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Aaron Johnson
Valley Family Church
2500 Vincent Ave.
Portage, MI 49024

RE: License #: DC390388046
2022D0298007
RE: SI LOG #: **Valley Kids Learning Center**
2500 Vincent Ave.
Portage, MI 49024

Dear Mr. Johnson:

This letter is to advise you that the 05/16/2022 corrective action plan you submitted, regarding each rule violation cited in the recently completed Special Investigation Report, is approved.

You can find a copy of this corrective action approval letter and the associated report on our [website](#) under [Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes](#). A description of each type of report and corrective action plans can be found under [Overview of Licensing Reports](#).

Violation cited	Noncompliance observed	Plan to correct	Date to be completed
R 400.8125(1) Staff; volunteer; requirements.	Ms. Miller was not providing appropriate care or supervision when she handled children in a rough manner and when she placed her legs over a child to keep him on his cot.	Ms. Miller was trained on appropriate handling of children and took a course on safety in the infant/toddler classroom. Ms. Johnson will monitor via in class observations and video.	03/21/2022
R 400.8140(1) Discipline.	Ms. Miller was not using positive methods of discipline when she roughly placed a child on his cot or when she kept a child from	Ms. Johnson talked to Ms. Miller about the methods she used to get a child to rest being inappropriate. Coached her on appropriate methods. If a child refuses to nap, they will be	03/10/2022

	moving off his cot by putting her legs on him.	provided quiet activities in a separate area of the room with a child care staff member. Ms. Johnson will monitor via in class observations and video.	
R 400.8140(2)(c) Discipline.	Ms. Miller restricted a child's movement when she put her legs over him, keeping him from getting off his cot.	Ms. Miller was reminded to treat children respectfully and appropriately in a positive manner. Ms. Miller was told to never hold a child down on a sleep surface. Ms. Johnson will monitor via in class observations and video.	03/10/2022

It is expected that the corrective action plan will be implemented within the time frames as outlined in your plan.

A follow-up evaluation may be made to verify compliance. Should the corrections not be implemented in the specified time, it may be necessary to reevaluate the status of your license.

The office provides technical assistance to meet the licensing requirements and consultation to improve services. Please contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, you may contact the local office at (616) 356-0183.

Sincerely,



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