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Inspection Report

Provider Name: Smart Start SOKY- Brenner Street	Provider Information	CLR No: L384116
Provider Address: 132 Brenner Street, Bowling Green, KY, 42101	Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I	Capacity: 115
Owner(s): Robison 6, LLC-Nashville Road		Director(s): Smith, Devin Lee

Inspection Type: Renewal Application	Inspection Information	Inspection No: 319632
Date Initiated: 01/31/2022 8:57 AM	Date Concluded: 01/31/2022 12:30 PM	
	No. of Children Present: 35	

Inspection Report	
Background Checks	In Compliance
Supervision	In Compliance
Staffing Requirements	In Compliance
General Administration	In Compliance
Director Requirements	In Compliance
Employee Records	Not In Compliance

400 - Educational Requirements **Not In Compliance**

922 KAR 2:090. Section 11. 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 interview and review of documentation, three (3) caregivers each hired 01/13/22, and a caregiver hired 11/12/21, did not have education verification on file.

405 - TB Verification **Not In Compliance**

922 KAR 2:090. Section 11. Staff Requirements.
(1) Child-care center staff:
(b) Shall provide, prior to employment and every two (2) years thereafter:
 1. A statement from a health professional that the individual is free of active tuberculosis; or
 2. A copy of negative tuberculin results.

Findings:
General: Based on interview and review of documentation, a caregiver hired 01/13/22, did not have TB documentation on file.

415 - CPR/First Aid Required Training **Not In Compliance**

922 KAR 2:120. Section 7. First Aid and Medicine.
(8) Each center shall ensure that every staff member has received training on first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR).

Findings:
General: Based on interview and review of documentation, a caregiver hired 09/17/21, a caregiver hired 04/05/21, and a caregiver hired 10/22/2020, each did not have information on file to verify they were trained in first aid and CPR.

435 - 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 completed within the first three (3) months of employment in a child-care program;
 - (b) Nine (9) hours of cabinet-approved early care and education training within the first year of employment in a child care program, including one and one-half (1 ½) hours of cabinet-approved pediatric abusive head trauma training; and
 - (c) Fifteen (15) hours of cabinet-approved early care and education training completed between July 1 and the following June 30 of each subsequent year of employment in a child care program, including one and one-half (1 ½) hours of cabinet-approved pediatric abusive head trauma training completed once every five (5) years.
- (17) A staff person's compliance with training requirements of this section shall be verified through the cabinet-designated database maintained pursuant to 922 KAR 2:240.

Findings:

General: Based on observation, a caregiver hired 09/17/21, and a caregiver hired 04/05/21, each did not complete six (6) hours of cabinet approved orientation training within the first three (3) months of employment.

Programming

In Compliance

Premises

Not In Compliance

565 - Inaccessible Items

Not In Compliance

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

- (7) The following shall be inaccessible to a child in care:
- (a) Toxic cleaning supplies, poisons, and insecticides;
 - (b) Matches, cigarettes, lighters, and flammable liquids; and
 - (c) Personal belongings and medications of staff.

Findings:

General: Based on observation, a large bottle of hand sanitizer was stored on a shelf in the three-year-olds' room. A caregiver's purse and coat were stored on a shelf in the toddlers' room. These items were accessible to children.

570 - Items Accessible Only During Activity

Not In Compliance

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

- (8) The following shall be inaccessible to a child in care unless under direct supervision and part of planned program of instruction:
- (a) Knives and sharp objects;
 - (b) Litter and rubbish;
 - (c) Bar soap; and
 - (d) Plastic bags not used for personal belongings.

Findings:

General: Based on observation, a large roll of plastic bags hung down from a shelf and were accessible to the children in the three-year-olds' room. These plastic bags were not a part of the planned program of instruction.

695 - Toilet

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 12. Toilet, Diapering, and Toiletry Requirements.

- (4) Each toilet shall:
- (a) Be kept in clean condition;
 - (b) Be kept in good repair;
 - (c) Be in a lighted room; and
 - (d) Have ventilation to outside air.

Findings:

General: Based on observation and interview, the toilet did not flush in the two-year-olds' room.

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Hygienic Practices

Not In Compliance

700 - 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 his or her developmental skills;
- (b) Except as established in paragraph (c) of this subsection, 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 touching an item or an area of the body soiled with body fluids or wastes; and
 - 6. After outdoor or indoor play time; and
- (c) Use hand sanitizer or hand-sanitizing wipes if liquid soap and warm running water are not available in accordance with paragraph (b) of this subsection. The child shall wash the child's hands as soon as practicable once liquid soap and warm running water are available.

