

2006 MRS SURVEY FOR CHILD CARE CENTERS

3/17/06

Screening Questions

1. BEFORE WE BEGIN, I NEED TO ASK:

At this site, are you currently providing child care services?

[PROBE: "child care services" includes types of programs such as: preschool programs, early childhood education programs, child development programs, Head Start programs, kindergarten programs, infant/toddler programs, early learning programs, early intervention programs, school-age programs, etc.]

1. NO _____

If NO, continue to 1A

2. YES _____

If YES, Go to 1B.

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: Confirm site address.]

1A. At this site, have you served any children within the past month or do you expect to serve any children within the next month?

1. NO _____

2. YES _____

If "NO", READ:

**Thank you for participating in this survey. That's all I need to ask of you.
ENTER FINAL DISPOSITION.**

If "YES", READ:

Please refer to these children when I ask you about the children you are currently serving.

GO to 1B.

[PROBE: "private-paying" =parents pay for the child care, not the state, federal government, or any other third-party, other than the parents]
GO TO Q1G

tion about. How many children is this? _____

These are the children we refer to as "private paying".
GO TO Q1G

1G: Now, at this site, are any of these (private paying) children s enrolled in your program for five-days-per-week, Monday through Friday? This can be either for full-day care or part-day care, as long as they are enrolled Monday through Friday.

1. NO _____

If NO, continue to Q16C

2. YES _____

If YES, Go to Q1.

Part 1:

FULL TIME CARE: Full-Day/Full-Week Care

1. Now I'm going to ask you some questions about what we consider to be "full time" care for this survey. "Full time" is 6 hours *or more* per day, five-days-per-week.

At this site, do you presently provide child care services for any (private paying) children who are enrolled 6 hours or more per day for five days-per-week? [PROBE: "private paying" means that the parents pay for the child care...not the state, federal government, local Community Partnership slots, the United Way, or any other third-party.]

1. NO _____

If NO, GO to Q5

2. YES _____

If YES, Continue

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: if Respondent reports that they have more than one site, take information only for this site. Read the address, program name and phone number to R. if there is a question about the location of the selected site.]

**PRESCHOOLERS
(FULL-DAY/FULL WEEK)**

09.) For the (private paying) children presently enrolled in your program full time, 6 hours or more per day, five days-per-week, are any of these children preschool age? [PROBE: Preschool children are 2 years 9 months up to the age a child is eligible to enter kindergarten. A kindergarten child in your area is "X" as of (insert date).]

1. NO _____ If NO, GO to Q3 2. YES _____ If YES, Continue

2a. What do you charge for your full-time preschool rate or tuition for (private paying) children? In quoting your rate, please do not "add on" any additional fees above your regular rate such as for transportation, and, please do not deduct for any discounts or subsidies. [PROBE: Subsidies include a "sliding- fee scale" or a "sibling discount". "Private paying" = tuition paid by the parents, not by the state, federal government, or any third party funding source. "Full-time" is care for 6 hours or more per day for five-days-per week]

(a)\$ _____ . _____ (per) (b) _____ (unit)

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: If R. has more than one full-time schedule or full-time rate, for care for 6 hours or more per day for five days-per-week, ask for the rate that is *most commonly used* by the parents of the preschoolers. If R. states that there is no one program or rate *most commonly used* by

the parents, ask for the highest full-day, full-week preschool rate.]

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: for those who don't give a "unit" ask: "What unit is that? and ask the question next to the unit reported. For those who do give a "unit" in their answer, ask the question next to the unit in the answer.]

2b.

01.) PER HOUR How many hours per day? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

02.) PER 1/2 DAY: How many hours per 1/2 day? (ave) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

How many hours per full day? (ave) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours-per-day for a full day.]

03.) PER DAY How many hours per day? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

04.) PER WEEK How many hours per day? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

05.) PER MONTH How many hours per day? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

06.) PER
SEMESTER

How many weeks in a semester?
(Please estimate.) _____

How many days per week? (average) _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of days
per week these preschoolers are enrolled.]

How many hours per day? (average) _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these preschoolers are
enrolled.]

07.) PER
SCHOOL YR

How many weeks in a school year? _____
[PROBE: Please estimate the number of
weeks in the school year.]

How many days per week? (average) _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day
per week these preschoolers are enrolled.]

How many hours per day? (average) _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these preschoolers are
enrolled.]

or if R cannot give that:

How many days in the school year? _____
(Please estimate.)

How many hours per day? (average) _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these preschoolers are
enrolled.]

08.) PER YEAR How many days per year? ____ .
[PROBE: What is the number of days per year
the program is operated. (Please estimate)]

How many hours per day? (average) ____ . ____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these preschoolers are
enrolled.]

09.) PER OTHER: _____
(Explain)

How many days in this unit? (average)
[PROBE: How many days is your program
operated during this time period?] ____ . ____

How many hours per day? (average) ____ . ____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these preschoolers are
enrolled.]

