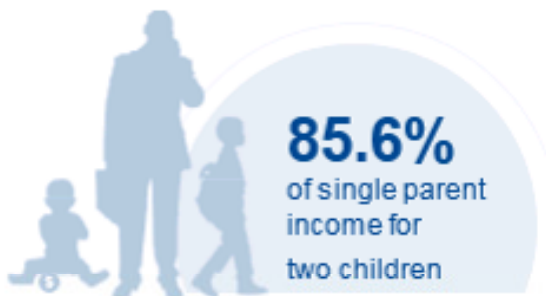
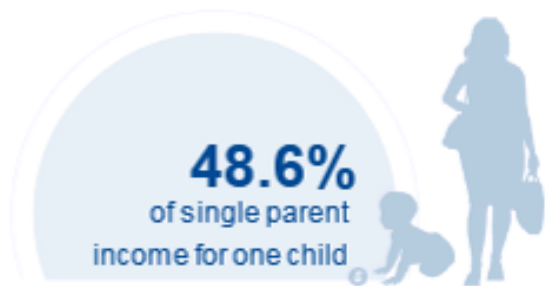




PENNSYLVANIA

COST OF CHILD CARE



IN PENNSYLVANIA, single parents pay nearly half of their income for infant center care, and 86% of their income for center care for 2 children. Married parents of 2 children who live at the poverty line pay 105% of their income for center care.

PERCENT OF		
CENTER		HOME
13.1%	Infant Care for Married Family	8.7%
23%	Two Children for Married Families	16.5%
48.6%	Infant Care for Single Parent	32.3%
85.6%	Two Children for Single Parent	61.3%
105%	Married Family with Two Children at the Poverty Line	75.2%

COST OF CHILD		
CENTER		HOME
\$11,978	Annual Cost of Infant Care	\$7,966
\$21,097	Annual Cost of Care for an infant and 4-year-old	\$15,114
Infant Cost in Center	vs.	Public College Tuition
\$11,978		\$13,392