



Why is Afterschool & Out-of-School Time so Important in Washoe County, NV?



In Nevada:



84% of NV Parents Agree

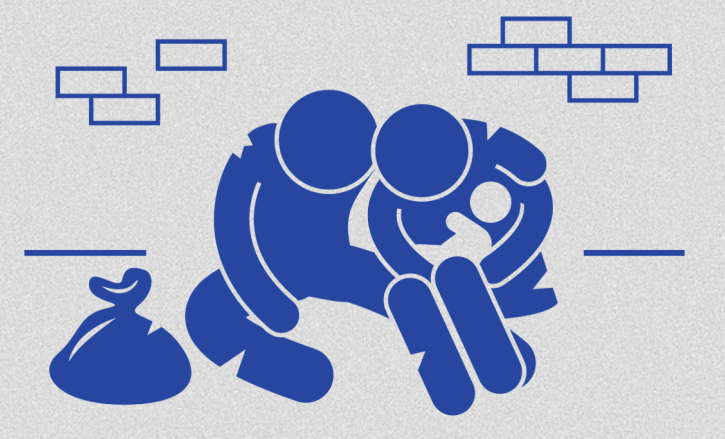
OST programs help them keep their jobs

- 106,228 youth are enrolled in OST programs while 135,210 youth are waiting to enroll
- 1 in 5 youth are alone and unsupervised after the school day ends
- 270,900 children ages 6 to 12 have all available parents in the labor force
- 21.4% of Nevada Youth aged 3-17 have mental, emotional, developmental, or behavioral challenges
- 29.9% of Nevadans do NOT claim English as their 1st Language

In Washoe County:

8.9% of residents under 18 are living in poverty

For communities of concentrated poverty, afterschool programs provide an array of supports such as a safe environment and nutritious meals.



Out of the 606 OST programs identified in NV, 280 completed the survey for this data.
In Washoe County, 12 OST programs completed the survey.

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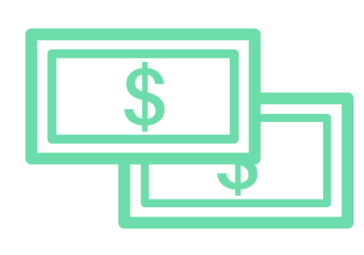
33.3%

of programs offer at least 1 type of free meal



16.7%

of programs offer services in languages other than English



91.7%

of programs provide some type of financial assistance



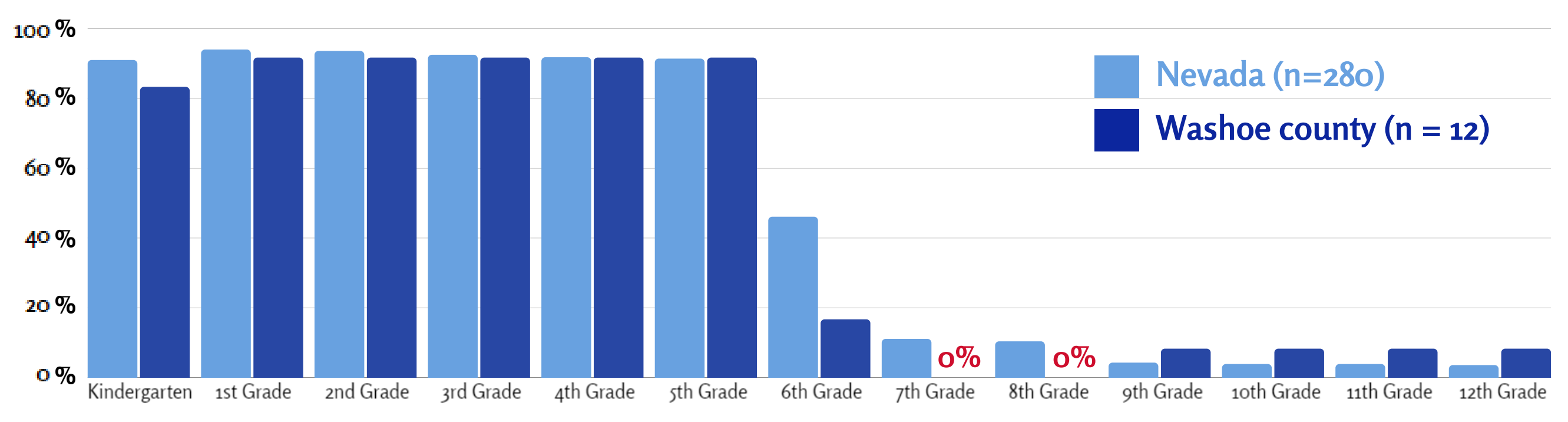
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of programs serve youth living in lower income households



