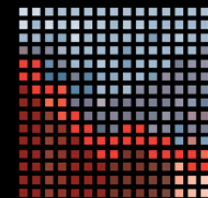




Who cares?

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EARLY LEARNING
PARTNERSHIP



Access to Regulated Child Care (not including K, family child care, unregulated care or other ECD services)

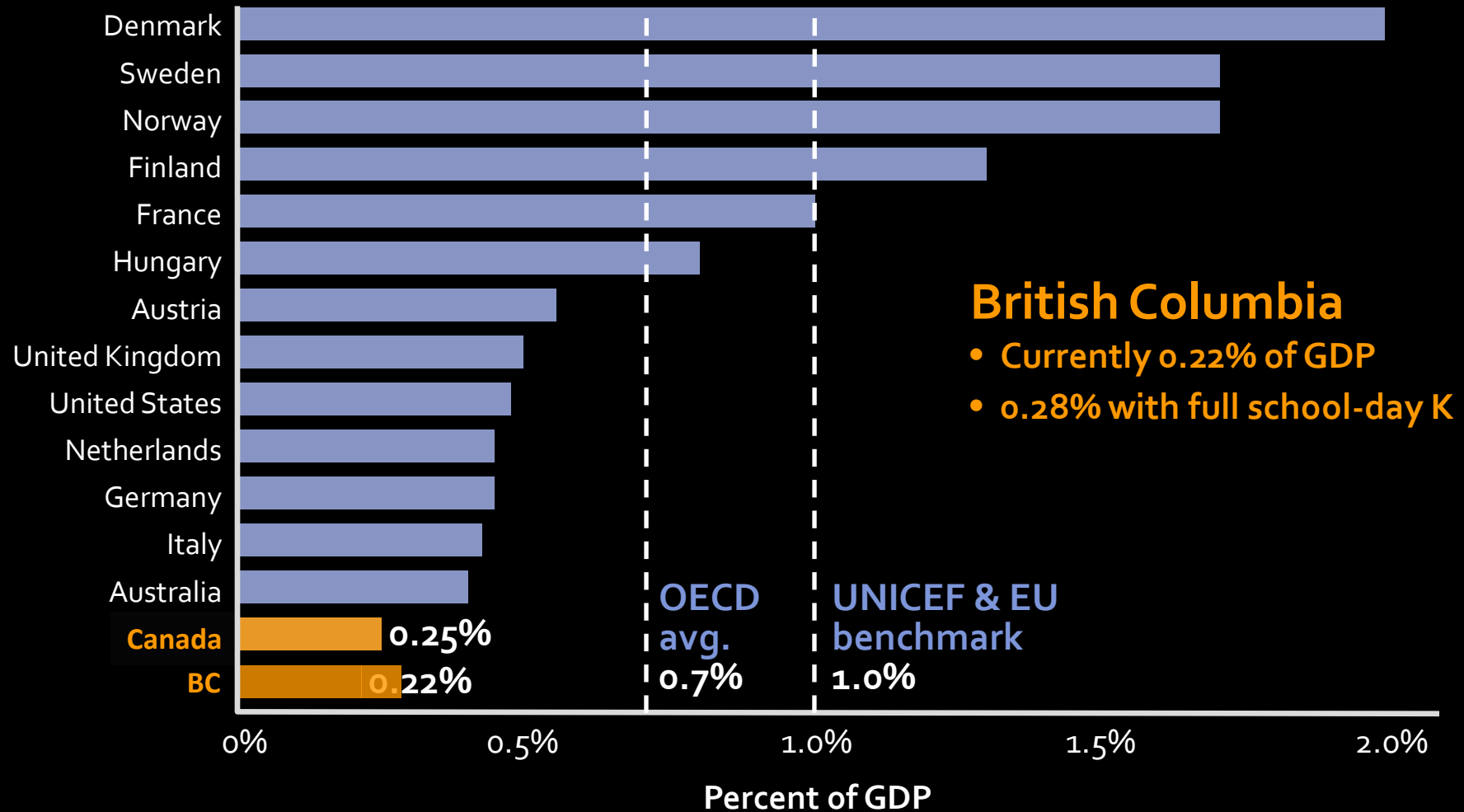
PROVINCE	Access (%, 0-5 yrs, regulated FT, PT, centre-based)
PEI	41
Quebec	25
NS	22
Manitoba	21
NB	20
Ontario	20
BC	→ 18
Alberta	17
Nfld & Lab	17
Saskatchewan	9

UNICEF (minimum)

25% <3 yrs
80% @ 4 yrs

Source: The Big Picture, Early Childhood Education and Care in Canada 2008

Public expenditure on child care services (0-6 years) in selected OECD countries





269,280 children
under age 6 in BC

Children and Care Arrangements

of children by
care arrangement

Parent / family only

Parent / family + child care

Part-time, unlicensed

Part-time, licensed (incl K)

