

# 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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### **Cover Sheet**

**Date:** 9/27/2021 **VisitType:** Monitoring Visit **Arrival:** 2:25 PM **Departure:** 3:25 PM

CCLC-2155 Regional Consultant

### WEE CARE (Weekday Early Education)

**Compliance Zone Designation** 

Complaint

Investigation & Monitoring Visit

Monitoring Visit

Licensing Study

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Good Standing

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**Mailing Address** 

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Quality Rated: No

09/27/2021

08/02/2021

03/10/2021

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.

Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting

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Deficient

the rules.

### 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	Left Hallway-2L		0	0	С	11	С	NA	NA	
Main	1L	Two Year Olds	1	6	С	12	С	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	1R	One Year Olds	1	1	С	7	С	NA	NA	Diapering
Main	2R	One Year Olds	1	5	С	9	С	NA	NA	Snack
Main	3R		0	0	С	7	С	NA	NA	
Main	3rd Left		0	0	С	0	С	23	С	
Main	4R		0	0	С	12	С	NA	NA	
Main	Left Hallway-1L	Three Year Olds	1	10	С	11	С	NA	NA	Free Play
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 6	9		Total C ft.: 76	apacity @	25 sq.			

Total # Children this Date: 22 Total

Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 69

Total Capacity @25 sq.

ft.: 76

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	PG-1	179	C

#### Comments

A Virtual Complaint Investigation/Monitoring Visit was completed due to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

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).

Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning

Revision #1

Revision Date: 11/29/2021 2:25:21 PM



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 New Deadlines:**

Due to the ongoing COVID restrictions, the deadline to become Quality Rated for programs who want to continue to receive Childcare and Parent Services (CAPS), has been extended to at least December 31, 2021.

Get started today! Sign up by completing a short online application: https://gualityrated.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

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@decal.ga.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: <a href="http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx">http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx</a>

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)

Brandie Wallin, Program Official	Date	Chasity Baugh, Consultant	Date



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### The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

	Activities and Equipment
591-1-112 Equipment & Toys(CR)	Met
Comment	
Equipment and furniture observed to be properly secured, as applicable	
591-1-135 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)	N/A
Comment	
Center does not provide swimming activities.	
	Facility
	-
591-1-106 Bathrooms	Met
Comment	
Bathrooms observed to be clean and well maintained.	
591-1-119 License Capacity(CR)	Met
Comment	
Licensed capacity observed to be routinely met by center.	
591-1-125 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)	Met
Comment	
No hazards observed accessible to children on this date.	
591-1-126 Playgrounds(CR)	Met
Comment	
Playground observed to be clean and in good repair.	
	Health and Hygiene

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

Met

Comment

Staff state proper knowledge of diapering procedures.

### 591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR)

Met

Comment

Staff were observed to remind children to wash hands.

# 591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR)

N/A

Comment

The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication.

Safety

### 591-1-1-.11 Discipline(CR)

Met

Comment

A Virtual Visit was conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Discipline was not directly observed during the virtual walk through. Regulations regarding proper discipline were discussed with the Provider on this date.

### 591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR)

N/A

Comment

Center does not provide routine transportation.

# **Sleeping & Resting Equipment**

# 591-1-1-.30 Safe Sleeping and Resting Requirements(CR)

Met

Comment

Discussed SIDS and infant sleeping position.

**Staff Records** 

### **Records Reviewed: 13**

# Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 1

Met

Date of Hire: 09/25/2019

Staff # 2

0/20/2010

Date of Hire: 09/07/2021

Met

Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90

calendar days of hired

Staff # 3

Met

Date of Hire: 07/29/2021

Staff # 4

Met

Date of Hire: 09/25/2019

Staff #5

Met

Date of Hire: 08/24/2021

Staff #6

Met

Records Reviewed: 13 Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Date of Hire: 09/07/2021 Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90

calendar days of hired

Staff # 7 Met

Date of Hire: 08/02/2021

Staff # 8 Met

Date of Hire: 06/07/2019

Staff # 9 Met

Date of Hire: 10/10/2019

Staff # 10 Met

Date of Hire: 05/24/2021

Staff # 11 Met

Date of Hire: 09/25/2019

Staff # 12 Met

Date of Hire: 09/27/2021 Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90

calendar days of hired

Staff # 13 Met

Date of Hire: 03/11/2019

### Staff Credentials Reviewed: 1

### 591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records and Comprehensive Background Checks(CR)

Met

### Comment

Criminal record checks were observed to be complete.

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

### Comment

Staff observed to be compliant with applicable laws and regulations.

# **Staffing and Supervision**

# 591-1-1-.32 Staff:Child Ratios and Group Size(CR)

Met

### Comment

Center observed to maintain appropriate staff:child ratios.

# 591-1-1-.32 Supervision(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Staff observed to provide direct supervision and be attentive to children's needs.