

## 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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Compliance Zone Designation				
04/11/2017	Licensing Study	Good Standing		
10/18/2016	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing		
01/20/2016	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

Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.

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## **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	1L LULLABY LANE	Infants	2	8	С	8	С	NA	NA	Nap
Main	1R SWEET STREET	One Year Olds	2	10	С	15	С	NA	NA	Story
Main	2L ROCK-A-BYE RD	Infants and One Year Olds	2	10	С	12	С	NA	NA	Nap
Main	2R TREASURE TRAIL		0	0	С	14	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	3L FUN FREEWAY	Two Year Olds and Three Year Olds	2	16	С	17	С	NA	NA	Transitioning
Main	3R HAPPY HIGHWAY	Three Year Olds	2	16	С	17	С	NA	NA	Transitioning
Main	4L PLAYFUL PARKWAY	Three Year Olds	2	14	С	16	С	NA	NA	Art
Main	4R ADVENTURE AVENUE	Four Year Olds and Five Year Olds	2	16	С	20	С	NA	NA	Snack
Main	6R CURIOUS CORNER	Four Year Olds and Five Year Olds	2	18	С	20	С	NA	NA	Story
Main	BACK LFT ACTIVE ALLEY	One Year Olds and Two Year Olds	2	5	С	21	С	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	MID FRONT DISCOVERY DRIVE	Two Year Olds	2	15	С	17	С	NA	NA	Transitioning
Main	REAR MID WONDER WAY	Four Year Olds	2	16	С	18	С	25	С	Homework
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 19	95		Total C ft.: 202	apacity @	25 sq.			

Total # Children this Date: 144 Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 195 Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 202

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	2ND RT	72	C

Main	FRNT LFT	18	С
Main	FRNT RT	45	С
Main	REAR LFT	28	С

#### Comments

Requested all staff files on this date.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 04/11/2017

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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://qbi.georgia.gov to access the Georgia Sex Offender Registry.

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- 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.

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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.

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Erin Fleishman, Program Official	Date	Leah Klatzker, Consultant	Date



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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)

Not Met

## Finding

591-1-1-.25(3) requires that the Center and surrounding premises be clean, free of debris and in good repair. The following areas/items were found to be noncompliant: It was determined based on observation that the sink's water on the right-side of the building was not warm on this date.

## POI (Plan of Improvement)

To ensure the cleanliness, sanitation and safety of the environment, the center will ensure that the water is warm.

Correction Deadline: 4/11/2017

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

**Not Met** 

#### Finding

591-1-1-.26(8) requires the playground to be kept clean, free of litter and hazards. It was determined based on observation that the following was observed in the outdoor play area: On the first left playground little rocks were observed underneath the swinging equipment. Further, the back playground presented some medium and small sized rocks. This playground also presented uneven turf in some areas creating tripping hazards and some non-active ant hills.

## POI (Plan of Improvement)

To ensure the cleanliness, sanitation and safety of the playground, the center will ensure that the playgrounds are free from hazards.

Correction Deadline: 4/11/2017

**Health and Hygiene** 

591-1-110 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR)	Met
Comment	
Observed-Proper Diapering	
591-1-117 Hygiene(CR)	Met
Comment	
Observed-Staff Remind Children Wash Hand	
591-1-120 Medications(CR)	Met
Comment	
Observed-Complete Documentation	
	Safety
591-1-111 Discipline(CR)	Met
Comment	
Observed-Discussion/Redirection	
591-1-113 Field Trips(CR)	Met
Comment	
No Field Trips at This Time	
591-1-136 Transportation(CR)	Met
Comment	
Observed-Complete Documentation	
	Sleeping & Resting Equipment
591-1-130 Safe Sleeping and Resting Requirements(CR)	Met
Comment	
Discussed-SIDS/Infant Sleeping Position	
	Staff Records
591-1-109 Criminal Records Check(CR)	Met
Comment	
Criminal Records Check complete	
	Staffing and Supervision
591-1-132 Staff:Child Ratios and Group Size(CR)	Met
Comment	
Observed-Appropriate Staff:Child Ratios	
591-1-132 Supervision(CR)	Met
Comment	
Observed-Adequate Supervision	