

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: 4/28/2017 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 1:10 PM Departure: 2:20 PM

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Compliance Zone Designation					
04/28/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing			
12/02/2016	Licensing Study	Good Standing			
04/12/2016	POI Follow Up	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.

Ratios/License Capacity

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

Deficient

Children Present: 5 Total Children: 8

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

Comments

Please ensure emergency procedures are updated.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 04/28/2017

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.

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: http://decal.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)

Sabrina Daniels, Program Official	Date	Lajuana Williams, 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)

Met

Comment

Discussed-SIDS/Infant Sleeping Position, please ensure infant is placed on her back for sleeping.

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)

Met

Comment

Observation-No Hazards Accessible

290-2-3-.13 Physical Plant-Structural/Mechanical(CR)

Met

Comment

290-2-3-.13(1) - Home free of hazards.

290-2-3-.13 Playgrounds(CR)

Technical Assistance

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290-2-3-.13(2)(c) - Please ensure the welded wire material for the outdoor enclosure is tightened and the opening is adjusted so that an adult can easier open and close the area.

Correction Deadline: 4/28/2017

Licensure

290-2-3-.04 Application Requirements(CR)

Met

Comment

290-2-3-.04(1)(d) - Four children for pay were observed.

Correction Deadline: 4/28/2017

Safety and Discipline

290-2-3-.11 Discipline(CR)

Met

Comment

Observed-Discussion/Redirection

290-2-3-.11 First Aid Kit

Not Met

Finding

290-2-3-.11(1)(f) requires the Home and any vehicle used for transportation Children to have a first aid kit which at least contains: scissors, tweezers, gauze pads, thermometer, adhesive tape, band-aids, insect - sting preparation, antiseptic cleaning solution, antibacterial ointment, bandages, disposable rubber gloves, protective eyewear, facemask, and cold pack. The first aid kit, together with a first aid instruction manual which must be kept with the kit at all times, shall be stored in a central location so that it is not accessible to Children but is easily accessible to the Provider and staff. The Home must also maintain written directions for the use of universal precautions for handling blood and bodily fluids. The directions on the use of universal precautions must be kept with the first aid kit at all times. It was determined based on observation that insect sting preparation, face mask and tape was missing from the first aid kit.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Home will replace any missing items in the first aid kit,keep the instruction manual and written universal precautions with the kit and will check the kit regularly. The Home will store the kit where children will not have access to it.

Correction Deadline: 4/28/2017

Recited on 4/28/2017

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

290-2-307 Other Staff Direct Contact with Children(CR)	Me
Comment	
No additional staff	
290-2-307 Staff Training	Me
Correction Deadline: 3/14/2016	
Corrected on 4/28/2017 .07(4) - previous cite corrected. Completed 2016 training observed.	
Comment Health/Safety training observed to dated January 4, 2017 and counted to	owards 2016 required training.
290-2-308 Staff Training	Me
Correction Deadline: 12/2/2016	
Corrected on 4/28/2017 .08(6) - Preivous cite corrected.	
290-2-307 Students-in-Training(CR)	Me
Comment No Students-in-training	
290-2-307 Volunteers(CR)	Me
Comment No Volunteers	
Staff:Ch	ld Ratios and Supervision
290-2-307 Staff:Child Ratios(CR)	Me
Comment	
Appropriate Ratios Observed	
290-2-307 Supervision(CR)	Me
Comment	

Comment

Observed-Direct Supervision/Attention To Needs