

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: 5/31/2017 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 10:40 AM Departure: 12:20 PM

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Compliance Zone Designation				
05/31/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing		
10/06/2016	LS POI Follow Up	Good Standing		
07/26/2016	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

rules

Deficient - 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)	0	0	0	0	0
1 & 2 Years	2	4	0	1	0
3 & 4 Years	1	1	0	0	0
School Age(5+) Years	0	0	0	0	0
Total Under 13 Years	3	5	0	1	0
Total Under 18 Years	3				

Children Present: 3 Total Children: 6

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

Comments

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).



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.



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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)

Karen Nomura, Program Official	Date	Rhianna Clark, 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)

N/A

Comment

Not caring for infants

290-2-3-.07 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

Met

Comment

Observed-Pool Not in Use-Gates Locked

Children's Records

290-2-3-.11 Children's Records

Not Met

Finding

290-2-3-.11(1)(b) requires the family day care home to maintain a file for each child that includes evidence of age-appropriate immunizations or a signed affidavit against such immunizations; enrollment in the home may not continue for more than 30 day without such evidence. It was determined based on review of records, provider did not have such evidence for two of six enrolled children on this date.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The home provider will ensure that an immunization record/signed affidavit is on file for each enrolled child.

Correction Deadline: 6/1/2017

Recited on 5/31/2017

290-2-3-.08 Parental Authorization(CR)

Met

Comment

Parent Authorizations Obtained/Completed

Facility

290-2-3-.11 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)

Met

Correction Deadline: 7/31/2016

Corrected on 5/31/2017

Previous citation observed to be corrected in that consultant reviewed current documentation of completed required drills on this date.

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

Met

Comment

Home Clean, Free of Hazards

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

Met

Correction Deadline: 7/29/2016

Corrected on 5/31/2017

Previous citation observed to be corrected in that consultant observed outdoor play area clean and free of hazards on this date.

Correction Deadline: 7/31/2016

Corrected on 5/31/2017

Previous citation observed to be corrected in that consultant observed fencing to be four feet on this date.

Correction Deadline: 7/31/2016

Corrected on 5/31/2017

Previous citation observed to be corrected in that consultant observed swimming pool inaccessible to children and gate locked on this date.

Licensure

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

Met

Comment

Provider cared for two unrelated children for pay and one related child for no pay on this date.

Correction Deadline: 5/31/2017

Safety and Discipline

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

Met

Comment

Pleasant Interactions Observed

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

N/A

Comment

No Routine Transportation Provided

Staff Records

290-2-3-.21 Criminal Records Check(CR)

Met

Comment

Criminal Records Check complete

290-2-307 Independent Contractors(CR)	N/A
Comment	
No Independent contractors	
290-2-307 Other Staff Direct Contact with Children	n(CR) N/A
Comment	
No additional staff	
290-2-307 Students-in-Training(CR)	N/A
Comment	
No Students-in-training	
290-2-307 Volunteers(CR)	N/A
Comment	
No Volunteers	
	Staff:Child Ratios and Supervision

290-2-3-.07 Supervision(CR)

Met

Comment

Observed-Direct Supervision/Attention To Needs