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December 8, 2022

Victoria Dougherty
Northwest Christian Church
1590 W. Temperance
Temperance, MI 48182

RE: License #: DC580275576
Dayspring Christian Preschool
1590 W. Temperance Road
Temperance, MI 48182

Dear Mrs. Dougherty:

Attached is the Addendum to the Original Licensing Study Report for the above referenced facility.

Please review the enclosed documentation for accuracy and 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 must be filed in your licensing notebook.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Timothy A. Swope".

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**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
BUREAU OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SYSTEMS
ADDENDUM TO ORIGINAL LICENSING STUDY REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #:	DC580275576
Licensee Name:	Northwest Christian Church
Licensee Address:	1590 W. Temperance Temperance, MI 48182
Licensee Telephone #:	(734) 847-7414
Administrator/Licensee Designee:	Victoria Dougherty, Designee
Name of Facility:	Dayspring Christian Preschool
Facility Address:	1590 W. Temperance Road Temperance, MI 48182
Facility Telephone #:	(734) 847-7414
Capacity:	59
Program Type:	CHILD CARE CENTER

II. Purpose of Addendum

The center is requesting a modification of the terms of their license to change the hours of operation to include Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm. The center will remain at their current licensed capacity of 59 children ages 3 to 6 years old.

III. Methodology

8/10/22: Modification Request Received.
12/6/22: inspection completed onsite.
11/29/04: Environmental Health Inspection – A rating.
10/13/22: Fire Safety Inspection - “A” rating
8/20/18: Lead Risk Assessment completed – no lead risk hazards present.

IV. Description of Findings and Conclusions

The terms of the original license has been modified on October 27th, 2020 and December 7, 2022.

Dayspring Christian Preschool is an active facility that has been operating since May of 2005. The center is located inside Northwest Christian Church located in Temperance, Michigan. The center has requested a modification of the terms of their current license to change the hours of operation for the four-year-old preschool class to operate Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm. The center will remain at their current licensed capacity of 59 children ages 3 to 6 years old.

The centers will continue to utilize 2 rooms as approved child use space; the approved rooms and room sizes include:

- **Preschool Room** consists of one large room that is divided into three separate defined learning areas. The children can utilize the different learning areas as long as there are no more than the maximum number of children and group sizes allowed for the designated area. The approved areas and rooms sizes are listed below:
- **Area 1 (calendar area)** measures 19 sq. ft. x 18 sq. ft. for a total square footage of 342 sq. ft. This allows for the requested capacity of 10 children ages 3 - 6 years old.

- **Area 2 (bible area)** measures 15 sq. ft. x 10 sq. ft. for a total square footage of 468 sq. ft. This allows for the requested capacity of 13 children ages 3 - 6 years old.
- **Area 3 (lunch and large motor)** measures 30 sq. ft. x 45 sq. ft. for a total square footage of 1,350 sq. ft. This allows for the requested capacity of 38 children ages 3 - 6 years old. The licensee understands that If children of mixed ages are present, the caregiver to child ratio is based on the youngest child in the room. In the event more than 30 children are present in this room, the room will be divided into two groups of children, allowing for compliance with the group size requirements. The group size requirement this age group is now a total of 30 children based on the 3-year-old children in the room and 36 children for 4 years old and school-age children.
- **The Art Room** has a total square footage of 319 square feet. This is enough space to accommodate 9 children ages 3 - 6 years old.

The approved capacity is 59 children at any one time in the facility ages 3 to 6 years old. The licensee understands that each room approved for use has a maximum number of children allowed at any one time, but the overall capacity in the center cannot exceed 59 children.

The facility has 4 toilets, 1 urinal and 4 sinks available throughout the facility for children use. This supports the total centers capacity of 59 children.

All of the classrooms are furnished with a variety of developmentally appropriate play and learning equipment conducive to a preschool setting. There is an adequate amount of play equipment to support the license capacity of 59 children.

The childcare center offers part-time preschool programming, through the school year, for children ages 3 to 6 years old. The center operates Monday through Friday from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm. The four-year-old preschool program, operates Mondays, Wednesday, and Friday from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm. The three-year-old preschool program operates Tuesday and Thursday from 9:00 am. Transportation services are provided by the parents. The parents also provide lunch and snacks for the children. The snacks provided consist of prepackaged and fresh food items. There is no swimming offered by the center.

An environmental health inspection of the center was completed on 11/29/04 with an "A" rating. The fire inspection was completed on 10/13/22 with an "A" rating. A lead risk assessment was not needed due to the facility being constructed after 1978.

V. Recommendation

I approve the change of hours for the four-year-old preschool room to include Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm. The center will remain at their current licensed capacity of 59 children ages 3 to 6 years old.



12/08/2022

Timothy A Swope
Licensing Consultant

Date