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# Early Childhood Education IN THE NEWS

## JUNE 2020

### OHIO NEWS

#### ABC 5 Cleveland

- Cleveland hospital seeing increase in children testing positive for COVID-19
- Family and Children First Councils getting \$1 million grant to provide more technological services

#### ABC 6

- New report reveals \$57 billion loss from national childcare crisis

#### Cincinnati Enquirer

- Pediatricians worry as vaccine rates plummet nationwide
- COVID-19 side effect: Child abuse, neglect reports drop due to kids' isolation

## Cleveland.com

- [Gov. Mike DeWine signs bills to provide coronavirus aid to locals, extend Medicaid services for pregnant women](#)
- [Babies of color face challenges that deny them strong start in life, new national report says](#)
- [Ohio pediatric vaccines drop by 45% during coronavirus pandemic, hospital official reports](#)
- [Tips for parents helping their children deal with pandemic anxiety](#)
- [Adults with high lead-blood levels in early childhood show higher dependence on public systems as adults: CWRU report](#)
- [Opinion: Feds need to give more money to Ohio's Medicaid program fast: John Corlett](#)
- [Clinical care goes hand in hand with joy and laughter at new autism care preschool, Thrive Learning Center](#)

## Columbus Dispatch

- [Pediatric vaccine rates plummet in central Ohio, nationwide](#)

## Dayton Daily News

- [Data shows inequities span cradle to grave for local black residents](#)
- [Coronavirus: Why experts are worried about steep decline in child abuse reports](#)
- [Guidance issued for reopening Wright-Patt childcare facilities](#)

## Fox 19 News

- [Euclid special needs mom says day care can no longer take care of her son because of Covid-19 regulations](#)

## Gongwer Ohio

- [Providers Say Pandemic Exposed Child Care System 'Built on Quicksand'](#)
- [Senate Panel Reduces Spending in Infant Mortality Bill](#)
- [Pharmacies Can Start Billing Medicaid for COVID-19 Tests; Report Highlights Child Care 'Crisis'](#)
- [Governor: It's 'Time to Act' on Racial Inequality Issues](#)
- [Lawmakers Propose Hospital Loan Forgiveness; Brown Wants Extension of Eased WIC Guidelines](#)

## Ideastream

- [Lead Exposure Sets More Cleveland Children on a Poisoned-to-Prison Path](#)
- [Lack of Childcare No Reason to Not Return to Work, ODJFS Says](#)

## Ohio Capital Journal

- [Minority Strike Force Town Halls: Infant mortality, underlying conditions at heart of disparity issues](#)

## Sandusky Register

- [Many Ohio daycares reopen](#)

## Senator Sherrod Brown

- [Brown Joins Call with Child Care Providers as He Continues Fighting for Ohio Families during Covid-19 Pandemic](#)

## Toledo Blade

- [Don't give up on pre-kindergarten](#)

## WCPO Cincinnati

- [Coronavirus pandemic hasn't stopped home visits for Ohio's Help Me Grow program](#)

## WOSU

- [Coronavirus in Ohio: Child Vaccinations Down Significantly Due to Pandemic Fears](#)

## NATIONAL NEWS

### The 74

- [As COVID-19 Threatens Millions of Child Care ‘Slots,’ Families Face Deep Disruptions to Their Children’s Early Learning and Social Development and to Their Own Jobs](#)

### ABC News

- [Coronavirus is pushing the US child care industry to the brink of collapse: Advocates](#)

### Axios

- [Racial inequities in education can start as early as preschool](#)

### Bipartisan Policy Center

- [Paycheck Protection Program Flexibility Act: Updates to the PPP](#)

### Center for American Progress

- [How Child Care Disruptions Hurt Parents of Color Most](#)
- [The Coronavirus Will Make Child Care Deserts Worse and Exacerbate Inequality](#)

### CNBC

- [Day care director: ‘I’m struggling—and it’s not because I’m not a good business person’](#)

### CNN

- [US infant mortality rates decline, CDC study says, but Black infants still twice as likely to die](#)

## First Five Years Fund

- [New Report: Communities of Color Among Most Disadvantaged in the U.S](#)
- [House Appropriations and Ways & Means Democrats Introduce Child Care Recovery Legislation](#)
- [Bipartisan Congressional Hearing Highlights Pandemic's Devastating Impact on Child Care](#)
- [Congresswoman Katherine Clark introduces bill to revitalize child care industry](#)

## Forbes

- [Daycare Dilemma: Smaller Classes and Higher Costs Hurting Working Families](#)

## Georgetown University Center for Young Children and Families

- [Rural Disparities, Racial Disparities, and Maternal Health Crisis Call Out for Solutions](#)

## The Hill

- [States need more child care funds](#)

## Intelligencer

- [Will the Pandemic Reshape Child Care for Good?](#)

## Los Angeles Times

- [Child care is still the missing ingredient for a fast economic recovery](#)

## MarketWatch

- [Opinion: Racism is hurting Black children in schools, hospitals — even day care — and it's up to adults to protect them](#)

## Medium

- [Not in the Same Boat](#)
- [Flattening the Other Curve](#)
- [Under the Same Roof, for Better and for Worse](#)
- [Between a Rock and a Hard Place](#)

## The New York Times

- [Black Families Were Hit Hard by the Pandemic. The Effects on Children May Be Lasting.](#)

## Politico

- [A lack of child care is keeping women on unemployment rolls](#)

## TIME

- ['I Can't Be Hands on Right Now.' What It's Like to Be a Childcare Provider During the Coronavirus Pandemic](#)

## USA Today

- [High-quality child care is too expensive. Government subsidies are too low to help.](#)

## The Wall Street Journal

- [Day-Care Centers Are Reopening. Will Families Return?](#)

## The Washington Post

- [FAQ: What you need to know about kids' doctor visits, vaccines, mental health and more amid the pandemic](#)
- [With schools and daycare closed, the coronavirus is worsening women's inequality](#)