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Date: 4/23/2019 **VisitType:** Complaint Investigation & Licensing Study **Arrival:** 11:40 AM **Departure:** 1:55 PM

CCLC-1491

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Quality Rated: ★ ★ ★

| Compliance Zone Designation | | |
|------------------------------------|---|---------------|
| 04/23/2019 | Complaint Closure | Good Standing |
| 04/23/2019 | Complaint Investigation & Licensing Study | Good Standing |
| 12/10/2018 | Monitoring Visit | 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 |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------|----------|------|--------------------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|-------|
| Bldg 1 | 1st Right | PreK | 2 | 15 | C | 22 | C | 30 | C | Story |
| Bldg 1 | 2nd Right | One Year Olds and Two Year Olds | 2 | 11 | C | 22 | C | NA | NA | Nap |
| Bldg 1 | End of Hall | Infants and One Year Olds | 1 | 5 | C | 9 | C | NA | NA | Nap |
| Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: | | | 53 | | | Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 91 | | | | |
| Bldg II | Left Room | Three Year Olds | 1 | 15 | C | 19 | C | NA | NA | Nap |
| Bldg II | Right | | 0 | 0 | C | 19 | C | NA | NA | |
| Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: | | | 38 | | | Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 91 | | | | |
| Total # Children this Date: | | | 46 | | | Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 91 | | | | |

| Building | Playground | Playground Occupancy | Playground Compliance |
|----------|------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Bldg 1 | only | 90 | C |

Comments

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 04/23/2019

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, <http://www.dec.state.ga.us/CCS/Regulations.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@dec.state.ga.us.

- 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://dec.state.ga.us/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)



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 a short online application: <https://qualityrated.dec.state.ga.us/>
Request free technical assistance to help you earn your star rating by contacting the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or qualityrated@dec.state.ga.us

Lorette Johnson, Program Official

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Findings Report

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The following information is associated with a Licensing Study Visit:

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)

Met

Comment

Center does not provide swimming activities.

Children's Records

Records Reviewed: 3

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

| | |
|-----------|-----|
| Child # 1 | Met |
| Child # 2 | Met |
| Child # 3 | Met |

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

Met

Comment

Records were observed to be complete and well organized.

Facility

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) Met

Correction Deadline: 12/10/2018

Corrected on 4/23/2019

.25(3) - Correction of previous citation in that the consultant observed the restroom flooring and wall coverings to be repaired and in good condition.

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

Correction Deadline: 12/31/2018

Corrected on 4/23/2019

.26(7) - Correction of previous citation in that the consultant observed all equipment securely anchored.

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

Staff were observed to remind children to wash hands.

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

Comment

The center currently does not dispense or administer medication.

Safety

591-1-1-.05 Animals Met

Comment

Animals maintained clean and appropriately caged.

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

Comment

Staff were observed to maintain a positive learning environment 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) Not Met

Comment

Pleasant naptime environment observed.

Finding

591-1-1-.30(1)(b)4 requires that a light cover be available for each child's use on a cot or mat and shall be marked for individual use or laundered daily. If marked for individual use, they must be laundered weekly or more frequently if needed. It was determined based on an observation that a light cover was not provided to children in Classroom 2nd Right in Building 1 and Left Room in Building 2.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will ensure that a light cover is available for each child and will meet the requirements for laundering.

Correction Deadline: 4/23/2019

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| Staff Records |
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Records Reviewed: 9

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

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|--------------------------|-----|
| Staff # 1 | Met |
| Staff # 2 | Met |
| Date of Hire: 06/03/2013 | |
| Staff # 3 | Met |
| Staff # 4 | Met |
| Date of Hire: 05/29/2018 | |
| Staff # 5 | Met |
| Date of Hire: 10/05/1989 | |
| Staff # 6 | Met |
| Date of Hire: 10/04/1993 | |
| Staff # 7 | Met |
| Date of Hire: 01/17/2012 | |
| Staff # 8 | Met |
| Date of Hire: 01/07/2019 | |
| Staff # 9 | Met |
| Date of Hire: 03/03/2011 | |

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 9

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

Technical Assistance

Technical Assistance

591-1-1-.09(1)(j) - Please ensure all staff are electronically ported over in Decal Koala.

Correction Deadline: 4/23/2019

591-1-1-.14 First Aid & CPR **Met**

Comment

Evidence observed of 100% of center staff certified in First Aid and CPR.

591-1-1-.33 Staff Training **Met**

Comment

Documentation observed of required staff training for 2018.

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.