

READY, SET SOAR OHIO



Early Investments, A Lifetime of Success.

The State of Infants & Toddlers



Shelby County



2,333

children three years old or younger

Infants and toddlers living in poverty
(defined as living at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines—an annual household income of \$51,500 for a family of 4)

1 in 2

11%

Eligible infants and toddlers living at 130% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines accessing publicly funded child care

Infants and toddlers receiving health coverage through Medicaid and Healthy Start

41%

Of the

60

54%

accessing publicly funded child care, are in high-quality programs *(rated a 3- to 5-star in Ohio's quality rating and improvement system, Step Up to Quality)*

Families with infants and toddlers receiving evidence-based home visiting services through the state funded Help Me Grow program

32

11

infants and toddlers age three and under are in state custody...

This accounts for 35% of all kids in custody

0-3 year olds receiving Early Intervention services

127

Kindergartners entering the classroom ready to learn

35%

11%

Economically disadvantaged kindergartners entering the classroom ready to learn

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