 5 Years

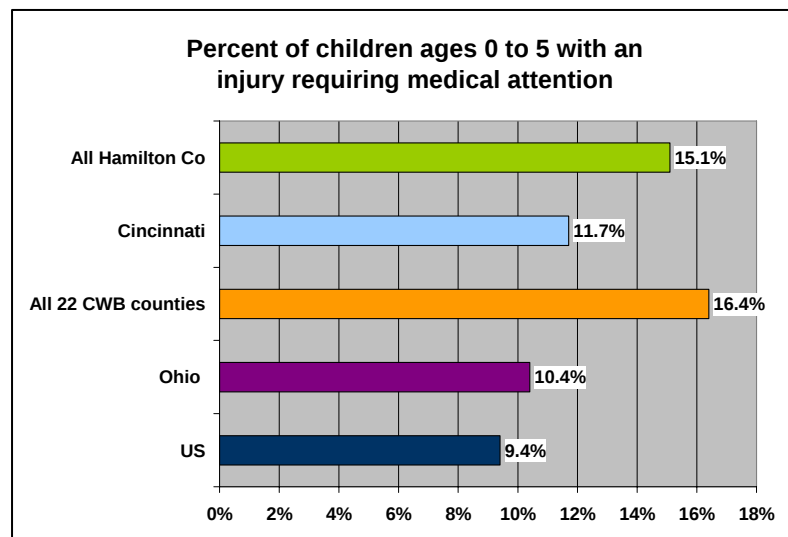
Child Health Status

Primary caregivers reported the health status of their children. Overall, 87% of caregivers report that their young children have either excellent or very good overall health. Compared to state and national estimates, children in greater Cincinnati have similarly good health status. In the US, 84% of children have excellent or very good health. In the state of Ohio, 89% of children have excellent or very good health (Source: The National Survey of Children's Health, 2003). CWB girls have slightly better health compared to boys (91.2% vs. 83.2%). No racial differences are seen in caregiver reported health status among young white Appalachian and non-Appalachian, and African American children. Regionally, young children living outside the city have somewhat better overall health (89%) compared to those living inside the city of Cincinnati (82.9%) and Hamilton County as a whole (86.4%). Among caregivers of young children in greater Cincinnati more than 1 in 8 report that their child's health is neither very good nor excellent. It is estimated that as many as 24,000 young children in the greater Cincinnati region have suboptimal health (Source: US Census Bureau 2004 County Population Estimates).



Injuries Requiring Medical Attention

Overall CWB 2005 estimates show that 16.4% of young children (0 to 5 years) in greater Cincinnati experienced an injury that required medical attention in the preceding 12 months, well above the comparable Ohio estimate of 10.4% or the national benchmark of 9.4% (Source: The National Survey of Children's Health, 2003). Children living outside of Cincinnati were slightly more likely to suffer a serious injury, compared to their counterparts in the city (15% vs. 12%). Boys and girls in the CWB regions were almost equally likely to experience an injury. Almost 65% of injuries among all young children in greater Cincinnati occurred in the home. More attention should be directed to identifying the underlying factors accounting for the high local injury rate.



Child Social-Emotional Health

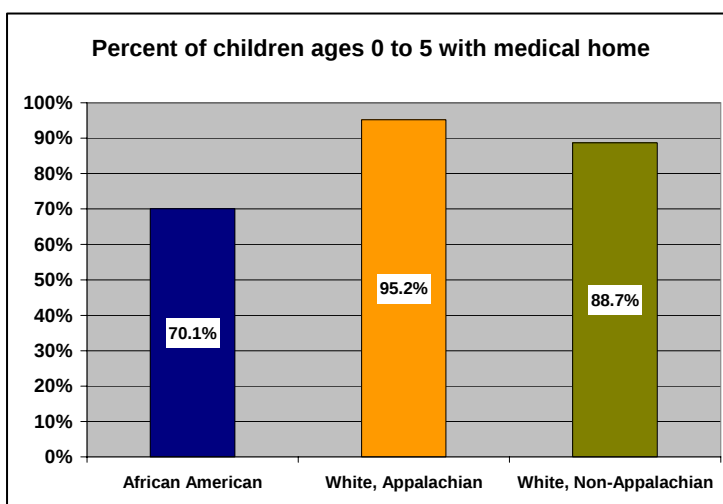
Caregivers report that it was often true that their young children did not get along with other kids, could not concentrate or pay attention for long, and had felt unhappy, sad or depressed in the past month. Forty-two percent of caregivers perceive it is often or sometimes true that their young child did not get along with other kids. Forty-seven percent believe their child could not concentrate or pay attention for long, and 30% of caregivers felt their child was unhappy, sad or depressed in the past month. Poor social-emotional health may be a very important impediment to early childhood learning in greater Cincinnati.

