

# 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: 3/14/2023 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 9:00 AM Departure: 11:00 AM

# CCLC-27826

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Comp	Compliant history, a		
03/14/2023	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
08/25/2022	Licensing Study	Good Standing	Good S
03/28/2022	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	Support

**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.

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

**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	PK 1-1R	GA PreK	2	14	С	21	С	NA	NA	Music
Main	PK 2-2R	GA PreK	2	17	С	21	С	NA	NA	Centers
Main	PK 3-3R	GA PreK	2	12	С	21	С	NA	NA	Circle Time
Main	PK 4-3L	GA PreK	2	17	С	21	С	NA	NA	Circle Time
Main	PK 5-1L	GA PreK	2	21	С	21	С	NA	NA	Story
Main	PK 6-2L	GA PreK	2	17	С	21	С	NA	NA	Snack
Main	PK 7-Downstairs	GA PreK	2	17	С	26	С	NA	NA	Centers
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 1	52		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			

Total # Children this Date: 115 Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 152

Total Capacity @25 sq.

ft.: 0

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Compliance Compliance	
Main	Infants	12	С	
Main	Preschool	64	С	
Main	School Age	98	С	
Main	Toddlers	20	С	

# Comments

The purpose of this visit was to conduct a monitoring visit.

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

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 www.decalkoala.com 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)





#### 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!

Bose Imoukhuede, Program Official	Date	Evelyn McBurse, Consultant	Date

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# (Findings Report)

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# The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

	<b>Activities and Equipment</b>
591-1-112 Equipment & Toys(CR)	Met
<b>Comment</b> A variety of equipment and toys were observed throughout the center.	
591-1-135 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)	Not Evaluated
Comment Center does not provide swimming activities.	
	Facility
591-1-119 License Capacity(CR)	Met
Comment	
Licensed capacity observed to be routinely met by center.	
591-1-125 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)	Met
Comment	
Center appears clean and well maintained.	
591-1-126 Playgrounds(CR)	Met
Comment	
Discussed maintenance of resilient surface. Please fluff and redistribute	•

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

**Not Evaluated** 

**Health and Hygiene** 

Comment

No children enrolled who require diapering.

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

Met

### Comment

Proper hand washing observed throughout the center.

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

Not Evaluated

#### 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)

**Not Evaluated** 

#### Comment

Center does not provide routine transportation.

# **Sleeping & Resting Equipment**

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

Met

#### Comment

The correct number of mats, sheets and blankets were observed on this date. Cleaning and disinfecting of mats was discussed with the director on this date.

**Staff Records** 

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

Met

#### Comment

Director provided two files for employees hired since last visit on August 25, 2022.

#### Commen

Satisfactory comprehensive criminal record checks were observed to be complete for all current staff on this date.

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

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#### 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.