

COVID-19 Transmission in US Child Care Programs

Pediatrics

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"What's Known on This Subject: Though often limited by small sample sizes and conducted when child transmission opportunities were limited, studies have suggested that young children are less likely to transmit COVID-19. There are no published studies of COVID-19 transmission in child care."

"What This Study Adds: Within the context of considerable infection mitigation efforts in U.S. child care programs, exposure to child care during the early months of the U.S. pandemic was not associated with elevated risk for COVID-19 transmission to providers."

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[Executive Summary as Provided by Child Care Aware of America](#)

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