IV. Access to Care among Children Ages 0 to 5 Years

Medical Home

Having a medical home implies a mutually respectful partnership between the family and the child's primary health care provider including usual care and after-hours access to consultation and care coordination. A medical home is not a building, house, or hospital, but rather an approach to providing comprehensive primary care. A medical home is defined as primary care that is accessible, continuous, comprehensive, family-centered, coordinated, compassionate, and culturally effective (American Academy of Pediatrics). CWB 2005 estimates that

13.4% of all children ages 0 to 5 do not have a medical home. White children, both Appalachian and non-Appalachian, compared to African American children, are more likely to have a medical home. Children living in the city of Cincinnati are less likely to have a medical home compared to Hamilton County residents outside the city (73.6% vs. 85.2%). It is estimated that 26.4% of children 0 to 5 years old living in the city of Cincinnati do not have a consistent source of health care or medical home. Lack of medical home is associated with suboptimal health status.

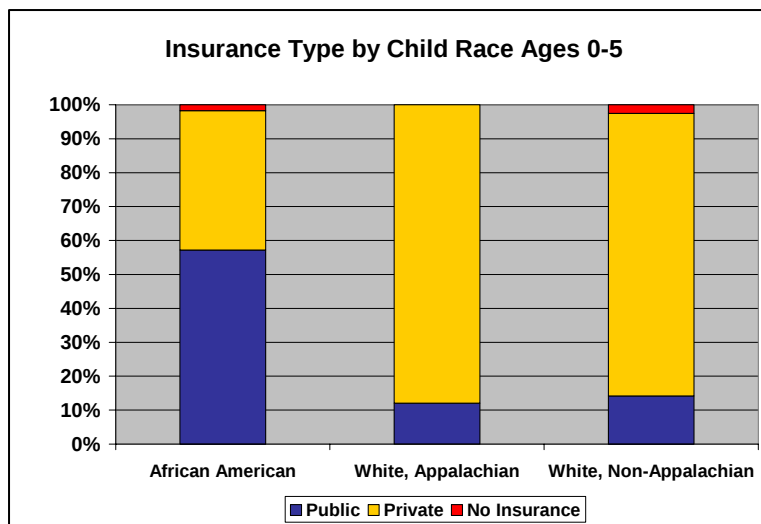


Usual Source of Care

Most young children in greater Cincinnati (88%) seek care and advice about their health from a private health care practice. White children compared to African American children are almost two times more likely to go to a private office for care (98.8%- white Appalachian and 93.0%- non-Appalachian compared to 56%-African American). Only 1% of white Appalachian children and 5% of white non-Appalachians, but 24% of African American children receive care at a public health clinic or community-based health center. About one in five children in Cincinnati go to a public health clinic or community-based health center. Nearly 8% of African American children's usual source of care is the hospital emergency room compared to 0% white Appalachians and 0.2% white non-Appalachians. Racial difference in care for young children may help explain the observed difference in child health and well-being.

Child's Health Insurance

Over three-fourths of all greater Cincinnati children ages 0 to 5 are privately insured. Only 2% have no insurance coverage. Nearly 20% are covered by publicly financed insurance, such as Medicaid and SCHIP. White children, both Appalachian and non-Appalachian, are two times more likely to be privately insured compared to African American children. Among African American children, over half are publicly insured. Children living outside the city of Cincinnati are more likely to be privately insured compared to city children.



