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Inspection Report **Provider Information** Provider Name: The Ark ChildCare Center #2 Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I CLR No: 1 383786 Provider Address: 67 Parkers Mill Road, Somerset, KY, 42501 Capacity: 70(Bldg 1: 0) Owner(s): The Ark Childcare Center Corporation Director(s): Whitescarver, Cindy Lynn

Inspection Type: Investigation Date Initiated: 08/29/2019 10:30 AM **Inspection Information**

No. of Children Present: 60

Inspection No: 290787

Inspection Report

Supervision

Date Concluded: 08/29/2019 11:20 AM

Staffing Requirements Director Requirements In Compliance In Compliance

Not In Compliance

Not In Compliance

350 - Health, Safety, Comfort

922 KAR 2:090. Section 10. Director Requirements and Responsibilities. (1) A director shall:

(I) Assure the health, safety, and comfort of each child;

Findings:

General: Based on interview, the surveyor found one (1) staff supervised ten (10) school age children on walking field trips throughout the summer without having written permission forms signed. The surveyor observed the route taken for the walking field trips. The safety of the children is a concern, as sidewalks are not present on the three (3) roadways the children and staff took during their walking field trips. Staff reported the children walked in grassy areas off the side of the roadways when possible. The surveyor observed some of the grassy areas to contain very high grass that would not be possible to walk through; therefore, the children would have to walk on the roadway.

Not In Compliance Children's Records **Not In Compliance** 1145 - Documentation for Off Premises Trip 922 KAR 2:090. Section 9. Records. (1) A child-care center shall maintain: (b) A written record for each child: 3. To contain: g. A permission form for each trip off the premises signed by the child's parent in accordance with 922 KAR 2:120, Section 12; Findings:

General: Based on interview, the surveyor found one (1) staff supervised ten (10) school age children on walking field trips throughout the summer without having written permission forms signed by the parents for each trip taken off the premises. One (1) staff interviewed stated she was given verbal permission by the parents to take the children on walking field trips. Another staff reported obtaining written permission from the children's parents. Written permission forms for walking field trips were not provided during the surveyor's visit.

