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Inspection Report

Provider Information

Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I

Capacity: 60

CLR No: 1383370

Owner(s): Little Treehouse Learning Center LLC

Provider Name: Little Treehouse Learning Center

Provider Address: 115 Kennedy Drive, Ft. Wright, KY, 41017

Director(s): Dahms, Sara Elaine

Inspection Information

Inspection Type: Renewal Application Date Initiated: 03/24/2017 10:13 AM

Date Concluded: 03/24/2017 11:07 AM

No. of Children Present: 33

Inspection No: 219118

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Supervision

Staffing Requirements

General Administration

Director Requirements Not In Compliance

265 - Health, Safety, Comfort

Not In Compliance

In Compliance

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922 KAR 2:110. Section 4. Director Requirements and Responsibilities.

- (1) Effective with the adoption of this administrative regulation, a director shall:
- (I) Provide for the health, safety, and comfort of each child;

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, it was found that in the Pre-K classroom and in the Two (2) year-old classroom that there were Little Tykes climbing slides that did not contain enough protective surfacing to go around the climber.

Employee Records

Not In Compliance

300 - Background checks/left alone

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 6. License Issuance.

- (5) An individual described in subsection (4) of this section shall:
- (a) Submit to background checks described in paragraph (b) of this subsection;
- (b) May be employed or work with a child on a probationary basis for up to ninety (90) calendar days, pending completion of a:
- 1. Child abuse or neglect check using the central registry in accordance with 922 KAR 1:470;
- 2. Criminal records check required by KRS 199.896(19);
- 3. Criminal records check for any previous state of residence if the person resided outside the state of Kentucky in the last five (5) years; and
- 4. An address check of the Sex Offender Registry; and
- (c) Not be left alone in the presence of a child until copies of the background checks in accordance with paragraph (b) of this subsection have been received by the licensee.

Findings:

General: Based on Interview, the director realized during the survey that she had not submitted the child abuse and neglect check for staff hired on 03/16/17. A child abuse and neglect check was then submitted while the surveyor was in the office.



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315 - Educational Requirements

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:110. Section 5. Staff Requirements.

- (1) Child-care center staff:
 - (a) Hired after January 1, 2009, who have supervisory power over a minor and are not enrolled in secondary education, shall have a:
 - 1. High school diploma:
 - 2. GED or qualifying documentation from a comparable educational entity; or
 - 3. Commonwealth Child Care Credential as described in 922 KAR 2:250;

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, staff hired on 03/03/17 did not have education documentation on file.

340 - Training Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:110. Section 5. Staff Requirements.

- (14) 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 ½) hours of 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 onehalf (1 ½) hours of pediatric abusive head trauma training completed once every five (5) years.

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, staff hired on 12/19/16 and 09/26/16 have not completed the required Orientation I and II class. This was verified through ECE-TRIS.

Programming In Compliance
Premises Not In Compliance

520 - Floors, Walls, Ceilings Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 4. Premises Requirements.

(9) Floors, walls, and ceilings shall be smooth, in good repair, and constructed to be easily cleaned.

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, it was found that there was chipped paint on the blue wall in the Pre-K classroom. It was also found that a section of the drywall in the restroom located in the hallway that is used by the children was tearing.

Hygienic Practices Not In Compliance

595 - Child Personal Care/Handwashing

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 3. General Requirements.

(4) A child shall:

- (a) Be helped with personal care and cleanliness based upon their developmental skills; and
- (b) Wash his or her hands with liquid soap and warm running water:
- 1. a. Upon arrival at the center; or
- b. Within thirty (30) minutes of arrival for school-age children;
- 2. Before and after eating or handling food;
- 3. After toileting or diaper change;
- 4. After handling animals;
- 5. After wiping or blowing nose;
- 6. After touching items soiled with body fluids or wastes; and
- 7. After outdoor or indoor play time.

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, it was found that a child in the Two (2) year-old classroom had his nose wiped but did not have his hands washed afterwards. It was also found that a child in the Toddler classroom had his diaper changed but did not have his hands washed after the diaper change.

650 - Toy Sanitation Procedure

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 11. Toys and Furnishings.

- (4) Toys and other items that are considered mouth contact surfaces by a child not toilet trained shall be sanitized daily by:
- (a) Scrubbing in warm, soapy water using a brush to reach into crevices;
- (b) Rinsing in clean water;
- (c) Submerging in a sanitizing solution for at least two (2) minutes; and
- (d) Air dried.

Findings:

General: Based on Interview, it was found that the staff in the Infant classroom stated that the toys are cleaned by soaking them in Clorox and then wiping them down with a Clorox wipe.

First Aid/Medication

In Compliance

Outdoor Play Area

In Compliance

Equipment

In Compliance

Transportation

Not Applicable

Food Service

In Compliance



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Children's Records

Not In Compliance

1070 - Immunization **Not In Compliance**

922 KAR 2:110. Section 3. Records.

- (1) A child-care center shall maintain:
- (a) A current immunization certificate for each child in care within thirty (30) days of the child's enrollment, unless an attending physician or the child's parent objects to the immunization of the child pursuant to KRS 214.036;

General: Based on Review of Documentation, it was that two (2) children's files did not contain the expiration date on the immunization record. The dates of enrollment for the children were 01/30/2017 and 09/26/2016.

1075 - Enrollment Information **Not In Compliance**

922 KAR 2:110. Section 3. 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
- a. Identifying information about the child, which includes, at 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 situation 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;

General: Based on Review of Documentation, it was found that a child with an enrollment date of 09/26/2016 had a file that did not contain information for the preferred hospital.

Written Documentation

In Compliance

Posted Documentation

In Compliance

Animals

Not Applicable

Title

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