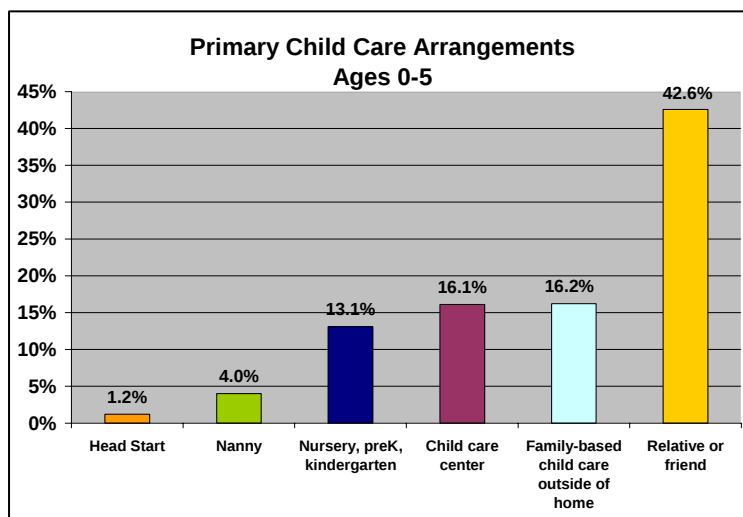
V. Early Childhood Learning among Children Ages 0 to 5 Years

Reading to Young Children

Nearly 17% of caregivers report reading to their young children fewer than several times a week. White non-Appalachian children were read to the most compared to white Appalachian and African American children (61% vs. 55% vs. 45%). In greater Cincinnati, 59% of caregivers of children ages 0 to 5 report reading to their child daily. This compares favorably to a national estimate of 51%. (Source: The National Survey of Children's Health, 2003).

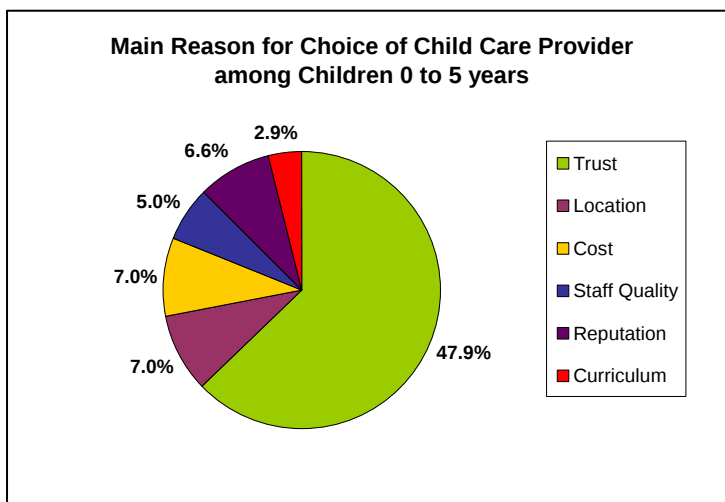
Child Care Arrangements

Slightly more than half of caregivers of children ages 0 to 5 currently have some type of child care arrangement (54%). Of these, 42.6% are cared for by a relative or friend, 16.2% go to a family-based care center outside the home, and 16.1% attend a child care center not family related. The implications of these findings are that efforts to improve early childhood education must be broadly focused on parents of young children (46% are not in day care), relatives/friends caring for children (23%), family-based care (9%), and center-based/pre-K care (16%).



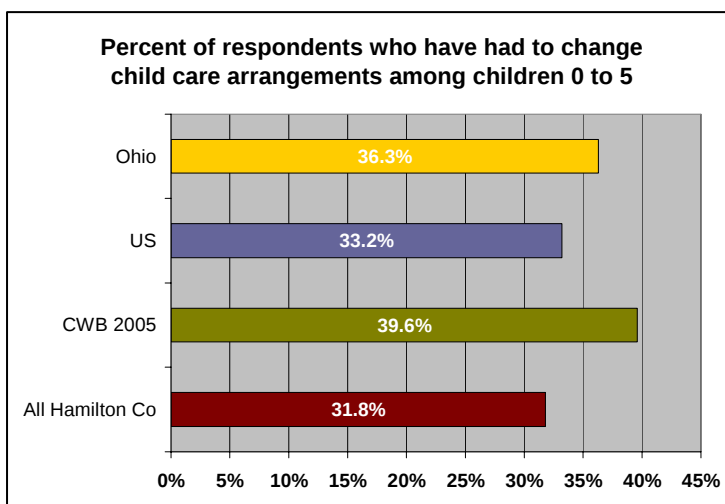
Reason for Choosing Child Care Provider

Although providers are concerned with the quality and affordability of care, from the caregiver perspective, trust in the care provider is by far the most important factor in choosing a child care arrangement. Almost half of caregivers report that trust or wanting to send children to family or friends for child care is the most important factor (47.9%). Only 7% feel cost is important and 7% report that location is important.