2C. At this site, how many (private paying)
preschoolers are enrolled in the full-day,
program, Monday through Friday? (Please estimate)
[PROBE: "full day" is 6 hours or more
per day. "Private paying" = the parents
pay for the child care, not the state, federal
government, or local Community Partnership
slots.]

_____ # of preschool-age children

(_____ don't know)

**TODDLERS
(FULL-DAY/FULL WEEK)**

10.) For the (private paying) children presently enrolled in your program 6 hours or more per day, five days-per-week, are any of these children toddlers, from 15 months up to 33 months.

1. NO _____ If NO, GO to Q4
2. YES _____ If YES, Continue

3a. What do you charge for your full-day toddler rate for a 5-day-week (for private paying children)? [PROBE: Please do not "add on" any additional fees above your regular rate, such as for transportation, and please do not deduct for any discounts or subsidies. Subsidies include a "sliding-fee scale" or a "sibling discount".]

(a) \$ _____ . _____ (per) (b) _____ (unit)

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: IF R. reports that they only have an "infant and toddler rate".. take that rate for the toddler rate.]

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: If R. has more than one full-time schedule or full-time rate, for care for 6 hours or more per day, five days-per-week, ask for the rate that is *most commonly used* by the parents of the toddlers. If R. states that there is no one program or rate *most commonly used* by the parents, ask for the highest full-day, full-week toddler rate.]

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3b.
01.) PER HOUR How many hours per day? (average) ____.

[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

02.) PER 1/2 DAY: How many hours per 1/2 day? (ave) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

How many hours per full day? (ave) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours-per-day for a full day.]

03.) PER DAY How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

04.) PER WEEK How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

05.) PER MONTH How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

06.) PER SEMESTER How many weeks in a semester?
(Please estimate.) _____.

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of days per week these toddlers are enrolled.]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

07.) PER
SCHOOL YR

How many weeks in a school year? _____.
[PROBE: Please estimate the number of weeks in the school year.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these toddlers are enrolled.]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

or if R cannot give that:

How many days in the school year? _____.
(Please estimate.)

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

08.) PER YEAR

How many days per year? _____ . _____
[PROBE: What is the number of days per year the program is operated. (Please estimate)]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

09.) PER OTHER:
(Explain)

How many days in this unit? (average)
[PROBE: How many days is your program operated during this time period?] _____.

How many hours per day? (average) _____.

[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

- 3C. At this site, how many (private paying) toddlers are enrolled in the full-day program, Monday through Friday?
(Please estimate)

[PROBE: "full day" is 6 hours or more per day. "Private paying" = the parents pay for the child care, not the state, federal government, or local Community Partnership slots]

_____ # of toddlers

(_____ don't know)

INFANTS (FULL-DAY/FULL WEEK)

- 11.) At this site, for the (private paying) children presently enrolled in your program 6 hours or more per day, five days-per-week...are any of these children infants, below 15 months of age.

1. NO _____

If NO, GO to Q5

2. YES _____

If YES, Continue

- 4a. What do you charge for your full-day infant rate for a 5-day-week (for private paying children)? Please do not "add on" any additional fees above your regular rate, and, please do not deduct for any discounts or subsidies. [PROBE: Subsidies include a "sliding-fee scale" or a "sibling discount".]

(a) \$ _____ . _____ (per) (b) _____ (unit)

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: IF R. reports that they only have an "infant and toddler rate".. take that rate for the infant rate.]

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: If R. has more than one full-time schedule or full-time rate, for care for 6 hours or more per day, five days-per-week, ask for the rate that is *most commonly used* by the parents of the infants. If R. states that there is no one program or rate *most commonly used* by the parents, ask for the highest full-day, full-week infant rate.]

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: for those who don't give a "unit" ask: "What unit is that? and ask the question next to the unit reported. For those who do give a "unit" in their answer, ask the question next to the unit in the answer.]

4b.

01.) PER HOUR How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

02.) PER 1/2 DAY: How many hours per 1/2 day? (ave) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

How many hours per full day? (ave) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours-per-day for a full day.]

03.) PER DAY How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

04.) PER WEEK How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

05.) PER MONTH How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

06.) PER
SEMESTER

How many weeks in a semester?
(Please estimate.) _____

How many days per week? (average) _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of days
per week these infants are enrolled.]

How many hours per day? (average) _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

07.) PER
SCHOOL YR

How many weeks in a school year? _____
[PROBE: Please estimate the number of
weeks in the school year.]

How many days per week? (average) _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
day per week these infants are enrolled.]

How many hours per day? (average) _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

or if R cannot give that:

How many days in the school year? _____
(Please estimate.)

