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Kayla Cox
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Sturgis, MI 49091

RE: License #: DC750341506
Sturgis Great Start School Readiness Program
303 E. Jerolene
Sturgis, MI 49091

Dear Ms. Cox:

This letter is a follow-up to the Department's findings regarding the interim inspection conducted at your center on 03/27/2023. The purpose of this inspection was to determine compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules for Child Care Centers.

During the onsite inspection, I observed four GSRP classrooms. Room 101 had 13 preschool-aged children and two child care staff members. Room 102 had 13 preschool-aged children and three child care staff members. Room 103 had 14 preschool-aged children and two child care staff members, and Room 104 had 15 preschool-aged children and two child care staff members. The center was within its ratio and capacity. I observed nap time, quiet play, table activities, handwashing, afternoon snack, and outdoor play. No hazards were identified in any of the classrooms. I reviewed some child and staff records, and all were in compliance. Technical assistance was provided about the new written information packet documentation form that allows centers to choose whether they keep a licensing notebook onsite or if they have internet available and prefer to refer parents to the website to review past reports. Room 101 had some child-safe paint they had put into several old hand soap dispensers so it could be pumped out, but it was not labeled with the contents and looked like colored hand soap. I explained that it must be labeled with the contents so there is no confusion what it contains.

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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