



State of New Jersey
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
2018-2019
INCOME ELIGIBILITY SCHEDULES
FOR PUBLICLY SUBSIDIZED
CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE or SERVICES

Federal Head Start Program*	Income Eligibility for the Child Care Assistance Program and Other Selected Child Care Programs Including Preschool Wrap Around Child Care Administered through the New Jersey Department of Human Services						State Funded Kinship Child Care Services	
	Maximum Allowable Annual Family Gross Income	Maximum Allowable Annual Gross Family Income for Entry Level and/or Initial Eligibility		Maximum Allowable Annual Gross Family Income At Redetermination	Maximum Allowable Annual Gross Family Income Prior to Exit	Maximum Allowable Annual Gross Family Income for Eligibility for Clients Under Age 60	Maximum Allowable Annual Gross Family Income for Eligibility for Clients Over Age 60	
Represents 100% of the 2018 Federal Poverty Index	TIER A Represents 150% of the 2018 Federal Poverty Index	TIER B Represents 175% of the 2018 Federal Poverty Index	TIER C Represents 200% of the 2018 Federal Poverty Index	TIER D Represents 250% of the 2018 Federal Poverty Index	TIER E* Represents 85% of the 2018 New Jersey State Median Income	Represents 350% of the 2018 Federal Poverty Index	Represents 500% of the 2018 Federal Poverty Index	
1	\$12,140	\$21,245	\$24,280	\$30,350	\$53,493	\$42,490	\$60,700	
2	\$16,460	\$28,805	\$32,920	\$41,150	\$64,009	\$57,610	\$82,300	
3	\$20,780	\$36,365	\$41,560	\$51,950	\$79,608	\$72,730	\$103,900	
4	\$25,100	\$43,925	\$50,200	\$62,750	\$97,653	\$87,850	\$125,500	
5	\$29,420	\$51,485	\$58,840	\$73,550	\$104,793	\$102,970	\$147,100	
6	\$33,740	\$59,045	\$67,480	\$84,350	\$111,933	\$118,090	\$168,700	
7	\$38,060	\$66,605	\$76,120	\$95,150	\$119,073	\$133,210	\$190,300	
8	\$42,380	\$74,165	\$84,760	\$105,950	\$126,213	\$148,330	\$211,900	
9	\$46,700	\$81,725	\$93,400	\$116,750	\$133,353	\$163,450	\$233,500	
10	\$51,020	\$89,285	\$102,040	\$127,550	\$140,493	\$178,570	\$255,100	
11	\$55,340	\$96,845	\$110,680	\$138,350	\$147,633	\$193,690	\$276,700	
12	\$59,660	\$104,405	\$119,320	\$149,150	\$154,773	\$208,810	\$298,300	
For each additional family member add:	\$4,320	\$7,560	\$8,640	\$10,800	\$7,140	\$15,120	\$21,600	

Note: Tier E represents the one-time Graduated Phase-Out period of child care assistance that may be utilized for one year.
Source: Annual Update of the HHS Poverty Guidelines, *Federal Register*, Vol. 83, No. 12, Thursday, January 18, 2018, Page 2642
Source: Census Bureau Median Family Income by Family Size, Department of Justice, Cases Filed as of November 1, 2017, <https://www.justice.gov/>