

Canada is one of only a few wealthy countries with **no plan for universal childcare.**

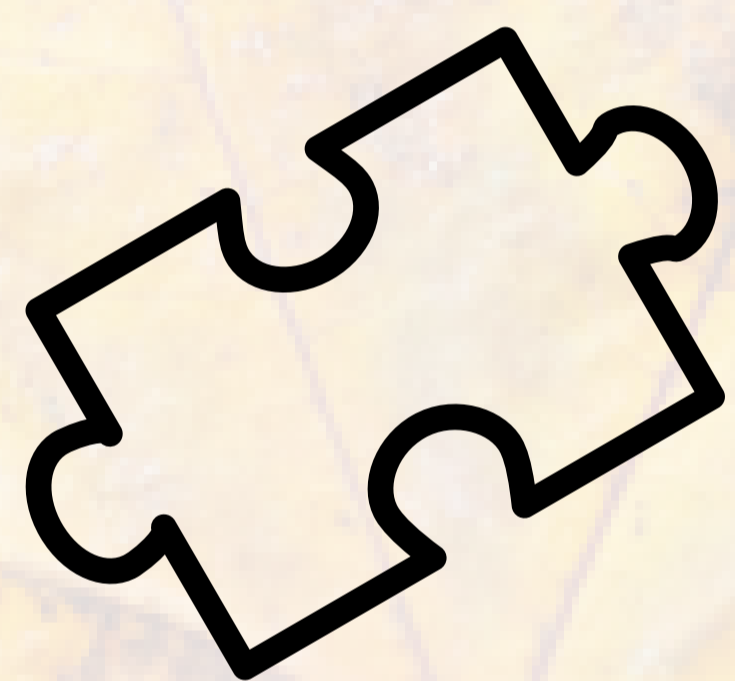
What families are saying under the current system:

"I can't pay the fee."



With childcare not directly funded, fees remain out of reach for most.

In Canada's fight against poverty, **universal childcare**



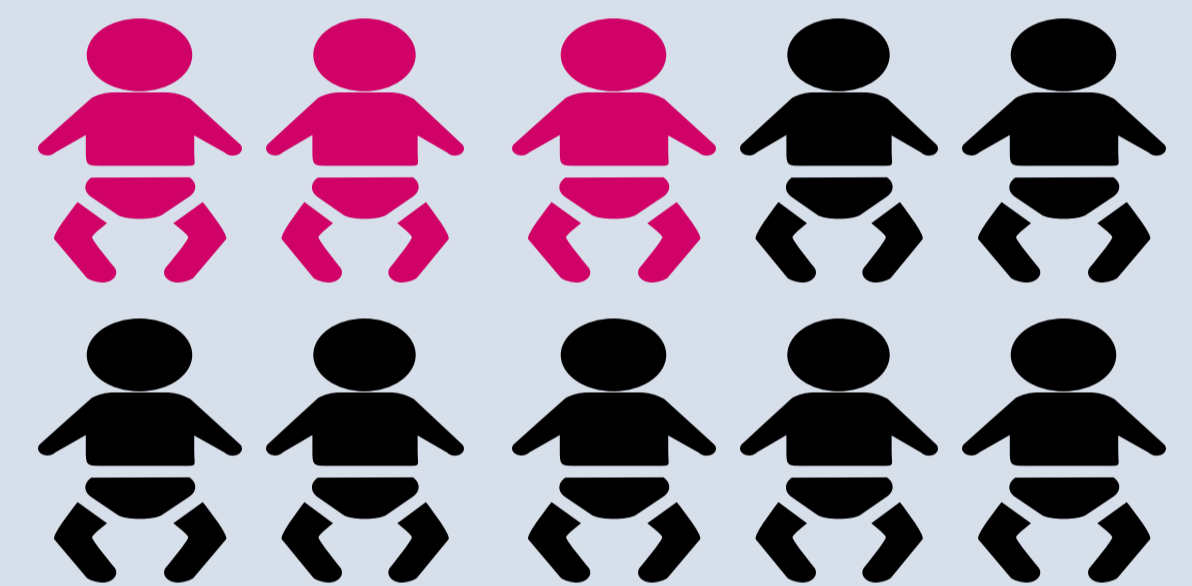
is the missing piece.

Known quality predictors are not being met.



"Quality's not high enough."

"I can't find a space."



An insufficient supply of spaces covers only 28.9% of 0-5 year-olds.

Childcare is most beneficial when universal: available to all, affordable, inclusive, and non-compulsory.

C2000's **bold ambitions** build on the government's Multilateral Framework.



Increase financial commitments to childcare, ramping up funding to cover service expansion

Develop concrete evidence-based implementation plans

Engage collaboratively with community partners in system-building