# The Typical Single Mother Would Have to Spend 70\% of Her Income to Cover the Full Cost of Child Care 

 Child Care Costs for an Infant and a School-Age Child as a Percentage of Family Income

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[^0]:    * Cost of care in California in 2014 (full-time for an infant and part-time for a school-age child).

    This cost is based on counties' median cost of care in licensed centers weighted to reflect each county's population of infants and school-age children.
    Source: Budget Center analysis of data from the 2014 Regional Market Rate Survey, Department of Finance, and American Community Survey