How many hours per day? (average) _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

08.) PER YEAR How many days per year? ____ . ____
[PROBE: What is the number of days per year
the program is operated. (Please estimate)]

How many hours per day? (average) ____ . ____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

09.) PER OTHER: _____
(Explain)

How many days in this unit? (average)
[PROBE: How many days is your program
operated during this time period?] ____ . ____

How many hours per day? (average) ____ . ____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

4C. At this site, how many (private paying)
infants are enrolled in the
full-day program, Monday through
Friday? (Please estimate)
[PROBE: "full day" is 6 hours or more
per day. "Private paying" = the parents
pay for the child care, not the state, federal
government, or local Community Partnership
slots.]

_____ # of infants

(_____ don't know)

**PART-TIME CARE:
PART-DAY/FULL WEEK**

5. Now I'm going to ask you some questions about what we
consider to be "part time" care. For this survey, "part time" is
care for PART of a day, for a full week.

At this site, do you presently provide child care services for any (private paying) children...infant, toddler, or preschool-age...who are enrolled part time? Again, part time care is *less than 6* hours per day, for five days-per-week. [PROBE: Are there any (private paying) children enrolled in your program *part-day for a full week*?

[PROBE: "Private paying" means that the parents pay for the child care...not the state, federal government, local Community Partnership slots, or any other third party.]

1. NO _____
If NO, GO to Q9

2. YES _____
If YES, Continue

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: if R. reports that they have more than one site, take information only for this site. Read the program name, address, and telephone number to R. if there is a question about the location of this selected site.]

PRESCHOOLERS (PART-DAY/FULL WEEK)

6. Now, for the (private paying) children at this site currently enrolled in your program for less than 6 hours per day, five-days-per-week, are any of these children preschool age? [PROBE: "Preschool age" is 2 years 9 months up to the age a child is eligible to enter kindergarten. A kindergarten child in your area is "X" as of (insert date).]

1. NO _____
If NO, GO to Q7

2. YES _____
If YES, Continue

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: we do not want kindergarten-age children in this section.]

6a. What do you charge for your **part-day full week preschool rate** (for private paying children)? In quoting your rate, please do not "add on" any additional fees above your regular rate and do not deduct for any discounts or subsidies. [PROBE: Subsidies include a "sliding- fee scale" or a "sibling discount." "Private paying" means that the tuition is paid by the parents, not by the state, federal government, United Way, or any other third party.]

(a)\$ ____ . ____ (per) (b) _____ (unit)

[PROBE: If R. has more than one part-day full-week schedule or rate, ask for the rate *most commonly used* for the parents of the preschoolers. If respondent states that there is no one program or rate *most commonly used* by the parents, ask for the highest part-day, full-week preschool rate.]

[**DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER:** for those who don't give a "unit" ask: "What unit is that? and ask the question next to the unit reported. For those who do give a "unit" in their answer, ask the question next to the unit in the answer.]

6b.

01.) PER HOUR How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these preschoolers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

02.) PER 1/2 DAY: How many hours per 1/2 day? (ave) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

How many hours per full day? (ave) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours-per-day for a full day.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these preschoolers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

03.) PER DAY

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these preschoolers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

04.) PER WEEK

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these preschoolers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

05.) PER MONTH

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these preschoolers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

06.) PER
SEMESTER

How many weeks in a semester?
(Please estimate.) ____.

How many days per week? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of days per week these preschoolers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

07.) PER
SCHOOL YR

How many weeks in a school year? ____.
[PROBE: Please estimate the number of weeks in the school year.]

How many days per week? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these preschoolers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

or if R cannot give that:

How many days in the school year? _____.____
(Please estimate.)

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

08.) PER YEAR

How many days per year? _____ . _____
[PROBE: What is the number of days per year the program is operated. (Please estimate)]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these preschoolers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

09.)PER OTHER:

_____ (Explain)

How many days in this unit? (average)
[PROBE: How many days is your program operated during this time period?] ____.

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these preschoolers are enrolled.]

- 6C. At this site,how many (private paying) preschoolers are enrolled in the part-day program, Monday through Friday? (Please estimate)
[PROBE: "part day" is less than 6 hours per day. "Private paying" = the parents pay for the child care, not the state, federal government, or local Community Partnership slots.]

_____# of preschool-age children

(_____ don't know)

- 6D. In your part-day full week program for (private-paying) preschool-age children, do any of these children attend a public Pre-K program, in addition to your program?

1. NO __ GO to Q7 2. YES__ Continue to Q6D2 3. Don't know Go to Q7

6D2. How many of these (private-paying) preschool-age children attend a public Pre-K program, in addition to your program? [PROBE: we are only asking about private-paying preschoolers in this question.]

_____ GO to Q7

(PART-TIME TODDLERS)

7. For the (private paying) children at this site, currently enrolled in your program for less than 6 hours per day, five-days-per-week, are any of these children toddlers? [PROBE: Toddlers are 15 months to 33 months.]

