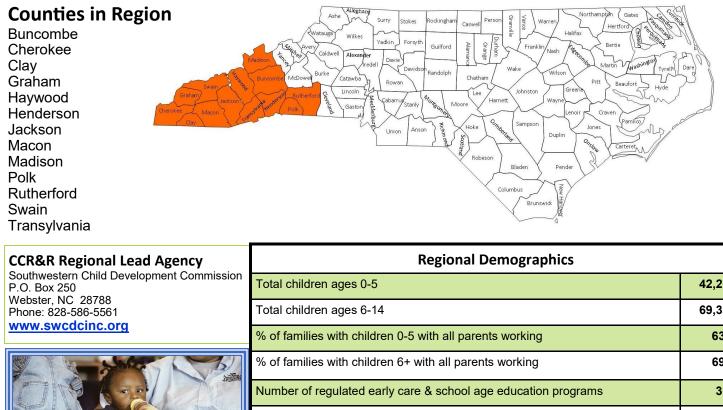
CCR&R Region 8 Fact Sheet

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42.263 69,335 63% 69% 367 Number of 4-5 star early care & school age education programs 252 # of children enrolled in regulated early care & school age education programs 14,961 % of children enrolled in 4-5 star early care & school age education programs 69% 2.651 Size of early care & school age education workforce

Data sources: NC Office of Budget and Management, American Community Survey (2015-17 est.), and NC Division of Child Development (May 2019).

Regional CCR&R Services (FY19)

Working families who received education and assistance finding child care (# of children served):	371
Child care classrooms/homes that received technical assistance to improve/maintain their quality:	452
Child care professionals who received training and professional development:	3,319

Service Highlights:

Parent receiving referral services: "I didn't realize that this type of service was available until now...how wonderful!"

Child Care Center receiving services from an Infant Toddler Specialist: "It is always good to have a person that knows answers about the rated license. This helps staff, keeps them up-to-date and assists in training new staff."

Teacher after attending a Professional Development event: "What I learned will be implemented, especially guided behavior and making sure that I have beneficial discipline techniques and not punishment. The trainer did a great job modeling what she was teaching throughout the training."

Child care resource and referral (CCR&R) services across North Carolina are funded by a variety of sources including the North Carolina Division of Child Development and Early Education, local Smart Start organizations, child care, and other businesses, community agencies and private philanthropy (individual, family, corporate and community).