compared to **74.3%** of all Nevada programs

% of Nevada and Washoe County Programs Serving Each Grade Level



Overall:

- Youth who attend out-of-school time (OST) programs:
- Have better grades
 - Better school attendance
 - Are more excited about learning

Through high quality programs, youth are able to build foundational skills to help them reach their fullest potential.



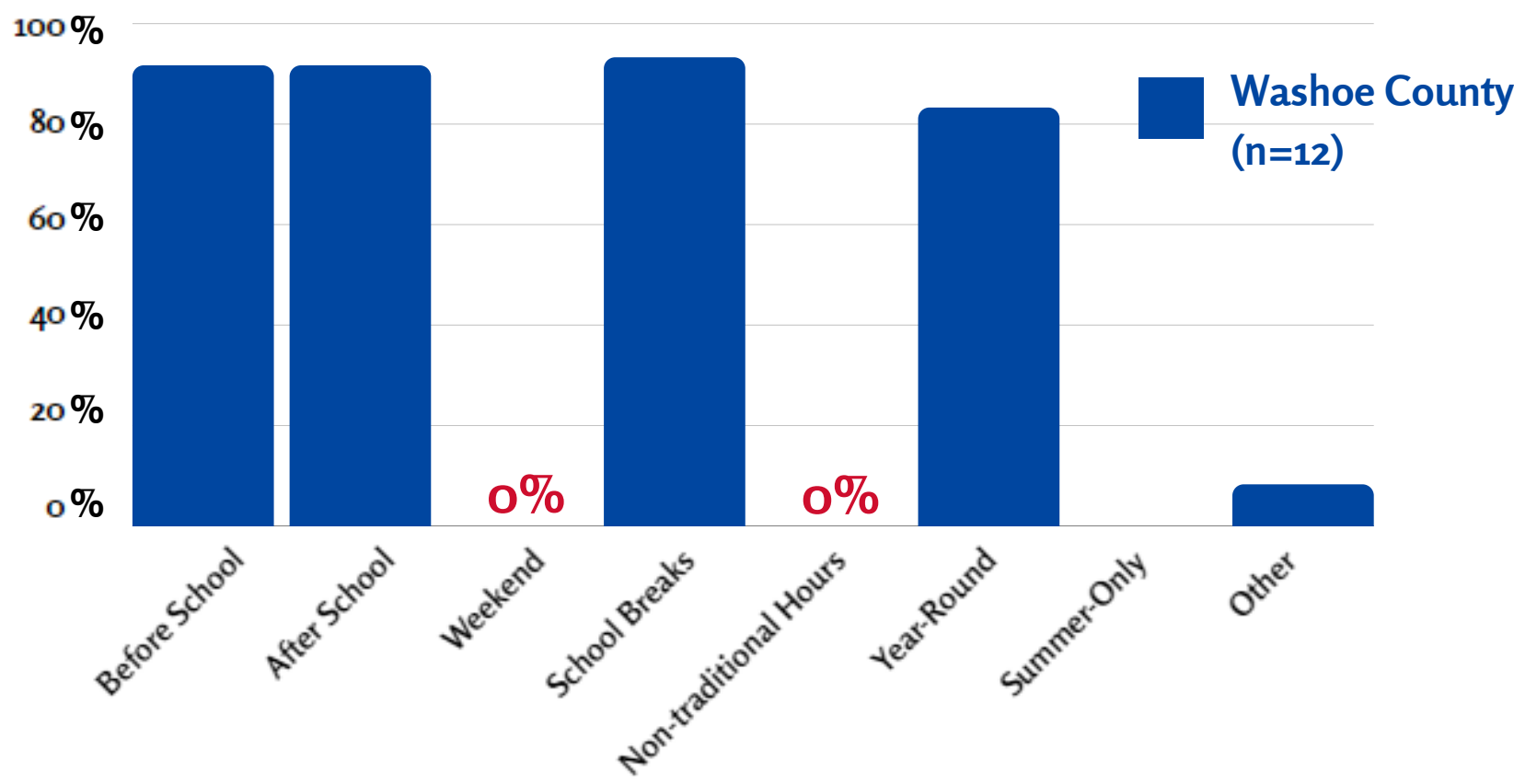
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Afterschool & Out-of-School Time in Washoe County

