



Bright from the Start Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning
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Date: 3/4/2025 VisitType: LS POI Follow Up

Arrival: 10:00 AM Departure: 2:30 PM

CCLC-27390

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Quality Rated: ★ ★

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.
03/04/2025	LS POI Follow Up	Good Standing	
10/23/2024	Complaint Closure	Good Standing	
10/21/2024	Complaint Investigation Follow Up	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
Building 2	After School		0	0	C	14	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Building 2	Pre-K	GA PreK	2	17	C	27	C	NA	NA	Transitioning, Lunch, Outside
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 41			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0							
Main	Room 1	Infants	3	7	C	9	C	NA	NA	Diapering, Feeding, Floor Play
Main	Room 2	One Year Olds and Two Year Olds	2	9	C	9	C	NA	NA	Lunch, Outside, Transitioning, Nap
Main	Room 3	Two Year Olds and Three Year Olds	2	18	C	22	C	NA	NA	Lunch, Outside, Transitioning, Nap
Main	Room 4	Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds	4	22	C	28	C	NA	NA	Lunch, Transitioning, Outside, Nap
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 68			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0							
Total # Children this Date: 73			Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 109							
			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0							

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Playground	56	C

Comments

The purpose of the visit was to conduct a licensing study POI follow up.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date

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/RuleAndRegulations.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:

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 CAPS/ QR Provisional Status, allowing for scholarships while working toward an initial star rating. Provisional Status eligibility will be determined at the time of CAPS enrollment as part of the CAPS application process.

Contact the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or qualityrated@dec.state.ga.us for more information. Free technical assistance is available!



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(Findings Report)

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The following information is associated with a LS POI Follow Up:

Activities and Equipment

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

Technical Assistance

Technical Assistance

Consultant discussed with Provider to ensure that the fish tank located in the Pre-K classroom on top of the book shelf is secured to prevent tipping, falling or being pulled or pushed over.

Correction Deadline: 3/4/2025

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

N/A

Comment

Center does not provide swimming activities.

Facility

591-1-1-.06 Bathrooms

Met

Correction Deadline: 11/1/2024

Corrected on 3/4/2025

.06(4) - Previous citation was corrected during the visit and by observation that the ventilation fans in the following bathrooms were operable, well maintained, clean and free of dust:

-Classroom 4: The vent was operable and appeared new

-Classroom - After school Building 2: The vent in the bathroom was operable and well maintained

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

Met

Comment

Consultant observed the Licensed capacity to be met by center on this date.

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

Met

Comment

Consultant discussed with Director to secure plunger in Classroom 4 bathroom and keep out of reach of children.

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

Met

Correction Deadline: 11/1/2024

Corrected on 3/4/2025

.26(4) - The previous citation was corrected during the visit by observation that the outside gate fence for exiting had a gap that measured three and a half inches wide.

Health and Hygiene

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

Met

Comment

Consultant observed proper diapering procedures throughout the center on this date.

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

Met

Comment

Consultant observed staff and children use proper hand washing procedures throughout the center on this date.

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

N/A

Comment

The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication.

Safety

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

Met

Comment

Consultant observed age-appropriate discussion and/or redirection between staff and children throughout the center on this date.

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

N/A

Comment

Center does not participate in field trips at this time.

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

Met

Comment

A current/completed inspection was observed for all vehicles used in transporting children on this date.

Sleeping & Resting Equipment

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

Technical Assistance

Technical Assistance

Consultant discussed with Provider to ensure that all children are placed on cots and mats so that one child's head is toward another child's feet in the same row.

Correction Deadline: 3/4/2025

Staff Records

591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records and Comprehensive Background Checks(CR)

Met

Comment

Consultant observed all criminal record checks to be complete and satisfactory on this date.

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

Met

Comment

Staff observed to be compliant with applicable laws and regulations on this date.

Staffing and Supervision

591-1-1-.32 Staff:Child Ratios and Group Size(CR)**Met****Comment**

Center observed to maintain appropriate staff:child ratios on this date.

591-1-1-.32 Supervision(CR)**Met****Comment**

Consultant observed adequate supervision on this date.