1. NO _____

If NO, GO to Q8

2. YES _____

If YES, Continue

7a. What do you charge for your **part-day full week toddler rate** (for private paying children)? In quoting your rate, please do not "add on" any additional fees above your regular rate, such as for transportation, and do not deduct for any discounts or subsidies. [PROBE: Subsidies include a "sliding- fee scale" or a "sibling discount." "Private paying" means that the tuition is paid by the parents, not by the state, federal government, United Way, or any other third party.]

(a)\$ _____ . _____ (per) (b) _____ (unit)

[PROBE: If R. has more than one part-day full week schedule or rate, ask for the rate *most commonly used* for the parents of the toddlers. If respondent states that there is no one program or rate *most commonly used* by the parents, ask for the highest part-day, full-week toddler rate.]

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7b.

01.) PER HOUR How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these toddlers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

02.) PER 1/2 DAY: How many hours per 1/2 day? (ave) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

How many hours per full day? (ave) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours-per-day for a full day.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these toddlers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

03.) PER DAY How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these toddlers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

04.) PER WEEK How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these toddlers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

05.) PER MONTH How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these toddlers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

06.) PER SEMESTER How many weeks in a semester?
(Please estimate.) _____.
_____.

How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of days per week these toddlers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

07.) PER
SCHOOL YR

How many weeks in a school year? _____.____
[PROBE: Please estimate the number of weeks in the school year.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these toddlers are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

or if R cannot give that:

How many days in the school year? _____.____
(Please estimate.)

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How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

08.) PER YEAR

How many days per year? _____ . _____
[PROBE: What is the number of days per year the program is operated. (Please estimate)]

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How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these toddlers are enrolled.]

09.) PER OTHER: _____
(Explain)

How many days in this unit? (average)
[PROBE: How many days is your program operated during this time period?] _____.

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How many hours per day? (average) _____.
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7C. At this site, how many (private paying) toddlers are enrolled in the part-day, Monday through Friday program? (Please estimate)
[PROBE: "part day" is less than 6 hours per day. "Private paying" = the parents pay for the child care, not the state, federal government, or local Community Partnership slots]

_____ # of toddlers

(_____ don't know)

(PART-TIME INFANTS)

8. For the (private paying) children at this site, currently enrolled in your program for less than 6 hours per day, five-days-per-week, are any of these children infants? [PROBE: Infants are under 15 months of age.]

1. NO _____

If NO, GO to Q9

2. YES _____

If YES, Continue

8a. What do you charge for your **part-day full week infant rate** (for private paying children)? [PROBE: In quoting your rate, please do not "add on" any additional fees above your regular rate such as for transportation, and do not deduct for any discounts or subsidies. Subsidies include a "sliding-fee scale" or a "sibling discount." "Private paying" means that the tuition is paid by the parents, not by the state, federal government, United Way, or any other third party.]

(a)\$ _____ . _____ (per) (b) _____ (unit)

[**DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER:** If R. has more than one part-day full week schedule or rate, ask for the rate *most commonly used* for the parents of the infants. If respondent states that there is no one program or rate *most commonly used* by the parents, ask for the highest part-day, full-week infant rate.]

[**DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER:** IF R. reports that they only have an "infant and toddler rate".. take that rate for the toddler rate.]

[**DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER:** for those who don't give a "unit" ask: "What unit is that? and ask the question next to the unit reported. For those who do give a "unit" in their answer, ask the question next to the unit in the answer.]

8b.

01.) PER HOUR

How many hours per day? (average) _____.

[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these infants are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

02.) PER 1/2 DAY: How many hours per 1/2 day? (ave) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

How many hours per full day? (ave) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours-per-day for a full day.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these infants are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

03.) PER DAY How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these infants are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

04.) PER WEEK How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day
per week these infants are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to
this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

05.) PER MONTH How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of day
per week these infants are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to
this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

06.) PER
SEMESTER

How many weeks in a semester?
(Please estimate.) _____.____

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of days
per week these infants are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to
this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

07.) PER
SCHOOL YR

How many weeks in a school year? _____.
[PROBE: Please estimate the number of weeks in the school year.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these infants are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

or if R cannot give that:

How many days in the school year? _____.
(Please estimate.)

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

08.) PER YEAR

How many days per year? _____.
PROBE: What is the number of days per year the program is operated. (Please estimate)]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

09.) PER OTHER: _____
(Explain)

How many days in this unit? (average)
[PROBE: How many days is your program operated during this time period?] _____.

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these infants are enrolled.]

8C. At this site, how many (private paying) infants are enrolled in the part-day program, Monday through Friday? (Please estimate)
[PROBE: "part day" is less than 6 hours per day. "Private paying" = the parents pay for the child care, not the state, federal government, or local Community Partnership slots]

_____ # of infants

(_____ don't know)

KINDERGARTEN AGE

9. Now, I'm going to ask you some questions about kindergarten age children. At this site, do you provide child-care services for any (*private-paying*) **kindergarten-age children**?

A kindergarten child in your area is "X" as of (insert date).
[PROBE: "Private-paying" means that the parents pay for the child care, it is not paid by the state or any other third party subsidy.]

