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Inspection Report

Provider Information

Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I

Provider Address: 436 Plum Springs Road, Bowling Green, KY, 42101 Capacity: 102

Owner(s): Plum Tree Educational Services, Inc.

Director(s): Jessie, Michelle Lynn

Inspection Information

Inspection Type: Renewal Application

Date Initiated: 05/18/2018 10:25 AM

Provider Name: Plum Tree Montessori School

Date Concluded: 05/18/2018 1:55 PM

No. of Children Present: 52

Inspection No: 244320

CLR No: 1 355731

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Background Checks

Not In Compliance

5 - Background check/left alone/dismissed/relocated

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:280. Section 3. Implementation and Enforcement.

- (1) A person who is a child care staff member prior to January 1, 2018, shall submit to and complete background checks in accordance with this administrative regulation no later than September 30, 2018.
- (2) A child care staff member hired on or after January 1, 2018, shall:
- (a) Have completed the background checks required in accordance with this administrative regulation and found to have no disqualifying offense prior to becoming a child care staff member; or
- (b)1. Have submitted to the background checks required in accordance with this administrative regulation;
- 2. Not be left unsupervised with a child in care pending the completion of the background checks in accordance with this administrative regulation: and
- 3. Be dismissed or relocated from the residence if the person is found to have a disqualifying background check result.

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, a caregiver hired on 4/30/18, did not have a completed background check on file.

Supervision

In Compliance

Staffing Requirements

In Compliance

General Administration

In Compliance

Director Requirements

Not In Compliance

345 - Staff Evaluation

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 10. Director Requirements and Responsibilities.

- (1) A director shall:
- (j) Assess each staff person's interaction with children in care and classroom performance through an annual written performance evaluation;

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, a caregiver hired on 1/5/15, had an evaluation on file dated 7/6/16; a caregiver hired on 10/20/14, had no evaluation on file, and a caregiver hired on 1/5/15, had an evaluation on file dated 3/2/16.



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Employee Records

385 - Personnel File Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 9. Records.

- (1) A child-care center shall maintain:
- (e) A current personnel file for each child-care center staff person to include:
- 1. Name, address, date of birth, and date of employment;
- 2. Proof of educational qualifications;
- 3. Record of annual performance evaluation;
- 4. Documentation of compliance with tuberculosis screening in accordance with Section 11(1)(b) of this administrative regulation; and
- 5. The results of background checks conducted in accordance with 922 KAR 2:280;

Findings

General: Based on Review of Documentation, a caregiver hired on 12/11/17, did not have an out-of-state criminal records check from Japan on file.

410 - Training Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 11. Staff Requirements.

- (16) In accordance with KRS 199.896(15) and (16), a staff person with supervisory authority over a child shall complete the following:
- (a) Six (6) hours of cabinet-approved orientation within the first three (3) months of employment;
- (b) Nine (9) hours of cabinet-approved early care and education training within the first year of employment, including one and one-half (1 $\frac{1}{2}$) hours of cabinet-approved pediatric abusive head trauma training; and
- (c) Fifteen (15) hours of cabinet-approved early care and education training during each subsequent year of employment, including one and one-half (1 ½) hours of cabinet-approved pediatric abusive head trauma training completed once every five (5) years.

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, a caregiver hired on 1/5/15, lacked fourteen (14) hours of training; a caregiver hired on 8/23/10, lacked fourteen (14) hours of training and last completed the Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma Training on 4/2/13; a caregiver hired on 10/20/14, lacked fifteen (15) hours of training and last completed the Pediatric Abusive Head Trauma Training on 9/10/12; two (2) caregivers hired on 1/5/15, and 8/1/05, each lacked eleven (11) hours of training; a caregiver hired on 10/3/15, lacked fourteen (14) hours of training, and a director hired on 8/1/94, lacked ten (10) hours of training.

Programming In Compliance

Premises Not In Compliance

560 - Building Requirements

922 KAR 2:120. Section 4. Premises Requirements. (5) The building shall be constructed to ensure the:

- (a) Building is:
- 1. Dry;
- 2. Ventilated; and
- 3. Well lit, including clean light fixtures that are:
- a. In good repair in all areas; and
- b. Shielded or have shatter-proof bulbs installed; and
- (b) Following are protected:
- 1. Windows;
- 2. Doors;
- 3. Stoves;
- 4. Heaters;
- 5. Furnaces;
- 6. Pipes; and
- 7. Stairs.

