

Afterschool In Wisconsin

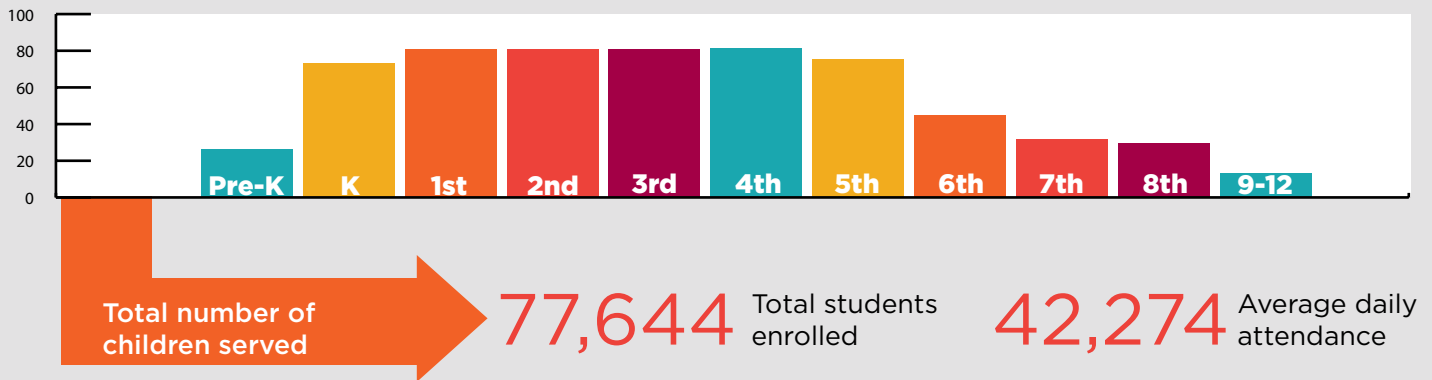
Building Our Children's Future, One Program at a Time

Afterschool programs are today's neighborhoods for Wisconsin children and youth. With more than 75% of the families of school-age children in the workforce, afterschool programs are a vital partner with families, schools and communities to assure safety and success of children and youth. In Wisconsin afterschool programs; keep children and youth safe, support working families and support academic achievement.

In November of 2015, Marshfield Clinic and the Wisconsin Afterschool Network (WAN) started a mapping process to identify afterschool programs throughout Wisconsin. Over 530 individual surveys were completed representing over 650 afterschool programs.

Children Demographics

1 Grades Served



2 Economic Status

43% of Wisconsin students qualify for free and reduced lunch

52% of children and youth participating in afterschool programs qualify for free and reduced lunch

Program Operations

3 Services



Physical Activity - 85%



Homework Completion - 82%



Recreation - 81%



Reading/Language Arts - 77%



Art, Music or Dance - 75%

4 Meals



Yes - 46%, No - 54%

5 Snacks



Yes - 89%, No - 11%

6 Transportation



Yes - 39%, No - 61%

7 Program Operations

34.5 Average weeks per school year

3 Average hours per day

4.8 Average days per week

Program Overview

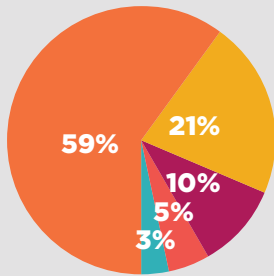
8 Staff

2,677 Full-Time (30-40 hours/week)

5,221 Part-Time

3,346 Volunteers

9 Locations



- School - 59%
- Childcare Center - 21%
- Community-based organization - 10%
- Other - 5%
- Church - 3%

Largest program providers

- Schools
- Boys and Girls Clubs
- YMCA

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Yes - 53%, No - 47%

11 Size of Programs

19% 1-20 children

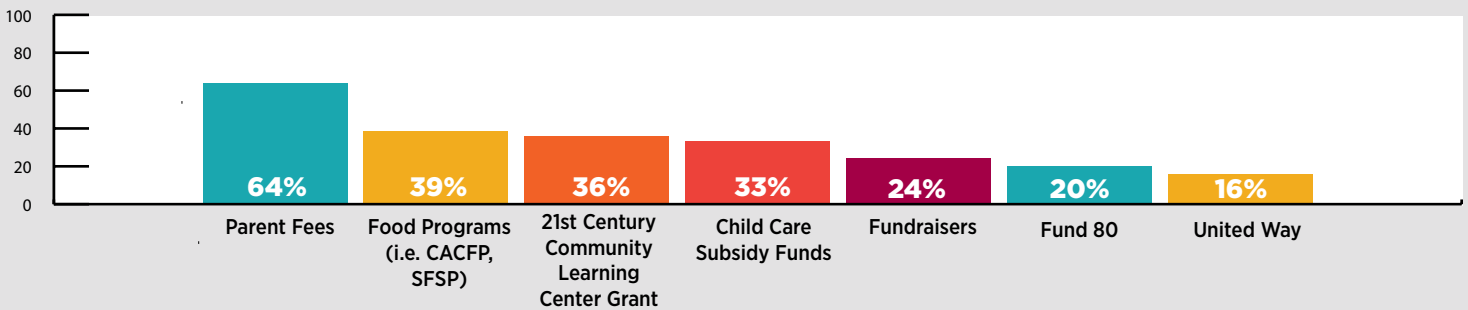
20% 21-50 children

26% 51-100 children

17% 100-200 children

18% 200+ children

12 Funding Sources



Recommendations

1 Funding the afterschool program

2 Finding and retaining qualified staff

3 Providing staff and/or volunteer training opportunities

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