



## WORKING CONNECTIONS CHILD CARE CASELOAD REPORT – JANUARY 2026



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## Biannual WCCC Caseload Report

### Summary

This report is prepared in compliance with [ESSB 5167, Section 236\(4\)\(e\)](#), which directs the Washington State Department of Children, Youth, and Families (DCYF) to report enrollments and active caseload for the Working Connections Child Care (WCCC) program to the Governor, legislative fiscal committees, and the legislative-executive WorkFirst Poverty Reduction Oversight Task Force on an agreed-upon schedule. Enrollments are the number of families that have established eligibility. This includes families who have a paid authorization, who are authorized but did not have a paid authorization, or who do not have an authorization yet. The active caseload is the number of paid cases in that month. The report shall identify the number of cases participating in both Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) and WCCC. The agency must also report on the number of children served through contracted slots.

This data is updated regularly on [EMAPS](#).

Summary Data	
Enrollments (As of July 2025)	45,966
Active Caseload (As of June 2025)	37,577
Cases Participating in TANF and WCCC (As of June 2025)	5,866
Contracted Slots	*

\* DCYF did not procure for 100 contracted infant slots as provided in [SB 6109 section 201 and the funding will lapse at the end of fiscal year 2025](#).

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