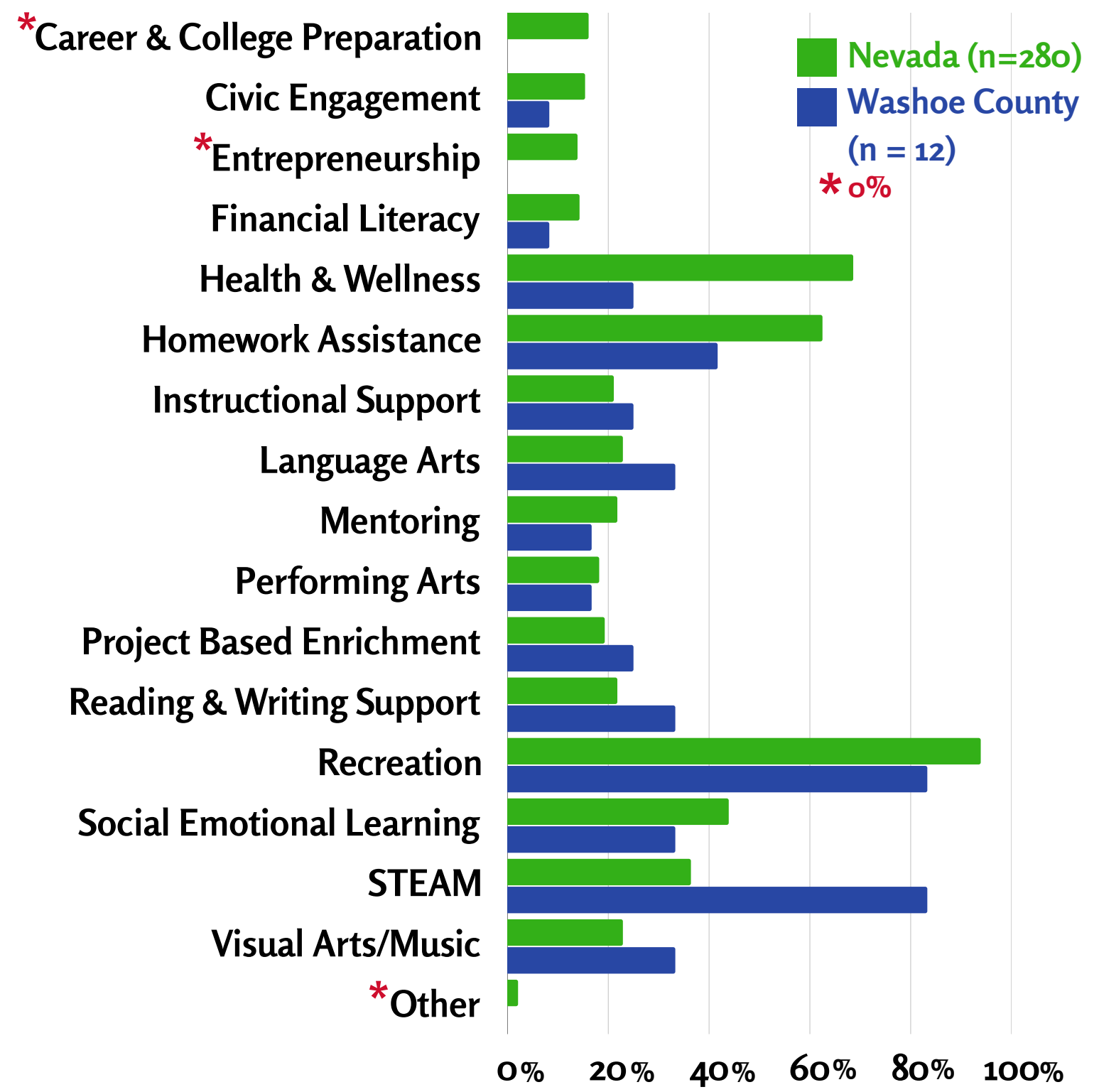
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