1. NO _____ 2. YES _____
IF NO, GO to Q12 IF YES, Continue

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: The "site" is identified by the name of the program, the site address or the telephone number. If Respondent reports that kindergarten-age children are served only at a different site, go to Q13.]

ON-SITE KINDERGARTEN

10. At this site, do you provide an on-site kindergarten program for any (private paying) children who are enrolled 5 days per week? [PROBE: "private paying" means that the parents pay for the child care...not the state, federal government, the United Way, or any other third-party.]

1. NO _____ 2. YES _____
If NO, GO to Q11 If YES, Continue

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: if Respondent reports that they have more than one site, take information only for this site. Read the address, program name and phone number to R. if there is a question about the location of the selected site.]

10a. What rate do you charge for (private paying) the children enrolled in your kindergarten program, for five-days-per-week? [PROBE: In quoting your rate, please do not "add on" any additional fees above your regular rate, such as for transportation, and, please do not deduct for any discounts or subsidies. Subsidies include a "sliding- fee scale" or a "sibling discount" "Private paying" = tuition paid by the parents, not by the state, federal government, or any third party funding source.]

(a)\$ ____ . ____ (per) (b) _____ (unit)

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: If R. has more than one kindergarten rate, for a five-day-week, ask for the five-day rate that is *most commonly used* by the parents of the kindergarten-age children. If R. states that there is no one program or rate *most commonly used* by the parents, ask for the highest kindergarten rate.]

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: If R reports a "blended rate," READ: "Do you have rates that are not blended?" If "NO" GO TO Q16C. IF "yes" say that we are only asking for a kindergarten rate in this section and re-read the question]

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: for those who don't give a "unit" ask: "What unit is that? and ask the question next to the unit reported. For those who do give a "unit" in their answer, ask the question next to the unit in the answer.]

10b.

01.) PER HOUR How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

02.) PER 1/2 DAY: How many hours per 1/2 day? (ave) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

How many hours per full day? (ave) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day for a full day.]

03.) PER DAY How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

04.) PER WEEK How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

05.) PER MONTH How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

06.) PER SEMESTER How many weeks in a semester?
(Please estimate.) _____.____

How many days per week? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of days per week these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

07.) PER SCHOOL YR How many weeks in a school year? _____.____
[PROBE: Please estimate the number of weeks in the school year.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

or if R cannot give that:

How many days in the school year? _____.
(Please estimate.)

How many hours per day? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of days per week these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

08.) PER YEAR

How many days per year? _____ . _____
[PROBE: What is the number of days per year the program is operated. (Please estimate)]

How many days per week? (average) _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of day per week these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

How many hours per day? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

09.) PER OTHER: _____
(Explain)

How many days in this unit? (average)
[PROBE: How many days is your program operated during this time period?] ____.

How many hours per day? (average) ____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per day these children are enrolled in the kindergarten program.]

10C. At this site, how many (private paying) children are enrolled in your kindergarten program, for five days per week? (Please estimate)
[PROBE: Private paying" = the parents pay for the child care, not the state or federal government]

_____ # of kindergartners

Additional Services for Kindergarten Children

11. Now, at this site, do you provide child care services for any (private paying) kindergarten age children who attend public kindergarten?

1. NO _____
IF NO, GO to Q12

2. YES _____
IF YES, Continue

11a. What rate do you charge for child care services for (private-paying) children who attend public kindergarten and are enrolled in your program for five days per week? [PROBE: In quoting your rate, please do not "add-on" any additional fees above your regular rate, such as for transportation, and please do not deduct for any discounts such as a "sibling discount". A discount may also be called a "sliding-fee" scale.]

\$ _____ . _____(unit)

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: If Respondent has more than rate, ask for the MOST COMMONLY USED rate for these children. If the Respondent cannot give one rate, ask for the highest rate.]

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: If R reports a "blended rate," READ: "Do you have rates that are not blended?" If "NO" GO TO Q16C.]

11b. [PROBE: FOR THOSE WHO DON'T GIVE A "UNIT", BY SAYING: "Is this amount": then, ASK QUESTION NEXT TO THE UNIT QUOTED BY THE RESPONDENT.]

If, "unit" is given in 11a. ask question next to the unit reported.)

01) PER HOUR How many hours-per-day are these kindergarten children enrolled in your program? [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

_____ . _____

IF RESPONDENT CANNOT GIVE THIS, ASK:

How many hours-per-week are the kindergarten -children enrolled in your program? (average)

_____ . _____

02) PER 1/2 DAY

How many hours per 1/2 day? (av) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

How many hours per full day? (average)
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours for a full day.]

