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RE: License #: DC730245772  
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Dear Ms. Bartlett:

This letter is a follow-up to the Department's findings regarding the interim inspection conducted at your center on 06/13/2023. The purpose of this inspection was to determine compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules for Child Care Centers.

During the on-site inspection I observed children initiated in outdoor play activities, free play, diapering, caring for plants, rest time and parent drop off. Caregiver interactions with children were positive and nurturing.

The violations that were found are:

**REPEAT VIOLATION ESTABLISHED**  
**LSR Dated 07/09/2020**  
**Corrective Action Plan Dated 07/20/2020**

**R 400.8128      Staff; volunteer; tuberculosis.**

A center shall keep on file at the center evidence to verify that each child care staff member and each volunteer who has contact with children at least 4 hours perweek for more than 2 consecutive weeks is free from communicable tuberculosis (TB). Verification of TB status is required within 1 year before employment or volunteering.

Ms. Bartlett did not keep on file at the center evidence to verify that child care staff member Alina Bodeis is free from communicable tuberculosis (TB).

**R 400.8131 Professional development requirements.**

(4) Before unsupervised contact with children, all child care staff members who work directly with children shall complete prevention and control of infectious disease training, including immunizations.

Ms. Bartlett failed to ensure child care member Alina Bodeis completed prevention and control of infectious disease training, including immunizations, before unsupervised contact with children

**R 400.8134 Hand washing.**

(2) All staff and volunteers shall wash their hands at all of the following times:

- (a) Prior to starting the workday at the center.
- (b) Prior to care of children.
- (c) Before preparing and serving food and feeding children.
- (d) Before giving medication.
- (e) After each diapering.
- (f) After using the toilet or helping a child use the toilet.
- (g) After handling bodily fluids.
- (h) After handling animals and pets and cleaning cages.
- (i) After handling garbage.
- (j) When soiled.

Child care staff member Ariana Irish failed to wash their hands after diapering a child.

**R 400.8134 Hand washing.**

(3) Staff and volunteers shall ensure that children wash their hands at all of the following times:

- (a) Before meals, snacks, or food preparation experiences.
- (b) After toileting or diapering.
- (c) After handling animals and pets.

(d) When soiled.

Child care staff member Ariana Irish did not ensure a child washed their hands after diapering.

**R 400.8176          Sleeping equipment.**

(6) Car seats, infant seats, swings, bassinets, and play yards are not approved sleeping equipment.

Two children in the infant room were observed asleep in a swing.

**R 400.8385          Poisonous or toxic materials.**

Containers of poisonous or toxic materials must be clearly labeled for easy identification of contents and stored out of reach of children.

Three one-gallon paint cans and other painting materials were observed were stored in a hallway in reach of children.

On 06/13/2023, you gave us an acceptable written corrective action plan.

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 rules.

**Technical Assistance and Consultation were provided on the following:**

- A discussion was held regarding R 400.8131(5)
- Ms. Bartlett will add a thermometer to the refrigerator in the older infant room.
- Ms. Bartlett will update the center's emergency plans and ensure they are posted in every room. A sample plan was provided to her.
- A discussion was held regarding R 400.8143(2).

<b>During calendar year 2022:</b>	<b>Total</b>
Number of serious injuries that occurred in facility.	<b>0</b>
Number of deaths that occurred in the facility.	<b>0</b>

Number of substantiated cases of abuse and/or neglect of a child that occurred at the facility.	0
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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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