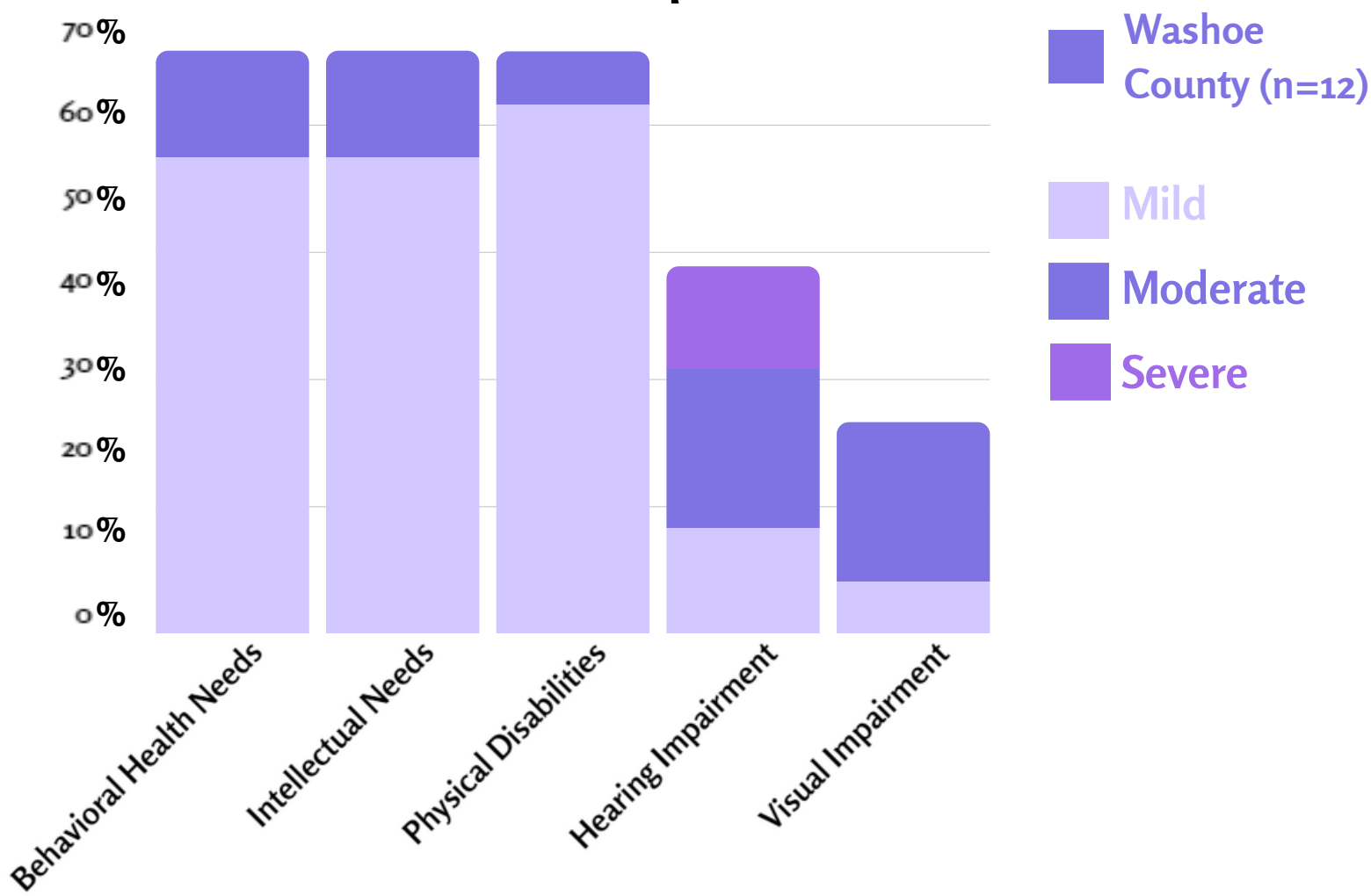
Operating Schedule



