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May 19, 2023

Derick Doe
Doeting Education Co Dba Goddard School Of Novi
48600 Grand River Ave
Novi, MI 48374

RE: License #: DC630387620
The Goddard School of Novi
48600 Grand River Ave
Novi, MI 48374

Dear Mr. Doe:

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

During the renewal inspection on 05/18/2023, I found 1 violation listed below and explained in the attached report:

R 400.8131(6) Professional development requirements.

You gave us an acceptable written corrective action plan. We will send you a regular license in the mail.

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

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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chimere Simmons". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "C" and a long, sweeping tail.

Chimere Simmons, Licensing Consultant
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**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
CHILD CARE LICENSING BUREAU
RENEWAL INSPECTION REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #:	DC630387620
Licensee Name:	Doeting Education Co DbA Goddard School Of Novi
Licensee Address:	48600 Grand River Ave Novi, MI 48374
Licensee Telephone #:	(248) 962-3631
Licensee/Designee:	Derick Doe, Designee
Name of Facility:	The Goddard School of Novi
Facility Address:	48600 Grand River Ave Novi, MI 48374
Facility Telephone #:	(248) 938-0400
Original Issuance Date:	12/27/2017
Capacity:	154
Age Range:	Ages Birth Thru 6 years
Program Components:	PRESCHOOL SCHOOL AGE INFANT/TODDLER

II. METHODS OF INSPECTION

Date of On-Site Inspection(s): 05/18/2023
 Date of Environmental Health Inspection: N/A
 Date of Fire Safety Inspection: 05/18/2023
 Date of Lead Hazard Risk Assessment, if applicable: N/A facility was built in 2017.
 Date of Documentation of Playground Compliance, if applicable: 10/30/2017

		No. of Records Reviewed
No. of children enrolled in care	153	15
No. of staff employed	31	11
No. of volunteers	0	0
No. of children present at time of inspection	87	
No. of staff present at time of inspection	19	
No. of volunteers present at time of inspection	0	
No. of children interviewed/observed	87	
Persons Interviewed:	Licensee/Licensee Designee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Program Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Caregiving staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Approved Child Use Space: The children's classrooms are approved. The work space, laundry room, offices, storages areas, and kitchen are not approved for the children's use.

Approved Program Director: Janelle LaGuidice
 Approved Central Administrator: None
 Approved Variances: None
 Key Indicator Inspection: No

III. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS

This renewal inspection involved a review of all applicable child care center administrative rules and statutes. Verification of compliance included direct observations of the physical environment and the program, discussions with staff, and a review of the center's records, including staff records and children's records. Staff records include background checks and training information. Children's records include child information cards, physical examination dates, and immunizations. During the onsite inspection, I observed children engaged in various age appropriate activities including large group, music and movement, book read alouds, and outside time.

During the inspection, the center was found to be in compliance with all applicable rules and statutes except for the following violations:

R 400.8131 Professional development requirements.

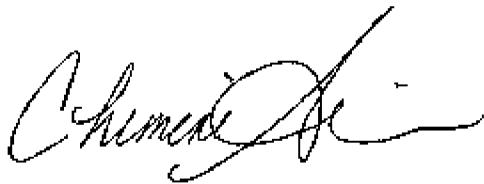
(6) All child care staff members who work directly with children shall complete 16 clock hours of professional development annually on topics relevant to job responsibilities that include, but are not limited to, any of the following subjects:

- (a) Child development and learning.
- (b) Health, safety, and nutrition.
- (c) Family and community collaboration.
- (d) Program management.
- (e) Teaching and learning.
- (f) Observation, documentation, and assessment.
- (g) Interactions and guidance.
- (h) Child care center administrative rules.

Of the 11 staff files I reviewed, 6 child care staff members did not complete 16 clock hours of annual training in 2021.

IV. RECOMMENDATION

I recommend issuance of a regular license to this child care center.



05/19/2023

Chimere Simmons
Licensing Consultant

Date