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, a four (4) bulb light fixture was not shielded or had shatter proof bulbs in two (2) separate restrooms in building #2.

Hygienic Practices

In Compliance

Not In Compliance

Not In Compliance



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First Aid/Medication

730 - Medication Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 7. First Aid and Medicine.

- (6) Medication, including refrigerated medication, shall be:
- (a) Stored in a separate and locked place, out of the reach of a child unless the medication is:
- 1. A first aid supply and is maintained in accordance with subsection (1) of this section;
- 2. Diaper cream, sunscreen, or toothpaste. Diaper cream, sunscreen, or toothpaste shall be inaccessible to a child;
- 3. An epinephrine auto-injector. In accordance with KRS 199.8951:
- a. An epinephrine auto-injector shall be inaccessible to a child;
- b. A child-care center shall have at least one person onsite who has received training on the administration of an epinephrine auto-injector if the child-care center maintains an epinephrine auto-injector;
 - c. A child-care center shall seek emergency medical care for a child if an auto-injector is administered to the child; and
- d. A child-care center shall report to the child's parent and the cabinet in accordance with 922 KAR 2:090, Section 12 if an epinephrine autoinjector is administered to a child: or
- 4. An emergency or rescue medication for a child in care, such as medication to respond to diabetic or asthmatic condition, as prescribed by the child's physician. Emergency or rescue medication shall be inaccessible to a child in care;
- (b) Kept in the original bottle; and
- (c) Properly labeled.
- (7) Medication shall not be given to a child if the medication's expiration date has passed.

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, sunscreen lotions and sprays were in a tote located on a fence on the toddlers' outdoor play area. The tote of sunscreen lotions and sprays were accessible to the children in care. In addition, a bottle of Badger Sunscreen Cream, a can of Babyganics Sunscreen Spray, and a bottle of Bull Frog Sunscreen Spray were not labeled to indicate for whom each were intended. These items were in the tote.

Outdoor Play Area

Equipment

Transportation
Food Service/Food Program

Food Service

In Compliance

Not In Compliance

In Compliance

In Compliance

Not Applicable

In Compliance

Not In Compliance

Children's Records Not In Compliance

1140 - Enrollment Information

922 KAR 2:090. Section 9. Records.

- (1) A child-care center shall maintain:
- (b) A written record for each child:
- 1. Completed and signed by the child's parent;
- 2. Retained on file on the first day the child attends the child-care center; and
- 3. To contain:
- a. Identifying information about the child, which includes, at a minimum, the child's name, address, and date of birth;
- b. Contact information to enable a person in charge to contact the child's:
- (i) Parent at the parent's home or place of employment;
- (ii) Family physician; and
- (iii) Preferred hospital;
- c. The name of each person who is designated in writing to pick-up the child;
- d. The child's general health status and medical history including, if applicable:
- (i) Allergies;
- (ii) Restriction on the child's participation in activities with specific instructions from the child's parent or health professional; and
- (iii) Permission from the parent for third-party professional services in the child-care center;
- e. The name and phone number of each person to be contacted in an emergency involving or impacting the child;
- f. Authorization by the parent for the child-care center to seek emergency medical care for the child in the parent's absence;

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, a child enrolled on 1/2/18, had no preferred hospital and physician's contact information listed in the enrollment information.

Written Documentation

Not In Compliance

1160 - Daily Attendance Records

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 9. Records.

- (1) A child-care center shall maintain:
- (c) Daily attendance records documenting the arrival and departure time of each child, including records that are required in accordance with
- 922 KAR 2:160, Section 13, if a child receives services from the child-care center through the Child Care Assistance Program;

Findings:

General: Based on Observation and review of documentation, fifteen (15) toddlers were present in building #2, but only twelve (12) toddlers had a documented arrival time.



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1170 - Professional Development

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 9. Records.

- (1) A child-care center shall maintain:
- (f) A written annual plan for child-care staff professional development;

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, a caregiver hired on 1/5/15, had a professional development plan on file dated 7/6/16; two (2) caregivers hired on 10/20/14 and 1/5/15, did not have a professional development plan on file, and the director hired on 8/1/94, did not have a professional development plan on file.

Posted Documentation

In Compliance

Animals

Not Applicable

Title Date