

# 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: 1/16/2018 VisitType: Licensing Study Arrival: 9:10 AM Departure: 10:10 AM

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Quality Rated: No

Compliance Zone Designation					
01/16/2018	Licensing Study	Good Standing			
08/10/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing			
01/30/2017	Licensing Study	Good Standing			

**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.

Peficient - Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting

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#### Ratios/License Capacity

Age Ranges	Children Present	Child For Pay	CAPS	Not for Pay	Provider Children
Infant (0-11 mos)	0	0	0	0	0
1 & 2 Years	0	0	0	0	0
3 & 4 Years	0	0	0	0	0
School Age(5+) Years	0	0	0	0	0
Total Under 13 Years	0	0	0	0	0
Total Under 18 Years	0				

Children Present: 0 Total Children: 0

Caregivers/Helpers Present: 1 Total Caregivers/Helpers: 3

#### 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 Cal programs on accessing and retrieving from the Georgia Bureau of Investigation's (GBI) websit sexual offenders. Please see GBI's website located at http://gbi.georgia.gov to access the Ge	e a list of the names and addresses of all registered
Refutation Process:	
You have the right to refute any of the citations noted in this report with which you disagree. Tinformation to CCSRefutations@decal.ga.gov.	o refute a citation(s), e-mail the following
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) when 3) Specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, along with your concerns or questions regarding.	
Refutations must be submitted to Child Care Services (CCS) within 10 business days of the co	mpletion date.
A sample form for submitting a refutation can be found at: <a href="http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareService">http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareService</a>	es/RefutationInformation.aspx
Your refutation will be forwarded to the appropriate CCS manager, who will follow up with you a about this process, contact our office at 404-657-5562.	about your concerns. If you have any questions
Bright from the Start recommends that all licensed child care providers carry liability insurance not have this liability insurance, you are required to post a notice with ½ inch letters in a consp guardian of each child in care in writing, obtain their signature to acknowledge receipt and mai program at all times while the child attends the program and for 12 months after the child's las	ocuous location in the program, notify the parent or intain this written acknowledgment on file at the
QUALITY" RATED CHILD CARE	CAPS FUNCTIONAL DAMES
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### **Findings Report**

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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

A variety of equipment and toys were observed.

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

Met

Comment

Discussed safe sleep requirements on this date.

Correction Deadline: 1/16/2018

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

Met

Comment

Home does not provide swimming activities.

**Children's Records** 

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

**Technical Assistance** 

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Please ensure that immunizations are updated on all children as two had recently expired. In addition, please have the liability statement signed for a newly enrolled child.

Correction Deadline: 1/16/2018

Facility

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

Met

#### Comment

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

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

Met

#### Comment

The Home appears clean and free from hazards.

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

**Technical Assistance** 

#### **Technical Assistance**

Please monitor the wooden post leading up the ramp as areas were observed to be chipping wood.

**Food Service** 

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

**Technical Assistance** 

#### **Technical Assistance**

Please ensure tat bottles are labeled with the children's name and made by the parents daily for the enrolled children.

Correction Deadline: 1/16/2018

# **Health and Hygiene**

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

Met

#### Comment

Hand washing procedures discussed on this date.

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

Met

#### Comment

Staff state proper knowledge of diapering procedures.

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

Met

#### Comment

Discussed proper medication documentation and procedures as the provider stated that medication has not been dispensed.

Licensure

#### 290-2-3-.04 Application Requirements(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Appropriate number of children observed in Family Child Care Learning Home this date. Five children for pay present on this date.

# **Safety and Discipline**

#### 290-2-3-.11 Discipline(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Age-appropriate discussion and/or redirection observed.

## 290-2-3-.11 Transportation(CR)

Met

#### Comment

The provider does not provide routine transportation.

## **Staff Records**

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

Met

#### Comment

Criminal records checks were observed to be complete.

## 290-2-3-.07 Staff Qualifications(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Discussed staff qualifications and compliance with applicable laws and regulations.

# **Staff: Child Ratios and Supervision**

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

Met

#### Comment

Appropriate ratios were observed on this date.

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

Met

#### Comment

Adequate supervision observed on this date.