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Kimberly Clark
Midland County ESA-Longview Early Childhood Center
337 Lemke St
Midland, MI 48642

RE: License # DC560405435
Longview Early Childhood Center
337 Lemke St.
Midland, MI 48642

Dear Ms. Clark:

This letter is a follow-up to the on-site inspection conducted at your center on 06/28/2022. The purpose of this inspection was to determine compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules for Child Care Centers.

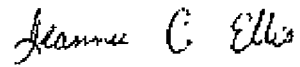
As a result of the inspection, I did not find any rule or law violations. There was improvement observed during rest time where books were placed by each cot; however, child care staff members are still trying to get children to go to sleep after one to two hours of the children laying on cots. There is no licensing requirement that children sleep. The center just has to offer a rest time. If a child isn't going to sleep they shouldn't be forced to spend hours laying on a cot trying to go to sleep. The center rules require that the children that do not sleep have quiet alternative activities. They could have quiet activities at their cots or at a table in the room. There will be an additional follow up inspection to check on rest time again this fall as noted in the special investigation report.

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

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 (989) 590-0191.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jeannie C. Ellis".

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