

#### 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: 3/9/2017 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 4:45 PM Departure: 6:00 PM

**CCLC-3283 Regional Consultant** 

#### **Sunset Primetime**

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Compliance Zone Designation					
03/09/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing			
09/12/2016	Licensing Study	Good Standing			
03/01/2016	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 Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting

**Deficient** 

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.		25 SF. Comp.	Notes
Main	computer lab-4-school age		0	0	С	23	С	NA	NA	,
Main	lunchroom 4-school age	Six Year Olds and Over	4	30	С	106	С	NA	NA	Free Play,Supper,Ho mework,Centers
•		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 1	29		Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0		25 sq.			
Total # C	hildren this Date: 30	Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 1	29		Total C	apacity @	25 sq.	•		

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Main Plgyd	231	С
Main	Pre-K	205	С

#### **Comments**

The purpose of today's visit was to conduct a Monitoring Visit.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 03/09/2017

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- 1) Facility name, license number and visit date
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- 3) Specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, along with your concerns or questions regarding the rule citation

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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)

Louise Jones, Program Official	Date	Rena Keene, Consultant	Date



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#### **Findings Report**

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The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

## **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-Center Clean/Well Maintained

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

Met

Correction Deadline: 3/15/2016

Corrected on 3/9/2017

.26(7) - New mulch was observed in the swing area. Staff were reminded to keep mulch distributed underneath the swings whenever it gets kicked out. This needs to be done daily or as often as needed to ensure that a minimum depth of six inches of resilient material is always maintained.

Correction Deadline: 9/12/2016

#### Corrected on 3/9/2017

.26(8) - The playground area where roots have been an issue for tripping hazard is no longer being used for outdoor play. Program director is submitting an Amendment Application to remove the playground on the western end of the premises.

Food Service

#### 591-1-1-.15 Food Service & Nutrition

**Not Met** 

#### **Finding**

591-1-1-.15(6)(b) requires that food and beverages be served in individual plates or bowls and with individual glasses or cups. It was determined based on consultant's observation that the center did not meet these food service requirements in that the supper served to the children during the visit was served in a plastic bag and children were observed to place food items directly on the table to eat. A supper of peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, kiwi, cheese, cauliflower and milk was served while consultant was on site. There was no serving items available.

#### POI (Plan of Improvement)

The center will use individual food service items.

Correction Deadline: 3/9/2017

# **Health and Hygiene** 591-1-1-.10 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR) Met Comment No children enrolled who require diapering - school age children only, 591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR) Met Comment Observed-Proper Hand Washing Throughout 591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR) Met Comment Discussed-Documentation/Procedures - Director stated that medications are not administered to children in care. Safety 591-1-1-.05 Animals Met Comment No Animals Kept 591-1-1-.11 Discipline(CR) Met Comment Observed-Positive Learning Environment 591-1-1-.13 Field Trips(CR) Met Comment No Field Trips at This Time 591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR) Met Comment No Routine Transportation Provided **Sleeping & Resting Equipment**

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

Met

#### Comment

School age children only - after school hours only.

Staff Records

#### **Records Reviewed: 5**

#### Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 2

Staff # 1 Not Met

Date of Hire: 09/18/2015

"Missing/Incomplete Components"
.09-Criminal Records Check Missing

Staff # 3 Not Met

Date of Hire: 02/06/2001

"Missing/Incomplete Components"
.09-Criminal Records Check Missing

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

**Not Met** 

Correction Deadline: 3/16/2016

#### Corrected on 3/9/2017

.09(1)(d) - All employees currently employed were observed to have Satisfactory Criminal Background checks with letters on file.

#### Finding

591-1-1-.09(1)(e) requires every Employee hired before January 1, 2014 have either a satisfactory Preliminary Records Check Determination or a satisfactory Fingerprint Records Check Determination on file and requires that Employees hired before January 1, 2014 that have only a satisfactory Preliminary Records Check Determination on file to obtain a Fingerprint Records Check Determination before January 1, 2017. It was determined based on a review of staff records and staff statements that two of three staff employed prior January 1, 2014 did not have evidence of a Satisfactory fingerprint check on file. Both employees were also employed by the school system; one had only a local check with a Purpose Code W, while the other employee had a fingerprint check through the local Board of Education that was completed January 25, 2002. A one-day letter was left with the director.

#### POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will obtain fingerprint checks through Cogent and submit evidence to consultant by March 10, 2017. Satisfactory letters will be faxed to consultant at 912-544-9926 as soon as they are obtained.

Correction Deadline: 3/9/2017

# Staffing and Supervision

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

Met

#### Comment

Observed-Appropriate Staff: Child Ratios

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

Met

#### Comment

Observed-Direct Supervision/Attentive Staff