

# The ND Child Care Proposal



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## Expand Child Care Assistance Program (CCAP)

New Investment	Funding Source	Existing Resources	Impact
\$ 22,000,000	General Fund		Additional 1,500 kids per month
		\$ 36,119,826 Federal	3,500 kids age 0-12 (0-60% AMI)
		\$ 12,200,000 General Fund	
		\$ 5,200,000 ARPA	500 kids age 0-12 (60-85% AMI)

## Pay providers more for Infant/Toddler care via CCAP rate schedule

Investment - New	Investment - EBR	Impact
\$ 13,000,000 General Fund		25% pmt boost for 2,670 kids 0-3

## Pay for quality by creating quality tiers in the CCAP rate schedule

Investment - New	Investment - EBR	Impact
\$ 3,000,000 General Fund		5-15% pmt boost for 1,600 kids in Step 2, 3 or 4 programs

## Cost Share an Employer Child Care Benefit for Working Parents

Investment - New	Investment - EBR	Impact
\$ 5,000,000 General Fund		650 kids ages 0-3
	\$ 9,000,000 ARPA	950 kids ages 0-3

## Expand the Best in Class Program

Investment - New	Investment - EBR	Impact
\$ 16,000,000 General Fund		1,800 kids in 130 groups by 2025
	\$ 2,400,000 Federal	

## Provide Resources and Supports to Child Care Providers

Investment - New	Investment - EBR	Impact
\$ 2,000,000 General Fund	\$ 300,000 Federal	Inclusion Grants
\$ 1,000,000 General Fund	\$ 450,000 Federal	Quality Grants
\$ 1,000,000 General Fund		Start-up Grants
\$ 2,000,000 General Fund		Facility Grants
\$ 1,000,000 General Fund		Shared Service Grants
\$ 1,000,000 General Fund		Non-Traditional Hours Pilots

## Offer stipends to Child Care Workforce for Above and Beyond Training

Investment - New	Investment - EBR	Impact
\$ 2,000,000 General Fund		4 - 5,000 child care worker stipends

## Streamline the process child care providers use to complete background checks for workers

Investment - New	Investment - EBR	Impact
\$ 1,000,000 General Fund		

## Support Quality Improvement across the early childhood industry

Investment - New	Investment - EBR	Impact
\$ 3,000,000 General Fund	\$ 3,500,000 Federal	Quality and Start-up Coaches, Grant mgmt and Evaluation

## TOTAL

Investment - New	Investment - EBR	
\$ 73,000,000 General Fund	\$ 69,169,826 Federal/Gen	