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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)

Bernadette Williams, Program Official

Date

Coty Cummings, Consultant

Date



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Findings Report

Date: 9/22/2017 **VisitType:** Licensing Study **Arrival:** 9:10 AM **Departure:** 10:20 AM

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The following information is associated with a Licensing Study:

Activities and Equipment

290-2-3-.12 Equipment and Supplies(CR)

Met

Comment

Observed-Variety Of Equipment.
Equipment was observed to be secured on this date.

290-2-3-.19 Infant-Sleeping Safety Requirements(CR)

Met

Comment

SIDS rules observed to be met.

290-2-3-.07 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

Met

Comment

No Swimming Activities Provided

Children's Records

Records Reviewed: 4

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Child # 1	Met
Child # 2	Met
Child # 3	Met
Child # 4	Met

290-2-3-.08 Children's Records

Met

Correction Deadline: 1/24/2017

Corrected on 9/22/2017

Previous citation observed corrected. All children's records observed to be complete.

Correction Deadline: 1/25/2017

Corrected on 9/22/2017

Previous citation observed corrected. Consultant observed the signed safe sleep practices for the infant enrolled.

Facility

290-2-3-.11 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)

Met

Comment

Observed a working smoke detector and operable fire extinguisher.
Documentation of fire and tornado drills were observed.

Comment

Reminder-Keep Hazards Inaccessible

290-2-3-.13 Physical Plant-Structural/Mechanical(CR)

Met

Comment

Home observed to be clean on this date.

290-2-3-.13 Playgrounds(CR)

Technical Assistance

Technical Assistance

Discussed with provider having a four foot barrier around the air conditioner unit.

Correction Deadline: 9/22/2017

Food Service

290-2-3-.10 Food Service & Nutrition

Met

Comment

Please ensure bottles are labeled with full name.

Correction Deadline: 9/22/2017

Health and Hygiene

290-2-3-.11 Children's Health and Hygiene(CR)

Met

Comment

Proper hand washing observed.

290-2-3-.11 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR)

Met

Comment

Staff Stated Proper Knowledge

290-2-3-.11 Medications(CR)

Met

Comment

No medication administered per the provider.

Licensure

290-2-3-.04 Application Requirements(CR) **Met**

Comment

Appropriate number of children

Safety and Discipline

290-2-3-.11 Discipline(CR) **Met**

Comment

Pleasant Interactions Observed

290-2-3-.11 First Aid Kit **Met**

Comment

Observed Kit Complete

290-2-3-.11 Transportation(CR) **Met**

Comment

No Routine Transportation Provided

Staff Records

290-2-3-.21 Criminal Records Check(CR) **Met**

Comment

Criminal Records Check complete

290-2-3-.07 First Aid & CPR **Met**

Comment

Observed-Provider Certified First Aid & CPR

290-2-3-.07 Staff Qualifications(CR) **Met**

Comment

Staff qualifications/compliance with law

Staff:Child Ratios and Supervision

290-2-3-.07 Staff:Child Ratios(CR) **Met**

Comment

Appropriate Ratios Observed

290-2-3-.07 Supervision(CR) **Met**

Comment

Observed-Direct Supervision/Attention To Needs