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ABOUT TRI-SHARE

The MI Tri-Share Child Care Program (**Tri-Share**) is an **innovative** public/private partnership that equally **shares the cost of child care** between employers, employees, and the state of Michigan.

IMPLEMENTATION

The MI Tri-Share Program **continues to be on families' radar**, once again helping them decide the employer they want to work for.

Individuals who are seeking employment are **using Tri-Share to guide their employment search**; Hub facilitators are being contacted by individuals seeking employers who are participating in the program.

FACILITATOR HUBS



Tri-Share has expanded to cover 59 counties and the city of Detroit. Below is a list of all the regions. Facilitator hubs are actively recruiting interested employers in their region!

Goodwill Industries of West MI

- Lake, Mason, Muskegon, Newaygo, Oceana, and Ottawa

United Way of Northwest MI

- Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Manistee, Leelanau, Missaukee, and Wexford

Saginaw ISD

- Great Lakes Bay Region

Battle Creek Shared Services Alliances

- Calhoun County

Mothering Justice

- Detroit

St. Clair RESA

- St. Clair County

Southwest Child Care Resources

- Kalamazoo County

Vibrant Futures

- Kent County

Shiawassee RESD

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Child Care Network

- Branch, Genesee, Hillsdale, Jackson, Lenawee, Livingston, Monroe, and Washtenaw counties

Marquette-Alger RESA

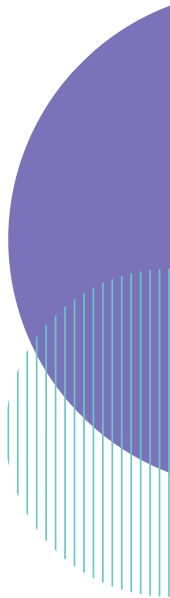
- Upper Peninsula

Otsego County Economic Alliance, Inc.

- Otsego, Crawford, Montmorency, Ogemaw, Roscommon and Oscoda counties

Everybody Ready

- Detroit





ENROLLMENT STATUS

- There are currently **77 employers enrolled across 13 Hubs.**
- Enrolled **employers vary in size** from small to big business.
- Current enrolled employers represent **various industries**, including social assistance, agriculture, manufacturing, arts, and social and civil service orgs.
- Hubs are actively recruiting employees from participating employers. To date, Tri-Share has served **72 employees** enrolled across three Hubs.
- Enrolled employees receive support for full and part-time child care as well as before and after school care for **72 children.**

UPDATES



- It's official! Tri-Share, with bi-partisan support of the Michigan Legislature and Governor Whitmer, will be funded on an ongoing basis. This means that Tri-Share is no longer in the pilot phase and will continue to help families access and afford child care and help employers retain and attract talent.
- The Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity (LEO) recently shared resources for employers hoping to support their employees. [Click here](#) to learn more!

Want to learn more?

Check out our updated website to find more info on Tri-Share - michigan.gov/tri-share



OUTREACH AND PRESS

- Outreach
 - There has been continued outreach with stakeholders to contribute to collaboration.
 - The MI Tri-Share Program will launch a paid media campaign in August to inform more employers, families and providers of the opportunity Tri-Share offers.
- Press
 - Michigan is desperately trying to make private child care more affordable