

Kalispel Tribe of Indians - Washington

Description of Tribe

"The Kalispel Tribe of Indians has always recognized the importance of educating its members as well as the general community. The Kalispel Indian Reservation is located approximately 55 miles north of Spokane in Pend Oreille County."

Tribal Population: **385**

Population of service area: **Not reported**

Reservation: **Yes**

Number of children eligible for CCDF: **46**

Number of children served with CCDF funds in FY 2004 in an average month: **20**

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

Tribe is Head Start Grantee: **No**

Tribe is an Early Head Start Grantee: **No**

Date of first market rate survey: **1993**

Date of last market rate survey: **2004**

<i>Facilities included in the dataset</i>	Included	Number	Type of sample
Licensed facilities	Some	4	Random
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)	No		
Providers located on military facilities	No		
Facilities located on tribal reservations or in tribal service areas and licensed by the STATE.	Yes, some	2	Random
Facilities located on tribal reservations or in tribal service areas and licensed by the TRIBE.	No		
TOTAL facilities in final dataset		6	

Organization with Primary Responsibility for Following Tasks

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

Comments: We complete our own, but our area is small.

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: **No**

Other: **Phone book**

Data Collection

Method(s): **Phone**

Strategies to encourage facilities to participate: **None reported**

Number of facilities tried to reach: **0**

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

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

of facilities who completed the survey: **4**

Date data collection was completed: **6/29/2005**

Time needed for a single facility to give information: **One hour**

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

Asked about the # of children in care that receive subsidy: **Yes**

Data Analysis

Facilities excluded from analysis: **Head Start programs, State-funded pre-kindergarten programs, Migrant Head Start, State contracted centers**

Unit of analysis: **Slots; Licensed capacity for children by age group; Actual current enrollment of children served by age group**

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

Rate Setting

Date current payment rates were set: **1/01/2000**

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

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

Important factors in setting current rates:

- 1 – Desire to maximize the number of families with access to subsidies**
- 2 – Keep rates affordable for parents**
- 3 –**

Total Cost of Market Rate Survey: \$100

Lead Agency: **\$100**

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
Geography		
County	No	No
Zip-Code	No	No
Region	No	No
Tribe	No	No
Other geographic area	-	No
Age Group		
Infant care	Yes	Yes
Toddler care	Yes	Yes
Preschool-age care	Yes	Yes
School-age care	Yes	Yes
Type of Care		
Center	Yes	Yes
Family	No	No
Group home	No	No
In-home	No	No
Family, friends, neighbors	No	No
School-age centers	Yes	Yes
School-age enrichment activities	No	No
Special needs care	This project did not ask this question on the questionnaire.	No
Pricing Mode		
Hourly	Yes	This project did not ask this question on the questionnaire.
Daily	No	
Weekly	No	
Monthly	No	