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Closure from visit on

03/13/2023

CCLC-1451

Childcare Network #100

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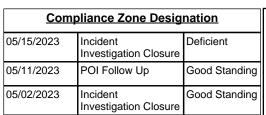
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Compliance Zone Designation - A summary measure of a program's 12 month monitoring history, as it pertains to child care health and safety rules. The three compliance zones are good standing, support, and deficient.

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

Support -

Deficient

 Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting rules.

rules

 Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.

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Comments

Investigative findings were concluded on this date and .36(4)(f)1 and .31(13) were substantiated. A plan of improvement is due on May 30, 2023.

Advisement of Potential for Repeated Rule Violations during Pending Investigations

This report shall serve as official notice of potential rule violations. These potential rule violations have been detailed in this report and discussed with you by the consultant. The department shall conduct a thorough investigation to determine if in fact the alleged rule violation(s) should or should not be substantiated. Please be aware that the investigation may take some time to be finalized to ensure fairness and accuracy. During this investigation period, any violations of an identical rule or rules will require the department to treat any and all substantiated rule violations identified in the investigation as repeated rule violation(s).

Further, from time to time the department discovers additional rule violations during the course of an investigation. If there are new rule violation(s), your consultant shall inform you of the violation(s) as soon as possible. However, as stated above, any violations of identical rule(s) will require the department to treat any and all additional rule violations identified in the investigation as repeated rule violations.

All rule violations found in relation to a complaint or incident investigation will be associated with the date the investigation was closed.



Please refer to the website, http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx, 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

	f Investigat	orgia Department of Early Care and Learning to notify licensed child care programs ation's (GBI) website a list of the names and addresses of all registered sexual .gov to access the Georgia Sex Offender Registry.
Refutation Process:		
You have the right to refute any of the citations noted in to CCSRefutations@decal.ga.gov.	this report	rt with which you disagree. To refute a citation(s), e-mail the following information
Facility name, license number and visit date Your name, title/relationship to the facility, e-mail add Specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, along v		
Refutations must be submitted to Child Care Services (CCS) withi	nin 10 business days of the completion date.
A sample form for submitting a refutation can be found	at: http://d	decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx
Your refutation will be forwarded to the appropriate CC this process, contact our office at 404-657-5562.	S manager	r, who will follow up with you about your concerns. If you have any questions about
have this liability insurance, you are required to post a n- guardian of each child in care in writing, obtain their sign	otice with ½ ature to ac	ders carry liability insurance coverage sufficient to protect its clients. If you do not ½ inch letters in a conspicuous location in the program, notify the parent or cknowledge receipt and maintain this written acknowledgment on file at the 2 months after the child's last date of attendance. (O.C.G.A. Section 20-1A-4)
have been discussed with me and I have agreed to a Pladeficiencies, while required, will not necessarily prevent	an of Impro DECAL fro	care Learning Centers, 591-1-1. I acknowledge that the items noted in this report covernent (POI) as indicated in this report. I understand that correction of these com taking adverse action against this facility. I understand that if I disagree with report or any other form that I choose to send to Child Care Services.
Katie Fleming, Program Official	Date	LaToyia Summers ,Special Investigations Unit Date Coordinator

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Summary Report

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	Safety
591-1-136 Transportation(CR)	Not Met
Finding Associated with Complaint 591-1-136(4)(f)1. requires that all transported children be secured in a child pass seat safety belt in accordance with current state and federal laws and regulations manufacturer's directions. It was determined based on an investigation that on Fe approximately 3:00 p.m., eight school age children were thrown to the floor during involving the childcare vehicle during afternoon transportation. All of the children secured in child safety restraints. Professional medical attention was obtained.	s and according to be bruary 28, 2023, at g an automobile accident being transported were not
Correction Deadline: 5/15/2023	
	Staff Records

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591-1-131 Staff(CR)	Not Met
Finding Associated with Complaint 591-1-131(13) prohibits Center Staff from committing any criminal act, as defined under Georgia law, in presence of any child enrolled in the Center and requires Center staff to comply with all applicable laws regulations. It was determined based on an investigation that on February 28, 2023, at approximately 3: p.m., the driver of the childcare vehicle was involved in an automobile accident while transporting eight sage children. The driver of the vehicle was reported to be at fault for the accident. Professional medical attention was obtained.	and 00 school

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