

# 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:** 6/7/2022 Arrival: 11:50 AM Departure: 12:50 PM VisitType: Monitoring Visit

CCLC-51824 **Regional Consultant** 

**Kids World Pre-School** 

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Same

**Quality Rated: No** 

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Compliance Zone Designation				
06/07/2022	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing		
10/07/2021	Licensing Study	Good Standing		
06/16/2021	Monitoring Visit	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 performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting

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	Room A	Infants	2	3	С	12	С	NA	NA	Nap
Main	Room B	One Year Olds and Two Year Olds	1	6	С	14	С	NA	NA	Nap
Main	Room C	Four Year Olds and Five Year Olds	2	13	С	20	С	NA	NA	Lunch,Transitioni
Main	Room D	Two Year Olds	2	11	С	14	С	NA	NA	Nap
Main	Room E	Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds	1	8	С	13	С	NA	NA	Transitioning,Lun ch
Main	Room F	Five Year Olds and Six Year Olds and Over	1	17	С	17	С	NA	NA	Lunch
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 9	0		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			
Total # C	hildren this Date: 58	Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 9	0		Total C	apacity @	25 sa.			

ft.: 0

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Back Left Playground	11	С
Main	Back Right (Main)	43	С
Main	Infant Playground	4	С
Main	Toddler Playground	6	С

The Consultant completed exit conference by phone and a copy of Monitoring visit report was electronically emailed to the Program.

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 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 <a href="mailto:qualityrated@decal.ga.gov">qualityrated@decal.ga.gov</a> for more information. Free techincal assistance is available!

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)

na Johnson, Program Official	Date	Tomekia Hudson, Consultant	Date



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# The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

# **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

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

Center appears clean and well maintained.

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

Proper diapering procedures observed.

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

Comment

Proper hand washing observed throughout the center.

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

Comment

The Provider currently does not dispense/administer medication.

Safety

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

Comment

Age-appropriate discussion and/or redirection observed.

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

Met

Comment

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

Comment

Complete documentation of transportation observed.

Comment

The vehicle had an approved fire extinguisher and first aid kit on this date.

**Sleeping & Resting Equipment** 

# 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: 13 Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 1 Met

Date of Hire: 04/15/2011

Staff # 2 Met

Date of Hire: 10/28/2019

Staff # 3 Met

Date of Hire: 08/05/2019

Staff # 4 Met

Date of Hire: 12/01/2021

Staff # 5

Date of Hire: 03/10/2010

Staff # 6 Met

**Records Reviewed: 13** Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0 Date of Hire: 02/03/2020 Staff #7 Met Date of Hire: 05/28/2021 Staff #8 Met Date of Hire: 11/25/2019 Staff # 9 Met Date of Hire: 04/14/2022 Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90 calendar days of hired Staff # 10 Met Date of Hire: 09/28/2010 Staff # 11 Met Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90 Date of Hire: 04/20/2022 calendar days of hired Staff # 12 Met Date of Hire: 10/05/2019 Staff # 13 Met Date of Hire: 09/06/2021

## Staff Credentials Reviewed: 4

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

Met

#### Comment

Director provided three files for employees hired since last visit.

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

#### 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.