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Date: 10/23/2017 **VisitType:** Monitoring Visit

Arrival: 1:20 PM

Departure: 3:15 PM

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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. 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.
10/23/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
05/11/2017	Licensing Study	Good Standing	
11/30/2016	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	100 A	Three Year Olds	2	12	C	21	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	200 B	Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds	2	13	C	21	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	300 C		0	0	C	19	C	NA	NA	
Main	400 D	Four Year Olds and Five Year Olds	2	13	C	20	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	500 E	Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds	2	13	C	20	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	600 F	PreK	2	21	C	20	NC	NA	NA	Nap
Main	700 G	Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds	2	14	C	21	C	NA	NA	Circle Time
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 142			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0							
Portable	800 H		0	0	C	20	C	NA	NA	
Portable	900 I		0	0	C	20	C	NA	NA	
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 40			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0							
Total # Children this Date: 86			Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 182			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
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Comments

Follow up to the previous Licensing Study that was conducted on May 11, 2017 was completed on this date.

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.

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@decga.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://decga.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)

Delaine Murphy, Program Official

Date

Colleen Covey, 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

Equipment was observed to be secured on this date.

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

N/A

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

Observation-No Hazards Accessible

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

Met

Comment

Observation-Clean/Good Repair

Health and Hygiene

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

Met

Comment

The center does not serve diapered children.

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

Observed-Proper Hand Washing Throughout

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

Observed-Complete Documentation

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

Observed-Positive Learning Environment

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

No Field Trips at This Time

591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR)	N/A
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Comment

No Routine Transportation Provided

	Sleeping & Resting Equipment
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591-1-1-.30 Safe Sleeping and Resting Requirements(CR)	Met
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Comment

Observed-Pleasant Naptime Environment

Infant sleep safety rules are not applicable as the center does not serve infants.

	Staff Records
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Records Reviewed: 22	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0
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Staff # 1	Met
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Date of Hire: 08/19/2004

Staff # 2	Met
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Date of Hire: 07/01/2017

Staff # 3	Met
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Date of Hire: 08/30/2017

Staff # 4	Met
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Date of Hire: 09/03/2002

Staff # 5	Met
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Date of Hire: 01/03/2007

Staff # 6	Met
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Date of Hire: 02/11/2013

Staff # 7

Met

Date of Hire: 12/10/2011

Staff # 8

Met

Date of Hire: 02/18/2017

Staff # 9

Met

Date of Hire: 09/13/2016

Staff # 10

Met

Date of Hire: 07/18/2013

Staff # 11

Met

Date of Hire: 08/22/2017

Staff # 12

Met

Date of Hire: 02/13/2016

Staff # 13

Met

Date of Hire: 07/22/2016

Staff # 14

Met

Date of Hire: 07/28/2014

Staff # 15

Met

Date of Hire: 09/19/2001

Staff # 16

Met

Date of Hire: 10/23/2000

Staff # 17

Met

Date of Hire: 02/12/2003

Staff # 18

Met

Date of Hire: 11/04/2013

Staff # 19

Met

Date of Hire: 07/23/2004

Staff # 20

Met

Date of Hire: 08/30/2017

Staff # 21

Met

Date of Hire: 08/02/2006

Records Reviewed: 22

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 22

Met

Date of Hire: 07/25/2011

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 22

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

Met

Comment

Criminal Records Check complete for all twenty two staff members employed on this date, which includes four new staff members added since the previous visit on May 11, 2017.

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

Met

Comment

Consultant observed staff comply with applicable laws and regulations on this date.

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