

## 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:** 4/24/2019 VisitType: Licensing Study Arrival: 9:25 AM Departure: 1:15 PM

**CCLC-100** 

Lolly's Prekindergarten C C Center

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Quality Rated: \*



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Compliance Zone Designation				
04/24/2019	Licensing Study	Good Standing		
11/29/2018	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing		
05/02/2018	Licensing Study	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

Building	Room	Age Group	Staff	Children	NC/C	Max 35 SF.	35 SF. Comp.	Max 25 SF.	25 SF. Comp.	Notes
Brown PreK	PreK	PreK	2	18	С	0	NC	NA	NA	Centers
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 0			Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			
Gree PreK	PreK	PreK	2	16	С	0	NC	NA	NA	Centers,Transitio
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 0		Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0						
Main	Right	One Year Olds and Two Year Olds	2	9	С	0	NC	NA	NA	Transitioning,Out side
Main	Right	Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds	2	19	С	0	NC	NA	NA	Circle Time,Centers
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 0			Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			
Total # C	hildren this Date: 62	Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 0			Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			

Playground **Playground** Building Playground Occupancy Compliance

#### **Comments**

The purpose of today's visit is to conduct a licensing study.

The center is currently three star quality rated.

The center does not provide swimming activties.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 04/24/2019

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).



Please refer to the website, <a href="http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx">http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx</a>, for information regarding October 1, 2018 rule changes about Criminal Records Checks that may affect your facility. In summary,

- New records checks will be required to be completed if a staff member experiences a six month break in service from the child care industry
- New clearance is required at least once every five years
- Any staff member solely responsible for supervising children will be required to have completed a comprehensive background clearance
- · All staff members are required to have completed at least a national fingerprint based clearance check
- Any staff member with only the national fingerprint based clearance, must be under constant and direct supervision of a staff member with a satisfactory comprehensive records check clearance
- Facilities are required to use DECAL KOALA for Criminal Records Checks, including to verify portability of an employee

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: <a href="http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx">http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx</a>

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)





# **Important New Deadlines:**

Your program must be Quality Rated by December 31, 2020 in order to continue to receive Childcare and Parent Services (CAPS).

Get started today! Sign up by completing Request free technical assistance to help 7747 or qualityrated@decal.ga.gov		lication: https://qualityrated.decal.ga.gov/ rating by contacting the Quality Rated help o	lesk at 855-800-
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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 A variety of equipment and toys were observed throughout the center. 591-1-1-.35 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR) N/A Comment Center does not provide swimming activities. **Children's Records**

Records Reviewed: 5	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0
Child # 1	Met
Child # 2	Met
Child # 3	Met
Child # 4	Met
Child # 5	Met

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

Met

#### Comment

Records were observed to be complete and well organized.

**Facilit** 

591-1-1-.06 Bathrooms Met

#### Comment

Bathrooms observed to be clean and well maintained.

## 591-1-1-.19 License Capacity(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Licensed capacity observed to be routinely met by center.

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

Technical Assistance

#### **Technical Assistance**

591-1-1-.25(13) - The consultant spoke with the director about ensuring that brooms are stored inaccessible to the children in care.

Correction Deadline: 4/24/2019

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

Met

#### Comment

Playground observed to be clean and in good repair.

**Food Service** 

#### 591-1-1-.15 Food Service & Nutrition

Met

#### Comment

Center menu meets USDA guidelines.

### 591-1-1-.18 Kitchen Operations

Met

#### Comment

Kitchen appears clean and well organized.

# **Health and Hygiene**

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

Met

#### Comment

Proper diapering procedures observed.

## 591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR)

Met

### Comment

Proper hand washing observed throughout the center.

