

# CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE GROSS MONTHLY INCOME ELIGIBILITY CHART AND FEE SCHEDULE FFY 2023

Effective October 1, 2022

Initial Application: A family's gross monthly income must be at or below 165% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) / (L1-L6).  
Redetermination: A family's gross monthly income must be at or below 85% of the State Median Income (SMI) / (L7).

FAMILY SIZE ↓	FEE LEVEL 1 (L1) Income Maximum Equal To or Less Than 85% FPL*	FEE LEVEL 2 (L2) Income Maximum Equal To or Less Than 100% FPL*	FEE LEVEL 3 (L3) Income Maximum Equal To or Less Than 135% FPL*	FEE LEVEL 4 (L4) Income Maximum Equal To or Less Than 145% FPL*	FEE LEVEL 5 (L5) Income Maximum Equal To or Less Than 155% FPL*	FEE LEVEL 6 (L6) Income Maximum Equal To or Less Than 165% FPL*	FEE LEVEL 7 (L7) INCOME MAXIMUM EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN 85% SMI**
1	0 – 964	965 – 1,133	1,134 – 1,530	1,531 – 1,643	1,644 – 1,757	1,758 – 1,870	3,172
2	0 – 1,298	1,299 – 1,526	1,527 – 2,061	2,062 – 2,213	2,214 – 2,366	2,367 – 2,518	4,147
3	0 – 1,632	1,633 – 1,920	1,921 – 2,592	2,593 – 2,784	2,785 – 2,976	2,977 – 3,168	5,123
4	0 – 1,967	1,968 – 2,313	2,314 – 3,123	3,124 – 3,354	3,355 – 3,586	3,587 – 3,817	6,098
5	0 – 2,301	2,302 – 2,706	2,707 – 3,654	3,655 – 3,924	3,925 – 4,195	4,196 – 4,465	7,073
6	0 – 2,635	2,636 – 3,100	3,101 – 4,185	4,186 – 4,495	4,496 – 4,805	4,806 – 5,115	8,049
7	0 – 2,970	2,971 – 3,493	3,494 – 4,716	4,717 – 5,065	5,066 – 5,415	5,416 – 5,764	8,232
8	0 – 3,304	3,305 – 3,886	3,887 – 5,247	5,248 – 5,635	5,636 – 6,024	6,025 – 6,412	8,415
9	0 – 3,638	3,639 – 4,280	4,281 – 5,778	5,779 – 6,206	6,207 – 6,634	6,635 – 7,062	8,598
10	0 – 3,973	3,974 – 4,673	4,674 – 6,309	6,310 – 6,776	6,777 – 7,244	7,245 – 7,711	8,781
11	0 – 4,307	4,308 – 5,066	5,067 – 6,840	6,841 – 7,346	7,347 – 7,853	7,854 – 8,359	8,964
12	0 – 4,641	4,642 – 5,460	5,461 – 7,371	7,372 – 7,917	7,918 – 8,463	8,464 – 9,009	9,146

### MINIMUM REQUIRED COPAYMENT

Per child in care	Full day—\$1.00 Part day—\$0.50	Full day—\$2.00 Part day—\$1.00	Full day—\$3.00 Part day—\$1.50	Full day—\$5.00 Part day—\$2.50

**For families receiving Transitional Child Care (TCC) there is no co-pay assigned beyond the 3rd child in the family**

Full day = Six or more hours; Part day = Less than 6 hours but more than 15 minutes

Families receiving Child Care Assistance based on Department of Child Safety/Foster Care, the Jobs Program or those who are receiving Cash Assistance and are employed, may not have an assigned fee level and may not have a minimum required co-payment. However, all families may be responsible for charges above the minimum required co-payments if a provider's rates exceed allowable state reimbursement maximums and/or the provider has other additional charges.

\* Federal Poverty Level (FPL) = US DHHS 2022 poverty guidelines. The Arizona state statutory limit for childcare assistance is 165% of the Federal Poverty Level.  
\*\* Federal Child Care & Development Fund (CCDF) statutory limit is 85% of the Federal Fiscal Year 2023 State median income (SMI).

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