

#### 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: 2/16/2017 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 12:50 PM Departure: 2:35 PM

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Compliance Zone Designation					
02/16/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing			
09/14/2016	Licensing Study	Good Standing			
05/11/2016	Monitoring Visit	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

Age Ranges	Children Present	Child For Pay	CAPS	Not for Pay	Provider Children
Infant (0-11 mos)	3	3	0	0	0
1 & 2 Years	1	1	0	0	0
3 & 4 Years	1	1	0	0	0
School Age(5+) Years	0	2	0	0	0
Total Under 13 Years	5	7	0	0	0
Total Under 18 Years	5				•

Children Present: 5 Total Children: 7

Caregivers/Helpers Present: 1 Total Caregivers/Helpers: 2

#### Comments

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 02/16/2017

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).



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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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#### 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: <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)

Charmaine Davis, Program Official	Date	Courtney Moody, Consultant	Date



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#### **Findings Report**

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### The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

## **Activities and Equipment**

#### 290-2-3-.19 Infant-Sleeping Safety Requirements(CR)

**Not Met** 

#### **Finding**

290-2-3-.19(1)(a)1 requires that cribs and other equipment approved for infant sleep shall be in good repair and free of hazards. Stack cribs and cribs with drop sides shall not be used. It was determined based on observation that a potential hazard existed in that one of three pack-n-plays was observed to have a broken bar, causing the net side to droop.

#### POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Home Provider will replace the pack-n-play.

Correction Deadline: 2/16/2017

#### 290-2-3-.07 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

N/A

#### Comment

No Swimming Activities Provided

## **Children's Records**

#### 290-2-3-.08 Parental Authorization(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Parent Authorizations Obtained/Completed

**Facility** 

#### 290-2-3-.11 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)

**Technical Assistance** 

#### **Technical Assistance**

Reminder-Keep Hazards Inaccessible

# 290-2-3-.13 Physical Plant-Structural/Mechanical(CR) Met Comment Home Clean, Free of Hazards 290-2-3-.13 Playgrounds(CR) Met Comment Outside Area Clean, Well Maintained Licensure 290-2-3-.04 Application Requirements(CR) Met Comment Application requirements were met on this date. Correction Deadline: 2/16/2017 **Safety and Discipline** 290-2-3-.11 Discipline(CR) Met Comment Pleasant Interactions Observed 290-2-3-.11 Transportation(CR) N/A Comment No transportation. **Staff Records** 290-2-3-.21 Criminal Records Check(CR) Met Comment No new hires 290-2-3-.07 Independent Contractors(CR) Met Comment No Independent contractors 290-2-3-.07 Other Staff Direct Contact with Children(CR) Met Comment No additional staff 290-2-3-.07 Staff Training Defer Defer 290-2-3-.07(4)-

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

The Family Day Care Home will ensure the Provider completes ten hours of annual training each year.

Correction Deadline: 11/3/2015

#### Comment

Health/Safety training reminder

#### Comment

Annual training requirement and documentation observed.

#### Comment

Annual training requirement and documentation observed.

#### 290-2-3-.07 Students-in-Training(CR)

Met

#### Comment

No Students-in-training

#### 290-2-3-.07 Volunteers(CR)

Met

#### Comment

No Volunteers

# **Staff: Child Ratios and Supervision**

## 290-2-3-.07 Supervision(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Observed-Direct Supervision/Attention To Needs