Changing Child Care Arrangements

Almost 20% of greater Cincinnati families who use child care reported that they have had to make last minute arrangements 2 or 3 or more times in the past month. More than 35% have had to change arrangements at least once in the past month. Statewide, 36% of families have had to rearrange their plans at least once during the past 30 days. In all of Hamilton County, about 32% have had to change plans. Nationally, 33% of caregivers have had to make different child care arrangements at the last minute (Source: The National Survey of Children's Health, 2003).



According to CWB 2005 estimates, 11% of greater Cincinnati families have had to quit a job, not take a job, or greatly change their job in the last year because of problems with child care. Consistent access to child care is a widespread problem with important policy implications.

VI. Comparison of 2000 and 2005 CWB Results Related to Children Ages 0 to 5

	<i>CWB 2000</i>	<i>CWB 2005</i>
<u>Health Status</u>		
% of children with excellent or very good health status	87.9%	87.1%
<u>Child Social-Emotional Health</u>		
% of caregivers who believe it is often or sometimes true that...		
a. Child can't concentrate or pay attention for long	40.9%	46.5%
b. Child doesn't get along with other kids	42.4%	41.7%
c. Child has been unhappy, sad or depressed	21.8%	30.1%
<u>Usual Source of Care</u>		
% where children seek care and health advice		
Private doctor's office	87.0%	88.0%
Clinic or health center	10.4%	7.2%
<u>Child Health Insurance</u>		
Private coverage	71.1%	77.5%
Public coverage	20.4%	20.0%
No insurance	7.7%	2.0%
<u>Reading to Young Children</u>		
Fewer than several times a week	12.6%	17.0%
Almost every day	65.2%	59.0%
<u>Child Care Arrangements</u>		
% of children in child care	46.8%	53.5%
<u>Reason for Choosing Child Care Provider</u>		
Trust	45.2%	47.9%
Location	13.4%	7.0%
Cost	5.1%	7.0%
Quality of Staff	6.2%	5.0%
Reputation	8.9%	6.6%
Curriculum	6.5%	2.9%
Source: Child Policy Research Center, Child Well Being Surveys 2000 and 2005		

VII. Appendix

Frequency tables of sample characteristics and selected health measures by sample demographics are included in the appendix of this report. These data are weighted to best reflect the population of children 0 to 5 years in the 22-county survey area. Values are not reported if there were less than 50 respondents because results should not be generalized to the overall population.

TABLE 1. Success by 6 Sample Characteristics

	N	%
<i>Total (Children 0-5 yrs)</i>	528	100.0
<i>Child Gender</i>		
Male	276	52.3
Female	252	47.7
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>		
African American	60	11.4
White, Appalachian	57	10.8
White, Non-Appalachian	369	69.9
Other	42	8.0
<i>Child Insurance Type</i>		
Private	406	76.9
CHIP, Medicaid	102	19.3
No Insurance	11	2.1
Other	9	1.7
<i>Caregiver Race/Ethnicity</i>		
African American	60	11.4
White	450	85.2
Other	18	3.4
<i>Caregiver Relationship to Child</i>		
Birth parent	489	92.6
Step-parent	6	1.1
Adoptive parent	8	1.5
Grandparent	19	3.6
Aunt or Uncle	3	0.6
Guardian	1	0.2
Other	2	0.4
<i>Region</i>		
City of Cincinnati	78	14.8
Hamilton County (outside city)	106	20.1
Hamilton County All	183	34.7

Note: Frequency distributions are weighted.

TABLE 2. Child Health Status

In general would you say [CHILD'S] health is excellent, very good, good, fair, or poor ?

