# The New York State Survey on Economic Development and Child Care Results

Cultivating Connections Between Child Care and Economic Development Conference

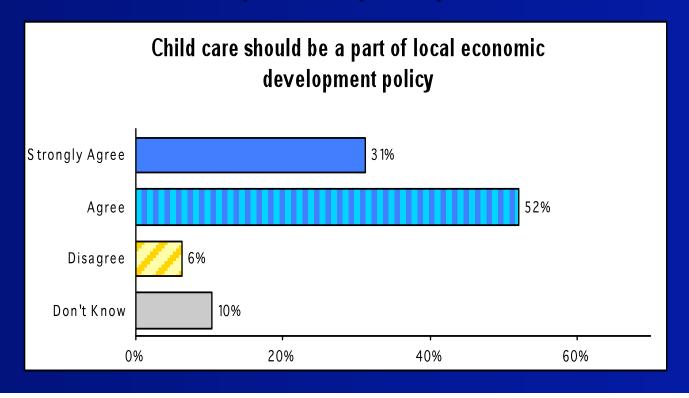
May 24, 2006

Cornell University

Ithaca, NY

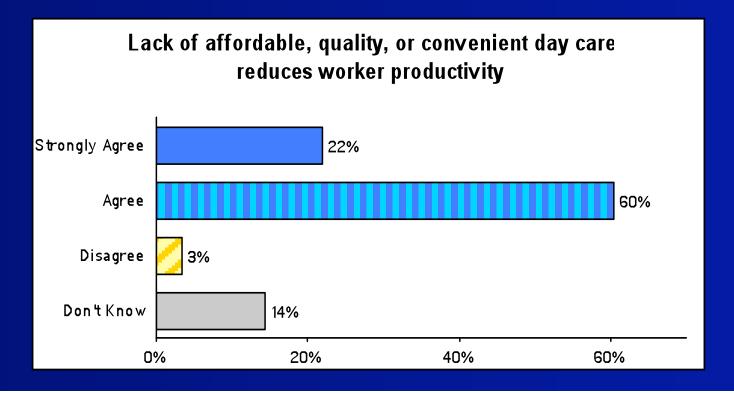
# **Child Care and the Local Economy**

8 out of 10 economic development professionals believe that child care should be part of local economic development policy.



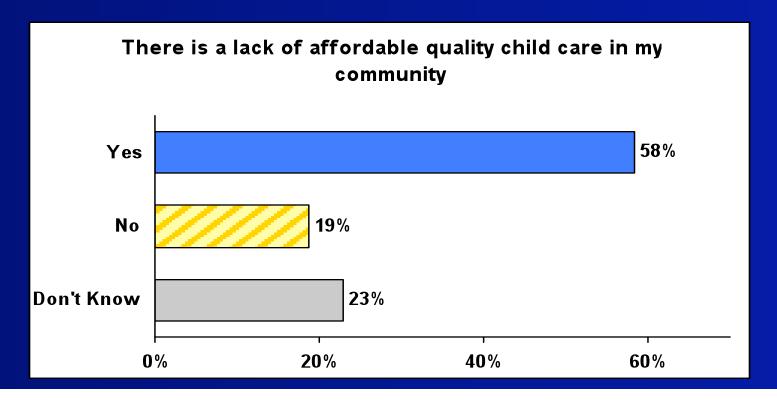
# **Child Care and Work Productivity**

 Over eighty percent of economic development professionals agree that affordable, quality, and convenient care can boost worker productivity.



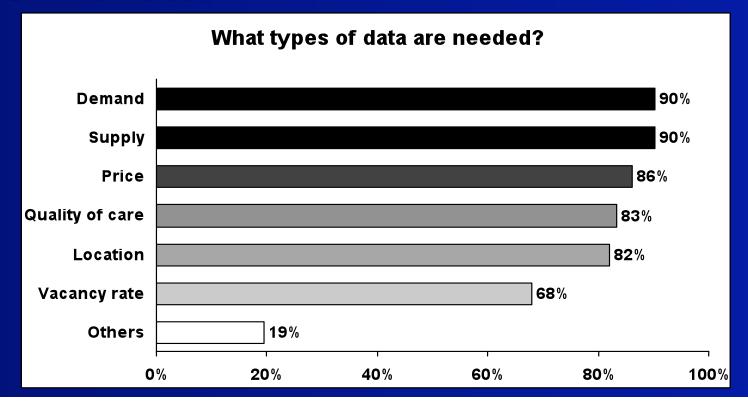
## **Child Care Supply and Demand**

 A majority of economic development professionals agree that there is a lack of affordable child care in their communities.



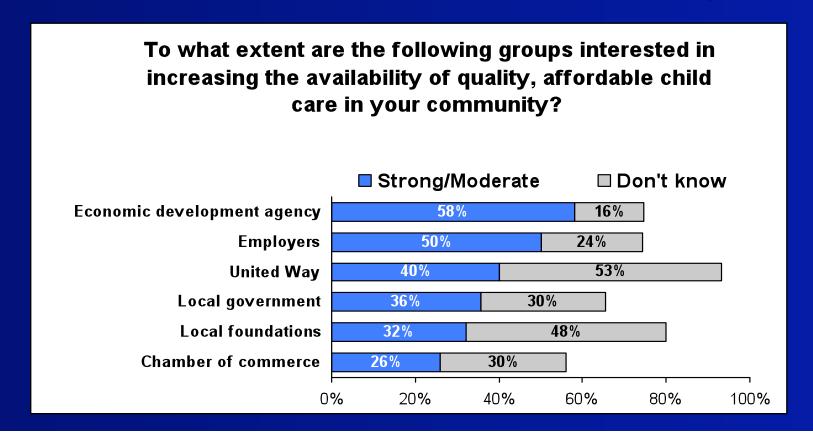
#### **Data on Child Care**

 Better data is needed to fortify the link between child care and economic development in communities.



### Partnerships for Child Care

 Diverse partnerships strengthen the link between child care and economic development.



#### **Issue Briefs**

- Community Coalitions for Child Care
- Labor Force Trends and the Role of Child Care in New York
- Economic Development Planning
- Financing Child Care: Banking Finance and Federal Community Development Funds
- Driving Child Care and Transportation Together