The State of Infants & Toddlers

- **9,203 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

- **Eligible infants and toddlers living at 130% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines accessing publicly funded child care**: 36%

- **Infants and toddlers receiving health coverage through Medicaid and Healthy Start**: 68%

- **Of the 1,410 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)**: 38%

- **Families with infants and toddlers receiving evidence-based home visiting services through the state funded Help Me Grow program**: 180

- **0-3 year olds receiving Early Intervention services**: 329

- **113 infants and toddlers age three and under are in state custody...**

- **This accounts for 36% of all kids in custody**

- **Kindergartners entering the classroom ready to learn**: 35%

- **Economically disadvantaged kindergartners entering the classroom ready to learn**: 22%

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