



Bright from the Start Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning
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Date: 11/20/2023 **VisitType:** Licensing Study

Arrival: 11:00 AM

Departure: 1:45 PM

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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.
11/20/2023	Licensing Study	Good Standing	
10/26/2023	Initial-TA	N/A	
07/03/2023	Complaint Closure	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
1	A-1st Rt.	Infants	1	5	C	12	C	NA	NA	Floor Play,Nap,Diapering
1	B-1st Lt.		0	0	C	7	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
1	C-2nd Lt.		0	0	C	10	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
1	D-2nd right		0	0	C	22	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
1	E-3rd Lt	One Year Olds and Two Year Olds	1	5	C	14	C	NA	NA	Lunch
1	F- 3rd Rt		0	0	C	16	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
1	G-4th Lt		0	0	C	21	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
1	H-4th Rt		0	0	C	19	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
1	I- 5th Lt		0	0	C	26	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
1	J-5th Rt	GA PreK	1	11	C	25	C	35	C	Lunch,Transitioning
1	K-6th Lt		0	0	C	25	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
1	L-6th Rt	Five Year Olds and Six Year Olds and Over	1	18	C	24	C	NA	NA	Lunch
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 221			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0							
Total # Children this Date: 39			Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 221				Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0			

Comments

The purpose for today's visit was to conduct a Licensing Study. Technical Assistance was provided in the areas of Facility, Food Services and Staff Records. All questions were answered and a copy of the report was provided during the exit conference.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 11/20/2023

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.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.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:

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 qualityrated@dec.al.ga.gov for more information. Free technical assistance is available!

Paris Ramsay, Program Official

Date

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(Findings Report)

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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

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

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

Met

Comment

Pool not in use at this time, gates observed locked.

Facility

591-1-1-.06 Bathrooms

Met

Comment

Consultant discussed with the site director to ensure functioning exhaust fan and duct system without fully enclosed bathrooms has adequate ventilation to control odors and adequate sanitation measures to prevent the spread of contagious diseases. Discussed to ensure all bathroom exhaust fans are fully operable, in good repair and free from dust or dirt at all times.

Correction Deadline: 12/20/2023

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

Met

Comment

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

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

Met

Comment

Center appears clean and well maintained.

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

Met

Comment

Discussed maintenance of resilient surface. Please fluff and redistribute.

Comment

Playground observed to be clean and in good repair.

Correction Deadline: 6/26/2023

Corrected on 11/20/2023

Equipment observed to be in good repair on this date. The backboard of one of the basketball goals was observed to have a crack but was not in the reach of children in care.

Food Service**591-1-1-.15 Food Service & Nutrition****Not Met****Finding**

591-1-1-.15(2) requires that a signed written feeding plan for children less than one (1) year of age shall be obtained from Parent(s) and that instructions from the Parent(s) shall be updated regularly as new foods are added or other dietary changes are made. The feeding plan shall be posted in the child's assigned room and must include the child's feeding schedule, the amount of formula or breast milk to be given, instructions for the introduction of solid foods, the amount of food to be given and notation of any type(s) of commercially premixed formula which may not be used in an emergency because of food allergies. It was determined based on a review of records that written feeding plans for children less than one (1) was not posted in assigned children's rooms on this date as required.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center Director will develop and implement a plan to obtain and post the completed feeding plan as part of the enrollment process and to have parents update the plans on a regular basis that will include center staff involved with enrollment and those working in the infant classrooms.

Correction Deadline: 11/20/2023

Technical Assistance

Consultant discussed with the site director to ensure that the Center provide a menu listing all meals and snacks to be served during the current week and all changes to the menu shall be recorded on the posted for review.

Correction Deadline: 11/20/2023

591-1-1-.18 Kitchen Operations**Technical Assistance****Technical Assistance**

Consultant discussed with the site director to ensure ventilation was provided either by mechanical or natural means so as to provide fresh air and control of unpleasant odors in the food preparation area. Ensure that the vent hood over the stove is in working order and in good repair at all times due to there being no windows to provide ventilation.

Correction Deadline: 11/30/2023

Health and Hygiene**591-1-1-.10 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR)****Met****Comment**

Staff state proper knowledge of diapering procedures.

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

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

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

Technical Assistance

Technical Assistance

Consultant discussed with the site director to ensure The annual safety check, completed by a trained individual, should include a check of the: tires, headlights, horn, taillights, turn signals, brake lights, brakes, suspension, exhaust system, steering, windows, windshields and windshield wipers. Consultant advised to have tires check because the tire tread levels measured less than 2mm on three of four times on this date.

Correction Deadline: 11/25/2023

Sleeping & Resting Equipment

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

Met

Comment

The correct number of mats, sheets and blankets were observed on this date. Cleaning and disinfecting of mats was discussed with the director on this date.

Comment

Consultant discussed with the site director to ensure that sheets or similar coverings for cots or mats shall either be marked for individual use or laundered daily.

Correction Deadline: 11/20/2023

Staff Records

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

Technical Assistance

Technical Assistance

Consultant discussed with the site director to ensure that every Provisional Employee has a valid and current satisfactory Fingerprint Records Check Determination on file prior to being present at the Center while any child is present for care or before an individual age 17 or older resides in the Center and must be supervised at all times by a Director or Employee with a valid and current satisfactory Comprehensive Records Check Determination. Discussed following up with the records check for out of state application that was submitted on 10/23/2023.

Correction Deadline: 11/20/2023

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

Met

Comment

Consultant reminded the site director to ensure that the Center Director and, at any given time, at least fifty percent (50%) of the caregiver Staff to successfully complete a biennial training program in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and a triennial training program in first aid.

Correction Deadline: 12/20/2023

591-1-1-.33 Staff Training

Not Met

Comment

Consultant discussed with the site director to ensure that each Staff member with direct care responsibilities to complete health and safety orientation training within the first 90 days of employment.

Correction Deadline: 12/20/2023

Finding

591-1-1-.33(4) requires within the first year of employment, the Director and person with primary responsibility for food preparation shall have four clock hours of training in food nutrition planning, preparation, serving, proper dish washing and food storage. It was determined based on a review of records that the Director and person primarily responsible for food preparation did not have evidence of four clock hours of food and nutrition planning, preparation, serving, proper dish washing and food storage training as required.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will schedule food preparation training, as required, and follow up to ensure the training is completed.

Correction Deadline: 12/20/2023

Comment

Consultant discussed with the site director to ensure that every calendar year after the first year of employment, all supervisory and caregiver Personnel, except independent contractors, Students-in-Training and volunteers shall attend ten (10) clock hours of diverse training which is task-focused in on-going health, safety and early childhood or child development related topics.

Correction Deadline: 12/20/2023

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.

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**

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