

# Bright from the Start Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE, 670 East Tower Atlanta, GA 30334

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Date: 1/18/2017 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 1:10 PM Departure: 2:40 PM

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Compliance Zone Designation					
01/18/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing			
07/28/2016	Licensing Study	Good Standing			
01/20/2016	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing			

**Compliance Zone Designation** - A summary measure of a program's 12 month monitoring history, as it pertains to child care health and safety rules. The three compliance zones are good standing, support, and deficient.

Good Standing - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting

the rules.

Support - Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting

rules

- Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting

the rules.

#### Ratios/License Capacity

Age Ranges	Children Present	Child For Pay	CAPS	Not for Pay	Provider Children
Infant (0-11 mos)	0	0	0	0	0
1 & 2 Years	4	5	0	0	0
3 & 4 Years	2	2	0	1	0
School Age(5+) Years	1	4	0	0	4
Total Under 13 Years	7	11	0	1	2
Total Under 18 Years	7				

Deficient

Children Present: 7 Total Children: 16

Caregivers/Helpers Present: 1 Total Caregivers/Helpers: 4

### Comments

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 01/18/2017

Any rule violation which subjects a child to injury or life-threatening situation or any rule violations previously cited but not corrected, may result in the imposition of an adverse enforcement action. Serious or continued noncompliance may also jeopardize participation in one or more DECAL program(s).



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O.C.G.A. Section 42.1.12(i)(2) requires Bright from the Start: Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning to notify licensed child care programs on accessing and retrieving from the Georgia Bureau of Investigation's (GBI) website a list of the names and addresses of all registered sexual offenders. Please see GBI's website located at http://gbi.georgia.gov to access the Georgia Sex Offender Registry.

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You have the right to refute any of the citations noted in this report with which you disagree. To refute a citation(s), e-mail the following information to CCSRefutations@decal.ga.gov.

- 1) Facility name, license number and visit date
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- 3) Specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, along with your concerns or questions regarding the rule citation

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Your refutation will be forwarded to the appropriate CCS manager, who will follow up with you about your concerns. If you have any questions about this process, contact our office at 404-657-5562.

Bright from the Start recommends that all licensed child care providers carry liability insurance coverage sufficient to protect its clients. If you do not have this liability insurance, you are required to post a notice with ½ inch letters in a conspicuous location in the program, notify the parent or guardian of each child in care in writing, obtain their signature to acknowledge receipt and maintain this written acknowledgment on file at the program at all times while the child attends the program and for 12 months after the child's last date of attendance. (O.C.G.A. Section 20-1A-4)

Angaleque Crawford-Fowler, Program Official	Date	Tiffany Whigham, Consultant	Date



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# **Findings Report**

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# The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

# **Activities and Equipment**

290-2-3-.09 Activities Met

Correction Deadline: 1/20/2016

Corrected on 1/18/2017

Prevous citation corrected on this date.

290-2-3-.12 Equipment and Supplies(CR) Met

Correction Deadline: 1/25/2016

Corrected on 1/18/2017

Previous citation corrected on this date.

290-2-3-.19 Infant-Sleeping Safety Requirements(CR)

Met

#### **Technical Assistance**

Provider will ensure that all crib mattresses are firm, tight-fitting, two inches thick, waterproof, and washable material.

Correction Deadline: 1/18/2017

290-2-3-.07 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

Met

#### Comment

No Swimming Activities Provided

**Children's Records** 

# 290-2-3-.08 Parental Authorization(CR)

Met

# Comment

Parent Authorizations Obtained/Completed

# 290-2-3-.11 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)

Met

Correction Deadline: 1/20/2016

#### Corrected on 1/18/2017

Previous citaiton corrected in that all hazardous materials were out of the reach of children on this date.

# 290-2-3-.13 Physical Plant-Structural/Mechanical(CR)

**Not Met** 

#### Findina

290-2-3-.13(1) requires that the Home be clean and free from hazards. It was determined based upon consultant's observation, that the following areas/items were found to be noncompliant:

#### Play area

-There was chipping and peeling paint on the right hand side, on the ceiling, and near the vent in the play area.

#### **Bathroom**

- -There was a hole in the wall behind the door.
- -The paint on the bathroom door was peeling.

# POI (Plan of Improvement)

To ensure the cleanliness and safety of the environment, the Home Provider will make hazardous items inaccessible to the children.

Correction Deadline: 1/18/2017

#### Comment

Home Clean, Free of Hazards

# 290-2-3-.13 Playgrounds(CR)

Met

Correction Deadline: 1/22/2016

#### Corrected on 1/18/2017

Previous citation corrected in that the playground was free of large sticks and pine cones on this date.

Correction Deadline: 1/22/2016

#### Corrected on 1/18/2017

Previous citation corrected in that the fencing was sturdy and firm on this date.

Licensure

# 290-2-3-.04 Application Requirements(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Consultant observed provider to care for five unrelated children for pay on this date.

Correction Deadline: 1/23/2017

**Safety and Discipline** 

#### 290-2-3-.11 Discipline(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Observed-Discussion/Redirection

290-2-311 Transportation(CR)	Met
Comment	
No transportation.	
	Staff Records
290-2-321 Criminal Records Check(CR)	Met
Comment Criminal Records Check complete	
290-2-307 Independent Contractors(CR)	Met
Comment No Independent contractors	
290-2-307 Other Staff Direct Contact with Children(CR)	Met
Comment	
No additional staff	
290-2-307 Staff Training	Met
Correction Deadline: 1/8/2016	
Corrected on 1/18/2017	
Previous citation corrected in that provider had proof of completing the retrainings for 2016.	equired ten hours of annual
290-2-307 Students-in-Training(CR)	Met
Comment	
No Students-in-training	

Comment

No Volunteers

**Staff:Child Ratios and Supervision** 

290-2-3-.07 **Supervision(CR)** 

290-2-3-.07 Volunteers(CR)

Met

Met

Comment

Observed-Direct Supervision/Attention To Needs