

# Prairie Band Potawatomi - Kansas

## Description of Tribe

The Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation is a tribal unit that originated in the Great Lakes area many years ago. The Prairie Band Potawatomi people known as the "Keepers of the Fire" moved to Kansas and tribal services come out of Mayetta.

Tribal Population: **4,000**

Population of service area: **300**

Reservation: **Yes**

Number of children eligible for CCDF: **85**

Number of children served with CCDF funds in FY 2004 in an average month: **Not reported**

Tribe operates a child care center: **Yes**

Tribe is Head Start Grantee: **Yes**

Tribe is an Early Head Start Grantee: **Yes**

Date of first market rate survey: **1992**

Date of last market rate survey: **2005**

## Organization with Primary Responsibility for Following Tasks

Determined which facilities to survey:	<b>Lead Agency</b>
Created survey questions:	<b>Lead Agency</b>
Assisted facilities to complete survey:	<b>Task not done</b>
Collected price data from facilities:	<b>Lead Agency</b>
Cleaned the collected data:	<b>Task not done</b>
Analyzed price data:	<b>Lead Agency</b>
Interpreted findings:	<b>Task not done</b>
Wrote reports on findings:	<b>Task not done</b>
Published results:	<b>Lead Agency</b>

## Facilities Surveyed

*Database used to identify providers:*

Facilities regulated by child care licensing agency: **No**

Facilities receiving child care subsidies: **No**

Facilities enrolled with R&R agency: **Yes**

<i>Facilities included in the dataset</i>	Included	Number	Type of sample
Licensed facilities	All	3	Total
Family child care facilities who are legally exempt from licensing	No		
Family, friends, or neighbors who are legally exempt from licensing	No		
Centers that are legally exempt from licensing	No		
After-school education (non-licensed)	Yes	3	Total
Providers located on military facilities	No		
Facilities located on tribal reservations or in tribal service areas and licensed by the STATE.	Yes, some	1	Total
Facilities located on tribal reservations or in tribal service areas and licensed by the TRIBE.	Yes, some	1	Total
<b>TOTAL</b> facilities in final dataset		<b>8</b>	

## Data Collection

Method(s): **Telephone**

Strategies to encourage facilities to participate:

**None reported**

Number of facilities tried to reach: **8**

# of facilities who refused to participate: **0**

# of facilities dropped from the sample: **0**

# of facilities who completed the survey: **3**

Date data collection was completed: **5/31/2005**

Time needed for a single facility to give information: **Less than 5 minutes**

How facilities reported price information: **Actual rates in whatever mode they charge**

Asked about the # of children in care that receive subsidy: **No**

## Data Analysis

Facilities excluded from analysis: **Migrant Head Start; Facilities serving only subsidized children; Part-day, Part-week programs**

Unit of analysis: **Facility**

Were prices converted to some standard mode such as to monthly or hourly price? **No**

Rate Setting

Date current payment rates were set: **7/21/2005**

Rates adjusted based on recent survey: **No**

Are payment rates set at or above the 75<sup>th</sup> percentile of prices? **No**

*Important factors in setting current rates:*

- 1 – Overall budget**
- 2 – Level of federal CCDF funding**
- 3 – Desire to maximize the number of families with access to subsidies**

Total Cost of Market Rate Survey: \$28

Lead Agency: **\$28**

Other agency:

State R&R Network:

University/College:

Research or survey firm:

Other contractor:

Report is Available for Download at: Not available

	Ways Price Data was Analyzed	Current Rates Set By
<b>Geography</b>		
County	Yes	No
Zip-Code	No	No
Region	No	No
Tribe	Yes	Yes
Other geographic area	-	No
<b>Age Group</b>		
Infant care	Yes	Yes
Toddler care	Yes	Yes
Preschool-age care	Yes	Yes
School-age care	Yes	No
<b>Type of Care</b>		
Center	Yes	Yes
Family	No	No
Group home	No	No
In-home	No	No
Family, friends, neighbors	No	Don't Know
School-age centers	No	No
School-age enrichment activities	No	No
Special needs care	This project did not ask this question on the questionnaire.	No
<b>Pricing Mode</b>		
Hourly	No	This project did not ask this question on the questionnaire.
Daily	No	
Weekly	Yes	
Monthly	Yes	