



**Bright from the Start Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning
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Date: 5/15/2023 **VisitType:** TA Follow Up **Arrival:** 10:50 AM **Departure:** 11:50 AM

CCLC-50239

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Quality Rated: No

Compliance Zone Designation			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. Deficient - Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.
05/15/2023	TA Follow Up	Good Standing	
04/17/2023	TA Follow Up	Good Standing	
03/21/2023	Complaint Closure	Good Standing	

Ratios/License Capacity

Building	Room	Age Group	Max 35 SF.	Max 25 SF.
Main	102	Infants	17	NA
Main	103	Infants	19	NA
Main	104	One Year Olds	20	NA
Main	107	Two Year Olds	22	NA
Main	111	Three Year Olds	17	NA
Main	112	Three Year Olds	17	NA
Main	119	Four Year Olds	18	NA
Main	120	Four Year Olds	18	NA
Main	A-1st Left		12	NA
Main	B-5th Left		20	NA
Main	C-5th Far Back Right Side		24	NA
Main	D-4th Far Right Side		18	NA
Main	E-3rd Far Right Side		20	NA
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 242			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0	
Total # Children this Date: 79			Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 242	Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
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Comments

The TA consultant conducted a Mock TA visit on this date.

Strength Based TA

Plan of Improvement:

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.dec.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

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 www.decalkoala.com 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)



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 at 1 855-800-7747 or qualityrated@dec.ga.gov for more information. Free technical assistance is available!

Taylor Cain, Program Official

Date

La Tonya Bonner, Consultant

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Facility						
Rule: 591-1-1-.26(9) - (9) Safety and Upkeep of Playground. Playgrounds shall be kept clean, free from litter and free of hazards, such as but not limited to rocks, exposed tree roots and exposed sharp edges of concrete.						
S.M.A.R.T Goal: To ensure that the playground is free and clear of hazards.						
Step Number	Action Step	Person Responsible	Due Date	Status	Completion Date	Action Taken
1	The center director will ensure that all weeds, vines and brush are trimmed back from underneath the iron fence. Please work on a plan for the brush growing over the fence from the bushes that are not on your property.	Center director	05/31/2023	In-Progress		
Materials Needed:						
Resources Provided:						