	Excellent	Very Good	Good	Fair	Poor	Count
<i>All Children (0-5yrs.)</i>	62.3%	24.8%	9.4%	3.4%	0.2%	528
<i>Child Gender</i>						
Male	58.3%	24.9%	11.2%	5.5%	0.0%	276
Female	66.6%	24.6%	7.4%	1.1%	0.3%	252
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>						
African American	67.5%	18.1%	12.0%	2.5%	0.0%	60
White, Appalachian	69.6%	15.3%	10.2%	3.3%	1.6%	57
White, Non-Appalachian	61.6%	26.8%	8.3%	3.3%	0.0%	369
<i>Caregiver Race</i>						
White	62.7%	25.2%	8.6%	3.3%	0.2%	450
African American	65.4%	20.2%	11.9%	2.5%	0.0%	60
<i>Region</i>						
City of Cincinnati	64.1%	18.8%	15.1%	2.0%	0.0%	78
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	57.6%	31.5%	7.2%	3.8%	0.0%	106
Hamilton County (all)	60.3%	26.1%	10.5%	3.0%	0.0%	183

TABLE 3. Medical Home

Do you have one or more persons you think of as [CHILD'S] personal doctor or nurse ?

	Yes	No	Don't Know	Count
<i>All Children (0-5yrs.)</i>	86.4%	13.4%	0.2%	528
<i>Child Gender</i>				
Male	86.8%	13.2%	0.0%	276
Female	86.0%	13.6%	0.4%	252
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>				
African American	70.1%	29.9%	0.0%	60
White, Appalachian	95.2%	4.8%	0.0%	57
White, Non-Appalachian	88.7%	11.3%	0.0%	369
<i>Caregiver Race</i>				
White	89.1%	10.7%	0.2%	450
African American	67.3%	32.7%	0.0%	60
<i>Region</i>				
City of Cincinnati	73.6%	26.4%	0.0%	78
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	85.2%	14.8%	0.0%	106
Hamilton County (all)	80.3%	19.7%	0.0%	183

TABLE 4. Preventive Care

During the past 12 months did [CHILD] visit [HIS/HER] personal doctor or nurse for preventive care? [Asked only of those who have a personal doctor or nurse for their child]

	Yes	No	Don't Know	Count
<i>All Children (0-5yrs.)</i>	96.7%	3.3%	0.0%	456
<i>Child Gender</i>				
Male	97.0%	3.0%	0.0%	239
Female	96.4%	3.6%	0.0%	217
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>				
African American				
White, Appalachian	88.4%	11.6%	0.0%	54
White, Non-Appalachian	97.7%	2.3%	0.0%	328
<i>Caregiver Race</i>				
White	96.4%	3.6%	0.0%	401
Black or African-American				
<i>Region</i>				
City of Cincinnati	97.8%	2.2%	0.0%	57
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	99.8%	0.2%	0.0%	90
Hamilton County (all)	99.0%	1.0%	0.0%	147

TABLE 5. Injury

During the past 12 months, has [CHILD] been injured and required medical attention ?

	Yes	No	Don't Know	Count
<i>All Children (0-5yrs.)</i>	16.4%	83.6%	0.0%	528
<i>Child Gender</i>				
Male	18.4%	81.6%	0.0%	276
Female	14.2%	85.8%	0.0%	252
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>				
African American	11.9%	88.1%	0.0%	60
White, Appalachian	29.1%	70.9%	0.0%	57
White, Non-Appalachian	15.5%	84.5%	0.0%	369
<i>Caregiver Race</i>				
White	17.0%	83.0%	0.0%	450
African American	11.9%	88.1%	0.0%	60
<i>Region</i>				
City of Cincinnati	11.7%	88.3%	0.0%	78
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	17.6%	82.4%	0.0%	106
Hamilton County (all)	15.1%	84.9%	0.0%	183

TABLE 6. Injury

Did the [MOST RECENT] injury occur at home, at child care, or some other place ?

	Home	Child Care	Other	Don't kn	Count
<i>All Children (0-5yrs.)</i>	64.2%	4.4%	26.8%	4.6%	84
<i>Child Gender</i>					
Male					
Female					
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>					
African American					
White, Appalachian					
White, Non-Appalachian	70.8%	3.2%	23.1%	3.0%	55
<i>Caregiver Race</i>					
White	66.0%	2.3%	27.1%	4.5%	74
African American					
<i>Region</i>					
City of Cincinnati					
Hamilton Co. (outside city)					
Hamilton County (all)					

TABLE 7. Usual Source of Care

What kind of place does [CHILD] go to most often when [HE/SHE] is sick or you need advice about [HIS/HER] health?