_____ . _____

03) PER AFTER-
NOON
or DAY
or morning

How many hours per day (or per afternoon, or morning)
are these kindergarten-age children enrolled in your program? (average)

_____ . _____

04) PER WEEK

How many hours-per-day are these kindergarten children enrolled in your program? [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

_____.____

05) PER MONTH

How many hours-per-day are these kindergarten children enrolled in your program? [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

____.____

06) PER SEMESTER

How many weeks in a SEMESTER? (estimate)

How many days per week? _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are these kindergarten children enrolled in your program? [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.] _____

07) PER SCHOOL YEAR

How many weeks in a school-year? (estimate)

____.____

How many days per week? _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are these kindergarten children enrolled in your program? [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

____.____

or if R.can't give that

How many days in the school year? (estimate)

_____ . ____

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are these kindergarten children enrolled in your program? [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

____.____

How many days per week? _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

08) PER YEAR

How many days in the year? (estimate)
[PROBE: What is the number of days per year the program is operated. (Please estimate)]

_____ . ____

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

____.____

How many hours-per-day are these kindergarten children enrolled in your program? [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

____.____

How many days per week? _____
[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

09.) PER OTHER

Please explain: _____

How many days in this unit? _____.____DAYS
[PROBE: How many days is your program operated during this time period?] _____

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are these kindergarten children enrolled in your program? [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

____.____

11C. At this site, how many (private-paying) children, who attend public kindergarten, are presently enrolled in your program for 5 days per week?

SCHOOL-AGE

12. Now, I'm going to ask you some questions about care for school-age children. School-age children are from first grade up to 13 years of age.

At this site, do you provide child-care services for any (*private-paying*) **school age children**?

[PROBE: This can be for "after school care"; for "before school" care; for summer vacation weeks, for school vacation weeks, holidays, or snow days. A school-age child can also be up to 17 years of age if the child has special needs. "Private-paying" means that the parents pay for the child care, it is not paid by the state or any other third party subsidy.]

1. NO _____
IF NO, GO to Q16C

2. YES _____
IF YES, Continue

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: The "site" is identified by the name of the program, the site address or the telephone number. If Respondent reports that school-age children are served only at a different site, go to Q16C.]

After-school Care

- 13.) Do you provide 'after-school' care at this site, for (private-paying) school-age children enrolled five days per week?
[PROBE: "AFTER-SCHOOL" care is care during *any* hours between 2 P.M. and 6:30 P.M. School-age children are from first grade up to 13 years of age.]

1. NO _____
IF NO, GO to Q14

2. YES _____
IF YES, Continue

13a. What rate do you charge for “after-school-care” for (*private-paying*) school-age children enrolled five days per week? In quoting your rate, please do not “add-on” any additional fees above your regular rate, such as for transportation, and please do not deduct for any discounts such as a “sibling discount”. [PROBE: A discount may also be called a “sliding-fee” scale.]

\$ _____ . _____ (unit)

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: If Respondent has more than one after-school rate, ask for the MOST COMMONLY USED rate for these children. If the Respondent cannot give one rate, ask for the highest rate.]

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: If Respondent reports a “Before AND After School” rate, say that we are only asking for an “after-school” rate and re-read Question 13a. If R. does not have only an ‘after-school’ rate, go to Q14.

If R reports a "blended rate,"

READ: “Do you have school age rates that are not blended?” If “NO” GO TO Q16C. IF “yes” say that we are only asking for a 'after school' rate in this section and re-read the question.]

13b. [PROBE: FOR THOSE WHO DON'T GIVE A "UNIT", BY SAYING: "Is this amount": then, ASK QUESTION NEXT TO THE UNIT QUOTED BY THE RESPONDENT.]

If, "unit" is given in 13a. ask question next to the unit reported.)

01) PER HOUR How many hours-per-day are the school-age children enrolled in your ‘after-school’ program? [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

_____ . _____ HOURS

IF RESPONDENT CANNOT GIVE THIS, ASK:

How many hours-per-week are the school - age children enrolled in the 'after-school' care? (average)

_____ . _____ HOURS

How many days-per-week are the school-age children enrolled in 'after-school' care? (average)

_____ . _____

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

02) PER 1/2 DAY

How many hours per 1/2 day? (av) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

How many hours per full day? (average)
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours for a full day.]

_____ . _____

03) PER AFTER-NOON

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children in your "after-school" program? (average)

or DAY

_____ . _____

04) PER WEEK

How many days per week? ____ . ____ DAYS
[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

_____ . _____

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children in your "after-school" program? (average)

05) PER MONTH

How many days per week? ____ . DAYS
[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children in your "after-school" program? (average)

06) PER SEMESTER

How many weeks in a SEMESTER? _____
(estimate) _____

How many days per week? ____ . ____
[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children in your "after-school" program? (average)

07) PER SCHOOL YEAR

How many weeks in a school-year? _____
(estimate)

How many days per week? _____.
[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled.]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children in your "after-school" program? (average)

or if R.can't give that

How many days in the school year? (estimate)

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children in your "after-school" program? (average)

____ . ____

08) PER YEAR

How many days in the year? (estimate)
[PROBE: What is the number of days per year the program is operated?]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children in your "after-school" program? (average)

09.) PER OTHER

Please explain: _____

How many days in this unit? ____DAYS
[PROBE: How many days is your program operated during this time period?] ____

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children enrolled in your 'after-school' program? (average)

____.

13C. At this site, how many (private-paying) school-age children are presently enrolled in your 'after-school' program Monday through Friday?

