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January 18, 2023

Alexus Yancey  
Little Conquerors Child Development Center Inc.  
31542 Gratiot Ave  
Roseville, MI 48066

RE: License #: DC500405654  
Investigation #: 2023D0353008  
Little Conquerors Daycare

Dear Ms. Yancey:

I conducted a special investigation because the child care licensing division received a complaint against your facility that related to licensing rules or law. The allegations were related to the following:

R 400.8137(6) Diapering; toileting.

The details of the allegations are in the attached report. To investigate the allegations:

- I interviewed the person who made the complaint, program director, licensee designee, caregivers, parent, or others with relevant information.
- I completed an onsite inspection on 12/15/2022.

As a result of this investigation, I found the following violation(s):

**R 400.8137(6) Diapering; toileting.**

I recommend no change to the current license status.

Due to the violations, you must send us a corrective action plan by 2/7/2023. You can use our [corrective action plan](#) form or create your own.

If you need help writing the corrective action plan, please contact me. If you do not send a corrective action plan, you may face disciplinary action. The corrective action plan must include the following:

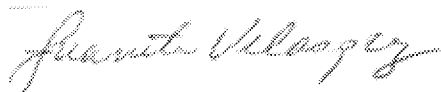
- How compliance with each rule will be achieved.
- Who is directly responsible for implementing the corrective action for each violation.
- Specific time frames for each violation as to when the correction will be completed or implemented.
- How continuing compliance will be maintained once compliance is achieved.
- The signature of the responsible party and a date.

<b>During this special investigation:</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
A rule or law violation was found and a serious injury or death occurred.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
A rule or law violation was found and abuse and/or neglect of a child occurred.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

This report and any related corrective action plans must be filed in your licensing notebook. This report and any related corrective action plans will be online for parents to review under the [Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes](#).

Please review the enclosed documentation for accuracy and contact me with any questions. If I am not available, and you need to speak to someone immediately, please contact the local office at (517) 284-9730.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
CHILD CARE LICENSING BUREAU  
SPECIAL INVESTIGATION REPORT**

**I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

<b>License #:</b>	DC500405654
<b>Investigation #:</b>	2023D0353008
<b>Complaint Receipt Date:</b>	12/14/2022
<b>Investigation Initiation Date:</b>	12/15/2022
<b>Report Due Date:</b>	02/12/2023
<b>Licensee Name:</b>	Little Conquerors Child Development Center Inc.
<b>Licensee Address:</b>	31542 Gratiot Ave Roseville, MI 48066
<b>Licensee Telephone #:</b>	(586) 298-2138
<b>Administrator:</b>	Alexus Yancey
<b>Licensee Designee:</b>	Alexus Yancey
<b>Name of Facility:</b>	Little Conquerors Daycare
<b>Facility Address:</b>	31542 Gratiot Ave. Roseville, MI 48066
<b>Facility Telephone #:</b>	(586) 298-2138
<b>Original Issuance Date:</b>	02/09/2021
<b>License Status:</b>	REGULAR
<b>Effective Date:</b>	08/09/2021
<b>Expiration Date:</b>	08/08/2023
<b>Capacity:</b>	43
<b>Program Type:</b>	CHILD CARE CENTER

## II. ALLEGATION(S)

	Violation Established?
Child A (3-year-old male) soiled himself and Child A and B's Mother was called to pick him up. When Child A and B's Mother arrived, Child A had not been changed and was soiled all down his legs. The center would not change Child A because of his age.	Yes
Additional Findings	No

## III. METHODOLOGY

12/14/2022	Special Investigation Intake 2023D0353008
12/15/2022	Special Investigation Initiated - On Site Interview with: Alexus Yancey, licensee designee and program director Da'Kya Jones, child care staff member. Time of arrival: 9:05a.m. Time of departure: 9:50a.m.
12/22/2022	Contact - Telephone call made Interview with Child A and Child B's Mother.
12/22/2022	Contact - Telephone call made Message to Antonio Yancey.
01/10/2023	Inspection Completed-BCAL Sub. Compliance
01/10/2023	Exit Conference Telephone message to Ms. Yancey

### ALLEGATION:

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## **INVESTIGATION:**

On 12/15/2022, I conducted an unannounced onsite inspection at Little Conqueror's Daycare in Roseville. I met with the licensee designee and program director, Alexis Yancey about the allegations in the complaint. Ms. Yancey indicated she was not at the center when the incident happened. However, on 12/09/2022, she was informed by the child care staff member in the room, Da'Kya Jones, that Child A had diarrhea that was running down his leg onto the carpet and on some of the equipment. Ms. Jones moved all the children out of the room and took them to another classroom with child care staff member, Antonio Yancey. Mr. Yancey contacted Child A and B's Mother for Child A to be picked up from care. Ms. Jones went back to the classroom with Child A to clean up.

Ms. Jones was cleaning the room and Child A was standing at the entry of the doorway when Child A and B's Mother arrived to pick him up about twenty minutes later. Child A and B's Mother picked up Child A and did not say anything. She only asked for Child B's blanket. At around 11:30a.m., Ms. Yancey received a text message from Child A and B's Mother stating she was going to call licensing because Child A had not been changed. Additional complaints and threats were made on social media and Ms. Yancey attempted to contact Child A and B's Mother, but she would not respond and stated that Ms. Yancey was only trying to call because of the social media posts. Ms. Yancey did not have any further contact with Child A and Child B's Mother.