	Private	Public Health	Hospital	Hospital	Urgent Care	School	Some Other	Doesn't go	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	88.0%	7.2%	2.3%	1.1%	1.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%	526
<i>Child Gender</i>									
Male	88.9%	7.4%	1.7%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	0.3%	276
Female	87.1%	7.1%	2.9%	0.8%	2.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	250
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>									
African American	56.0%	23.8%	12.3%	7.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	60
White, Appalachian	98.8%	1.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	57
White, Non-Appalachian	93.0%	4.5%	0.9%	0.2%	0.8%	0.0%	0.3%	0.2%	368
<i>Caregiver Race</i>									
White	93.2%	4.5%	0.7%	0.5%	0.7%	0.0%	0.3%	0.2%	448
African American	55.6%	24.5%	14.5%	5.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	60
<i>Region</i>									
City of Cincinnati	63.5%	21.1%	11.3%	4.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	78
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	90.2%	7.5%	0.0%	1.4%	0.4%	0.0%	0.6%	0.0%	106
Hamilton County (all)	78.9%	13.2%	4.8%	2.6%	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	0.0%	183

TABLE 8. Insurance

Which one of the following best describes the insurance type you currently have for [CHILD] ?

	Medicaid	CHIP	Private	No Insur	Other	Combin.	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	17.4%	2.0%	77.5%	2.0%	0.4%	0.6%	524
<i>Child Gender</i>							
Male	16.0%	2.2%	78.6%	1.9%	0.8%	0.5%	273
Female	18.9%	1.9%	76.3%	2.1%	0.0%	0.8%	251
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>							
African American	51.6%	4.2%	40.1%	1.7%	2.5%	0.0%	58
White, Appalachian	10.9%	0.8%	85.4%	0.0%	1.5%	1.5%	56
White, Non-Appalachian	12.3%	1.8%	82.7%	2.5%	0.0%	0.6%	369
<i>Caregiver Race</i>							
White	13.5%	1.8%	81.8%	1.9%	0.2%	0.7%	448
African American	49.7%	4.2%	41.2%	2.4%	2.5%	0.0%	59
<i>Region</i>							
City of Cincinnati	37.1%	4.3%	53.2%	3.5%	1.9%	0.0%	77
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	12.7%	0.9%	85.4%	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%	105
Hamilton County (all)	23.0%	2.3%	71.8%	2.0%	0.8%	0.0%	181

TABLE 9. Early Learning Measure

How often do you or other adults spend time reading to [CHILD] ?

	Never or Rarely	Once a mo. Or less	Several times a mo.	About once a week	Several times a week	Almost every day	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	3.0%	3.9%	4.4%	6.0%	23.3%	59.3%	526
<i>Child Gender</i>							
Male	3.3%	3.7%	3.3%	6.2%	24.5%	59.0%	274
Female	2.7%	4.2%	5.7%	5.8%	22.1%	59.5%	252
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>							
African American	1.6%	9.6%	9.9%	12.1%	22.1%	44.7%	60
White, Appalachian	0.8%	6.8%	4.1%	10.9%	22.2%	55.2%	57
White, Non-Appalachian	4.0%	3.0%	3.5%	4.1%	24.7%	60.7%	368
<i>Caregiver Race</i>							
White	3.4%	3.3%	3.7%	4.9%	24.0%	60.7%	448
African American	1.6%	9.6%	10.3%	12.7%	22.0%	43.8%	60
<i>Region</i>							
City of Cincinnati	1.3%	2.6%	10.3%	12.4%	16.8%	56.7%	77
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	0.0%	5.2%	3.6%	3.8%	25.2%	62.2%	104
Hamilton County (all)	0.5%	4.1%	6.4%	7.4%	21.6%	59.9%	182

TABLE 10. Child Care

Do you currently have any child care arrangements for [CHILD] ... ?

	Yes	No	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	53.5%	46.5%	528
<i>Child Gender</i>			
Male	53.5%	46.5%	276
Female	53.5%	46.5%	252
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>			
African American	64.8%	35.2%	60
White, Appalachian	58.5%	41.5%	57
White, Non-Appalachian	50.9%	49.1%	369
<i>Caregiver Race</i>			
White	52.0%	48.0%	450
African American	61.9%	38.1%	60
<i>Region</i>			
City of Cincinnati	47.8%	52.2%	78
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	52.0%	48.0%	106
Hamilton County (all)	50.2%	49.8%	183

TABLE 11. Child Care

Which one of the following categories best describes the primary child care arrangement ...

