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Inspection Report

Provider Name: Wee Care	Provider Information	CLR No: L356474
Provider Address: 248 Biggs Lane, South Shore, KY, 41175	Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I	Capacity: 80
Owner(s): Sipple, Sherri Lynn & Sipple, William T		Director(s): Sipple, Sherri Lynn

Inspection Type: Renewal Application	Inspection Information	Inspection No: 321024
Date Initiated: 06/02/2022 11:10 AM	Date Concluded: 06/02/2022 1:22 PM	
	No. of Children Present: 46	

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Background Checks	Not In Compliance
10 - Submit background check	Not In Compliance
<p>922 KAR 2:280 - Section 4. Procedures and Payments.</p> <p>(1) To initiate the process for obtaining background checks on a prospective child care staff member, the child care provider shall:</p> <p>(a) Request that the prospective child care staff member provide a copy of his or her driver's license or other government-issued photo identification and verify that the photograph clearly matches the prospective child care staff member;</p> <p>(b) Request that the prospective child care staff member complete and sign the:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> DCC-500, Applicant Child Care Staff Member Waiver Agreement and Statement; and DCC-501, Disclosures to Be Provided to and Signed by the Applicant Child Care Staff Member; and <p>(c) Log on to the NBCP portal and enter the prospective child care staff member's demographic information for a check of the:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Child abuse and neglect central registry pursuant to 922 KAR 1:470; National Crime Information Center's National Sex Offender Registry in accordance with 34 U.S.C. 20921; and Sex Offender Registry established in accordance with KRS 17.500 through 17.580. <p>Findings:</p> <p>General: Based on observation and review of documentation, a staff member observed working in the Preschool classroom did not have a Child Abuse/Neglect check on file. This individual is under the age of 18. This staff member was paired with a qualified staff member during the time of inspection.</p>	
Supervision	Not In Compliance
90 - Children Supervised	Not In Compliance
<p>922 KAR 2:120. Section 2. Child Care Services.</p> <p>(3)(a) Each center shall maintain a child-care program that assures each child shall be:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Provided with adequate supervision at all times by a qualified staff person who ensures the child is: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Within scope of vision and range of voice; or For a school-age child, within scope of vision or range of voice; <p>Findings:</p> <p>General: Based on observation, the surveyor entered the One-Year-Old classroom at 11:34 a.m., the room was too dark to adequately supervise the children as they slept.</p>	
Staffing Requirements	In Compliance

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General Administration

Not In Compliance

150 - Fire Marshal

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 6. License Issuance.

- (8) To qualify for a preliminary license, or maintain a regular license, a child-care center shall:**
 - (b) Be approved by the Office of the State Fire Marshal or designee;**

Findings:

General: Based on review of documentation, the last documented Fire Marshal inspection date was 2/6/2020. There was no documentation indicating that an inspection was completed within the past two years.

Director Requirements

Not In Compliance

335 - Operation instruction/Regulation copy

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 8. General.

(2) Child-care center staff shall be:

- (a) Instructed by the child-care center's director regarding requirements for operation; and**
- (b) Provided with a copy of this administrative regulation, 922 KAR 2:120, and 922 KAR 2:280.**

Findings:

General: Based on observation and review of documentation, regulation copy KAR 2:280 was not available for staff review. Additionally, regulation copy 2:120 was dated 2013, a more current copy of this regulation was not available.

Employee Records

Not In Compliance

395 - Personnel File

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 9. Records.

(1) A child-care center shall maintain:

(e) A current personnel file for each child-care center staff person to include:

- 1. Name, address, date of birth, and date of employment;**
- 2. Proof of educational qualifications;**
- 3. Record of annual performance evaluation;**
- 4. Documentation of compliance with tuberculosis screening in accordance with Section 11(1)(b) of this administrative regulation; and**
- 5. The results of background checks conducted in accordance with 922 KAR 2:280;**

Findings:

General: Based on review of documentation, a staff member observed working in the Preschool classroom did not have an employee file at the facility. Therefore, none of the staff members identifying information could be determined.

