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Kimberly VanderVlucht
McBain Rural Agricultural School
107 East Maple
McBain, MI 49657

RE: License #: DC570407007
McBain Early Learning Center
229 Roland
McBain, MI 49657

Dear Ms. VanderVlucht:

This letter is a follow-up to the Department's findings regarding the interim inspection conducted at your center on 04/17/2023 and 04/19/2023. The purpose of this inspection was to determine compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules for Child Care Centers.

On 04/17/2023 I observed school age children in care due to a delayed start at their elementary school. School age children were engaged in activities in the multi-purpose room with child care staff moving throughout the room providing care. I was able to tour the building and meet staff. The staff was warm and welcoming!

On 04/19/2023 I observed in three classrooms. In room 3 and room 4 children were preparing for nap. In room 2 I observed lunch service. Children at the center were served pizza, peas, fruit cocktail, and milk. All classrooms were well organized and inviting. Staff used appropriate communication skills with children redirecting as needed.

Technical assistance was provided for the following:

- Child Information Cards: A reminder that N/A is not an acceptable written response and ensuring date of admission is written in on each card.
- The center is required to have a signed permission slip by the parent allowing school age children to leave the center property to use the elementary school playground.
- During a phone conversation with program director Ms. Eisenga on 05/01/2023 the multi-purpose room was discussed regarding compliance with maximum group size for large group activities. Also discussed was clarification of toilets, sinks, and room capacities for modification.

As a result of the inspection, I did not find any rule or law violations.

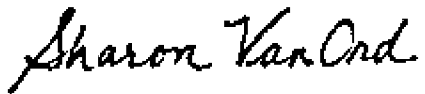
During calendar year 2022:	Total
Number of serious injuries that occurred in facility.	0
Number of deaths that occurred in the facility.	0
Number of substantiated cases of abuse and/or neglect of a child that occurred at the facility.	0

You can find a copy of this inspection letter and any associated corrective action plans on our [website](#) under [Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes](#). A description of when inspection 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 517-284-9730.

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

Sincerely,



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