## 591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR)

**Not Met** 

#### Finding

591-1-1-.20(1) requires Personnel to obtain specific written authorization from the child's physician or parent in order to dispense prescription or non-prescription medications, except for first aid. Such authorization will include when applicable, date; full name of the child; name of the medication; prescription number, if any; dosage; the dates to be given; the time of day to be dispensed; and signature of parent. It was determined based on a review of records that two out of six medication authorizations did not include the prescription number for the medication that was administered.

## POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will train Staff to obtain and review parental authorizations to ensure the authorization contains complete information. The designated person(s) will monitor daily.

Correction Deadline: 4/24/2019

Safety

591-1-1-.05 Animals Met

#### Comment

Animals maintained clean and appropriately caged.

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

#### Comment

Age-appropriate discussion and/or redirection observed.

591-1-1-.13 Field Trips(CR) Met

## Comment

Field trip documentation observed to be complete.

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

Met

#### Comment

Paperwork, checklist, permission forms, annual inspection form and proper check of the vehicle after transportation were discussed with the director.

#### Comment

The vehicle had an approved fire extinguisher and first aid kit on this date.

# **Sleeping & Resting Equipment**

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

Met

#### Comment

The correct number of mats, sheets and blankets were observed on this date. Cleaning and disinfecting of mats was discussed with the director on this date.

# **Staff Records**

# **Records Reviewed: 16**

## Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 2

Staff # 1 Met

Date of Hire: 08/25/2018

Staff # 2 Not Met

Date of Hire: 09/06/2016

"Missing/Incomplete Components"

.33(5)-10 Hrs. Annual Training

Staff # 3 Met

Date of Hire: 08/06/2017

Staff # 4 Met

Date of Hire: 08/31/2017

Staff # 5

Date of Hire: 12/15/2014

Staff # 6 Met

Date of Hire: 07/07/2017

Records Reviewed: 16

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 2

Staff # 7

Date of Hire: 08/31/2018

Staff #8

Met

Date of Hire: 07/19/2017

Staff # 9

Met

Met

Date of Hire: 08/01/1995

Staff # 10

Met

Date of Hire: 10/12/2017

Staff # 11

Met

Date of Hire: 08/01/2017

Staff # 12

Not Met

Date of Hire: 08/01/2016

"Missing/Incomplete Components"

.33(5)-10 Hrs. Annual Training

Staff # 13 Met

Date of Hire: 08/06/2013

Staff # 14 Met

Date of Hire: 10/12/2017

Staff # 15

Date of Hire: 03/11/2013

Staff # 16 Met

Date of Hire: 08/17/2018

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 16

## 591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records and Comprehensive Background Checks(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Consultant requested to view all Criminal Record checks for employees hired after last visit. Director stated that there have been no new hires since last visit

#### Comment

Criminal record checks were observed to be complete.

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

Met

## Comment

Complete first aid kits observed in center and on vehicles.

Correction Deadline: 12/29/2018

### Corrected on 4/24/2019

.14(2) - This citation was corrected on this date. All staff members have CPR and First Aid certification.

## 591-1-1-.33 Staff Training

Not Met

#### Finding

591-1-1-.33(6) requires, in the first year of employment and then by calendar year thereafter, all supervisory and caregiver Personnel, except independent contractors, Students-in-Training and volunteers to attend ten (10) clock hours of training which is task-focused in early childhood education or child development or subjects relating to job assignment and is offered by an accredited college, university or vocational program or other Department-approved source. It was determined based on a review of records that two out sixteen employees did not complete the required ten hours of training for the calendar year 2018.

## POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will plan and schedule the required 10 hours of annual training each year and follow up to ensure the training is completed.

Correction Deadline: 1/1/2020

591-1-1-.31 Staff(CR) Met

## Comment

Staff observed to be compliant with applicable laws and regulations.

**Staffing and Supervision** 

## 591-1-1-.32 Staff: Child Ratios and Group Size(CR)

Met

### Comment

Center observed to maintain appropriate staff:child ratios.

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

Met

## Comment

Staff observed to provide direct supervision and be attentive to children's needs.