

# READY, SET SOAR OHIO



Early Investments, A Lifetime of Success.

## The State of Infants & Toddlers



## Hamilton County



# 41,832

### 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

42%

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

50%

Of the 6,163 accessing publicly funded child care, 28% 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

1,167

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

0-3 year olds receiving Early Intervention services

1,224

This accounts for 56% of all kids in custody

Kindergartners entering the classroom ready to learn

44%

32%

Economically disadvantaged kindergartners entering the classroom ready to learn

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