

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: 5/13/2021 VisitType: Licensing Study Arrival: 11:00 AM Departure: 12:00 PM

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Quality Rated: No

| | <u>Comp</u> | liance Zone Desig | | | ne Designation - A summary measure of a program's 12 month monitoring ains to child care health and safety rules. The three compliance zones are good |
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| (| 05/13/2021 | Licensing Study | | standing, suppor | , |
| ľ | 11/18/2020 | Monitoring Visit | Good Standing | Good Standing | Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules. |
| ľ | 11/19/2019 | Monitoring Visit | Good Standing | 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. |

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 | 132 | | 0 | 0 | С | 21 | С | NA | NA | - |
| Main | 136 B- 2nd left | | 0 | 0 | С | 32 | С | NA | NA | |
| Main | 138- 1st Left | | 0 | 0 | С | 22 | С | NA | NA | |
| Main | 142 A- 1st Right | | 0 | 0 | С | 14 | С | NA | NA | |
| Main | 142 B- 2nd Right | | 0 | 0 | С | 17 | С | NA | NA | |
| Main | 232 | | 0 | 0 | С | 16 | С | NA | NA | |
| Main | 233 | | 0 | 0 | С | 12 | С | NA | NA | |
| | | Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 13 | 34 | | Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0 | | | | | |
| Total # Cl | hildren this Date: 0 | Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 134 | | | Total Capacity @25 sq. | | | | | |

ft.: 0

BuildingPlayground
Playground
OccupancyPlayground
ComplianceMainback71CMainfront26C

Comments

Main

An Administrative Review was conducted on May 13, 2021. Staff files, children's files, training, and background checks were all reviewed. A virtual inspection was conducted on May 18, 2021 with the Director. An in-person visit was not conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Compliance with the Executive Order issued on March 31, 2021 was reviewed during the virtual inspection.

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Plan of Improvement: No Plan Developed

Playground 3

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.decal.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





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: https://qualityrated.decal.ga.gov/ Request free technical assistance to help you earn your star rating by contacting the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or qualityrated@decal.ga.gov

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: http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx

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)

| Celeste Sears, Program Official Date Ashia Jackson, Consultant Ashia Jackson, Consultant | Date |
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Findings Report

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The following information is associated with a Licensing Study:

| | Activities and Equipment |
|---|--------------------------|
| | |
| 591-1-112 Equipment & Toys(CR) | Met |
| Comment | |
| Equipment and furniture observed to be properly secured, as applicable. | |
| 591-1-135 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR) | Met |
| Comment | |
| Center does not provide swimming activities. | |
| | Facility |
| | - |
| 591-1-119 License Capacity(CR) | Met |
| Comment | |
| Licensed capacity observed to be routinely met by center. | |
| 591-1-125 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR) | Met |
| Comment | |
| Center appears clean and well maintained. | |
| 591-1-126 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.

Met 591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR) Comment Proper hand washing observed throughout the center. 591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR) Met Comment Discussed proper medication documentation and procedures. 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) Met Comment Complete documentation of transportation observed. **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 Records Reviewed: 6 Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0 Staff # 1 Met Staff # 2 Met Staff #3 Met Date of Hire: 01/03/2018 Staff # 4 Met Date of Hire: 09/24/2018 Staff #5 Met Staff #6 Met

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 2

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

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.