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Inspection Report

Provider Name: Little Treasures Learning Academy LLC	Provider Information Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I	License No: L359133
Provider Address: 2022 Chalybeate Road, Smiths Grove, KY, 42171		Capacity: 80
Owner(s): Little Treasures Learning Academy LLC		Director(s): Thien, Linda

Inspection Type: Investigation	Inspection Information	Inspection No: 20255
Visit Start Date: 06/04/2013 1:30 PM	Visit End Date: 06/04/2013 2:40 PM	
	No. of Children Present: 58	

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Supervision

5 - Children Supervised

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 2. Child Care Services.

- (3)(a) Each center shall maintain a child-care program that assures each child will be:**
- 1. Provided with adequate supervision at all times by a qualified staff person who:**
 - a. Ensures the child is within scope of vision and range of voice; or**
 - b. For a school-age child, within scope of vision or range of voice;**

Findings:

General: Based on observation and interview, the one year olds' caregiver left eight (8) children asleep on their mats unsupervised while she was in the hallway talking to other caregivers for four (4) to six (6) minutes.



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Staffing Requirements

40 - Ratios and Group Size

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 2. Child Care Services.

(2) Minimum staff-to-child ratios and group size for an operating child-care center shall be maintained as follows:

Age of Children Ratio Maximum Group Size*

Infant

1 staff for 5 children 10

Toddler

1 staff for 6 children 12

Preschool-age 2 to 3 years

1 staff for 10 children 20

Preschool-age 3 to 4 years

1 staff for 12 children 24

Preschool-age 4 to 5 years

1 staff for 14 children 28

School-age 5 to 7 years

1 staff for 15 children 30

School-age 7 and older

1 staff for 25 children

(for before and after school) 30

1 staff for 20 children

(full day of care) 30

***Maximum Group Size shall be applicable only to Type I child-care centers.**

Findings:

General: Based on observation and interview, the two and three year old children and the preschool children did not maintain minimum staff/child ratios. The two and three year olds' caregiver supervised fifteen (15) children for one (1) hour. The preschool caregiver supervised twenty (20) children for four (4) to six (6) minutes.

Employee Records

300 - Background checks/left alone

Not In Compliance

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

(4) A director, employee, volunteer, or any person with supervisory or disciplinary control over, or having unsupervised contact with, a child shall:

(a) Submit to background checks described in paragraph (b) of this subsection;

(b) May be employed or work with a child on a probationary basis for up to ninety (90) calendar days, pending completion of a:

1. Child abuse or neglect check using the central registry in accordance with 922 KAR 1:470;

2. Criminal records check required by KRS 199.896(19);

3. Criminal records check for any previous state of residence if the person resided outside the state of Kentucky in the last five (5) years; and

4. An address check of the Sex Offender Registry; and

(c) Not be left alone in the presence of a child until copies of the background checks in accordance with paragraph (b) of this subsection have been received by the licensee.

Findings:

General: Based on review of documentation, a caregiver hired, 8/17/10, did not have a criminal background check or a child abuse/neglect check on file.

340 - Training

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:110. Section 5. Staff Requirements.

(14) 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 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 pediatric abusive head trauma training completed once every five (5) years.

Findings:

General: Based on review of documentation, a caregiver hired 3/8/10, had three (3) hours of annual training. A caregiver hired 8/17/10, had six (6) hours of annual training.

Food Service

910 - Bottle Feeding

Not In Compliance

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

(11) While bottle feeding an infant, the:

(a) Child shall be held; and

(b) Bottle shall not be:

1. Propped;

2. Left in the mouth of a sleeping infant; or

3. Heated in a microwave

Findings:

General: Based on observation, the infants' caregiver used a pillow to prop a bottle in a baby's mouth.

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Children's Records

1070 - Immunization

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:110. Section 3. 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 review of documentation, a child enrolled 6/7/10, had an immunization certificate that was no longer valid as of 6/25/11.

Signature of
Provider/Representative

Title

Date