Findings:

General: Based on observation, two (2) children did not wash their hands with liquid soap and warm running water after they were diapered in the toddlers' room.

A two-year-old child did not wash his hands with liquid soap and warm running water when he arrived to the two-year-olds' room.

705 - Staff Hygiene/Handwashing

Not In Compliance

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

(5) Staff shall:

- (a) Maintain personal cleanliness;
- (b) Conform to hygienic practices while on duty;
- (c) Except as established in paragraph (d) of this subsection, wash their hands with liquid soap and running water:
 - 1. Upon arrival at the center;
 - 2. After toileting or assisting a child in toileting;
 - 3. Before and after diapering each child;
 - 4. After wiping or blowing a child's or own nose;
 - 5. After handling animals;
 - 6. After caring for a sick child;
 - 7. Before and after feeding a child or eating;
 - 8. Before dispensing medication;
 - 9. After smoking or vaping; and
 - 10. If possible, before administering first aid; and
- (d) Use hand sanitizer or hand-sanitizing wipes if liquid soap and warm running water are not available in accordance with paragraph (c) of this subsection. The staff shall wash the staff's hands as soon as practicable once liquid soap and warm running water are available.

Findings:

General: Based on observation, a caregiver did not wash her hands with liquid soap and warm running water before she diapered two (2) children in the two-year-olds' room.

A caregiver did not wash her hands with liquid soap and warm running water before she fed baby food to an infant in the infants' room.

First Aid/Medication

In Compliance

Outdoor Play Area

Not In Compliance

800 - Protective Surface

Not In Compliance

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

(21) A protective surface shall:

- (a) Be provided for outdoor play equipment used to:
 - 1. Climb;
 - 2. Swing; and
 - 3. Slide; and
- (b) Have a fall zone equal to the height of the equipment.

Findings:

General: Based on observation, a slide was placed on grass and did not have a protective surface material underneath in the outdoor play area.

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Equipment

Not In Compliance

840 - Individual Bed/Mat/Cot and Bedding

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 6. Sleeping and Napping Requirements.

- (3) Rest time shall occur in an adequate space according to the child's age as follows:
 - (b) For a toddler or preschool-age child:
 - 1. An individual bed, a two (2) inch thick waterproof mat, or cot in good repair; and
 - 2. Bedding that is in good repair and is changed:
 - a. Weekly; or
 - b. Immediately if it is soiled or wet.

Findings:

General: Based on observation, a preschool child slept directly on a rug from 9:00 am to 9:50 am in the preschool room. The child was not provide an individual bed, a two (2) inch thick mat or cot to nap.

865 - Indoor/Outdoor Equipment

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 13. Toys and Furnishings.

- (2) Indoor and outdoor equipment shall:
 - (a) Be clean, safe, and in good repair;
 - (b) Meet the physical, developmental needs, and interests of children of different age groups;
 - (c) Be free from sharp points or corners, splinters, protruding nails or bolts, loose or rusty parts, hazardous small parts, lead-based paint, poisonous material, and flaking or chalking paint; and
 - (d) Be designed to guard against entrapment or situations that may cause strangulation.

Findings:

General: Based on observation, a crack, which extended from side to side, was on the top of a slide on the toddlers' playground. An excessive amount of threads/strings were unraveled on a green activity mat in the two-year-olds' room.

Transportation

In Compliance

Kitchen Requirements

In Compliance

Food Service

Not In Compliance

1100 - Bottle Preparation by Parent

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 9. Food and Drink Requirements for All Child-Care Centers.

- (4) Formula or breast milk provided by the parent shall be prepared and labeled.

Findings:

General: Based on observation and interview, caregivers prepared an infant's bottle by measuring formula and water and mixing them together three (3) times a day in the infants' room.

Meal Planning/Center Provides Meals

In Compliance

Meal Planning/Center Does Not Provide Meals

In Compliance

Children's Records

In Compliance

Written Documentation

Not In Compliance

1305 - Fire Drills

Not In Compliance

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

- (12) A fire drill shall be:
 - (a) Conducted during hours of operation at least monthly; and
 - (b) Documented.
- (13) An earthquake drill, shelter-in-place or lockdown drill, and tornado drill shall be:
 - (a) Conducted during hours of operation at least quarterly; and
 - (b) Documented.

Findings:

General: Based on interview, the center did not conduct a shelter-in-place or lock down drill in the third and fourth quarters of 2021.

Posted Documentation

In Compliance

Animals

In Compliance

Signature of Provider/Representative

Title

Date