Full-time, unlicensed

Full-time, licensed

Total

TODAY IN BC

birth -
18 mths

18 mths -
3 yrs

3 - 5 yrs

Total

49,994

33,931

33,966

117,891

8,275

14,451

10,670

33,396

-

-

46,505

46,505

6,718

11,938

9,761

28,417

2,333

7,000

33,738

43,071

67,320

67,320

134,640

269,280

Children and Care Arrangements

of children by care arrangement

	WITH NEW DEAL FOR FAMILIES			
	birth - 18 mths	18 mths - 3 yrs	3 - 5 yrs	<i>Total</i>
Parent / family only	67,320	17,952	14,362	99,634
Parent / family + child care				
Part-time, unlicensed	0	0	0	0
Part-time, licensed (incl K)	0	19,074	55,651	74,725
Full-time, unlicensed	0	0	0	0
Full-time, licensed	0	30,294	64,627	94,921
Total	67,320	67,320	134,640	269,280

Children and Care Arrangements

**% of children by
care type - licensed**

Parent / family only

Parent / family + child care

Unlicensed

Licensed (incl K)

Total

TODAY IN BC

birth -
18 mths

18 mths -
3 yrs

3 - 5 yrs

Total

74%

51%

25%

44%

22%

39%

15%

23%

4%

10%

60%

33%

100%

100%

100%

100%

Children and Care Arrangements

**% of children by
care type - hours**

Parent / family only

Parent / family + child care

Full-time

Part-time

Total

TODAY IN BC

birth -
18 mths

18 mths -
3 yrs

3 - 5 yrs

Total

74%

51%

25%

44%

13%

27%

33%

27%

13%

22%

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29%

100%

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100%

BC, children under 3

Today

62% Parental/Family Care Only

17% Add: child care PT

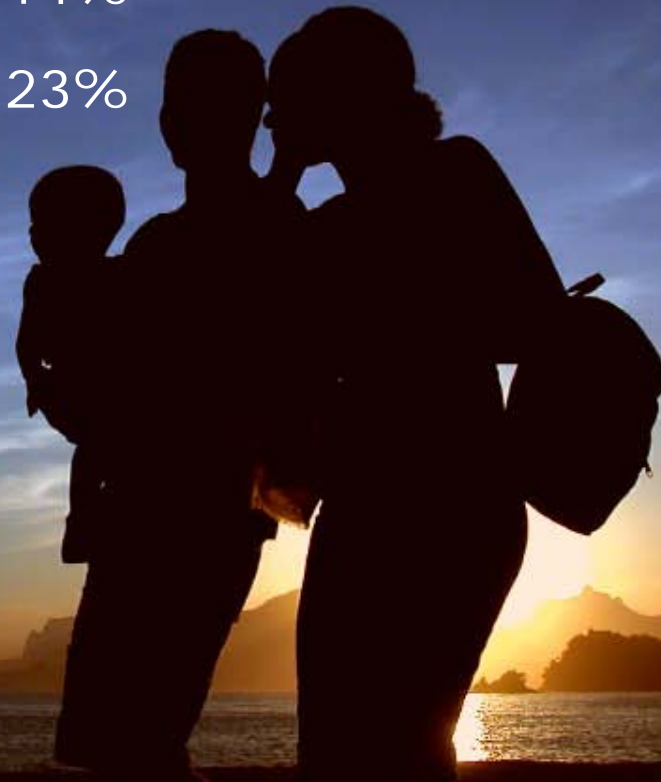
21% Or: child care FT

New Deal

63%

14%

23%



What changes?

First 18 months, primarily parental care

Then, choice of **regulated** programs

Children and Care Arrangements

% of children by care type - licensed

	WITH NEW DEAL FOR FAMILIES			
	birth - 18 mths	18 mths - 3 yrs	3 - 5 yrs	<i>Total</i>
Parent / family only	100% (+26)	27% (-24)	11% (-14)	37% (-7)
Parent / family + child care				
Unlicensed	0% (-22)	0% (-39)	0% (-15)	0% (-23)
Licensed (incl K)	0% (-4)	73% (+63)	89% (+29)	63% (+30)
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

Children and Care Arrangements

% of children by care type - hours

	WITH NEW DEAL FOR FAMILIES			
	birth - 18 mths	18 mths - 3 yrs	3 - 5 yrs	<i>Total</i>
Parent / family only	100% (+26)	27% (-23)	11% (-14)	37% (-6)
Parent / family + child care				
Full-time	0% (-13)	45% (+17)	48% (+16)	35% (+8)
Part-time (up to 40% of FT)	0% (-12)	28% (+7)	41% (-1)	28% (-2)
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%

Under a New Deal for Families

Child care parent fees reduced to ...

\$10/day full-time

\$7/day part-time

no fees if family income < \$40,000

(Eliminate child care expense deduction)

Staffing and Compensation:

Today		New Deal
\$32,293	Average Annual Salary + Benefits, Regulated care	\$53,304
No requirement	Annual professional development allowance per staff	\$1,250
23,810	FTE Staff (incl. Unlicensed)	26,613
	Incremental staff required: 2,803	