

# 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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## YMCA Pryme Tyme Haven Elementary School

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Good Standing

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Compliance Zone Designation

Licensing Study

Monitoring Visit

Licensing Study

**Quality Rated: No** 

12/11/2017

05/09/2017

10/18/2016

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

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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

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	Cafeteria	Four Year Olds and Five Year Olds and Six Year Olds and Over	3	23	С	54	С	NA	NA	Snack,Transitioni ng,Art
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 54	sq. ft.: 54			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				
Total # Children this Date: 23		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 54		Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0						

Building Playground		Occupancy	Compliance		
Main	Playground	25	С		

## Comments

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 12/11/2017

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 <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. 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) QUALITY" RATED CHILD CARE **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: https://gualityrated.decal.ga.gov/ 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:gualityrated@decal.ga.gov">gualityrated@decal.ga.gov</a> Date Date Tiffany Williams, Program Official Stacey Foston, Consultant



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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-.03 Activities Not Met

## Findina

591-1-1-.03(13) requires Center Staff to develop a daily schedule for each group to reflect routines and activities that is flexible but routinely followed to provide structure. The schedule must be posted in each group's room or area and made available to Parent(s) upon request. It was determined based on observations that the center did not have a daily schedule available for review.

## POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will develop a daily schedule for each age group, post the schedule in each room, and make it available to parents upon request. The Center will train Staff and monitor to ensure the schedules are followed and remain posted.

Correction Deadline: 12/12/2017

591-1-1-.12 Equipment & Toys(CR)

Met

Comment

No equipment hazards observed

591-1-1-.35 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

N/A

Comment

No Swimming Activities Provided

**Children's Records** 

Records Reviewed: 5 Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 3

Child # 1 Met

Child # 2 Not Met

#### **Records Reviewed: 5**

## **Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 3**

"Missing/Incomplete Components"

.08(1)-Emergency Contact information Missing

Child # 3 Not Met

"Missing/Incomplete Components"

.08(1)-Doctor, Clinic, Phone Numbers

Child # 4 Not Met

"Missing/Incomplete Components"

.08(1)-Allergies and Disabilities,.08(1)-Doctor, Clinic, Phone Numbers,.08(1)-Emergency Contact information Missing

Child # 5 Met

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

**Not Met** 

## **Finding**

591-1-1-.08(1) requires the Center Staff to maintain a file for each child while such child is in care and for one year after that child is no longer enrolled. In order for the file to be complete, the file shall contain the following: child's name, birth date, sex, address, living arrangement, name of school if applicable; names of both Parents, home and work addresses, and home and work telephone numbers; name(s) and addresses of the person(s) to whom the child may be released including address, telephone numbers, relationship to child and to Parent(s), and other identifying information; name(s) and telephone number(s) of person(s) to contact in emergencies when the Parent cannot be reached; name and telephone number of the child's primary source of health care; and a statement regarding known allergies, physical problems, mental health disorders, mental retardation or developmental disabilities which limit the child's participation in the program. It was determined based on a review of files that the five enrollment records reviewed on this date were incomplete. Two records were missing the child's physician number. Two files had incomplete emergency pick up information. One file did not have the child's allergy information documented.

## POI (Plan of Improvement)

Center staff will develop a plan that includes how to obtain all required information for currently enrolled children and how to ensure this is done for future enrollees as well. The plan will also include how and where to maintain files for the required amount of time. The plan will be implemented and followed.

Correction Deadline: 12/15/2017

Facility

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

Met

#### Comment

The school has completed renovations and an amendment will be have to be approved to remeasure the licensed capacity of the cafeteria.

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

Met

#### Comment

Observation-No Hazards Accessible

## 591-1-1-.25 Physical Plant-Structural/Mechanical

**Not Met** 

#### **Finding**

591-1-1-.25(19) prohibits the use of unapproved areas for children's activity. It was determined based on observations that the program was housed in the cafeteria that has not been approved for used by the Department. In addition the center is using the an unapproved playground.

POI (Plan of Improvement) The Center will submit all required documents to have an amendment processed to licensed the cited areas. Correction Deadline: 12/29/2017 591-1-1-.26 Playgrounds(CR) Met Comment Observation-Clean/Good Repair **Health and Hygiene** N/A 591-1-1-.10 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR) Comment There are no diapered children enrolled in this program. 591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR) Met Comment Observed-Proper Hand Washing Throughout 591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR) Met Comment The director states that the center does not dispense medication. **Policies and Procedures** 591-1-1-.21 Operational Policies & Procedures Met Comment 591-1-1-.21(3) - Observed documentation of drills. Correction Deadline: 12/16/2017 Safety

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

Comment

Observed-Discussion/Redirection

591-1-1-.13 Field Trips(CR) N/A

Comment

No Field Trips.

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

Comment

No Routine Transportation Provided

**Sleeping & Resting Equipment** 

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

Met

Comment

591-1-1-.30 - This is a before and after school only program. Children do not take naps at this program.

Staff Records

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

Met

#### Comment

Criminal Records Check complete

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

Met

#### Comment

Observed-50% Certified First Aid & CPR

#### Comment

Observed-Center Kit Complete

#### 591-1-1-.24 Personnel Records

**Not Met** 

#### **Findina**

591-1-1-.24(1) requires the center to maintain a personnel file on the Director, all Employees, Provisional Employees, Personnel, Staff, Students-in-Training, Volunteers, Clerical, Housekeeping, Maintenance, and other Support Staff for the duration of the term of employment plus one calendar year, and it shall contain the following: identifying information to include: name, date of birth, social security number, current address and current telephone number; employment history; as applicable to the position held: evidence of education and qualifying work experience; evidence of all training required by these rules which shall include: title of training, date of training, trainer's signature, location of training and number of clock hours obtained; a statement completed by the staff member that the information provided is true and accurate; any other records required by these rules; and as applicable to the position held, evidence of required orientation including date and signature of person providing the orientation; It was determined based on a review of records that employment history was missing for one staff member.

## POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will secure required information for all Personnel. The Center will ensure that complete information is in the personnel file for all Directors, Employees, Provisional Employees, Personnel, Staff, Students-in-Training, Volunteers, Clerical, Housekeeping, Maintenance and other Support Staff.

Correction Deadline: 12/16/2017

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

**Not Met** 

#### **Finding**

591-1-1-.33(3) requires each staff member with direct care responsibilities to complete health and safety training at the time of employment that will count toward required annual training: Staff employed prior to September 30, 2016 will complete the training by December 29, 2016 and Staff employed after September 30, 2016 will complete the health and safety training within the first 90 days of employment. It was determined based on observation that three staff members did not have documentation of the health and safety training.

#### POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will develop and implement a plan to schedule and track this training for all employees based on their hire dates.

Correction Deadline: 1/10/2018

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

Met

#### Comment

Director qualifications discussed.

Staffing and Supervision

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

Met

#### Comment

Observed-Appropriate Staff: Child Ratios

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

Met

## Comment

Observed-Adequate Supervision