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Date: 4/20/2017 **VisitType:** Licensing Study **Arrival:** 1:25 PM **Departure:** 4:15 PM

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Compliance Zone Designation			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 rules. Deficient - Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.
04/20/2017	Licensing Study	Good Standing	
11/09/2016	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
01/26/2016	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	

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	One Year Olds	1	4	C	21	C	NA	NA	Nap,Diapering
Main	B	One Year Olds	3	18	C	21	C	NA	NA	Diapering
Main	C		0	0	C	28	C	40	C	
Main	D	Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds	2	22	C	28	C	39	C	Nap
Main	E	Two Year Olds	2	15	C	21	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	F	PreK	1	16	C	28	C	39	C	Nap
					Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 147	Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 181				
Total # Children this Date: 75			Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 147			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 181				

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	A	31	C
Main	B	114	C
Main	C	143	C

Comments

Follow up to the previous Monitoring Visit that was conducted on November 9, 2016, was completed on this date.

Plan of Improvement: No Plan Developed

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(j)(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.

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@dec.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: <http://dec.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx>

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)

BRIDGET BURGESS, Program Official

Date

Colleen Covey, Consultant

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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-.12 Equipment & Toys(CR)

Met

Comment

Observed-Variety Throughout Center

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

N/A

Comment

No Swimming Activities Provided

Children's Records

591-1-1-.08 Children's Records

Met

Comment

Observed-Records Complete/Well Organized

591-1-1-.23 Parental Authorization

Met

Comment

Parent Authorizations Obtained/Completed

Evening Care

591-1-1-.32 Staffing/Supervision(CR)

Not Evaluated

Comment

No evening care hours at this time.

Facility

591-1-1-.06 Bathrooms **Met**

Comment

Observation-Clean and Well Maintained

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

Correction Deadline: 11/9/2016

Corrected on 4/20/2017

.25(13) - No hazards were observed accessible on this date.

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

Comment

Observation-Clean/Good Repair

Food Service

591-1-1-.15 Food Service & Nutrition **Met**

Comment

Menu Meets USDA Guidelines

591-1-1-.18 Kitchen Operations **Met**

Comment

Kitchen Appears Clean/Well Organized

Health and Hygiene

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

Comment

Observed-Proper Diapering

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

Comment

Observed-Proper Hand Washing Throughout

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

Comment

Observed-Complete Documentation

Safety

591-1-1-.05 Animals **N/A**

Comment

No Animals Kept

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

Comment

Observed-Positive Learning Environment

591-1-1-.13 Field Trips(CR) **N/A**

Comment

No Field Trips at This Time

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

N/A

Comment

No Routine Transportation Provided

Sleeping & Resting Equipment

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

Met

Comment

Observed-Pleasant Naptime Environment

Staff Records

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

Met

Comment

Criminal Records Check complete for all twenty staff employed on this date,

591-1-1-.14 First Aid & CPR

Met

Comment

Observed-50% Certified First Aid & CPR

591-1-1-.33 Staff Training

Met

Comment

Observed - Documentation Of Training for the 2016 year.

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-Adequate Supervision