



Bright from the Start Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning
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Cover Sheet

Date: 9/13/2022 **VisitType:** Monitoring Visit

Arrival: 1:15 PM

Departure: 2:30 PM

CCLC-37305

Childcare Network #239

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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.
09/13/2022	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
04/08/2022	Licensing Study	Good Standing	
12/21/2021	Complaint Investigation by Phone	Good Standing	

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.

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-1st Right	Infants and One Year Olds	2	12	C	16	C	NA	NA	Floor Play, Nap, Feeding
Main	B- 2nd Right	Two Year Olds	2	16	C	17	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	C- 3rd Right	Two Year Olds	2	17	C	19	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	D-4th Right		0	0	C	21	C	NA	NA	
Main	E- 5th Right		0	0	C	27	C	NA	NA	
Main	F-4th Left	PreK	2	21	C	23	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	G- Non-Diapered		0	0	C	23	C	NA	NA	
Main	H-2nd Left	Three Year Olds	1	10	C	16	C	NA	NA	Nap
Main	I-1st Left	Three Year Olds	1	11	C	16	C	NA	NA	Nap
					Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 178	Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				
Total # Children this Date: 87			Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 178			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0				

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	A- 1st Right	16	C
Main	B- 2nd Right	19	C
Main	C-Back Third Right	31	C
Main	D- Center Back	47	C
Main	E- Back Left	67	C

Comments

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/Regulations.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 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.state.ga.us for more information. Free technical 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)

Tradoria Cofield, Program Official

Date

Laura Swann, Consultant

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Findings Report

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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.

Evening Care

591-1-1-.32 Staffing/Supervision(CR)

Met

Comment

No evening care hours provided

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)

Not Met

Finding

591-1-1-.25(13) requires that potentially hazardous equipment, materials and supplies be stored in a locked area inaccessible to children. It was determined based on observation that the following hazards were present:
I 1st Left - "Desitin" ointment was in a child's back pack hanging accessible to children.

B 2nd right- Two diaper cream tubes, Children's "Tylenol" and "Claritin" were in a child's back pack hanging accessible to children.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will identify all hazardous items and keep them in a locked area inaccessible to children. The Center will inform all Staff about hazardous items and the safe storage of those items.

Correction Deadline: 9/13/2022

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

Technical Assistance

Comment

Discussed maintenance of resilient surface. Please continue to fluff and redistribute resilient surfacing to ensure fall zones are covered.

Technical Assistance

591-1-1-.26(9) - Please continue to monitor for exposed tree roots and cover or spray paint to help prevent a tripping hazard.

Correction Deadline: 9/13/2022

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

Please be mindful of voice tone in redirecting children.

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

Pleasant naptime environment observed.

Staff Records

Records Reviewed: 15

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff # 1

Met

Date of Hire: 07/10/2021

Staff # 2

Met

Records Reviewed: 15**Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0**

Date of Hire: 08/05/2013

Staff # 3 Met

Date of Hire: 05/09/2018

Staff # 4 Met

Date of Hire: 06/01/2022

Staff # 5 Met

Date of Hire: 09/07/2021

Staff # 6 Met

Date of Hire: 08/10/2022

Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90 calendar days of hired

Staff # 7 Met

Date of Hire: 09/21/2015

Staff # 8 Met

Date of Hire: 04/16/2017

Staff # 9 Met

Date of Hire: 12/02/2021

Staff # 10 Met

Date of Hire: 08/01/2019

Staff # 11 Met

Date of Hire: 08/02/2019

Staff # 12 Met

Date of Hire: 07/01/2022

Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90 calendar days of hired

Staff # 13 Met

Date of Hire: 06/23/2022

Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90 calendar days of hired

Staff # 14 Met

Date of Hire: 07/30/2022

Reminder - Health & Safety training is required within 90 calendar days of hired

Staff # 15 Met

Date of Hire: 11/04/2021

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 5**591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records and Comprehensive Background Checks(CR)****Met**

Comment

Criminal record checks were observed to be complete.

Comment

Director provided 4 file(s) for employees hired since last visit.

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

Correction Deadline: 5/23/2022

Corrected on 9/13/2022

.14(2) - Correction observed on this date.

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.