	Relative or friend	Family based care outside home	Child care center	Nursery school, kindergarten	Caregiver in house	Early Head Start to Head	School program	Latchkey after school program	Babysitter or non-center
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	42.6%	16.2%	16.1%	13.1%	4.0%	1.2%	0.0%	0.1%	1.9%
<i>Child Gender</i>									
Male	40.0%	15.5%	19.3%	10.4%	6.0%	1.4%	0.0%	0.2%	3.6%
Female	45.5%	17.0%	12.6%	16.0%	1.9%	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>									
African American									
White, Appalachian									
White, Non-Appalachian	44.6%	13.1%	15.1%	14.6%	4.2%	1.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.7%
<i>Caregiver Race</i>									
White	45.0%	14.0%	15.8%	13.4%	4.4%	0.9%	0.0%	0.1%	1.2%
African American									
<i>Region</i>									
City of Cincinnati									
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	47.7%	19.8%	11.8%	10.9%	4.5%	3.0%	0	0.0%	0
Hamilton County (all)	40.0%	22.4%	13.1%	11.4%	3.2%	3.8%	0	0.3%	0

TABLE 11 continued...

	Some other type of arrange.	Some combination	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	0.9%	3.9%	282
<i>Child Gender</i>			
Male	1.3%	2.4%	147
Female	0.4%	5.5%	135
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>			
African American			
White, Appalachian			
White, Non-Appalachian	1.1%	5.4%	188
<i>Caregiver Race</i>			
White	0.8%	4.4%	234
African American			
<i>Region</i>			
City of Cincinnati			
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	0	0	55
Hamilton County (all)	0	0	92

TABLE 12. Child Care

What is the main reason you chose the child care provider that you're now using for [CHILD] ?

	Trust/want friends or family	Location	Cost	Quality of teachers/s taff	Quality of building/gro unds	Quality of curriculu m	Accredited facility	Reputation	Affiliated with church/scho ol
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	47.9%	7.0%	7.0%	5.0%	0.0%	2.9%	0.3%	6.6%	1.5%
<i>Child Gender</i>									
Male	44.5%	8.9%	8.7%	4.5%	0.0%	2.3%	0.0%	7.1%	2.9%
Female	51.6%	4.8%	5.3%	5.4%	0.0%	3.5%	0.7%	5.9%	0.0%
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>									
African American									
White, Appalachian									
White, Non-Appalachian	50.2%	5.1%	8.3%	3.9%	0.0%	3.2%	0.0%	6.4%	0.6%
<i>Caregiver Race</i>									
White	47.7%	6.6%	7.6%	4.8%	0.0%	2.9%	0.4%	6.9%	1.4%
African American									
<i>Region</i>									
City of Cincinnati									
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	55.9%	6.2%	5.1%	5.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0	2.0%	0
Hamilton County (all)	50.0%	5.4%	5.8%	6.3%	0.0%	1.9%	0	6.7%	0

TABLE 12 continued...

What is the main reason you chose the child care provider that you're now using for [CHILD] ?

	Care in evenings or morning	Care on weekend	Care for sick children	Provides transporta tion	Space available	Convenie nce	Flexible scheduling	Child care provider at work	Affiliated with school/pres
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	0.9%	0.0%	1.1%	1.1%	0.4%	0.8%	0.3%	1.1%	2.7%
<i>Child Gender</i>									
Male	0.4%	0.0%	0.6%	1.1%	0.8%	1.4%	0.7%	0.9%	1.1%
Female	1.5%	0.0%	1.8%	1.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	1.3%	4.4%
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>									
African American									
White, Appalachian									
White, Non-Appalachian	0.6%	0.0%	1.1%	0.8%	0.0%	0.8%	0.0%	1.6%	3.0%
<i>Caregiver Race</i>									
White	0.5%	0.0%	1.4%	0.7%	0.1%	0.6%	0.0%	1.3%	2.0%
African American									
<i>Region</i>									
City of Cincinnati									
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hamilton County (all)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE 12 continued...

