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April 27, 2022

Judith Lyons  
 Open Arms Child Development Center  
 305 W. State St.  
 Cassopolis, MI 49031

RE: License #: DC140337492  
**Open Arms Child Development Center**  
**305 W. State St.**  
**Cassopolis, MI 49031**

Dear Mrs. Lyons:

Attached is your renewal inspection report. You can find a copy of this renewal inspection report and any associated corrective action plans on our [website](#) under [Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes](#). A description of when renewal inspection reports are completed can be found under [Overview of Licensing Reports](#).

As a result of the renewal inspection on 04/26/2022, I did not find any rule or law violations. You will receive your regular license in the mail.

<b>During calendar year 2021:</b>	<b>Total</b>
Number of serious injuries that occurred in facility.	<b>0</b>
Number of deaths that occurred in the facility.	<b>0</b>
Number of substantiated cases of abuse and/or neglect of a child that occurred at the facility.	<b>0</b>

Please contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, please contact the local office at (517) 284-9730.

Per MCL 722.113g, this report and any related corrective action plans must be filed in your Licensing Notebook.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amy Steger". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Amy Steger, Licensing Consultant  
Child Care Licensing Bureau  
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P.O. Box 30664  
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**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
CHILD CARE LICENSING BUREAU  
RENEWAL INSPECTION REPORT**

**I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

**License #:** DC140337492

**Licensee Name:** Open Arms Child Development Center

**Licensee Address:** 305 W. State St.  
Cassopolis, MI 49031

**Licensee Telephone #:** (269) 445-3950

**Licensee/Designee:** Judith Lyons, Designee

**Name of Facility:** Open Arms Child Development Center

**Facility Address:** 305 W. State St.  
Cassopolis, MI 49031

**Facility Telephone #:** (269) 445-3950

**Original Issuance Date:** 02/27/2013

**Capacity:** 45

**Age Range:** Ages 2 years 6 months Thru 12 years

**Program Components:** GSRP  
PRESCHOOL  
SCHOOL AGE  
FOOD SERVICE

**II. METHODS OF INSPECTION**

Date of On-Site Inspection(s): 04/26/2022  
 Date of Environmental Health Inspection: 08/30/2011  
 Date of Fire Safety Inspection: 09/12/2020  
 Date of Lead Hazard Risk Assessment, if applicable: 12/15/2010  
 Date of Documentation of Playground Compliance, if applicable: 01/28/2013

		No. of Records Reviewed	
No. of children enrolled in care	38	10	
No. of staff employed	5	5	
No. of volunteers	0	0	
No. of children present at time of inspection	11		
No. of staff present at time of inspection	4		
No. of volunteers present at time of inspection	0		
No. of children interviewed/observed	11		
Persons Interviewed:	Licensee/Licensee Designee	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Program Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Caregiving staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Approved Child Use Space: The East Room and West Room.  
 Approved Program Director: Amy Wiggins  
 Approved Central Administrator: None  
 Approved Variances: None  
 Key Indicator Inspection: No

**III. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS**

This renewal inspection involved a review of all applicable child care center administrative rules and statutes. Verification of compliance included direct observations of the physical environment and the program, discussions with staff, and a review of the center’s records, including staff records and children’s records. Staff records include background checks and training information. Children’s records include child information cards, physical examination dates, and immunizations.

The facility is in compliance with all applicable rules and statutes.

**IV. RECOMMENDATION**

I recommend issuance of a regular license to this child care center.

*Amy Steger*

04/27/2022

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Amy Steger  
Licensing Consultant

Date