

# 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: 5/14/2021 VisitType: Licensing Study Arrival: 2:00 PM Departure: 4:00 PM

#### CCLC-14999

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Quality Rated: No

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Compliance Zone Designation				
05/14/2021	Licensing Study	Good Standing		
10/07/2020	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing		
03/04/2020	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

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	A-3L		0	0	С	12	С	NA	NA	
Main	B-2L	Infants and One Year Olds	1	5	С	12	С	NA	NA	Floor Play,Nap
Main	C-1L		0	0	С	12	С	NA	NA	
Main	D-1R		0	0	С	15	С	NA	NA	
Main	E-2R		0	0	С	20	С	NA	NA	
Main	F-2BR	Two Year Olds	1	6	С	25	С	NA	NA	Centers
Main	G-1BR	Three Year Olds	1	5	С	24	С	NA	NA	Outside
Main	H-BM	Four Year Olds and Five Year Olds	1	4	С	31	С	NA	NA	Centers
Main	I-2L	Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds	1	9	С	25	С	NA	NA	Outside
Main	J-BL		0	0	С	22	С	NA	NA	
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 19	98		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			

Total # Children this Date: 29 Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 198 Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Building Playground		Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance	
Main	A-Infant	15	C	
Main	B-Schoolage	54	С	
Main	C-3's	48	С	
Main	D-Toddlers	29	С	

#### Comments

An Administrative Review was conducted on 5/14/21. Staff files, children's files, training, and background checks were all reviewed. A virtual inspection was conducted on 5/20/21 with the Director. An in-person visit was not conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Compliance with the Executive Order issued on May 1, 2021 was reviewed during the virtual inspection.

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

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: <a href="http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx">http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx</a>

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)

elly Robinson, Program Official			
,,g	Date	Tomekia Hudson, Consultant	Date



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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

Discussed rotating toys to support the procedures of daily disinfecting due to COVID-19.

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

Met

Comment

Center does not provide swimming activities.

**Children's Records** 

Records Reviewed: 5	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0
Child # 1	Met
Child # 2	Met
Child # 3	Met
Child # 4	Met
Child # 5	Met

#### 591-1-1-.08 Children's Records

Met

Comment

Parent authorizations obtained/completed.

**Facility** 

591-1-1-.06 Bathrooms Met

#### Comment

Bathrooms observed to be clean and well maintained.

#### 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

Center appears clean and well maintained.

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

Met

#### Comment

Discussed maintenance of resilient surface. Please fluff and redistribute mulch.

#### Comment

Playground observed to be clean and in good repair.

**Food Service** 

#### 591-1-1-.15 Food Service & Nutrition

Met

#### Comment

Center menu meets USDA guidelines.

#### Comment

Discussed revision to the written feeding plans for children under the age of 1 years old. Age-appropriate solid foods (including cereal) shall not be given to infants or children less than one (1) year of age until recommended as developmentally appropriate by the child's primary care physician and indicated in writing by the Parent(s). As soon as the feeding plan indicates that a child is ready for solid foods, the child shall be fed from individual spoons and individual containers or dishes. A child shall not be fed directly from the original baby food container if the contents are to be fed to the child at more than one (1) meal or to more than one (1) child.

#### 591-1-1-.18 Kitchen Operations

Met

#### Comment

Kitchen appears clean and well organized.

**Health and Hygiene** 

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

**Technical Assistance** 

#### **Technical Assistance**

591-1-1-.10 - A Virtual Visit was conducted due to COVID-19 pandemic. Proper diapering procedure was not directly observed during the virtual walk through. Regulations regarding proper diapering procedures were discussed with the Provider on this date.

#### Comment

Staff state proper knowledge of diapering procedures.

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

Met

#### Comment

Proper hand washing observed throughout the center during virtual visit due to COVID-19 pandemic. Additional cleaning and sanitizing requirements due to the COVID-19 pandemic were discussed and observed during a virtual walk through on this date.

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

Met

#### Comment

The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication.

## **Policies and Procedures**

**591-1-1-.27 Posted Notices** 

Met

#### Comment

Observed all required posted notices.

Safety

591-1-1-.05 Animals

Met

#### Comment

Center does not keep animals on premises.

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

Met

#### Comment

Age-appropriate discussion and/or redirection observed.

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

Met

#### Comment

Complete documentation of transportation observed.

# **Sleeping & Resting Equipment**

Met

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

Met

#### Comment

Discussed SIDS and infant sleeping position.

## Comment

Pleasant naptime environment observed.

**Staff Records** 

#### **Records Reviewed: 21**

#### **Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0**

Staff # 1

Date of Hire: 03/02/2018

Staff # 2 Met

Date of Hire: 03/11/2019

Staff # 3 Met

Date of Hire: 03/01/2006

Staff # 4 Met

Staff # 5

Date of Hire: 11/12/2018

Staff # 6 Met

Records Reviewed: 21	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0
Date of Hire: 10/02/2019	
Staff # 7	Met
Date of Hire: 11/01/2019	
Staff # 8	Met
Date of Hire: 06/24/2019	
Staff # 9	Met
Date of Hire: 03/16/2020	
Staff # 10	Met
Date of Hire: 12/10/2018	
Staff # 11	Met
Date of Hire: 05/02/2016	
Staff # 12	Met
Staff # 13	Met
Date of Hire: 05/08/2019	
Staff # 14	Met
Date of Hire: 12/04/2019	
Staff # 15	Met
Staff # 16	Met
Staff # 17	Met
Date of Hire: 04/30/2010	
Staff # 18	Met
Staff # 19	Met
Staff # 20	Met
Date of Hire: 09/04/2007	
Staff # 21	Met
Date of Hire: 07/24/2014	

## **Staff Credentials Reviewed: 12**

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

Met

## Comment

Director provided one file for employees hired since last visit.

591-1-1-14 First Aid & CPR

Comment

Evidence observed of 50% of center staff certified in First Aid and CPR.

591-1-1-.33 Staff Training Met

Comment

Documentation observed of required staff training.

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

Correction Deadline: 2/1/2021

Corrected on 5/14/2021

.31(2)(b)2. - Citation corrected on this date.

## **Staffing and Supervision**

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

Met

Met

Comment

Center observed to maintain appropriate staff:child ratios.

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

Met

#### Comment

Adequate supervision observed on this date.