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December 9, 2020

Haley Heckman
 Growing Patch Childcare Center LLC
 P. O. Box 12
 201 School St.
 Westphalia, MI 48894

RE: License #: DC190393246
Growing Patch Childcare Ctr LLC Afterschool Pgm
209 N. Westphalia Street
Westphalia, MI 48894

Dear Ms. Heckman:

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 11/23/2020, I did not find any rule or law violations. You will receive your regular license in the mail.

During calendar year 2019:	Total
Number of serious injuries that occurred in facility.	0
Number of deaths that occurred in the facility.	0
Number of substantiated cases of abuse and/or neglect of a child that occurred at the facility.	0

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 "Sharon VanOrd". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Sharon VanOrd, Licensing Consultant
Bureau of Community and Health Systems
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**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
BUREAU OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SYSTEMS
RENEWAL INSPECTION REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #: DC190393246

Licensee Name: Growing Patch Childcare Center LLC

Licensee Address: P. O. Box 12
201 School St.
Westphalia, MI 48894

Licensee Telephone #: (517) 614-3914

Licensee/Designee: Haley Heckman, Designee

Name of Facility: Growing Patch Childcare Ctr LLC Afterschool
Pgm

Facility Address: 209 N. Westphalia Street
Westphalia, MI 48894

Facility Telephone #: (989) 587-0130

Original Issuance Date: 06/06/2018

Capacity: 37

Age Range: Ages 4 years 9 months Thru 12 years

Program Components: SCHOOL AGE

II. METHODS OF INSPECTION

Date of On-Site Inspection(s): 11/23/2020
 Date of Environmental Health Inspection: 04/26/2018
 Date of Fire Safety Inspection: 11/19/2020
 Date of Lead Hazard Risk Assessment, if applicable: N/A
 Date of Documentation of Playground Compliance, if applicable: N/A

		No. of Records Reviewed
No. of children enrolled in care	37	10
No. of staff employed	8	5
No. of volunteers	0	0
No. of children present at time of inspection	21	
No. of staff present at time of inspection	3	
No. of volunteers present at time of inspection	0	
No. of children interviewed/observed	21	
Persons Interviewed:		
Licensee/Licensee Designee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Program Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Caregiving staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Approved Child Use Space: The cafeteria and gymnasium are approved for child care use.
 Approved Program Director: Ms. Haley Heckman is the approved director.
 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.

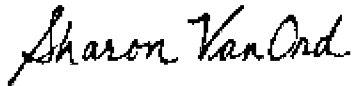
During the onsite inspection, I observed arrival of the children in care, snack, transitioning to groups, and parent pick up. Child care staff members use appropriate communication skills with children and redirect children as needed. Staff arrived prior to children and set equipment up for the children to use.

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

Consultation was provided to Ms. Heckman regarding the cafeteria space. While the school is providing social distancing space to elementary students during Covid-19, teachers are temporarily using some of the cafeteria space along two sides of the room for teaching supplies. I recommended Ms. Heckman mark a "use zone" using cones or some other materials, creating a minimum use space of 31.5 ft. X 43.83 ft. (1,380.64 square feet) to ensure children in care have at least 35 square feet per child.

IV. RECOMMENDATION

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



Sharon VanOrd
Licensing Consultant

12/09/2020
Date