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Inspection Report

Provider Information

Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I

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Capacity: 68

Director(s): Joseph, Melody Renee

Provider Address: 406 &408 South Main Street, Hopkinsville, KY, 42240

Owner(s): Small Heart Daycare, LLC

Inspection Type: Renewal Application

Date Initiated: 01/15/2021 9:10 AM

Provider Name: Small Heart Daycare

Inspection Information

Date Concluded: 01/15/2021 1:25 PM

No. of Children Present: 38

Inspection No: 304703

CLR No: 1383090

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Background Checks

Supervision

Staffing Requirements

General Administration

Not In Compliance

245 - Staff Awake on Duty

Not In Compliance

In Compliance

In Compliance

In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 11. Staff Requirements.

(13) Each staff person shall remain awake while on duty except as specified in 922 KAR 2:120, Section 2(11)(f).

Findinas:

General: Based on observation and interview, a staff slept in a rocker chair in the one-year-olds' room at 12:25 pm.

Director Requirements

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 10. Director Requirements and Responsibilities.

(1) A director shall:

345 - Staff Evaluation

(j) Assess each staff person's interaction with children in care and classroom performance through an annual written performance evaluation;

Findings:

General: Based on review of documentation and interview, a caregiver hired 4/16/18, did not have an annual written performance evaluation on file.

Employee Records

Not In Compliance

410 - Training Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 11. Staff Requirements.

- (16) In accordance with KRS 199.896(15) and (16), a staff person with supervisory authority over a child shall complete the following:
- (a) Six (6) hours of cabinet-approved orientation within the first three (3) months of employment;
- (b) Nine (9) hours of cabinet-approved early care and education training within the first year of employment, including one and one-half (1 ½) hours of cabinet-approved pediatric abusive head trauma training; and
- (c) Fifteen (15) hours of cabinet-approved early care and education training during each subsequent year of employment, including one and one-half (1 ½) hours of cabinet-approved pediatric abusive head trauma training completed once every five (5) years.

Findings:

General: Based on review of documentation and interview, a caregiver hired 8/26/19, did not complete six (6) hours of cabinet approved orientation training within the first three (3) months of employment.



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Programming

In Compliance **Not In Compliance**

Premises

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 3. General Requirements.

- (7) The following shall be inaccessible to a child in care:
- (a) Toxic cleaning supplies, poisons, and insecticides;
- (b) Matches, cigarettes, lighters, and flammable liquids; and
- (c) Personal belongings and medications of staff.

Findings:

520 - Inaccessible Items

General: Based on observation and interview, a staff member's purse was stored on a table in the hallway and was accessible to children in building #2.

Hygienic Practices

Not In Compliance

Not In Compliance

660 - Staff Hygiene/Handwashing

922 KAR 2:120. Section 3. General Requirements.

- (5) Staff shall:
- (a) Maintain personal cleanliness;
- (b) Conform to hygienic practices while on duty;
- (c) Except as established in paragraph (d) of this subsection, wash their hands with liquid soap and running water:
- 1. Upon arrival at the center;
- 2. After toileting or assisting a child in toileting;
- 3. Before and after diapering each child;
- 4. After wiping or blowing a child's or own nose;
- 5. After handling animals;
- 6. After caring for a sick child;
- 7. Before and after feeding a child or eating;
- 8. Before dispensing medication;
- 9. After smoking or vaping; and
- 10. If possible, before administering first aid; and
- (d) Use hand sanitizer or hand-sanitizing wipes if liquid soap and warm running water are not available in accordance with paragraph (c) of this subsection. The staff shall wash the staff's hands as soon as practicable once liquid soap and warm running water are available.

General: Based on observation and interview, a caregiver did not wash her hands with liquid soap and warm running water after she wiped a child's nose in the two-year-old's room.

First Aid/Medication

Outdoor Play Area In Compliance

Equipment

In Compliance

Transportation

Not Applicable In Compliance

In Compliance

Food Service/Food Program

Not In Compliance

Food Service

Not In Compliance

1040 - Kitchen Equipment Clean and Sanitary

922 KAR 2:120. Section 8. Kitchen Requirements.

- (7) The following shall be clean and sanitary:
- (a) Eating and drinking utensils;
- (b) Kitchenware:
- (c) Food contact surfaces of equipment;
- (d) Food storage utensils;
- (e) Food storage containers;
- (f) Cooking surfaces of equipment; and
- (g) Nonfood contact surfaces of equipment.

Findings:

General: Based on observation, food splatter was inside the oven and on the oven door in the kitchen.

Children's Records

Not In Compliance

1135 - Immunization **Not In Compliance**

922 KAR 2:090. Section 9. Records.

- (1) A child-care center shall maintain:
- (a) A current immunization certificate for each child in care within thirty (30) days of the child's enrollment, unless an attending physician or the child's parent objects to the immunization of the child pursuant to KRS 214.036;

General: Based on review of documentation, children enrolled on 10/30/20, 9/1/20 and 3/16/20, had immunization certificates on file that were valid until 12/20/20, 10/31/20 and 1/10/21



1140 - Enrollment Information Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 9. Records.

- (1) A child-care center shall maintain:
- (b) A written record for each child:
- 1. Completed and signed by the child's parent;
- 2. Retained on file on the first day the child attends the child-care center; and
- 3. To contain:
- a. Identifying information about the child, which includes, at a minimum, the child's name, address, and date of birth;
- b. Contact information to enable a person in charge to contact the child's:
- (i) Parent at the parent's home or place of employment;
- (ii) Family physician; and
- (iii) Preferred hospital;
- c. The name of each person who is designated in writing to pick-up the child;
- d. The child's general health status and medical history including, if applicable:
- (i) Allergies;
- (ii) Restriction on the child's participation in activities with specific instructions from the child's parent or health professional; and
- (iii) Permission from the parent for third-party professional services in the child-care center;
- e. The name and phone number of each person to be contacted in an emergency involving or impacting the child;
- f. Authorization by the parent for the child-care center to seek emergency medical care for the child in the parent's absence;

Findings:

General: Based on review of documentation, two (2) children, first dates of attendance on 9/1/20 and 10/30/20, each did not have information on file for staff to contact the child's preferred hospital.

Written Documentation

In Compliance

Posted Documentation

In Compliance

Animals

In Compliance

Emergency Regulation

Not In Compliance

1255 - Emergency Regulation

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922 KAR 2:405E. Emergency Regulation.

Due to the current declared public health emergency caused by the Novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), licensed child care centers must operate under Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and public health guidelines, as mandated by 922 KAR 2:405E, to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

Findings:

General: Based on observation, review of documentation and interview, the center failed to assure that each adult, including parents and guardians, at drop-off and pick up, wore a face mask while inside a child care center and new staff shall undergo name-based back ground checks in accordance with 922 KAR 2:405E. Three (3) caregivers each wore a face mask below the chin area. A caregiver hired on 1/4/21, did not submit a criminal records check.

