

## 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:** 10/31/2017 VisitType: Licensing Study Arrival: 10:00 AM Departure: 11:30 AM

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standing, s	Good Standing	Licensing Study	10/31/2017	
Good Stan	Good Standing	Monitoring Visit	04/04/2017	
Support	Good Standing	Licensing Study	11/28/2016	
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ce Zone Designation - A summary measure of a program's 12 month monitoring it pertains to child care health and safety rules. The three compliance zones are good support, and deficient.

nding - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.

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.		25 SF. Comp.	Notes
Main	A		0	0	С	16	С	NA	NA	
Main	В	One Year Olds	1	1	С	10	С	NA	NA	Outside, Diaperin
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 2	6		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.	`		
Main 2	Е		0	0	С	21	С	NA	NA	
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 2	pacity @35 sq. ft.: 21 Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0							
Total # Cl	hildren this Date: 1	Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 4	7		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.	•		

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Playground A	51	С
Main	Playground B	5	С
Main	Playground C	106	С

#### Comments

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).



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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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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)

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Eula Duncan, Program Official	Date	Cresia Jackson, Consultant	Date



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### **Findings Report**

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## The following information is associated with a Licensing Study:

	Activities and Equipment
591-1-112 Equipment & Toys(CR)	Met
Comment	
Observed-Variety Throughout Center	
591-1-135 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)	Met
Comment	
No Swimming Activities Provided	
	Facility
591-1-119 License Capacity(CR)	Met
Comment	
Licensed Capacity Routinely Met	
591-1-125 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)	Met
Comment	
Observation-No Hazards Accessible	
591-1-126 Playgrounds(CR)	Met
Comment	
Observation-Clean/Good Repair	
	Health and Hygiene

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

**Technical Assistance** 

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Consultant discussed with director proper cleaning of changing pad.

Correction Deadline: 10/31/2017

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591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR) Met Comment Observed-Staff Remind Children Wash Hand 591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR) Met Comment Observed-Complete Documentation Safety 591-1-1-.11 Discipline(CR) Met Comment Observed-Positive Learning Environment 591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR) Met Comment **Observed-Complete Documentation Sleeping & Resting Equipment** 591-1-1-.30 Safe Sleeping and Resting Requirements(CR) Met Comment Correct number of mats; disinfecting discussed **Staff Records Records Reviewed: 5** Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 1 Staff # 1 Met Date of Hire: 08/14/2015 Staff # 2 Met Date of Hire: 05/23/2016 Staff #3 Not Met Date of Hire: 08/01/2017 "Missing/Incomplete Components" .09-Criminal Records Check Missing,.36(5)-Drivers License Missing Staff # 4 Met Staff #5 Met Date of Hire: 07/28/2016 Staff Credentials Reviewed: 5

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

**Not Met** 

#### **Finding**

591-1-1-.09(1)(a) requires the Center to ensure that every Director, Employee and Provisional Employee of the Child Care Learning Center has a satisfactory records check determination before the individual is present at the Center or before the individual resides in a Center. It was determined based on staff statement and review of file that one (1) employee hired since August, 2017 did not have evidence of a Satisfactory records check determination completed.

## POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will obtain the Required Satisfactory Records Check Determination before an individual is present at the Center while any child is present for care or before residing in a Center.

Correction Deadline: 10/31/2017

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

Comment

Lead staff education requirements

**Staffing and Supervision** 

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

Met

Met

Comment

Observed-Direct Supervision/Attentive Staff

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

Met

#### Comment

Observed-Adequate Supervision