(_____ don't know)

Before-school Care

14. At this site, do you provide 'before-school' care, for (private-paying) school-age children enrolled five days per week?
[PROBE: "BEFORE-SCHOOL" care is care during *any* hours between 6 A. M. and 9 A.M. School-age children are from first grade up to 13 years of age.]

1. NO _____
IF NO, GO to Q15

2. YES _____
IF YES, Continue

14a. What rate do you charge for "before-school-care" for (*private-paying*) school-age children for five days per week?

[PROBE: In quoting your rate, please do not “add-on” any additional fees above your regular rate, such as for transportation, and please do not deduct for any discounts such as a “sibling discount”. A discount may also be called a “sliding-fee” scale.]

\$ _____ . _____(unit)

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: If Respondent has more than one before-school rate, ask for the MOST COMMONLY USED rate for these children. If the Respondent cannot give one rate, ask for the highest rate.]

[DIRECTION FOR INTERVIEWER: If Respondent reports a “Before AND After School” rate say that we are only asking for an “before-school” rate and re-read Question 14a. If R. does not have only a ‘before-school’ rate, go to Q15

If R reports a "blended rate,"

READ: “Do you have school age rates that are not blended?” If “NO” GO TO Q16C. IF “yes” say that we are only asking for a 'before school' rate in this section and re-read the question.]

14b. [PROBE: FOR THOSE WHO DON'T GIVE A "UNIT", BY SAYING: "Is this amount": then, ASK QUESTION NEXT TO THE UNIT QUOTED BY THE RESPONDENT.]

If, "unit" is given in 14a. ask question next to the unit reported.)

01) PER HOUR

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children enrolled in your ‘before-school’ program? [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

_____ . _____ HOURS

IF RESPONDENT CANNOT GIVE THIS, ASK:

How many hours-per-week are the school - age children enrolled in 'before-school' care? (average)

_____ . _____ HOURS

How many days-per-week are the school-age children enrolled in 'before-school' care? (average)

_____ . _____ DAYS

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

02) PER 1/2 DAY

How many hours per 1/2 day? (av) _____.____
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

How many hours per full day? (average)
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours for a full day.]

_____ . _____

03) PER
MORNING
Or DAY

How many hours per day (per morning) are the school- age children enrolled in your care?

_____ . _____

04) PER WEEK

How many days per week? ____ . ____
[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

_____ . _____

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children enrolled in your "before-school" program? (average)

____.____

05) PER MONTH

How many days per week? ____.

[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children enrolled in your "before-school" program? (average)

____.____

06) PER SEMESTER

How many weeks in a SEMESTER? (estimate)

How many days per week? ____.

[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children enrolled in your "before-school" program? (average)

____.____

07) PER SCHOOL YEAR

How many weeks in a school year? (estimate)

How many days per week? ____.

[PROBE: What is the average number of days-per-week these children are enrolled?]

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children in your "before-school" program? (average) _____

or if R.can't give that

How many days in the school year? (estimate)

_____ . ____
[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children in your "before-school" program? (average)

___ . ___

08) PER YEAR

How many days in the year? (estimate)
[PROBE: What is the number of days per year the program is operated?]

_____ . ____

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children enrolled in your "before-school" program? (average)

___ . ___

09.) PER OTHER

Please explain: _____

How many days in this unit? _____._____
[PROBE: How many days is your program operated during this time period?] _____

[IF respondent quotes "half- days" to this question, enter that as "days".]

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children enrolled in your 'before-school' program? (average) _____

14C. At this site, how many (private-paying) school-age children are presently enrolled in your before-school program, Monday through Friday? _____

(_____ don't know)

SUMMER CARE

15. Now I'm going to ask you about child care services that you may provide in the summer.

During the summer, do you typically provide full-day care for a 5-day week for any (private-paying) school-age children?
[PROBE: School-age children are from the first grade up to 13 years of age. "School age" is also up to 17 years of age for a child with 'special needs'. "Full-day care" is 6 hours or more per day. "Five-day-week" is Monday through Friday.]

1. NO _____
If "NO" Go to Q16

2. YES _____
If "YES", Continue

READ: "Is this a summer camp?"

1) If "YES" go to Q15a2 2) If "NO", go to Q15a 3) both, go to Q15a

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: If R. reports that they operate their summer camp at another site, take that rate.

15a. During this coming summer, what rate will you charge for full-day care, 5-days-per-week, for school age children? [PROBE: In quoting your rate, please do not "add on" any fees that are above your regular rate such as for transportation, and please do not deduct for any discounts. "Discounts" include a "sliding-scale discount" or a "sibling discount".]

