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Inspection Report

Provider Name: Children's Choice Learning Center	Provider Information	CLR No: L357626
Provider Address: 717 S. Main St, Nicholasville, KY, 40356	Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I	Capacity: 64
Owner(s): Childrens Choice Learning Center, Inc.		Director(s): Miller, Barbara G

Inspection Type: Renewal Application	Inspection Information	Inspection No: 305538
Date Initiated: 12/30/2020 9:45 AM	Date Concluded: 12/30/2020 11:50 AM	
	No. of Children Present: 21	

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Background Checks	In Compliance
Supervision	Not In Compliance
90 - Children Supervised	Not In Compliance
922 KAR 2:120. Section 2. Child Care Services. (3)(a) Each center shall maintain a child-care program that assures each child will be: 1. Provided with adequate supervision at all times by a qualified staff person who ensures the child is: a. Within scope of vision and range of voice; or b. For a school-age child, within scope of vision or range of voice;	
Findings: General: Based on observation, it was found that a 3-year-old child was in the hallway bathroom unsupervised. The bathroom was located approximately 10 to 12 feet down the hallway from the Twos & Threes classroom. The only staff person in that classroom was standing in the door way to watch the child walk down the hall and supervise the remaining children in the room. Once the child was in the bathroom, the child was no longer in the staff person's scope of vision. The Surveyor was in the room next to the hallway bathroom and heard the child start to cry. The child was crying and complaining that she was having trouble going to the bathroom. The Surveyor alerted the Director to the situation. The Director went to supervise the child while she was in the bathroom.	
Staffing Requirements	In Compliance
General Administration	In Compliance
Director Requirements	In Compliance
Employee Records	In Compliance

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Programming	Not In Compliance
480 - Infant/Toddler Combined with Older Children	Not In Compliance
<p>922 KAR 2:120. Section 5. Infant and Toddler Play Requirements.</p> <p>(2) Except in accordance with subsection (3) of this section or Section 2(2)(c) of this administrative regulation, an infant or toddler under twenty-four (24) months of age shall not participate in an activity with an older child for no more than one (1) hour per day.</p> <p>(3) If a toddler is developmentally appropriate for a transition to a preschool age group, a toddler may participate in an activity with an older child for more than one (1) hour per day if:</p> <p>(a) Space for the toddler is available in the preschool-age group;</p> <p>(b) The staff-to-child ratios and group sizes are maintained based on the age of the youngest child;</p> <p>(c) The center has a procedure for listing a transitioning toddler on attendance records, including a specific day and time the toddler is with either age group; and</p> <p>(d) The child care center has obtained the signature and approval of the toddler's parent on the toddler's transition plan.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>General: Based on observation and interview, there were a total of nine children ranging in age from two to three years being cared for in the Twos & Threes classroom and the Twos classroom. In an interview with staff, it was found that the children are grouped together the entire time they are present in the facility. In an interview with the Director it was determined that the facility did not have a procedure for transitioning toddlers or signed approval from the toddlers' parents on a transition plan.</p>	
Premises	In Compliance
Hygienic Practices	In Compliance
First Aid/Medication	In Compliance
Outdoor Play Area	Not In Compliance
750 - Playground Conditions	Not In Compliance
<p>922 KAR 2:120. Section 4. Premises Requirements.</p> <p>(20) An outdoor play area shall be:</p> <p>(d) Safe from foreseeable hazard;</p> <p>(e) Well drained;</p> <p>(f) Well maintained;</p> <p>(g) In good repair; and</p> <p>(h) Visible to staff at all times.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>General: Based on observation, it was found that there were numerous large areas of weed growth throughout the playground used by the children.</p>	
Equipment	In Compliance
Transportation	Not Applicable
Food Service/Food Program	In Compliance
Food Service	Not In Compliance
1070 - Food Protected From Contamination	Not In Compliance
<p>922 KAR 2:120. Section 9. Food and Meal Requirements.</p> <p>(1) Food shall be:</p> <p>(h) Protected against contamination from:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dust; 2. Flies; 3. Rodents and other vermin; 4. Unclean utensils and work surfaces; 5. Unnecessary handling; 6. Coughs and sneezes; 7. Cuts in skin; 8. Communicable disease; 9. Flooding; 10. Drainage; and 11. Overhead leakage. <p>Findings:</p> <p>General: Based on observation, there was a large bowl of pineapple tidbits sitting on the bottom shelf of the large refrigerator in the kitchen. The fruit was to be served to the children at lunch. The fruit was not covered and not protected from contamination.</p>	
1075 - Bottle Preparation by Parent	Not In Compliance
<p>922 KAR 2:120. Section 9. Food and Meal Requirements.</p> <p>(4) Formula or breast milk provided by the parent shall be prepared and labeled.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>General: Based on interview, it was found that parents bring bottles with pre-measured water and cans of formula. Staff measure the powder and add it to the water in the bottles. The powder is not pre-measured by the parent.</p>	
Children's Records	In Compliance
Written Documentation	In Compliance

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	Posted Documentation	In Compliance
	Animals	Not Applicable
	Emergency Regulation	Not In Compliance
1260 - Emergency Regulation		Not In Compliance
<div>922 KAR 2:410E. Emergency Regulation. Due to the current declared public health emergency caused by the Novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), licensed child care centers must operate under Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and public health guidelines, as mandated by 922 KAR 2:410E, to prevent the spread of COVID-19.</div>		
Findings: General: Based on observation, there were numerous machine washable toys and materials in several classrooms. The items observed in the classrooms were stuffed animals, cloth books, dress-up clothes and cloth dolls.		