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Inspection Report

Provider Information

Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I

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Capacity: 117

CLR No: 1356813

Inspection No: 289862

Director(s): Hutchinson, Christina Lynn

Inspection Information

Inspection Type: Investigation

Owner(s): A Place For Kids, LLC

Provider Name: A Place For Kids

Date Initiated: 05/16/2019 10:40 AM

Provider Address: 7100 Preston Highway, Louisville, KY, 40219

Date Concluded: 05/16/2019 11:40 AM

No. of Children Present: 49

Inspection Report

Staffing Requirements

Director Requirements

Not In Compliance

In Compliance

335 - Staff Management/Policy Development/Supervision

Not In Compliance

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

- (1) A director shall:
- (e) Manage the staff in their individual job descriptions;
- (f) Assure the development, implementation, and monitoring of child-care center plans, policies, and procedures;
- (g) Supervise staff conduct to ensure implementation of program policies and procedures;

Findings:

Investigation of the child care center revealed that on 5/10/2019, from approximately 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm, a child who was eight-years-old was allowed to stay in a classroom with four (4) children who were less than one-year-of-age. In addition, the investigation revealed the child care center policy prohibits any school aged child from being present at the child care center until the afternoon school bus arrives for drop-off (the child care center disclosed the normal time that the school bus arrives in the afternoon on school days is 4:30 pm). Furthermore, the child who was eight-year-old was the child of the staff member who was supervising the classroom of four (4) children who were less than one-year-of-age. Moreover, the staff member advised that she allowed her eight-year-old child to remain in her classroom from 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm because she could not afford to miss work when the father dropped the eight-year-old off at the child care center at 1:30 pm.

Programming

Not In Compliance

455 - Discipline Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 2. Child Care Services.

- (10) A child shall not be subjected to:
- (a) Corporal physical discipline pursuant to KRS 199.896(18);
- (b) Loud, profane, threatening, frightening, humiliating, or abusive language; or
- (c) Discipline that is associated with:
- 1. Rest;
- 2. Toileting; or
- 3. Food.

Findings:

Investigation of the child care center revealed that on 5/16/2019, at approximately 10:40 am, one (1) child was observed being restrained in a high chair in the classroom known as the Two-Year Old Room. When questioned, the teacher supervising the classroom stated that she was relieving the teacher for break and was unaware of the circumstances; however, she immediately removed the child from the high chair. Shortly thereafter, the regular teacher returned to the classroom and explained that the one (1) child had been restrained in the high chair because he had been physically aggressive with other children in the classroom. In addition, the child care director advised that the child who had been restrained in the high chair has a history of aggressive behavior, and his guardian has advised the child care center to take action to alleviate his disruptive behavior.





Date