	Child care provider is family /friend	Attractive. of programs	Child care by church	Provider of speech problem	Positive character or personality of provider	Provid is in home care giver	Other	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	0.7%	0.4%	0.5%	0.5%	1.6%	1.6%	8.3%	279
<i>Child Gender</i>								
Male	1.2%	0.2%	0.9%	0.3%	2.5%	3.1%	6.2%	146
Female	0.0%	0.7%	0.0%	0.7%	0.7%	0.0%	10.7%	133
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>								
African American								
White, Appalachian								
White, Non-Appalachian	1.0%	0.4%	0.8%	0.5%	1.5%	0.7%	9.4%	185
<i>Caregiver Race</i>								
White	0.8%	0.3%	0.6%	0.6%	1.5%	1.9%	9.4%	231
African American								
<i>Region</i>								
City of Cincinnati								
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55
Hamilton County (all)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	91

TABLE 13. Child Care**During the past month, how many times have you had to make different arrangements for child care at the last minute...?**

	Never	One	Two	3 or more	Don't know	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	59.5%	19.9%	11.5%	8.2%	1.0%	278
<i>Child Gender</i>						
Male	52.5%	22.8%	12.4%	11.6%	0.7%	143
Female	66.9%	16.7%	10.4%	4.6%	1.3%	135
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>						
African American						
White, Appalachian						
White, Non-Appalachian	58.4%	20.6%	11.3%	8.7%	0.9%	188
<i>Caregiver Race</i>						
White	57.4%	21.0%	12.0%	8.9%	0.8%	234
African American						
<i>Region</i>						
City of Cincinnati						
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	64.7%	14.1%	5.3%	15.9%	0.0%	51
Hamilton County (all)	67.1%	11.5%	9.2%	11.1%	1.1%	88

TABLE 14. Child Care**During the past 12 months, did you or anyone in your family have to quit a job, not take...because of problems with child care?**

	Yes	No	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	11.4%	88.6%	282
<i>Child Gender</i>			
Male	14.4%	85.6%	147
Female	8.2%	91.8%	135
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>			
African American			
White, Appalachian			
White, Non-Appalachian	11.0%	89.0%	188
<i>Caregiver Race</i>			
White	12.1%	87.9%	234
African American			
<i>Region</i>			
City of Cincinnati			
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	10.9%	89.1%	55
Hamilton County (all)	13.3%	86.7%	92

TABLE 15. Child Emotional Health**[In the past month], child doesn't get along with other kids...**

	Often true	Sometime true	Never true	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	1.9%	39.8%	58.3%	258
<i>Child Gender</i>				
Male	2.6%	37.0%	60.4%	132
Female	1.1%	42.8%	56.1%	126
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>				
African American				
White, Appalachian				
White, Non-Appalachian	2.1%	36.4%	61.5%	183
<i>Caregiver Race</i>				
White	1.9%	37.9%	60.2%	223
African American				
<i>Region</i>				
City of Cincinnati				
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	1.0%	40.7%	58.3%	52
Hamilton County (all)	2.4%	42.9%	54.7%	90

TABLE 16. Child Emotional Health
[In the past month], can't concentrate or pay attention for long...

	Often true	Sometime true	Never true	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	8.3%	38.2%	53.5%	257
<i>Child Gender</i>				
Male	12.8%	40.3%	46.8%	132
Female	3.6%	36.0%	60.5%	125
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>				
African American				
White, Appalachian				
White, Non-Appalachian	8.4%	35.8%	55.7%	181
<i>Caregiver Race</i>				
White	8.2%	35.9%	55.9%	221
African American				
<i>Region</i>				
City of Cincinnati				
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	12.9%	41.9%	45.2%	52
Hamilton County (all)	13.8%	44.1%	42.0%	90

TABLE 17. Child Emotional Health
[In the past month], has been unhappy, sad or depressed...

	Often true	Sometime true	Never true	Count
<i>All Children (0-5 yrs.)</i>	1.8%	28.3%	69.9%	258
<i>Child Gender</i>				
Male	0.9%	27.5%	71.6%	132
Female	2.7%	29.1%	68.2%	126
<i>Child Race/Ethnicity</i>				
African American				
White, Appalachian				
White, Non-Appalachian	2.0%	27.8%	70.2%	183
<i>Caregiver Race</i>				
White	1.7%	28.6%	69.8%	223
African American				
<i>Region</i>				
City of Cincinnati				
Hamilton Co. (outside city)	6.6%	19.4%	74.0%	52
Hamilton County (all)	5.2%	23.9%	70.9%	90