

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: 5/7/2018 VisitType: Complaint Closure from Arrival: 2:30 PM Departure: 5:20 PM

visit on 04/30/2018

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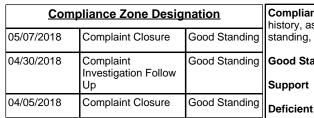
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Compliance Zone Designation - A summary measure of a program's 12 month monitoring history, as it pertains to child care health and safety rules. The three compliance zones are good standing, support, and deficient.

Good Standing - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.

Support - Progra

- Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting

rules

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

Comments

Advisement of Potential for Repeated Rule Violations during Pending Investigations

This report shall serve as official notice of potential rule violations. These potential rule violations have been detailed in this report and discussed with you by the consultant. The department shall conduct a thorough investigation to determine if in fact the alleged rule violation(s) should or should not be substantiated. Please be aware that the investigation may take some time to be finalized to ensure fairness and accuracy. During this investigation period, any violations of an identical rule or rules will require the department to treat any and all substantiated rule violations identified in the investigation as repeated rule violation(s).

Further, from time to time the department discovers additional rule violations during the course of an investigation. If there are new rule violation(s), your consultant shall inform you of the violation(s) as soon as possible. However, as stated above, any violations of identical rule(s) will require the department to treat any and all additional rule violations identified in the investigation as repeated rule violations.

All rule violations found in relation to a complaint or incident investigation will be associated with the date the investigation was closed.



Reminder: <u>All</u> employees of child care programs must be fingerprinted before **January 1, 2017**. For instructions and to submit records check applications online, please visit www.decalkoala.com. You are encouraged not to wait and to complete the process as soon as possible.

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 to CCSRefutations@decal.ga.gov.	noted in this report with which yo	u disagree. To refute	e a citation(s), e-mail the following information
Facility name, license number and visit date Your name, title/relationship to the facility, e- Specific rule number(s) that you are refuting,			
Refutations must be submitted to Child Care Se	ervices (CCS) within 10 business	days of the completio	n date.
A sample form for submitting a refutation can be	e found at: http://decal.ga.gov/Ch	nildCareServices/Refu	tationInformation.aspx
Your refutation will be forwarded to the appropr this process, contact our office at 404-657-5562		v up with you about yo	our concerns. If you have any questions about
Bright from the Start recommends that all license have this liability insurance, you are required to puardian of each child in care in writing, obtain the purogram at all times while the child attends the p	post a notice with ½ inch letters in neir signature to acknowledge rec	a conspicuous location a conspicuous location and maintain this	on in the program, notify the parent or written acknowledgment on file at the
have read and understand the Rules and Regu been discussed with me and I have agreed to a deficiencies, while required, will not necessarily p any of the deficiencies cited, I have the right to re	Plan of Improvement (POI) as incorrevent DECAL from taking adve	icated in this report. se action against this	l understand that correction of these facility. I understand that if I disagree with
Michelle Provost, Program Official	Date Alison Benso	on , Consultant	Date



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Summary Report

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The following information is associated with a Complaint Closure:

Staffing and Supervision

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

Not Met

Finding Associated with Complaint

591-1-1-.32(7) requires that children be supervised at all times and that the persons supervising in the child care area be alert, able to respond promptly to the needs and actions of the children being supervised, as well as the actions of the chaperones and Students-in-Training, and provide timely attention to the children's actions and needs. It was determined based on staff interviews, there was a lack of supervision when a one-year-old child was bit by another child and the staff person in charge did not have any knowledge of the incident.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will train Staff and monitor to ensure they are providing supervision and watchful oversight to the children at all times.

Correction Deadline: 5/21/2018