



**Bright from the Start Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning  
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**Date:** 11/27/2017 **VisitType:** Monitoring Visit

**Arrival:** 10:00 AM

**Departure:** 11:40 AM

**CCLC-39173**

**Kids World Child Care and Learning Center**

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**Quality Rated:** No

<b>Compliance Zone Designation</b>			<b>Compliance Zone Designation</b> - 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.  <b>Good Standing</b> - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules. <b>Support</b> - Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting rules. <b>Deficient</b> - Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.
11/27/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
06/28/2017	Licensing Study	Good Standing	
12/21/2016	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	

**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 Right		0	0	C	15	C	21	C	
Main	A Right		0	0	C	15	C	21	C	
Main	B Left		0	0	C	10	C	NA	NA	
Main	B Left		0	0	C	10	C	NA	NA	
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 50						Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 62				
Total # Children this Date: 0			Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 50			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 62				

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
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**Comments**

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 11/27/2017

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).

	<p><b>Reminder:</b> All employees of child care programs must be fingerprinted before <b>January 1, 2017</b>. For instructions and to submit records check applications online, please visit <a href="http://www.decalkoala.com">www.decalkoala.com</a>. You are encouraged not to wait and to complete the process as soon as possible.</p>
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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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**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@decals.ga.gov](mailto:CCSRefutations@decals.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://decals.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.

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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: <https://qualityrated.decals.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 [qualityrated@decals.ga.gov](mailto:qualityrated@decals.ga.gov)

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Dorothy Strowbridge, Program Official \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Valarie Musselwhite, Consultant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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### Findings Report

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The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

### Activities and Equipment

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

**Met**

**Comment**

Observed-Variety Throughout Center

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

**Met**

**Comment**

No Swimming Activities Provided

### Facility

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

**Met**

**Comment**

Licensed Capacity Routinely Met

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

**Met**

**Comment**

Reminder-Keep Hazards Inaccessible when children are present.

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

**Met**

**Comment**

Reminded director that all broken toys should be removed from the playground.  
Observed grounds to be clean and in good repair. Variety of play toys on the playground.

### Health and Hygiene

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

**Met**

**Comment**

Staff Stated Proper Knowledge

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**591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR)** **Met**

**Comment**

No children present - hand washing discussed

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

**Comment**

Director stated no medication is being given.

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**Safety**

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

**Comment**

No children present - discipline discussed

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

**Comment**

No Routine Transportation Provided

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**Sleeping & Resting Equipment**

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

**Comment**

Correct number of mats; disinfecting discussed

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**Staff Records**

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**Records Reviewed: 2**

**Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 1**

Staff # 1

Not Met

Date of Hire: 06/12/2014

"Missing/Incomplete Components"

.09-Criminal Records Check Missing

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**Records Reviewed: 2**

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

Staff # 2

Met

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**Staff Credentials Reviewed: 2**

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**591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records Check(CR)** **Not Met**

**Correction Deadline: 6/29/2017**

**Corrected on 11/27/2017**

**.09(1)(d) - Correction of previous citation in that previously cited employee is not longer employed at the center.**

**Finding**

591-1-1-.09(1)(e) requires every Employee hired before January 1, 2014 have either a satisfactory Preliminary Records Check Determination or a satisfactory Fingerprint Records Check Determination on file and requires that Employees hired before January 1, 2014 that have only a satisfactory Preliminary Records Check Determination on file to obtain a Fingerprint Records Check Determination before January 1, 2017. It was determined, based on review of records, that one staff hired in July 2009 did not have a satisfactory Fingerprint Criminal Records Check Determination on file as required. It was further determined that a satisfactory Preliminary Records Check Determination was observed on file on this date.

**POI (Plan of Improvement)**

The Center will ensure that every employee hired before January 1, 2014 has a satisfactory preliminary determination or satisfactory fingerprint determination on file and will have a plan to ensure that these employees obtain a Fingerprint Records Check Determination before January 1, 2017.

**Correction Deadline: 11/28/2017**

**Recited on 11/27/2017**

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

**Comment**

Lead staff education requirements

<b>Staffing and Supervision</b>
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**591-1-1-.32 Staff:Child Ratios and Group Size(CR)** **Met**

**Comment**

No children present.

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

**Comment**

No children present.