

## 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: 2/21/2018 Arrival: 10:35 AM Departure: 2:25 PM VisitType: Licensing Study

CCLC-26001

## **Kiddie Land Preschool**

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Quality Rated: 🤺

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Compliance Zone Designation				
02/21/2018	Licensing Study	Good Standing		
09/29/2017	Complaint Closure	Good Standing		
09/18/2017	Complaint Investigation 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

Building	Room	Age Group	Staff	Children	NC/C	Max 35 SF.	35 SF. Comp.	Max 25 SF.	25 SF. Comp.	Notes
Main	A-1st RT	One Year Olds	2	13	С	18	С	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	B-2nd RT	Two Year Olds	2	20	С	20	С	NA	NA	Centers
Main	C-1st Left	Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds	1	15	С	20	С	28	С	Circle Time
Main	D-Lft Wing (1st Left)	Infants and One Year Olds	1	5	С	7	С	NA	NA	Floor Play
Main	E-Lft Wing 2nd Left	Four Year Olds and Five Year Olds	1	17	С	21	С	29	С	Centers
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 8	6		Total C ft.: 102	apacity @	25 sq.			
Total # Cl	hildren this Date: 70	Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 8	6		Total C	apacity @	25 sq.	*		

ft.: 102

Playground Playground Building Playground Compliance Occupancy

### Comments

Follow up to the previous visit that was conducted on September 18, 2017 was completed on this date.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 02/21/2018

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: All employees of child care programs must be fingerprinted before January 1, 2017. For instructions and to submit records check applications online, please visit <a href="www.decalkoala.com">www.decalkoala.com</a>. 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.

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#### **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). Sign up for Quality Rated by June 30, 2018 in order to be eligible to receive a bonus package.

Get started today! Sign up by completing a short online application: <a href="https://qualityrated.decal.ga.gov/">https://qualityrated.decal.ga.gov/</a>
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>

Cindy Burgess, Program Official	Date	Colleen Covey, Consultant	Date



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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 Equipment was observed to be secured on this date. N/A 591-1-1-.35 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR) 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)

Met

#### Comment

No hazards observed accessible to children on this date.

## 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

CACFP Meal Pattern Requirements effective October 1, 2017 will be implemented October 1, 2018: 3 Components for breakfast: Grains, Vegetables, Fruits or both, Milk

5 Components for lunch – Grains, Meat/Meat alternates, Fruits, Vegetable, and Milk OR Grains, Meat/Meat alternates, 2 different types of vegetables, and Milk 2 of 5 Components for snack

Provided Updated CACFP Infant Meal pattern and Child/Adult Meal pattern flyers.

The Crediting Handbook for the CACFP can be located on DECAL and USDA's website:

DECAL

http://decal.ga.gov/CACFP/Handbook.aspx

USDA

http://www.fns.usda.gov/cacfp/cacfp-handbooks

### 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

Staff state proper knowledge of diapering procedures.

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

**Not Met** 

### **Finding**

591-1-1-17(7) requires that children wash their hands with liquid soap and warm running water upon arrival for care, when moving from one child care group to another, upon re-entering the child care area after outside play, before and after eating meals and snacks, handling or touching food, playing in water; after toileting and diapering, playing in sand, touching animals or pets, and contact with bodily fluids and after contamination by any other means. It was determined by consultant's observation that children in the one, two, and three year old classrooms did not wash their hands immediately prior to eating lunch.

### POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will train Staff on required handwashing for children and Staff will ensure children's hands are washed when required. The Director will monitor for compliance.

Correction Deadline: 2/21/2018

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

**Not Evaluated** 

#### Comment

The Director stated that no medication has been administered since the previous visit was conducted on September 18, 2017. (This rule was not evaluated on this date).

Safety

## 591-1-1-.05 Animals Met

### Comment

Center does not keep animals on premises.

## 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)

Met

### Comment

Complete documentation of transportation observed.

Annual vehicle inspections were observed completed as follows:

2004 Ford E350, Tag # B12 9647-August 11, 2017

2004 Ford E350, Tag # B1H 8860-September 1, 2017

# **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: 15 Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 1

Met

Date of Hire: 10/14/2015

Staff # 2

Met

Date of Hire: 06/20/2006

Staff #3

Met

Date of Hire: 01/01/2017

Staff #4

Met

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Records Reviewed: 15	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0
Date of Hire: 11/28/2016	
Staff # 5 Date of Hire: 02/27/2007	Met
Staff # 6 Date of Hire: 10/01/2012	Met
Staff # 7	Met
Staff # 8 Date of Hire: 02/05/2016	Met
Staff # 9 Date of Hire: 06/02/2011	Met
Staff # 10 Date of Hire: 02/02/2016	Met
Staff # 11 Date of Hire: 08/03/2015	Met
Staff # 12 Date of Hire: 01/05/2009	Met
Staff # 13 Date of Hire: 09/01/2013	Met
Staff # 14 Date of Hire: 05/01/2016	Met
Staff # 15 Date of Hire: 10/03/2016	Met

## 591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records Check(CR)

**Staff Credentials Reviewed: 15** 

Met

## Comment

Criminal records checks were observed to be complete for all fifteen staff employed on this date. No new staff have been hired since the previous visit was conducted on September 18, 2017.

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

Met

### Comment

Evidence observed of 50% of center staff certified in First Aid and CPR.

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

Met

## Comment

Documentation observed of required staff training for the 2017 year.

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

## Comment

Consultant observed staff comply with applicable laws and regulations on this date

# 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.