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Material Hardship Matters: Parent Voices From the RAPID Survey

RESOURCES

Stanford Center on Early Childhood

- [The New Ecology of Early Childhood](#): Revisiting Bronfenbrenner’s Theory in the Context of Contemporary Challenges and Opportunities
- [Case Study](#): Advancing Early Childhood Systems in Alameda County, California
- [Research on the word gap and economic scarcity](#)

RAPID Survey Project

- [RAPID survey trend data](#) from 2020–2025 on material hardship, emotional well-being, and health care and child care access
- [RAPID fact sheet](#): Experiences of material hardship have ripple effects on young children’s development
- [RAPID fact sheet](#): Many families with infants and toddlers struggle to consistently access child care
- [Explore RAPID work by geography](#): National and place-based RAPID surveys and insights
- [Get to know RAPID survey community partners](#)
- What caregivers want policymakers to know: [Parents want elected officials to return to and sustain solutions that were in place during the pandemic that were helpful in supporting families](#)
- [Understanding the Association Between Childcare Precarity and Emotional Distress](#), Child: Care, Health and Development, Volume 51, Issue 3, April 3, 2025
- [Material hardship level and unpredictability in relation to U.S. households' family interactions and emotional well-being: Insights from the COVID-19 pandemic](#), Social Science & Medicine, August 2022
- [Income Is Not Enough: Incorporating Material Hardship Into Models of Income Associations With Parenting and Child Development](#), Society for Research in Child Development, Volume 78, Issue 1, February 28, 2007

Northside Achievement Zone

- [Family Success Stories](#)
- [Impact Data and Reports](#)
- [How NAZ works](#) (video)

CT 359 Network

- [Transformative CT early childhood education bill gets full passage](#), CT Mirror News, June 2, 2025
- [Education Funding Equity Must Start at the Early Grades](#), CT Mirror News, Op-Ed, August 12, 2016
- [Advancing a PN-3 Framework: A Two Site Baby Bundle Replication](#)

Additional resources from the Q&A

- HomeGrown Child Care research on basic income stabilization for child care providers: [Thriving Providers Project](#)