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This report is prepared in compliance with <u>SB 5950, Section 4(e)</u>, which directs the Washington State Department of Children, Youth, and Families (DCYF) to report enrollments and active caseload for the Working Connections Child Care (WCCC) program to the governor and the legislative fiscal committees and the legislative-executive WorkFirst Poverty Reduction Oversight Task Force on an agreed-upon schedule. Enrollments are the number of families that have established eligibility; this includes families who have a paid authorization, who are authorized but did not have a paid authorization, or who do not have an authorization yet. The active caseload is the number of paid cases in that month. The report shall identify the number of cases participating in both Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) and WCCC. The department must also report on the number of children served through contracted slots.

This data is updated regularly on **EMAPS**.

Summary Data	
Enrollments (September 2024)	41,521
Active Caseload (July 2024)	31,457
Cases Participating in TANF and WCCC (July 2024)	4,600
Contracted Slots	0*

* DCYF is in process of procuring 100 contracted infant slots as provided in <u>SB 6109 section 201</u>.

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