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Cover Sheet

Date: 6/23/2022 **VisitType:** Initial Licensing Study **Arrival:** 9:00 AM **Departure:** 1:25 PM

CCLC-56447

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Quality Rated: No

| 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. |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|--|
| Date | Visit Type | Designation | |
| 06/23/2022 | Initial Licensing Study | 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 |
|---------------------------------|------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|-------|
| 2nd Floor | FL-Preschool 3's | | 0 | 0 | C | 37 | C | NA | NA | |
| 2nd Floor | GL-Pre-K 4's | | 0 | 0 | C | 27 | C | NA | NA | |
| 2nd Floor | HR-Summercamp | | 0 | 0 | C | 27 | C | NA | NA | |
| 2nd Floor | IR-Preschool 1 | | 0 | 0 | C | 19 | C | NA | NA | |
| Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 110 | | | | | Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0 | | | | | |
| Main | AL-Toddler 2 | | 0 | 0 | C | 20 | C | NA | NA | |
| Main | BR-Preschool 2 | | 0 | 0 | C | 28 | C | NA | NA | |
| Main | CR-Preschool 2's | | 0 | 0 | C | 27 | C | NA | NA | |
| Main | DR-Infants | | 0 | 0 | C | 16 | C | NA | NA | |
| Main | ER-Toddler | | 0 | 0 | C | 11 | C | NA | NA | |
| Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 102 | | | | | Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0 | | | | | |
| Total # Children this Date: 0 | | | Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 212 | | | Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0 | | | | |

| Building | Playground | Playground Occupancy | Playground Compliance |
|-----------|--------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 2nd Floor | playground | -1 | NC |
| Main | L-Infant | 14 | C |
| Main | R-Preschool | 29 | C |
| Main | R-Splash Pad | 6 | C |

Comments

An Administrative Review was conducted on June 16, 2022. Staff files, children's files, training, and background checks were all reviewed. An in person Initial Licensing Study was conducted on June 23, 2022. The exit conference was conducted virtually on June 24, 2022 at 6:00 pm with the Director. Permission to operate will be issued upon completion of the Exit Conference and signature pages are returned to the consultant. Facility does carry Liability Insurance. License Capacity 212.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 06/23/2022

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.al.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 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!

You have received permission to operate and the form received with this report is intended to serve as a temporary license which is **valid for thirty(30) days**. Your actual license/ will be emailed to you upon receipt of the licensing fee. You may pay the licensing fee either online at <http://www.dec.al.ga.gov/> or by certified check or money order mailed to: Bright from the Start, 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE, Suite 670 East Tower, Atlanta, GA 30334

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.'



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Findings Report

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The following information is associated with a Initial Licensing Study:

Activities and Equipment

591-1-1-.12 Equipment & Toys(CR)

Met

Comment

Equipment and furniture observed to be properly secured.

Comment

The Consultant discussed with the Director to add additional equipment and toys.

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

Met

Comment

Center does not provide swimming activities. No pool observed on site. The Center does have a splashpad

Facility

591-1-1-.06 Bathrooms

Met

Comment

Consultant spoke to the Director in reference to the ventilation in the diapering classrooms not working properly and advised that this would need to be corrected immediately.

Correction Deadline: 7/23/2022

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

Met

Comment

Permission to Operate will be issued upon completion of the Exit Conference and return of signature pages to the Consultant, the overall capacity is 212.

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

Met

Comment

No hazards observed accessible to children on this date.

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**

Staff stated proper procedures. Sinks with warm running water observed adjacent to proper diapering surfaces in all classrooms approved for diapering.

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

There were no children enrolled on this date. Proper hand washing of children and staff was discussed with the director on this date.

591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR)**Met****Comment**

Discussed medication documentation, administration and storage.

Safety

591-1-1-.11 Discipline(CR)**Met****Comment**

There were no children enrolled on this date. The center's discipline policy was reviewed on this date. Regulations regarding proper discipline were discussed with the director on this date.

591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR)**Met****Comment**

Center does not provide routine transportation or field trips. Consultant discussed transportation requirements if/when the facility decides to incorporate transportation. The center will contact their regional consultant and complete the required two (2) hours transportation training prior to transporting children.

Sleeping & Resting Equipment

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

Twelve (12) of twelve(12) cribs were present meeting safety compliance with Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) and American Society of Testing and Materials International (ASTM) safety standards as they were manufactured in 2017. Consultant discussed safe sleeping requirements with the Director during the inspection visit.

Staff Records**Records Reviewed: 13****Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0**

Staff # 1

Met

Staff # 2

Met

Date of Hire: 06/13/2022

Staff # 3

Met

Records Reviewed: 13

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Date of Hire: 06/13/2022

Staff # 4 Met

Date of Hire: 03/01/2022

Staff # 5 Met

Date of Hire: 03/01/2022

Staff # 6 Met

Date of Hire: 04/11/2022

Staff # 7 Met

Date of Hire: 05/12/2021

Staff # 8 Met

Date of Hire: 03/01/2022

Staff # 9 Met

Date of Hire: 03/14/2022

Staff # 10 Met

Date of Hire: 06/13/2022

Staff # 11 Met

Date of Hire: 06/13/2022

Staff # 12 Met

Date of Hire: 07/26/2021

Staff # 13 Met

Date of Hire: 06/13/2022

Staff Credentials Reviewed: 1

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

Comment

Twelve (12) of twelve (12) staff records were observed to have comprehensive satisfactory Criminal Background Check determination letters on file.

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

There were no children enrolled on this date. Proper ratios and classroom capacities were discussed with the director on this date.

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

There were no children enrolled on this date. Proper supervision of children, including being prompt to children's needs, was discussed with the director on this date.