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Cover Sheet

Date: 7/13/2021 **VisitType:** Follow-Up

Arrival: 10:00 AM

Departure: 2:30 PM

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Quality Rated: ★

Compliance Zone Designation		
07/13/2021	Complaint Investigation Follow Up	Good Standing
05/26/2021	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing
12/18/2020	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 rules.

Deficient - Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting 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	Room F 2nd Middle	Infants	1	5	C	17	C	NA	NA	Nap, Floor Play
Main	Room A - 1st left Afterschools	Six Year Olds and Over	1	18	C	45	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	Room B	PreK	2	21	C	21	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	Room C		0	0	C	30	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	Room D-4th Middle		0	0	C	16	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	Room E-Middle 3rd right		0	0	C	16	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	Room G Middle 1st Right	Two Year Olds	2	12	C	20	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	Room H-2nd Right		0	0	C	21	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	Room I - 3rd right		0	0	C	10	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	Room J		0	0	C	11	C	NA	NA	Not In Use

Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 207

Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Total # Children this Date: 56

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Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	A- Preschool-Afterschool	58	C
Main	B - Basketball Court	12	C
Main	C - Water/Soccer	34	C
Main	D - Toddler Area	25	C

Main	E - Infant Area	16	C
Main	F- Golf and Hard Pad	20	C


Comments

The investigation remains open on this date, pending additional information. Upon completion the finding will be reviewed with the provider and a final copy of the report will be sent.

The purpose of this visit was to conduct a follow up for May 26, 2021 monitoring visit and to initiate the complaint investigation. The center was informed that according to the executive order dated July 1, 2021, parents can no longer be denied access to the facility or its children. A copy of this report was provided to center staff at the conclusion of the exit conference.



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, <http://www.dec.state.ga.us/CCS/Regulations.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://qualityrated.dec.state.ga.us/>
 Request free technical assistance to help you earn your star rating by contacting the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or qualityrated@dec.state.ga.us

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@dec.state.ga.us.

- 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: <http://dec.state.ga.us/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx>

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.

