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Cover Sheet

Date: 12/14/2021 **VisitType:** Monitoring Visit

Arrival: 10:00 AM

Departure: 11:00 AM

CCLC-53769

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Quality Rated: ★

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12/14/2021	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
07/15/2021	Initial Licensing Study	Good Standing	
03/22/2021	Initial Licensing Study	Good Standing	

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	A- LFM (4-12 yrs)	GA PreK	2	17	C	21	C	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	B-LBRC		0	0	C	16	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	C-LFC (2yrs)	Three Year Olds	1	9	C	22	C	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	D-RF (3yr)	Two Year Olds	1	7	C	27	C	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	E-R1L	One Year Olds	2	10	C	18	C	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	F-R2L (6mths- 12 mths)	Infants	1	6	C	17	C	NA	NA	Floor Play
Main	G- R3L(6wks- 6mths)	Infants	3	6	C	10	C	NA	NA	Floor Play
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 131						Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				
Total # Children this Date: 55			Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 131			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	PG A - 6 wks- 2 yr	11	C
Main	PG B- 3- 12 yrs	50	C

Comments

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 12/14/2021

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Eric Rogers, Program Official

Date

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Date



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Children's Worksheet

Date: 12/20/2021 **VisitType:** Monitoring Visit

Arrival: 1:00 PM

Departure: 1:30 PM

CCLC-33544

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Date: 12/6/2021 **VisitType:** Monitoring Visit

Arrival: 11:00 AM

Departure: 12:00 PM

CCLC-36991

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12/06/2021	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
06/16/2021	Complaint Investigation by Phone	Good Standing	
04/05/2021	Licensing Study	Good Standing	

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Main	A Front L		0	0	C	11	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	B Front R	Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds and Five Year Olds and Six Year Olds and Over	1	5	C	24	C	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	C Rear		0	0	C	6	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	D Middle		0	0	C	9	C	NA	NA	Not In Use

Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 50

Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Total # Children this Date: 5

Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 50

Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	6-18 months	5	C
Main	Playground	24	C

Comments

Plan of Improvement: No Plan Developed

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Cover Sheet

Date: 12/20/2021 **VisitType:** POI Follow Up

Arrival: 10:00 AM

Departure: 11:00 AM

CCLC-330

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12/20/2021	POI Follow Up	Good Standing	
12/03/2021	Incident Investigation Closure	Good Standing	
10/27/2021	Incident Investigation & Follow Up	Good Standing	

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Main	1R- Priv Pre-K	Four Year Olds	1	11	C	21	C	NA	NA	Centers
Main	2L	One Year Olds	2	9	C	19	C	NA	NA	Free Play, Story
Main	2R Pre-K	Four Year Olds	1	13	C	21	C	NA	NA	Centers
Main	3L	Two Year Olds	2	15	C	19	C	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	3R		0	0	C	21	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	4L	Two Year Olds and Three Year Olds	2	12	C	22	C	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	4R Nxt to Kitchen		0	0	C	21	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	5L	Three Year Olds	1	15	C	21	C	NA	NA	Free Play
Main	Center/Middle	Infants	1	6	C	11	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	Patio/Back Porch		0	0	C	14	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Main	Rt of 4rt nrt to play		0	0	C	20	C	NA	NA	Not In Use

Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 227

Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Total # Children this Date: 84

Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 227

Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	A- Left Playground	36	C
Main	C- Back Playground	112	C
Main	C- Right Playground	27	C

Comments

An in-person visit was not conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

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Van Ness JaNice, Program Official

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LaTanya Barber-Swift, Consultant

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Findings Report

Date: 12/16/2021 **VisitType:** Licensing Study

Arrival: 3:15 PM

Departure: 3:45 PM

CCLC-38798

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The following information is associated with a Licensing Study:

Activities and Equipment

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

Met

Comment

Equipment and furniture observed to be properly secured, as applicable.

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

Met

Comment

Center does not provide swimming activities.

Facility

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)

Met

Comment

No hazards observed accessible to children on this date.

591-1-1-.26 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

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

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

Comment

Staff were observed to remind children to wash hands.

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

Comment

The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication.

Safety

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

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

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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

Discussed that all lead staff must enroll in an approved education program within 6 months of hire and complete degree within 18 months.

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.