

## 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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#### **Cover Sheet**

Date: 4/19/2022 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 12:30 PM Departure: 2:00 PM

Deficient

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Same

Quality Rated: >

**CCLC-335** 



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| Compliance Zone Designation |   |               |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|---|---------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| 04/19/2022                  | Monitoring Visit                        | Good Standing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12/29/2021                  | Complaint Closure                       | Good Standing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11/10/2021                  | Complaint<br>Investigation Follow<br>Up | 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

Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting

Ratios/License Capacity

| Building                       | Room                               | Age Group                      | Staff                         | Children | NC/C    | Max 35<br>SF. | 35 SF.<br>Comp. | Max 25<br>SF. | 25 SF.<br>Comp. | Notes            |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|---------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Main                           | Infants-Left Building-<br>1R       |                                | 0                             | 0        | С       | 38            | С               | NA            | NA              |                  |
| Main                           | Pre-K A Right Building 1st-Left    |                                | 0                             | 0        | С       | 23            | С               | NA            | NA              |                  |
| Main                           | Pre-K B-Right<br>Building-2nd Left | GA PreK                        | 2                             | 18       | С       | 21            | С               | NA            | NA              | Transitioning,Na |
| Main                           | Pre-K C-Right<br>Bulding-3rd Rear  | Three Year Olds                | 1                             | 14       | С       | 19            | С               | NA            | NA              | Nap              |
| Main                           | Three's-Left Building-<br>1st Left |                                | 0                             | 0        | С       | 19            | С               | NA            | NA              |                  |
| Main                           | Two's-Right Building-<br>2nd Left  | Infants                        | 1                             | 5        | С       | 11            | С               | NA            | NA              | Nap,Feeding      |
|                                | Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 131    |                                | Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0 |          |         |               |                 |               |                 |                  |
| Total # Children this Date: 37 |                                    | Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 13 | 31                            |          | Total C | apacity @     | 25 sq.          |               |                 |                  |

ft.: 0

the rules.

BuildingPlaygroundPlayground<br/>OccupancyPlayground<br/>ComplianceMainback playground193C

#### Comments

Consultant measured for amendment submitted by center to divide a classroom.

Plan of Improvement: No Plan Developed

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





## Important Quality Rated/CAPS Update:

As January 1, 2022, child care providers must be Quality Rated to receive Childcare and Parent Services (CAPS). Newly licensed, or new to CAPS providers may be eligible for the new CAPS/QR Provisional Status, allowing for scholarships while working toward a star rating.

Contact the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or <a href="mailto:qualityrated@decal.ga.gov">qualityrated@decal.ga.gov</a> for more information. Free techincal assistance is available!

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), do the following:

1) Log into DECAL KOALA <a href="https://www.decalkoala.com">www.decalkoala.com</a> with the userid for your program

2) On the home page scroll down to the Inspection Reports and select 'Refute Citation' for the visit report in dispute

3) Select the specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, add the reason for disagreement regarding the rule citation, and upload supporting documentation

4) Submit the refutation in DECAL KOALA to Child Care Services (CCS) within 10 business days of the completion date.

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)

Shaundria Dean, Program Official

Date

Chasity Baugh, 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.

Equipment and furniture observed to be properly secured, as applicable.

#### 591-1-1-.35 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Center does not provide swimming activities.

Facility 1

#### 591-1-1-.19 License Capacity(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Licensed capacity observed to be routinely met by center.

### 591-1-1-.25 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Center appears clean and well maintained.

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

Staff state proper knowledge of diapering procedures.

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

Met

Comment

Staff were observed to remind children to wash hands.

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

N/A

Comment

The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication.

Safety

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

Met

Comment

Staff were observed to maintain a positive learning environment on this date.

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)

Met

Comment

Discussed SIDS and infant sleeping position.

Comment

Pleasant naptime environment observed.

**Staff Records** 

# **Records Reviewed: 8**

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 1

Date of Hire: 07/30/2018

Staff # 2

Met

Met

Date of Hire: 02/24/1997

Staff #3

Met

Date of Hire: 10/01/1994

Staff #4

Met

Date of Hire: 12/01/2021

Staff #5

Met

Date of Hire: 04/13/1974

Staff #6

Met

Records Reviewed: 8 Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Date of Hire: 02/11/2022

Staff # 7 Met

Date of Hire: 09/20/2021

Staff # 8 Met

Date of Hire: 11/23/2020

#### Staff Credentials Reviewed: 12

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

Met

Comment

Criminal record checks were observed to be complete.

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.