

# 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: 5/3/2018 VisitType: Complaint Investigation & Arrival: 1:00 PM Departure: 2:50 PM

Monitoring Visit

**CCLC-47181** 

**Greater St. Peter Childcare Center** 

9540 Fayetteville Road Jonesboro, GA 30238 Clayton County

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**Mailing Address** 

Same

Quality Rated: No

## **Regional Consultant**

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Com	pliance Zone Desig	<u>gnation</u>	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									
05/03/2018	Complaint Closure	Good Standing	standing, support, and deficient.									
05/03/2018	Complaint Investigation & Monitoring Visit		Support	<ul> <li>g - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.</li> <li>- Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting</li> </ul>								
01/09/2018	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	Deficient	<ul><li>rules.</li><li>Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.</li></ul>								

#### 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 - Afterschool		0	0	С	16	С	23	С	-
main	B - infants - 1's	Infants and One Year Olds	1	5	С	10	С	NA	NA	Nap
main	C- 3 years old		0	0	С	8	С	NA	NA	
main	D - 2 year olds	Two Year Olds	1	6	С	8	С	NA	NA	Nap
main	F - 3's and 4's	Four Year Olds	1	7	С	9	С	13	С	Nap
main	G- 4's and up		0	0	С	7	С	10	С	
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 5	8		Total C ft.: 72	apacity @	25 sq.			

Total # Children this Date: 18 Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 58 Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 72

BuildingPlayground<br/>Playground<br/>OccupancyPlayground<br/>CompliancemainA- infants - 2 years16CmainB - 3's and up47C

#### 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).



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.

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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>

Joshulin Tyson, Program Official	Date	Katrina Maddox, Consultant	Date



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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

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.

**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

Comment

Center appears clean and well maintained.

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

Met

Comment

Playground observed to be clean and in good repair.

**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)

Met

Comment

Proper hand washing observed throughout the center.

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

Met

Comment

Discussed proper medication documentation and procedures. Per center director no medication is being dispensed.

Safety

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

Met

#### Comment

Children were observed to be napping during the visit.

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

**Not Met** 

#### **Finding**

591-1-1-.36(7)(d)2. requires that the second designated Staff person conduct a check of the vehicle immediately upon the completion of the first check of the vehicle. The responsible person shall physically walk through the entire vehicle; visually inspect all seat surfaces, under all seats and in all compartments or recesses in the vehicle's interior; and sign the passenger transportation checklist(s), indicating all of the children have exited the vehicle. There shall be continuous watchful oversight of the vehicle between the first check and second check. It was determined based on review of records that there were no second checks completed on Monday April 16, 2018 and Monday April 30, 2018.

#### POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will train Staff who are or may be involved in transporting children in how to thoroughly inspect a vehicle and properly complete transportation documentation. The Center will review and monitor.

Correction Deadline: 5/3/2018

Recited on 5/3/2018

## **Sleeping & Resting Equipment**

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

Met

#### Comment

Pleasant naptime environment observed.

Staff Records

### **Records Reviewed: 5**

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

Met

Date of Hire: 01/04/2018

Staff # 2

Staff # 1

Met

Staff #3

Met

Date of Hire: 11/29/1961

**Records Reviewed: 5** 

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 4

Date of Hire: 04/15/2016

Staff # 5

Date of Hire: 09/18/2012

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 5

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

Met

Met

### Comment

Criminal records checks were observed to be complete.

#### Comment

Director provided 2 file(s) for employees hired since last visit.

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

#### Comment

Discussed that all lead staff must enroll in an approved education program within 6 months of hire and complete degree within 18 months.

## **Staffing and Supervision**

Met

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

Met

Correction Deadline: 1/9/2018

#### Corrected on 5/3/2018

.32(1) - Consultant observed all chilren ages infant to 1 years of age present in the infant/toddler room. Citiation has been corrected.

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

Met

#### Comment

Staff observed to provide direct supervision and be attentive to children's needs.