Program Activities, Services, & Features

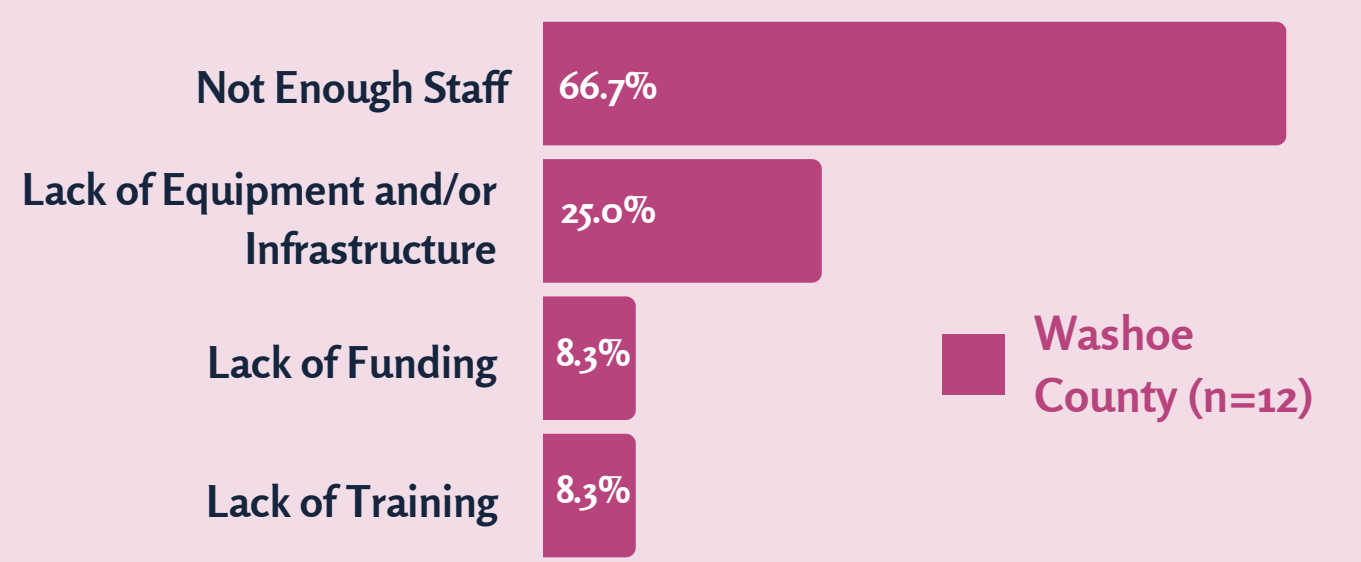


Washoe County Programs Accommodating Youth with Special Needs

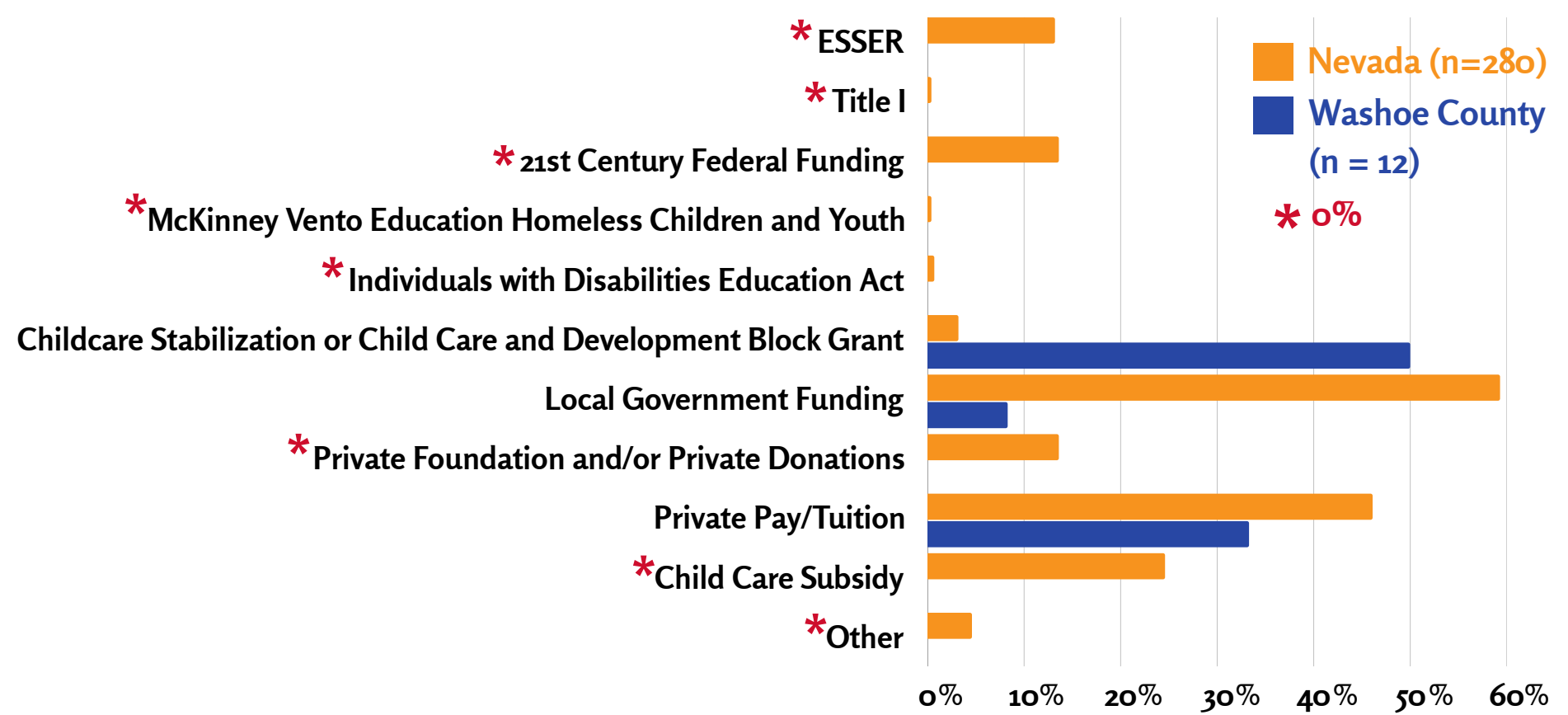


A Provider Perspective: Washoe County

What are the barriers to special needs accommodations in your program?



OST Program Funding Sources



RECOMMENDATIONS:

1

Support for staff recruitment, professional development & staff retention

2

Sustainable funding for Afterschool & Out-of-School Time to be more affordable & accessible to all children

3

Support collaboration & partnerships between schools & expanded learning opportunities

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