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Dawn Bajis
Little House Academy
44300 Elizabeth Lake Road
Waterford, MI 48328

RE: License # DC630391694
Little House Academy
4430 Elizabeth Lake Road
Waterford, MI 48328

Dear Ms. Bajis:

This letter is a follow-up to the on-site inspection conducted at your center on 12/07/2022. The purpose of this inspection was to determine compliance with applicable safe sleep licensing statutes and administrative rules for Child Care Centers. The following safe sleep violation was observed during my inspection:

R 400.8176(12) Sleeping equipment.

(12) A tightly fitted bottom sheet must cover the crib or porta crib mattress with no additional padding placed between the sheet and the mattress.

A toddler was sleeping in the crib without a fitted sheet covering the mattress.

Technical assistance was provided to the staff member that had left a child in the crib during nap time, even though the child was awake. The staff member stated that she did not know how long the child was in there since she just started her shift.

Due to the violations, you must send us a corrective action plan by 12/29/22. 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.

Due to the infant safe sleep violation(s), all of your infant caregivers must take training on infant safe sleep. This must be included in your corrective action plan. In addition, a follow up inspection may be made to check compliance with the infant safe sleep rule

Upon receipt of an acceptable corrective action plan, there will be no change to your license status.

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 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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