\$(a) _____ per _____ (b) (unit)

15a2 IF A CAMP, **READ:** During this coming summer, what rate will you charge for full-day care, 5-days-per-week, for school age children? In quoting your rate, please do not "add on" any fees that are above your regular rate, but please include any "extended day fee" you may have for working parents. [PROBE: "Discounts" include a "sliding-scale discount" or a "sibling discount".]

\$(a) _____ per _____ (b) (unit)

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: If R. has more than one full-day full-week school age rate, ask for the rate *most commonly used* for these children.]

15b.

01.) PER HOUR How many hours per day are the school age children typically enrolled in your summer program? (average) [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

____.____

02.) PER 1/2 DAY: How many hours per 1/2 day? (av)
[PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]

____.____

How many hours per full day? (av)
[PROBE: What is the average number of
hours-per-day for a full day.]

____.____

03.) PER DAY How many hours per day are the school age
children typically enrolled in your summer
program? (average) [PROBE: Please estimate
an average number of hours per day.]

____.____

04.) PER WEEK How many hours per day are the school age
children typically in your summer program?
(average) [PROBE: Please estimate an
average number of hours per day.]

____.____

05.) PER MONTH How many hours per day are the school age
children typically in your summer program?
(average) [PROBE: Please estimate an
average number of hours per day.]

____.____

06.) PER SUMMER How many weeks in the summer? ____.

How many hours per day are the children
typically in your summer program? (average)
[PROBE: Please estimate an average number
of hours per day.]

____.____

07.) PER OTHER: _____(Explain)

How many days in this unit? ____ . ____
PROBE: How many days is your program
operated during this time period?] ____.

How many hours-per-day are the school-age children typically in your summer program? (average) _____ . _____

GO TO Q15C

15C. In a *typical* week in the coming summer, approximately how many (*private-paying*) school-age children do you expect to have enrolled in your full day 5-day-per-week program? (Please estimate).

Holiday/Snow day/School-year Vacation Week

16. Now I'm going to ask you about school-age child care services that you may provide during the school year.

During the school year, do you typically provide a **full day of care** for (private-paying) school-age children during a school holiday, a snow day, teacher early release days, or a school-vacation week? [PROBE: "School age" is also up to 17 years of age for a child with 'special needs'.]

1. NO _____
If "NO" go to Q16C

2. YES _____
If "YES" continue

16a. What rate do you charge for a full-day of care for (private-paying) school age children for a snow day, a holiday, teacher early release days, or a day in a school-vacation week? [PROBE: "In quoting your rate for the full day, please do not "add on" any fees that are above your regular rate, and please do not deduct for any discounts. "Discounts" include a "sliding-scale discount" or a "sibling discount."]

\$(a) _____ per _____ (b) (unit)

[DIRECTION TO INTERVIEWER: We are asking for a daily rate for this care. In addition, if R. has more than one rate, ask for the most commonly used rate.]

16b.

01.) PER HOUR How many hours per day are the school age children in this full day? (average) [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]

_____.

- 02.) PER 1/2 DAY: How many hours per 1/2 day? (av) _____
 [PROBE: What is the average number of hours per 1/2 day.]
- How many hours per full day? (av) _____.____
 [PROBE: What is the average number of hours-per-day for full day.]
- 03.) PER DAY How many hours per day are the school age children in this full day? (average) [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.]
- 04.) PER WEEK How many hours per day are the school age children in this full day? (average) [PROBE: Please estimate an average number of hours per day.] _____.
- How many days per week? _____.
- 05.) PER OTHER _____(Explain)
- How many days in this unit? ____ . ____
 [PROBE: How many days is your program operated during this time period?] _____.
- How many hours-per-day are the school-age children in this full day? _____ . ____
- GO TO Q16C

16C. NOW, Is your program at this site located in a school system, that is either in a public high school or public elementary school?

1. NO _____
 Go to Q16D

2. YES _____
 Go to Q16D

16D. Do you receive any Head Start funding for programs at this site?

1. NO _____
Go to Q Q17

2. YES _____
Go to Q16E

3 Don't know____
Go to Q17

16E. Is your major source of funding for your programs at this site from Head Start?

1. YES _____
Go to Q 17

2. NO _____
Go to Q17

Part 3: Cost Survey Question

17. Now for our final question. During this summer, the Department of Early Education and Care will be conducting a "Provider Cost Survey". This will be an in-depth study of how much it actually costs to provide different types of care in different parts of the state. For years, many providers have wanted information about the costs of running child care programs. Providers have also wanted up-to-date salary and benefits information. This important cost survey will take some more time and effort on your part, but the results should be worthwhile. Would you be willing to participate in the Provider Cost Survey, which will be a written survey, conducted this summer?

1. Yes _____

2. No _____

3. Not Sure _____

**END STATEMENT:
THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP WITH THIS SURVEY.
Have a nice day.**