

## 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:** 2/8/2017 VisitType: Licensing Study Arrival: 12:15 PM Departure: 2:40 PM

**CCLC-25848** 

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Compliance Zone Designation					
02/08/2017	Licensing Study	Good Standing			
09/01/2016	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing			
06/01/2016	Licensing Study	Good Standing			

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.

Support

Deficient

Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting

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-1L		0	0	С	30	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	B-2L	Infants and One Year Olds	2	7	С	13	С	NA	NA	Feeding,Nap,Flo or Play
Main	C-3L	One Year Olds	1	12	С	23	С	NA	NA	Nap
Main	D-4L	Two Year Olds	2	19	С	20	С	NA	NA	Nap
Main	E-Right Rear	Four Year Olds and Five Year Olds	1	22	С	38	С	NA	NA	Nap
Main	F-2R	Four Year Olds	1	14	С	29	С	NA	NA	Nap
Main	G-1R Village		0	0	С	30	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	H-3R	Three Year Olds	1	14	С	21	С	NA	NA	Nap
`		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 2	04		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			

Total # Children this Date: 88 Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 204

Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Left Toddler	18	C
Main	Rear	6	С
Main	Right	-1	NC

#### Comments

Requested all staff files on this date.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 02/08/2017

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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.

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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: <a href="http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx">http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx</a>

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)

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## **Findings Report**

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### The following information is associated with a Licensing Study:

# **Activities and Equipment**

## 591-1-1-.35 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

Met

Comment

No Swimming Activities Provided

**Facility** 

591-1-1-.25 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)

Met

Comment

Observation-No Hazards Accessible

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

**Not Met** 

#### Finding

591-1-1-.26(7) requires that climbing and swinging equipment be anchored and have a resilient surface beneath the equipment. The fall-zone from such equipment must be adequately maintained by the Center to assure continuing resiliency. It was determined based on observation that there was three to four inches of resilient surfacing underneath the climber on the back middle playground when six was recommended.

## POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will ensure that climbing and swinging equipment is anchored. The Center will develop and/or follow a plan for routine inspections of the resilient surface and for replacing when needed.

Correction Deadline: 2/18/2017

**Health and Hygiene** 

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

**Not Met** 

### **Finding**

591-1-1-.10(3)(a) requires that if diapers are changed on a diaper changing surface, the surface shall be smooth, nonporous, and equipped with a guard or rails to prevent falls. Between each diaper change, the diaper change surface shall be cleaned with a disinfectant and dried with a single-use disposable towel. It was determined based on observation that the diaper changing surface presented tears in the 3 L right-side classroom on this date.

### **POI (Plan of Improvement)**

The director responsible person(s) will ensure there is a smooth, nonporous changing surface that has a guard or rails for safety in each classroom that houses children wearing diapers. The director will ensure Center Staff are trained and have adequate supplies to properly clean the diaper changing surface between each diaper change.

Correction Deadline: 3/10/2017

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

Met

#### Comment

Observed-Proper Hand Washing Throughout

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

Met

#### Comment

Discussed-Documentation/Procedures

Safety

591-1-1-.11 Discipline(CR)

Met

### Comment

Observed-Discussion/Redirection

591-1-1-.13 Field Trips(CR)

Met

### Comment

No Field Trips at This Time

591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Observed-Complete Documentation

Sleeping & Resting Equipment

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

Met

### Comment

Discussed-SIDS/Infant Sleeping Position

Staff Records

## 591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records Check(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Criminal Records Check complete

**Staffing and Supervision** 

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

**Not Met** 

### Finding

591-1-1-.32(1) requires the Center to maintain the required Staff:child ratios as follows: under 1 year or under 18 months if not walking = 1:6; 1 year and walking = 1:8; 2 years = 1:10; 3 years = 1:15; 4 years = 1:18; 5 years = 1:20; and 6 years and older = 1:25. A Center must establish groupings of children for care with maximum group sizes as follows: under 1 year = 12; under 18 months/not walking = 12; 1 year and walking = 16; 2 years = 20; 3 years = 30; 4 years = 36; 5 years = 40; and 6 years and older = 50. It was determined based on observation that the 3 R classroom had a ratio of 1: 12 one-year-old children. The ratio required was 1:8 on this date.

### **POI (Plan of Improvement)**

The Center will hire additional Staff or reschedule current Staff to meet required Staff:child ratios and will organize children into groups that meet requirements.

Correction Deadline: 2/8/2017

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

Met

#### Comment

Observed-Adequate Supervision