

# 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: 8/11/2021 VisitType: Licensing Study Arrival: 10:00 AM Departure: 12:00 PM

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# Weinberg Early Learning Center at the Temple

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Quality Rated: No

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

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

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.

# 08/11/2021 Licensing Study Good Standing 01/22/2021 Monitoring Visit Good Standing 09/15/2020 Licensing Study Good Standing

**Compliance Zone Designation** 

# 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	Room 10		0	0	С	10	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	Room 11-Monkey		0	0	С	14	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	Room 12-Dinosaur		0	0	С	20	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	Room 13-Bees		0	0	С	21	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 65	5		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.	•		
Main/Up stairs	Room 20-Cows		0	0	С	13	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main/Up stairs	Room 21-Seagul		0	0	С	13	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main/Up stairs	Room 22		0	0	С	19	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main/Up stairs	Room 23-Butterflies		0	0	С	12	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main/Up stairs	Room 24		0	0	С	25	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main/Up stairs	Zale B		0	0	С	20	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 10	)2		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			
Zale Building	Room A-1L		0	0	С	17	С	NA	NA	Not In Use
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft : 17	7		Total C	anacity @	25 sa			

Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 17

Total Capacity @25 sq.

ft.: 0

Total # Children this Date: 0 Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 184 Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Playground A	77	C
Main	Playground B	21	С

### Comments

An Administrative Review was conducted on August 9, 2021. Staff files, children's files, training, and background checks were all reviewed. A virtual inspection was conducted on August 11, 2021 with the Director. An in-person visit was not conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Consultant discussed Comprehensive background check rules.

No children present during the visit.

Discussed supervision rule which states: Staff shall be attentive and participating with all children during mealtimes and shall be seated within an arm's length away from children thirty-six (36) months of age and younger.

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).



Please refer to the website, http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx, 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: 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)

Revision Date: 9/7/2021 11:43:14 AM





# **Important New Deadlines:**

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

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Request free technical assistance to help you earn your star rating by contacting the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or <a href="mailto:qualityrated@decal.ga.gov">qualityrated@decal.ga.gov</a>

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# **Findings Report**

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# The following information is associated with a Licensing Study:

	<b>Activities and Equipment</b>
591-1-112 Equipment & Toys(CR)	Met
Comment	
Equipment and furniture observed to be properly secured, as applicable	<del>)</del> .
591-1-135 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)	Met
Comment	
Center does not provide swimming activities.	
	Facility
591-1-119 License Capacity(CR)	Met
Comment	
Licensed capacity observed to be routinely met by center.	
591-1-125 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)	Met
Comment	
Center appears clean and well maintained.	
591-1-126 Playgrounds(CR)	Met
Comment	
Playground observed to be clean and in good repair.	
	Health and Hygiene

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

Met

# Comment

Staff state proper knowledge of diapering procedures.

# 591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR) Met Comment There were no children enrolled on this date. Proper hand washing of children and staff was discussed with the director on this date. 591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR) Met Comment The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication. Safety N/A 591-1-1-.05 Animals Comment Center does not keep animals on premises. 591-1-1-.11 Discipline(CR) Met Comment There were no children enrolled on this date. The center's discipline policy was reviewed on this date. Regulations regarding proper discipline were discussed with the director on this date. 591-1-1-.13 Field Trips(CR) N/A Comment Center does not participate in field trips at this time. 591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR) N/A Comment Center does not provide routine transportation. **Sleeping & Resting Equipment** 591-1-1-.30 Safe Sleeping and Resting Requirements(CR) Met

Comment

Discussed SIDS and infant sleeping position.

**Staff Records** 

Records Reviewed: 32	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0
Staff # 1	Met
Staff # 2	Met
Staff # 3 Date of Hire: 08/01/2013	Met
Staff # 4	Met
Staff # 5 Date of Hire: 11/03/2008	Met
Staff # 6	Met

Records Reviewed: 32	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0
Staff # 7	Met
Staff # 8	Met
Staff # 9 Date of Hire: 01/14/2021	Met
Staff # 10	Met
Staff # 11	Met
Staff # 12	Met
Staff # 13	Met
Staff # 14	Met
Staff # 15	Met
Staff # 16	Met
Staff # 17	Met
Staff # 18	Met
Staff # 19	Met
Staff # 20 Date of Hire: 04/08/2021	Met
Staff # 21	Met
Staff # 22	Met
Staff # 23	Met
Staff # 24	Met
Staff # 25 Date of Hire: 08/01/2008	Met
Staff # 26	Met
Staff # 27	Met
Staff # 28	Met
Staff # 29	Met

Records Reviewed: 32	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 30 Met

Staff # 31 Met

Staff # 32 Met

# Staff Credentials Reviewed: 4

# 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-.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

Adequate supervision observed on this date.