



Bright from the Start Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning
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Atlanta, GA 30334
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Date: 6/13/2018 **VisitType:** Initial Licensing Study **Arrival:** 9:00 AM **Departure:** 3:00 PM

CCLC-48993

The Eagle's Nest

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Quality Rated: No

Compliance Zone Designation			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.
06/13/2018	Initial Licensing Study	Good Standing	
			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	Room A - 1L		0	0	C	26	C	NA	NA	
Main	Room B - 2L		0	0	C	11	C	NA	NA	
Main	Room C - 3L		0	0	C	10	C	NA	NA	
Main	Room D - 4R		0	0	C	11	C	NA	NA	
Main	Room E - 5R		0	0	C	9	C	NA	NA	
Main	Special Use		0	0	C	0	C	NA	NA	

Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 67

Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Total # Children this Date: 0

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Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Playground A	68	C

Comments

Congratulations this facility has been granted permission to operate on this date.

This licensed facility does not carry liability insurance, a sign is posted on the posted notice board.

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: All employees of child care programs must be fingerprinted before **January 1, 2017**. For instructions and to submit records check applications online, please visit www.decalkoala.com. You are encouraged not to wait and to complete the process as soon as possible.

You have received permission to operate and the form received with this report is intended to serve as a temporary license which is **valid for thirty(30) days**. Your actual license/ will be emailed to you upon receipt of the licensing fee. You may pay the licensing fee either online at <http://www.decalkoala.com> or by certified check or money order mailed to: Bright from the Start, 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE, Suite 670 East Tower, Atlanta, GA 30334

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@decalkoala.com.

- 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://decalkoala.com/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)



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.decalkoala.com/>
Request free technical assistance to help you earn your star rating by contacting the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or qualityrated@decalkoala.com

Sandra Elliott, Program Official

Date

Angela Byrd, Consultant

Date



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Findings Report

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The following information is associated with a Initial Licensing Study:

Activities and Equipment

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

Met

Comment

Discussed adding equipment and toys to enhance variety in all classrooms.

Comment

On this date, Consultant observed equipment, furniture and toys throughout the Center, to be non - hazardous, fully - secured, and not able to cause injury from tipping, falling, or being pulled or pushed over.

Correction Deadline: 6/12/2018

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

Met

Comment

On this date, the Owner stated that the program will not participate in Swimming/water activities, in water measuring two (2) feet in depth or greater. Consultant discussed Swimming/water requirements with the Owner prior to the visit and on this date. Consultant also stated to the Owner that prior to participating in Swimming/water activities, in any type of equipment holding water two (2) feet in depth or greater, the Center is required to contact the assigned Bright from the Start: Regional Consultant, to discuss and review Swimming/water activity Rules.

Facility

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

Met

Comment

The program has the following capacity limitations: Classroom D only has three (3) cribs so only three infants should be enrolled. Once Owner purchase more cribs, Bright from the Start regional consultant should be contacted in order to complete an amendment.

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

Met

Comment

Please be mindful to keep items that pose a hazard inaccessible to children.

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

Consultant observed ant beds which were treated. Please ensure all ant beds continue to be treated.

Correction Deadline: 6/13/2018

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://dec.al.ga.gov/CACFP/Handbook.aspx>

USDA

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

Health and Hygiene

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

There were no children enrolled in the program on this date. Proper diaper facilities were observed with warm running water and proper ventilation.

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

There were no children enrolled on this date. Proper hand washing of children and staff was discussed with the Owner on this date.

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

Center Owner stated that no medications is being administered at this time. Consultant discussed Medication requirements with Center Director and Owner, prior to the visit and on this date.

Safety

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

There were no children enrolled on this date. The center's discipline policy was reviewed on this date.

Regulations regarding proper discipline were discussed with the director on this date. Owner stated redirection would be used as a form of discipline.

Comment

The Owner stated that the Center will not provide routine Transportation and Field Trips at this time. Consultant discussed with Owner, all requirements needed in order to transport and conduct field trips with children. Consultant also stated to Owner that prior to providing Transportation and/or Field Trips, the Center is required to complete and maintain documentation of current CPR and First - Aid Training, as well as two (2) clock hours of Transportation Training, regarding the Center Director and all Center Staff participating in any aspect of Transportation, and ensure all Transportation/Field Trip checklists/forms and vehicle requirements are met. Further, Consultant stated to Owner, that prior to providing Transportation and/or Field Trips, the Center is required to contact the assigned Bright from the Start: Regional Consultant, to discuss and review all Transportation and Field Trip requirements.

Sleeping & Resting Equipment

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

Met

Comment

On this date, Consultant observed three (3) of three (3) cribs used for sleeping and resting, to meet Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) and American Society for Testing and Materials International (ASTM) safety standards, manufactured date January 2016. Consultant also discussed all Infant Safe Sleeping and Resting requirements with Center Director, prior to the visit and on this date.

Correction Deadline: 6/22/2018

Staff Records

Records Reviewed: 9**Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0**

Staff # 1	Met
Date of Hire: 06/06/2018	
 Staff # 2	 Met
Date of Hire: 06/13/2018	
 Staff # 3	 Met
Date of Hire: 06/13/2018	
 Staff # 4	 Met
Date of Hire: 06/13/2018	
 Staff # 5	 Met
Date of Hire: 06/13/2018	
 Staff # 6	 Met
Date of Hire: 06/13/2018	
 Staff # 7	 Met
Date of Hire: 06/13/2018	
 Staff # 8	 Met
Date of Hire: 06/13/2018	

Records Reviewed: 9

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 9

Met

Date of Hire: 06/13/2018

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 9

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

Met

Comment

On this date, Consultant observed a Satisfactory Gelmato COGENT Criminal Records Check Determination letter, regarding nine (9) of nine (9) Center Employees. Consultant also discussed all Gelmato COGENT Criminal Records Check requirements with Center Owner, prior to the visit and on this date.

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

Met

Comment

On this date, Consultant observed Staff qualifications to meet requirements. Consultant also discussed with Center Director/Owner that all newly hired Lead Staff without qualifying educational credential, must enroll in an approved education program within six (6) months of Licensing/employee hire date, and complete the program within 18 months of Licensing/employee hire date.

Staffing and Supervision

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

Met

Comment

There were no children enrolled on this date. Proper ratios and classroom capacities were discussed with the director on this date.

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

Met

Comment

A supervision plan was created on this date for the playground and bathroom.

Comment

There were no children enrolled on this date. Proper supervision of children, including being prompt to children's needs, was discussed with the director on this date.