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VisitType: Licensing Study

Quality Rated: No

Compliance Zone Designation - A summary measure of a program's 12 month monitoring Compliance Zone Designation history, as it pertains to child care health and safety rules. The three compliance zones are good Good Standing 11/07/2022 Licensing Study standing, support, and deficient. 05/31/2022 Good Standing Monitoring Visit Good Standing - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules. 11/22/2021 Licensing Study Good Standing 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

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

Comments

An in-person inspection was conducted on November 07, 2022 with the Provider. Background checks were all reviewed on November 07, 2022.

An Administrative Review was conducted on November 07, 2022. Staff files, children's files, and training documentation were all reviewed.

The Consultant completed the exit conference, and a copy of the Licensing Study Visit report was given to the Provider on November 07, 2022.

Plan of Improvement: No Plan Developed 01/01/0001

Arrival: 12:35 PM Departure: 1:25 PM

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).



Please refer to the website, http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx, for information regarding October 1, 2018 rule changes about Criminal Records Checks that may affect your facility. In summary,

- New records checks will be required to be completed if a staff member experiences a six month break in service from the child care industry
- New clearance is required at least once every five years
- Any staff member solely responsible for supervising children will be required to have completed a comprehensive background clearance
- All staff members are required to have completed at least a national fingerprint based clearance check
- Any staff member with only the national fingerprint based clearance, must be under constant and direct supervision of a staff member with a satisfactory comprehensive records check clearance
- Facilities are required to use DECAL KOALA for Criminal Records Checks, including to verify portability of an employee





Important Quality Rated/CAPS Update:

As January 1, 2022, child care providers must be Quality Rated to receive Childcare and Parent Services (CAPS). Newly licensed, or new to CAPS providers may be eligible for the new CAPS/QR Provisional Status, allowing for scholarships while working toward a star rating.

Contact the Quality Rated help desk a1 855-800-7747 or <u>qualityrated@decal.ga.gov</u> for more information. Free techincal assistance is available!

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), do the following:

1) Log into DECAL KOALA <u>www.decalkoala.com</u> with the userid for your program

2) On the home page scroll down to the Inspection Reports and select 'Refute Citation' for the visit report in dispute

3) Select the specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, add the reason for disagreement regarding the rule citation, and upload supporting documentation

4) Submit the refutation in DECAL KOALA to Child Care Services (CCS) within 10 business days of the completion date.

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)

Fannie Robinson, Program Official

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The following information	n is associated with a L	icensing Study:					
			Activitie	s and Equ	ipment		
290-2-312 Equipment ar	nd Supplies(CR)				Met		
Comment A variety of equipment and	toys were observed.						
290-2-319 Infant-Sleepir	ng Safety Requirements	s(CR)			Met		
Comment Pleasant naptime environm	nent observed.						
290-2-307 Swimming Po	ools & Water-related Ac	tivities(CR)			N/A		
Comment Home does not provide sw	vimming activities.						
					Facility		
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290-2-311 Physical Plan	it - Safe Environment(C	K)			Met		
Comment An operable and appropria	ately sized fire extinguishe	er was observed in th	ne home this da	ate.			
Comment Operable smoke detector(s	s) were observed as requ	ired in the home this	date.				
290-2-313 Physical Plan	nt-Structural/Mechanica	I(CR)			Met		
Comment The Home appears clean a	and free from hazards.						
290-2-313 Playgrounds((CR)				Met		
Comment The outside area appears	clean and well maintaine	d.					
		.	Не	alth and H	ygiene		

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

Comment

Staff state proper knowledge of hand washing and hygiene procedures.

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

Comment

Staff state proper knowledge of diapering procedures.

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

Comment

Per the provider no medication is currently dispensed

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

Comment

Appropriate number of children observed in Family Child Care Learning Home this date.

	Safety and Discipline
290-2-311 Animals	N/A
Comment The Family Child Care Learning Home does not keep animals on premises.	
290-2-311 Discipline(CR)	Met
Comment Age-appropriate discussion and/or redirection observed.	
290-2-311 Transportation(CR)	N/A
Comment	

Comment

The provider does not provide routine transportation.

Staff: Child Ratios and Supervision

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

Comment

Appropriate ratios were observed on this date.

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

Comment

Adequate supervision observed on this date.

Met

Met

N/A

Met

Licensure

Met

Met