

# 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: 2/3/2017 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 10:10 AM Departure: 11:15 AM

CCLC-39299 Regional Consultant

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Compliance Zone Designation				
02/03/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing		
08/03/2016	Licensing Study	Good Standing		
03/10/2016	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

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

the rules.

#### Ratios/License Capacity

Building	Room	Age Group	Staff	Children	NC/C	Max 35 SF.	35 SF. Comp.	Max 25 SF.	25 SF. Comp.	Notes
Building 1	Classroom A		0	0	С	4	С	NA	NA	
Building 1	Room B	One Year Olds and Two Year Olds and Four Year Olds	1	4	С	7	С	NA	NA	Story
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 1	1		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.	Building of Insufficier	capacity lir	
Total # Cl	hildren this Date: 4	Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 1	1		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			

Building	Building Playground		Playground Compliance
Building 1	Playground	15	С

#### **Comments**

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 02/03/2017

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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#### Refutation Process:

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
- 2) Your name, title/relationship to the facility, e-mail address & up to two phone number(s) where you can be reached
- 3) Specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, along with your concerns or questions regarding the rule citation

Refutations must be submitted to Child Care Services (CCS) within 10 business days of the completion date.

A sample form for submitting a refutation can be found at: <a href="http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx">http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx</a>

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)

Verna Walker, Program Official	Date	. Consultant	Date	



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## **Findings Report**

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The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

	Activities and Equipment
591-1-135 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)	N/A
Comment No Swimming Activities Provided	
	Evening Care
591-1-132 Staffing/Supervision(CR)	Met
Comment No evening care hours	
	Facility
591-1-125 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)	Met
Comment	

Observation-No Hazards Accessible

591-1-1-.26 Playgrounds(CR) Met

Comment

Observation-Clean/Good Repair

**Health and Hygiene** 

591-1-1-.10 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR)

Correction Deadline: 3/10/2016

Corrected on 2/3/2017

This citation was observed correct on this date.

Met

591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR)

Met

Comment

Observed-Proper Hand Washing Throughout

591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR)

Met

Comment

No medication dispensed.

Safety

591-1-1-.11 Discipline(CR)

Met

Comment

Observed-Discussion/Redirection

591-1-1-.13 Field Trips(CR)

Met

Comment

No Field Trips at This Time

591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR)

Met

Comment

No Routine Transportation Provided

**Sleeping & Resting Equipment** 

## 591-1-1-.30 Safe Sleeping and Resting Requirements(CR)

Met

Comment

Correct number of mats; disinfecting discussed

Staff Records

### 591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records Check(CR)

**Not Met** 

**Finding** 

591-1-1-.09(1)(a) requires the Center to ensure that every Director, Employee and Provisional Employee of the Child Care Learning Center has a satisfactory records check determination before the individual is present at the Center. It was determined based on consultant observation that one staff present had a satisfactory local check but did not have evidence of a satisfactory Fingerprint check.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will obtain the Required Satisfactory Records Check Determination before an individual is present at the Center while any child is present for care or before residing in a Center.

Correction Deadline: 2/3/2017

591-1-1-.33 Staff Training

**Technical Assistance** 

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Healh and Safety Orientation training due by June 30, 2017

Correction Deadline: 3/10/2016

Corrected on 2/3/2017

Annual staff training observed correct on this date.

Staffing and Supervision

591-1-132 Staff:Child Ratios and Group Size(CR)	Met
Comment Observed-Appropriate Staff:Child Ratios	
591-1-132 Supervision(CR)	Met
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## Comment

Observed-Adequate Supervision