

# 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: 5/3/2022 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 2:35 PM Departure: 4:00 PM

# CCLC-17644

## **WORLD LANGUAGE ACADEMY YMCA KIDS' TIME**

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**Quality Rated: No** 

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Con	<u>ipliance Zone Desi</u>	<u>gnation</u>		one Designation - A summary measure of a program's 12 month monitoring rains to child care health and safety rules. The three compliance zones are good
05/03/2022	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	standing, suppo	, , ,
12/13/2021	Licensing Study	Good Standing	Good Standing	<ul> <li>Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.</li> </ul>
05/18/2021	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	Support	<ul> <li>Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting rules.</li> </ul>
			Deficient	<ul> <li>Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.</li> </ul>

## 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	Cafeteria	Four Year Olds and Five Year Olds and Six Year Olds and Over	2	26	С	43	С	NA	NA	Centers,Transitio ning,Snack
Main	Computer Lab- #521		0	0	С	21	С	NA	NA	
Main	Gym		0	0	С	146	С	NA	NA	
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 60	)		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.	Building @35 capacity Centers Request		city limited by
Total # Children this Date: 26		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 60	)		Total C	apacity @	25 sq.			

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Playground	116	С

#### Comments

On this date, consultant followed up to previous visit and conducted an on-site monitoring visit. Consultant requested provider submit required documents for the Administrative Review process.

Reminders: Please be sure to contact the Hall County Department of Health if there are positive COVID-19 cases immediately and get their guidance. Please also complete a Required Report in DECAL KOALA for all communicable diseases within 24 hours. Be sure to select "Notifiable Communicable Diseases" to report closures for COVID cases.

Please be sure to enter all temporary closures in DECAL KOALA under the Required Report tab whenever your facility closed temporarily for one day or more.

Incident Reports are to be submitted via DECAL KOALA with all signed staff statements for staff and the director.

As of August 2, 2021, all amendments are required to be entered in DECAL KOALA.

Please be sure to hide staff who are no longer employed in your DECAL KOALA account. Please reach out for help with this, if needed.

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).



Please refer to the website, <a href="http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx">http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx</a>, 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 at 855-800-7747 or <a href="mailto:qualityrated@decal.ga.gov">qualityrated@decal.ga.gov</a> 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 ye	ou disagree. To refute a citation(s), do the following:					
1) Log into DECAL KOALA <a href="www.decalkoala.com">www.decalkoala.com</a> 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)							
Callie David, Program Official	Date	Dianne Clarke, Consultant	Date				



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# The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

# **Activities and Equipment**

591-1-1-.12 Equipment & Toys(CR)

Comment

A variety of equipment and toys were observed throughout the center.

591-1-1-.35 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

Met

Met

Comment

Center does not provide swimming activities.

Facility 1

591-1-1-.19 License Capacity(CR)

Met

Comment

Licensed capacity observed to be routinely met by center.

591-1-1-.25 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)

**Technical Assistance** 

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591-1-1-.25(13) - Please ensure that toilet plungers are not accessible to the children in the bathrooms.

Correction Deadline: 5/3/2022

591-1-1-.26 Playgrounds(CR)

Met

Comment

Discussed maintenance of resilient surface. Please fluff and redistribute.

**Health and Hygiene** 

# 591-1-1.10 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR) Met Comment No children enrolled who require diapering. School age children attend only for after school hours. 591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR) Met Comment Proper hand washing observed throughout the center. 591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR) Met Comment The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication. **Policies and Procedures** 591-1-1-.21 Operational Policies & Procedures Met Correction Deadline: 12/18/2021 Corrected on 5/3/2022 .21(3) - The previous citation was observed to be corrected in that the fire drills were observed to be completed through April 2022. Please ensure that fire drills and other emergency drills are completed and recorded as required. Safety Met 591-1-1-.11 Discipline(CR) Comment Age-appropriate discussion and/or redirection observed. 591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR) Met Comment Center does not provide routine transportation. Sleeping & Resting Equipment 591-1-1-.30 Safe Sleeping and Resting Requirements(CR) Met Comment Sleeping/Naps are not required for this program. School age children attend only for after school hours. Staff Records **Records Reviewed: 2** Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0 Staff # 1 Met Date of Hire: 07/23/2016 Staff # 2 Met Date of Hire: 11/10/2021 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.

- -Please ensure that applicants/staff are listing exact dates (including month/day/year) on 10 year work history form in order to determine any breaks in service from the child care industry.
- -Please ensure that records checks are redone if there is a six-month break in service.
- -Please also ensure that satisfactory records checks are updated before the expiration date.
- -Ensure that all therapists and other independent contractors have an updated records check on file, before being present at the center.
- -Please ensure that staff with a national background check is always present with a staff who has a comprehensive background check. Staff should never be by themselves.

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

Adequate supervision observed on this date.