I asked Ms. Yancey why Child A had not been changed after soiling himself and if anyone had told Child A and B's Mother that they could not change Child A because of his age. She denied that Child A and B's Mother was told Child A could not be changed because of his age. Ms. Yancey indicated that Ms. Jones was trying to clean up the carpet and equipment and had not gotten to cleaning Child A before Child A and Child B's Mother arrived. I explained to Ms. Yancey that since the other children had been moved out of the classroom and there was no threat of children having access to the soiled areas, Child A should have been changed and cleaned immediately after moving the other children and before the room was cleaned. Ms. Yancey stated that she understood.

Ms. Yancey indicated that Child A has special needs, and she was trying to assist the family while they obtained special education resources. They were providing care to Child A on a temporary basis until additional services could be secured. Ms. Yancey confirmed that Child A and B's Mother removed the children from care, and they were not returning. I provide consultation to Ms. Yancey regarding the enrollment of children with needs that exceed the center's ability to provide appropriate care and supervision.

During the onsite inspection, I interviewed Ms. Jones. On 12/09/2022, after morning snack, Ms. Jones noticed a smell that kept lingering. She then noticed that Child A had "explosive watery diarrhea" that had gone down his leg and onto the carpet.

Child A was recently potty trained and occasionally wears a pull up. Ms. Jones stated she really did not know how to clean him up because he was “really messy” and needed to get into a bathtub.

Ms. Jones called Ms. Yancey to ask what to do about changing him. Ms. Yancey told her to move the other children to Mr. Yancey’s classroom and for Mr. Yancey to notify Child A and B’s Mother that Child A had diarrhea and needed to go home. Mr. Yancey asked Ms. Jones if Child A had a change of clothes because Child A’s Mother had asked while on the phone with him. Child A did have a change of clothes and Child A and B’s Mother stated she was on her way to pick him up and would be there in 15 minutes.

Ms. Jones left the other children in Mr. Yancey’s classroom, and she went back into her classroom with Child A. Child A stood at the classroom doorway while Ms. Jones cleaned the room. When Child A and B’s Mother arrived, Child A ran from the doorway to his mom. Ms. Jones acknowledged that Child A “was waddling” when he ran to his mother because of the stool in his pants. Ms. Jones informed Child A and B’s Mother that she had not changed him because she was not sure how to clean him and Ms. Yancey had said to separate the children and clean the room.

Ms. Jones stated that Child A and B’s Mother did not appear to be upset when she arrived and only asked for Child B’s stuff before leaving. Child A and B’s Mother did not say anything to indicate that she was angry that Child A had not been changed.

Ms. Jones denied that she had ever refused to change Child A or Child B, even when they were sick with diarrhea and vomiting. She stressed again that she really did not know how to clean Child A because she only had wipes.

I spoke with Ms. Yancey before ending the onsite inspection and informed her that Child A should not have been left in his soiled clothing while Ms. Jones cleaned the room. Ms. Yancey indicated that she thought although she had told Ms. Jones to clean the room, she did not think she needed to specifically state for Child A to be changed as well. She thought Child A would have been changed. I notified her that a violation of the diapering rule would be cited and provided technical assistance and consultation regarding diapering of older children and messy situations.

I asked Ms. Yancey for Mr. Yancey’s contact information. She indicated that Mr. Yancey had quit and was no longer working for the center. She provided a contact number for him.

On 12/22/2022, I conducted a telephone interview with Child A and B’s Mother. Child A and B’s Mother stated that on 12/09/2022, she received a telephone call from the center that Child A had diarrhea and needed to be picked up. She arrived at the center around 20-25 minutes later. When she arrived, Child A came running out to her in the lobby. Child A was by himself in the hallway and the front entrance door

was not locked. Child A was still in his soiled clothing and had feces on him that had started to dry.

Child A and B's Mother stated that Ms. Yancey said they do not have to clean 3-year-old children because of their age. Ms. Yancey then argued with Child A and B's Mother about the incident and how it was handled. Child A and B's Mother did not think the center should be allowed to care for children. She believes her children's wipes and diapers were being stolen from the center and her children were coming home crying that they were hungry.

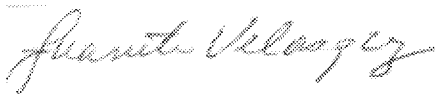
On 12/22/2022, I left a telephone message for Mr. Yancey regarding the incident with Child A. A return call was not received.

On 01/10/2023, I left a message for Ms. Yancey reiterating that I had found a violation of the diapering rule. Ms. Yancey responded via text message that she had received the message and did not have any questions regarding the violation.

<b>APPLICABLE RULE</b>	
<b>R 400.8137</b>	<b>Diapering; toileting.</b>
	(6) Diapers and training pants must be checked frequently and changed when wet or soiled.
<b>ANALYSIS:</b>	On 12/09/2022, Child A had diarrhea and was left in his soiled pull up and clothing until he was picked up by his mother 20-25 minutes later.
<b>CONCLUSION:</b>	<b>VIOLATION ESTABLISHED</b>

#### IV. RECOMMENDATION

Upon receipt of an acceptable corrective action plan, I recommend no change to the current license status.



01/18/2023

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Licensing Consultant

Date

Approved By:



01/18/2023

Crecendra Boone  
Area Manager

Date