

# 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:** 4/1/2019 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 2:55 PM Departure: 4:15 PM

CCLC-32454 Regional Consultant

# YMCA Pryme Tyme Taylor's Creek Elementary

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Quality Rated: \*\*



				<b>Compliance Zone Designation</b> - 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				
	04/01/2019	Monitoring Visit		standing, support, and deficient.				
	12/17/2018	Licensing Study	Good Standing	Good Standing - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.				
	04/11/2018	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	1				

Good Standing Support

rules.

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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
Main	Cafeteria	Six Year Olds and Over	3	52	С	104	С	NA	NA	Snack,Homewor k,Free Play
Main	Gym		0	0	С	189	С	NA	NA	
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 293			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0			•		
Total # Cl	hildren this Date: 52	Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 293			Total C	apacity @	25 sq.			

ft.: 0

Building Playground		Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Grassy Area	100	C

#### Comments

This is the second visit of the fiscal year.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 04/01/2019

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).



Please refer to the website, <a href="http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx">http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx</a>, for information regarding October 1, 2018 rule changes about Criminal Records Checks that may affect your facility. In summary,

- New records checks will be required to be completed if a staff member experiences a six month break in service from the child care industry
- New clearance is required at least once every five years
- Any staff member solely responsible for supervising children will be required to have completed a comprehensive background clearance
- All staff members are required to have completed at least a national fingerprint based clearance check
- Any staff member with only the national fingerprint based clearance, must be under constant and direct supervision of a staff member with a satisfactory comprehensive records check clearance
- Facilities are required to use DECAL KOALA for Criminal Records Checks, including to verify portability of an employee

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.

#### 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)





# **Important New Deadlines:**

Your program must be Quality Rated by December 31, 2020 in order to continue to receive Childcare and Parent Services (CAPS).

Get started today! Sign up by completing a short online application: <a href="https://qualityrated.decal.ga.gov/">https://qualityrated.decal.ga.gov/</a>
Request free technical assistance to help you earn your star rating by contacting the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or <a href="mailto:qualityrated@decal.ga.gov">qualityrated@decal.ga.gov</a>

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Cassandra Franklin, Program Official Date	Kimberly Stoy, Consultant Date



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# **Findings Report**

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# The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

# **Activities and Equipment** 591-1-1-.12 Equipment & Toys(CR) Met Comment A variety of equipment and toys were observed throughout the center. N/A 591-1-1-.35 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR) Comment Center does not provide swimming activities. Facility 591-1-1-.19 License Capacity(CR) Met Comment Licensed capacity observed to be met on this date. 591-1-1-.25 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR) Met Comment No hazards observed accessible to children on this date. 591-1-1-.26 Playgrounds(CR) Met Comment Playground observed to be clean and in good repair. **Health and Hygiene**

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

Met

#### Comment

No children enrolled who require diapering. School age children attend only for after school hours.

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

**Technical Assistance** 

## **Technical Assistance**

591-1-1-.17(7) - Discussed with Director about ensuring children wash hands when going from one room to another.

Correction Deadline: 4/1/2019

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

N/A

#### Comment

The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication.

# **Policies and Procedures**

# 591-1-1-.21 Operational Policies & Procedures

Not Met

# **Finding**

591-1-1-.21(3) requires that the Center conduct drills for fire, tornado and other emergency situations. The fire drills will be conducted monthly and tornado and other emergency situation drills will be conducted every six months. The Center shall maintain documentation of the dates and times of these drills for two years. It was determined based on a review of records that the facility has not conducted emergency drills for March of 2019.

# POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will hold the drills as required and keep the documentation of the drills on file for two years.

Correction Deadline: 4/30/2019

### Recited on 4/1/2019

Safety

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

Met

#### Comment

Age-appropriate discussion and/or redirection observed.

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

N/A

## Comment

Center does not provide routine transportation.

# **Sleeping & Resting Equipment**

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

N/A

## Comment

Sleeping/Naps are not required for this program. School age children attend only for after school hours.

Staff Records

## **Records Reviewed: 3**

## **Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 3**

Staff # 1 Not Met

Date of Hire: 04/18/2017

"Missing/Incomplete Components"

.24(1)-Evidence of Orientation Missing, .33(3)-Health & Safety Certificate

Staff # 2 Not Met

### **Records Reviewed: 3**

## Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 3

Date of Hire: 12/21/2018

"Missing/Incomplete Components"

.24(1)-Evidence of Orientation Missing,.33(3)-Health & Safety Certificate,.14(2)-CPR missing,.14(2)-First Aid

Missing

Staff # 3 Not Met

Date of Hire: 08/30/2018

"Missing/Incomplete Components"

.24(1)-Evidence of Orientation Missing, .33(3)-Health & Safety Certificate

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 3

# 591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records and Comprehensive Background Checks(CR)

Met

#### Commen

Director provided one file(s) for employees hired since last visit.

## 591-1-1-.14 First Aid & CPR

**Not Met** 

## **Finding**

591-1-1-.14(1) requires the Center Director and, at any given time, at least fifty percent (50%) of the caregiver Staff to successfully complete a biennial training program in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and a triennial training program in first aid. The first aid training must be done by certified or licensed health care professionals or trainers and must deal with the provision of emergency care to infants and children. The Center shall maintain current evidence of the successful completion of such training which shall be available to the Department for inspection. It was determined based on a review of records and staff statements that the director that was hired December 21, 2018 is not current in CPR or First Aid.

### POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center Director and at least 50% of the caregiver Staff will complete the needed training. The Director will send written verification to the consultant upon completion and will develop a plan to ensure that at least 50% of the caregiver Staff have completed this training at any given time and that evidence of successful completion of the training is on file available for inspection.

Correction Deadline: 5/1/2019

## 591-1-1-.24 Personnel Records

Met

Correction Deadline: 12/22/2018

## Corrected on 4/1/2019

.24(1) - Consultant observed personnel files for all staff on this date.

# 591-1-1-.33 Staff Training

**Not Met** 

#### Finding

591-1-1-.33(1) requires all Employees and Provisional Employees to receive Initial Center orientation prior to assignment to children or task. It was determined based on a review of records that two employees hired in August 2018 and on employee hired in December of 2018 did not have evidence of orientation prior to being assigned to work with children.

## **POI** (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will develop and provide orientation for all new Staff prior to their staff's assignment to children or task.

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Correction Deadline: 4/5/2019

### Recited on 4/1/2019

## **Finding**

591-1-1-.33(3) requires each staff member with direct care responsibilities to complete health and safety training at the time of employment that will count toward required annual training: Staff employed prior to September 30, 2016 will complete the training by December 29, 2016 and Staff employed after September 30, 2016 will complete the health and safety training within the first 90 days of employment. It was determined based on a review of records that two employees hired in August 2018 and one employee hired in December of 2018 did not complete the Health and Safety Orientation training within the first 90 days of employment.

# POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will develop and implement a plan to schedule and track this training for all employees based on their hire dates.

Correction Deadline: 4/5/2019

### Recited on 4/1/2019

591-1-1-.31 Staff(CR) Met

#### Comment

Staff observed to be compliant with applicable laws and regulations.

# **Staffing and Supervision**

# 591-1-1-.32 Staff: Child Ratios and Group Size(CR)

Met

### Comment

Center observed to maintain appropriate staff:child ratios.

# 591-1-1-.32 Supervision(CR)

Met

## Comment

Staff observed to provide direct supervision and be attentive to children's needs.