

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: 12/13/2021 VisitType: Licensing Study

Arrival: 5:30 PM

Departure: 6:30 PM

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Quality Rated: No

			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
12/13/2021	Licensing Study	Good Standing	standing, support, and deficient.
05/18/2021	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	Good Standing - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.
12/07/2020	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

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	37	С	43	С	NA	NA	Centers
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 Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0		25 sq.	Building @35 capacity limited by Centers Request		
Total # Children this Date: 37		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 60)		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Playground	116	С

Comments

An administrative review was completed on December 13, 2021. Staff file, training, and background checks were all reviewed. A virtual inspection was conducted on December 13, 2021 with the Director. An in-person visit was not conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 12/13/2021

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, <u>http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx</u>, 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: <u>https://qualityrated.decal.ga.gov/</u> Request free technical assistance to help you earn your star rating by contacting the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or <u>qualityrated@decal.ga.gov</u>

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: http://decal.ga.gov/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.

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

Margarita Collier, Consultant

Date

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The followin	g infor	mation is associated with a Licens	ing Study:		a and Ea	
				Activitie	es and Ec	quipment
591-1-1- 12 F	auipm	ent & Toys(CR)				Met
Comment	-40.6					
	quipme	ent and toys were observed throughou	it the center.			
591-1-135 \$	Swimm	ing Pools & Water-related Activities	s(CR)			Met
Comment Center does	not pro	vide swimming activities.				
		.		С	hildren's	Records
L						
Records R	eviewe	ed: 5	Records with	Missing/Inco	omplete Com	ponents: 0
Child # 1				Met		
Child # 2				Met		
Child # 3				Met		
Child # 4				Met		
Child # 5				Met		
591-1-108 (Childre	n's Records				Met

Comment

Parent authorizations obtained/completed.

Comment

Records were observed to be complete and well organized.

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

Comment

Licensed capacity observed to be routinely met by center.

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

Comment

Center appears clean and well maintained.

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

Comment

Playground observed to be clean and in good repair.

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

Comment

No children enrolled who require diapering. School age children attend only for after school hours.

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

Comment

Staff stated the proper handwashing procedures for children and staff members.

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

Comment

The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication.

591-1-1-.21 Operational Policies & Procedures

Finding

591-1-1-.21(3) requires that the Center conduct drills for fire, tornado and other emergency situations. The fire drills will be conducted monthly and tornado and other emergency situation drills will be conducted every six months. The Center shall maintain documentation of the dates and times of these drills for two years. It was determined based on review of records that the center did not complete a fire drill for the month of November 2021.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will hold the drills as required and keep the documentation of the drills on file for two years.

Correction Deadline: 12/18/2021

591-1-1-.05 Animals

Comment

Center does not keep animals on premises.

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

Comment

Staff were observed to maintain a positive learning environment on this date.

Facility

Met

Met

Met

Health and Hygiene

Policies and Procedures

Met

Met

Met

Not Met

Safety

Met

Met

591-1-1-.13 Field Trips(CR)

Comment

Center does not participate in field trips at this time.

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

Comment

Center does not provide routine transportation.

Sleeping & Resting Equipment

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

Comment

Sleeping/Naps are not required for this program. School age children attend only for after school hours.

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Records Reviewed: 3	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0		
Staff # 1		Met	
Date of Hire: 02/03/2020			
Staff # 2		Met	
Date of Hire: 08/03/2015			
Staff # 3		Met	
Staff Credentials Reviewed: 0			
591-1-109 Criminal Records and Compreher	nsive Background Checks(CR)	Technical Assistance	

Comment

Consultant requested to view all Criminal Record checks for employees hired after last visit. Director stated that there have been no new hires since last visit was conducted on May 18, 2021.

Comment

Criminal record checks were observed to be complete.

Technical Assistance

The consultant discussed the following information regarding criminal record checks with the director:

- Monitor the expiration dates of all staff members' criminal record check letters.

- Submit a portability request via DECAL KOALA for newly hired staff members that have a previous satisfactory comprehensive criminal record check letter issued by the department.

- Ensure that all newly hired staff members have evidence of a satisfactory comprehensive criminal record check letter prior to providing services to children present for care.

- Ensure that all newly hired and/or seasonal staff members with a six-month break of employment from child care submit an updated criminal record check application and complete the fingerprinting process prior to rendering services for child care services.

591-1-1-.14 First Aid & CPR

Comment

Evidence observed of 100% of center staff certified in First Aid and CPR.

591-1-1-.33 Staff Training

Comment

Documentation observed of required staff training.

Met

Met

Staff Records

Met

Met

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

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)

Comment

Center observed to maintain appropriate staff:child ratios.

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

Comment

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

Met

Met