

# READY, SET SOAR OHIO



Early Investments, A Lifetime of Success.

## The State of Infants & Toddlers



### Butler County



# 18,545

## 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 3

22%

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

48%

Of the 1,016 accessing publicly funded child care,  
43% 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

158

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

0-3 year olds receiving  
Early Intervention services

1,037

This accounts for 27% of all kids in custody

Kindergartners entering the  
classroom ready to learn

39%

25%

Economically disadvantaged  
kindergartners entering the  
classroom ready to learn

Join us & explore more resources!

Data sources are available at [ReadySetSoarOH.org](http://ReadySetSoarOH.org)

[ReadySetSoarOH.org](http://ReadySetSoarOH.org)  
[@ReadySetSoarOH](https://twitter.com/ReadySetSoarOH)