

Appendix Table 1: Descriptive Statistics

Variable	Description	Mean Value	Std. Dev.
<i>pntcare</i>	number of hours on the average day that child care was the mother's primary activity	4.84	2.73
<i>workhours</i>	weekly hours of market work by the mother	23.65	16.59
<i>married</i>	dummy variable with a value of one if the parent was currently married	0.82	0.38
<i>education</i>	the parent's years of formal education	14.17	2.18
		7.56	2.58
<i>kids</i>	three year old needs other kids (-10:10)	5.08	3.95
<i>social</i>	socialization important (0:10)	6.40	2.77
<i>bother</i>	bother to find child care (-10:10)	-2.00	4.36
<i>family</i>	family values (0:10)	8.60	1.60
<i>likework</i>	satisfied with work (-10:10)	4.87	3.67
<i>income</i>	importance of income (0:10)	6.98	2.11
<i>parents</i>	importance of job to parents (0:10)	7.58	2.00
<i>class</i>	importance of social class (0:10)	5.59	2.64
<i>kids01</i>	number of children aged one or less	0.07	0.26
<i>kids25</i>	number of children aged 2-5	0.44	0.63
<i>kids610</i>	number of children aged 6-10	0.62	0.72

Appendix Table 2:

Reduced Form Models		
Explanatory Variable	<i>Dependent Variable: Mother's Child Care Hours</i>	<i>Dependent Variable: Mother's Work Hours</i>