

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: 8/8/2018 VisitType: Licensing Study Arrival: 12:45 PM Departure: 1:45 PM

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Quality Rated: No

Compliance Zone Designation				
08/08/2018	Licensing Study	Good Standing		
02/20/2018	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing		
09/26/2017	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.

 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

Age Ranges	Children Present	Child For Pay	CAPS	Not for Pay	Provider Children
Infant (0-11 mos)	2	2	0	0	0
1 & 2 Years	2	1	0	2	0
3 & 4 Years	1	3	0	0	0
School Age(5+) Years	1	1	0	0	0
Total Under 13 Years	6	7	0	2	0
Total Under 18 Years	6		-		

Children Present: 6 Total Children: 9

Caregivers/Helpers Present: 2 Total Caregivers/Helpers: 1

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 www.decalkoala.com. You are encouraged not to wait and to complete the process as soon as possible.

.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 ograms on accessing and retrieving from the Georgia Bureau of Investigation's (GBI) website a list of the names and addresses of all regist	ered				
exual offenders. Please see GBI's website located at http://gbi.georgia.gov to access the Georgia Sex Offender Registry.					
futation Process:					
u 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 ormation to CCSRefutations@decal.ga.gov.					
Facility name, license number and visit date Your name, title/relationship to the facility, e-mail address & up to two phone number(s) where you can be reached Specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, along with your concerns or questions regarding the rule citation					
futations 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://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx					
ur refutation will be forwarded to the appropriate CCS manager, who will follow up with you about your concerns. If you have any questions out this process, contact our office at 404-657-5562.					
right from the Start recommends that all licensed child care providers carry liability insurance coverage sufficient to protect its clients. If you at 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 lardian of each child in care in writing, obtain their signature to acknowledge receipt and maintain this written acknowledgment on file at the ogram 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	t or				
QUALITY" RATED CHILD CARE					
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.decal.ga.gov/ Request free technical assistance to help you earn your star rating by contacting the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or qualityrated@decal.ga.gov					

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Findings Report

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The following information is associated with a Licensing Study:

	Activities and Equipment
290-2-312 Equipment and Supplies(CR)	Met
Comment A variety of equipment and toys were observed.	
290-2-319 Infant-Sleeping Safety Requirements(CR)	Met
Comment Pleasant naptime environment observed.	
290-2-307 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)	Met
Comment Home does not provide swimming activities.	
	Facility
290-2-311 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)	Met
Comment No hazards observed accessible to children on this date.	
290-2-313 Physical Plant-Structural/Mechanical(CR)	Met
Comment The Home appears clean and free from hazards.	
290-2-313 Playgrounds(CR)	Met
Comment The outside area appears clean and well maintained.	
	Health and Hygiene

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

Met

Comment

Staff state proper knowledge of diapering procedures.

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

Met

Comment

The provider stated appropriate diapering procedures.

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

Met

Comment

Per provider this FDCH does not dispense medication.

Licensure

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

Met

Comment

Appropriate number of children observed in Family Child Care Learning Home this date. Provider was caring for 6 children on this date.

Safety and Discipline

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

Met

Comment

Pleasant interactions observed between the provider and children in care.

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

Consultant requested to view all Criminal Record checks for employees hired after last visit. Provider stated that there have been no new hires since last visit

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

Met

Comment

Staff observed to be compliant 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

The Provider was observed directly supervising and being attentive to the needs of the children.