

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

Arrival: 11:30 AM Departure: 12:30 PM **Date:** 11/22/2021 VisitType: Monitoring Visit

CCLC-30891 Regional Consultant

Childcare Network #28

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Quality Rated: *





			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				
11/22/2021	Monitoring Visit		standing, support, and deficient.				
06/30/2021	Complaint Investigation by Phone		Support	 g - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules. - Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting 			
05/11/2021	Licensing Study	Good Standing		rules.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	A- 1R	Infants	2	5	С	14	С	NA	NA	Floor Play,Diapering
Main	B- 2R	One Year Olds and Two Year Olds	2	9	С	23	С	NA	NA	Nap
Main	C- 3R		0	0	С	16	С	NA	NA	
Main	D- 2L	Five Year Olds and Six Year Olds and Over	2	13	С	20	С	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	E- 3L		0	0	С	21	С	NA	NA	
Main	F- 4L		0	0	С	20	С	NA	NA	
Main	G- Back		0	0	С	20	С	NA	NA	
Main	H- 1L	Three Year Olds	1	10	С	30	С	NA	NA	Nap
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 1	64		Total C	apacity @	25 sq.			

Total # Children this Date: 37 Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 164 Total Capacity @25 sq.

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Infant/Toddler	30	С
Main	Preschool/School Age	129	С

Comments

A virtual inspection was conducted on November 22, 2021 with the Director. An in-person visit was not conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

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, 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





Important New Deadlines:

Due to the ongoing COVID restrictions, the deadline to become Quality Rated for programs who want to continue to receive Childcare and Parent Services (CAPS), has been extended to at least December 31, 2021.

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

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: http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx

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)

remia Griffin, Program Official	Date	Princess Walton, 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

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

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

No hazards observed accessible to children on this date.

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

Technical Assistance

Technical Assistance

591-1-1-.26(8) - A virtual visit was conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic. During the virtual walk-through consultant observed the playground to not have the required mulch under the fall zone. Center will add the requested mulch on the playground.

Correction Deadline: 12/2/2021

Health and Hygiene

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

Met

Comment

Proper diapering procedures observed.

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

Met

Comment

Proper hand washing observed throughout the center.

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

Met

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)

Met

Comment

Complete documentation of transportation observed.

Sleeping & Resting Equipment

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

Met

Comment

A Virtual Visit was conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic. During the virtual walk through SIDS and infant sleeping position was discussed.

Staff Records

Records Reviewed: 58

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 1 Met

Staff # 2 Met

Date of Hire: 10/28/2019

Staff # 3 Met

Date of Hire: 10/30/2019

Staff # 4 Met

Staff # 5

Date of Hire: 05/24/2019

Staff # 6

Date of Hire: 08/11/2021

Staff # 7

Records Reviewed: 58	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0
Staff # 8 Date of Hire: 08/01/2011	Met
Staff # 9	Met
Staff # 10	Met
Staff # 11	Met
Staff # 12 Date of Hire: 08/03/2021	Met
Staff # 13	Met
Staff # 14 Date of Hire: 10/19/2020	Met
Staff # 15 Date of Hire: 05/04/2021	Met
Staff # 16	Met
Staff # 17	Met
Staff # 18	Met
Staff # 19	Met
Staff # 20	Met
Staff # 21	Met
Staff # 22	Met
Staff # 23	Met
Staff # 24 Date of Hire: 04/27/2021	Met
Staff # 25 Date of Hire: 07/09/2021	Met
Staff # 26	Met
Staff # 27	Met
Staff # 28	Met

Records Reviewed: 58	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0
Staff # 29	Met
Staff # 30 Date of Hire: 02/04/2019	Met
Staff # 31 Date of Hire: 07/30/2018	Met
Staff # 32 Date of Hire: 10/01/2019	Met
Staff # 33 Date of Hire: 11/25/2019	Met
Staff # 34 Date of Hire: 03/04/2021	Met
Staff # 35	Met
Staff # 36	Met
Staff # 37 Date of Hire: 08/28/2019	Met
Staff # 38 Date of Hire: 01/10/2020	Met
Staff # 39	Met
Staff # 40 Date of Hire: 11/17/2021	Met Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90 calendar days of hired
Staff # 41	Met
Staff # 42	Met
Staff # 43	Met
Staff # 44 Date of Hire: 12/03/2019	Met
Staff # 45	Met
Staff # 46	Met
Staff # 47	Met

Records Reviewed: 58 Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 49 Met

Date of Hire: 12/02/2019

Staff # 48

Staff # 50 Met

Staff # 51 Met

Staff # 52 Met

Date of Hire: 01/26/2021

Staff # 53 Met

Date of Hire: 09/09/2019

Staff # 54 Met

Staff # 55 Met

Staff # 56 Met

Date of Hire: 07/15/2021

Staff # 57 Met

Date of Hire: 03/22/2019

Staff # 58 Met

Date of Hire: 10/21/2021 Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90

calendar days of hired

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 5

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

Met

Comment

Criminal record checks were observed to be complete.

591-1-1-.33 Staff Training

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591-1-1-.33(3)- Consultant review staff records on licensing visit.

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 and will ensure that the training includes all required components as required.

Correction Deadline: 6/10/2021

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

Comment

Discussed that all lead staff must enroll in an approved education program within 6 months of hire and complete degree within 18 months.

Staffing and Supervision

Met

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

Met

Comment

A Virtual Visit was conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic. During the virtual walk through appropriate ratio was observed

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

Met

Comment

A Virtual Visit was conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic. During the virtual walk through adequate supervision was observed