400 - Educational Requirements

Not In Compliance

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

(1) Child-care center staff:

(a) Hired after January 1, 2009, who have supervisory power over a minor and are not enrolled in secondary education, shall have a:

- 1. High school diploma;**
- 2. GED or qualifying documentation from a comparable educational entity; or**
- 3. Commonwealth Child Care Credential as described in 922 KAR 2:250;**

Findings:

General: Based on review of documentation, a staff member observed working in the Preschool classroom did not have an employee file. The surveyor was unable to determine if this staff member had educational qualifications.

405 - TB Verification

Not In Compliance

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

(1) Child-care center staff:

(b) Shall provide, prior to employment and every two (2) years thereafter:

- 1. A statement from a health professional that the individual is free of active tuberculosis; or**
- 2. A copy of negative tuberculin results.**

Findings:

General: Based on review of documentation, a staff member observed working in the Preschool classroom did not have an employee file; therefore, a negative tuberculin skin result, nor a physician's statement clearing this individual of active tuberculosis was not available for review.

Programming

In Compliance

Premises

Not In Compliance

565 - Inaccessible Items

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:

General: Based on observation, a staff members bag was observed sitting behind a desk in the Two-to-Three-Year-Old classroom; this item was accessible to the children in care.

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Hygienic Practices

Not In Compliance

730 - Diaper Changing Area/Surface

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 12. Toilet, Diapering, and Toiletry Requirements.

(10) When a child is diapered, the child shall:

(b) Be placed on a surface that is:

- 1. Clean;**
- 2. Padded;**
- 3. Free of holes, rips, tears, or other damage;**
- 4. Nonabsorbent;**
- 5. Easily cleaned; and**
- 6. Free of any items not used for diaper changing.**

Findings:

General: Based on observation, a small tear was observed on the changing pad within the One-Year-Old classroom. This renders the pad unable to be properly cleaned and sanitized.

First Aid/Medication

In Compliance

Outdoor Play Area

In Compliance

Equipment

Not In Compliance

865 - Indoor/Outdoor Equipment

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 13. Toys and Furnishings.

(2) Indoor and outdoor equipment shall:

- (a) Be clean, safe, and in good repair;**
- (b) Meet the physical, developmental needs, and interests of children of different age groups;**
- (c) Be free from sharp points or corners, splinters, protruding nails or bolts, loose or rusty parts, hazardous small parts, lead-based paint, poisonous material, and flaking or chalking paint; and**
- (d) Be designed to guard against entrapment or situations that may cause strangulation.**

Findings:

General: Based on observation, a sliding cabinet door had fallen of the tracks underneath the diaper changing table in the Two-to-Three-Year-Old classroom; therefore, this cabinet was in disrepair.

Transportation

In Compliance

Kitchen Requirements

Not In Compliance

1065 - Bottles

Not In Compliance

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

(9) Bottles shall be:

- (a) Individually labeled;**
- (b) Promptly refrigerated;**
- (c) Covered while not in use; and**
- (d) Consumed within one (1) hour of being heated or removed from the refrigerator.**

Findings:

General: Based on observation, two bottles in the Infant classroom were not labeled with a child's name.

Food Service

In Compliance

Meal Planning/Center Provides Meals

In Compliance

Meal Planning/Center Does Not Provide Meals

In Compliance

Children's Records

Not In Compliance

1245 - 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;**

Findings:

General: Based on observation, a child enrolled longer than 30 days had an immunization certificate on file that was no longer current.

Written Documentation

Not In Compliance

1260 - Evacuation Plan

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 5. Evacuation Plan.

(1) A licensed child-care center shall have a written evacuation plan in the event of a fire, natural disaster, or other threatening situation that may pose a health or safety hazard for a child in care in accordance with KRS 199.895 and 42 U.S.C. 9858c(c)(2)(U).

Findings:

General: Based on review of documentation, there was no evidence to verify that the emergency preparedness plan had been submitted to the proper emergency management authority for the 2022 year.

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Posted Documentation

In Compliance

Animals

In Compliance

Signature of Provider/Representative

Title

Date