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ACTING DIRECTOR

Report Type : Interim
Inspection Type: Interim

Date of Inspection: 3/14/2024
Date of Report: 3/14/2024

Licensee Name(s)	License Number	Capacity
Amber Michelle Brookhouse	DF700413314	6
Facility Name	Program Type	
Mer's Daycare	Family Home	
Facility Address	Mailing Address	
5537 Park Avenue, Hudsonville, MI, 49426	5537 Park Ave, Hudsonville, MI, 49426	
Facility Phone Number	Facility Email Address	
616-821-3042	abrookhouse0502@gmail.com	

Findings of the Inspection

A copy of this Interim inspection report and any associated corrective action plans is available on the Child Care Licensing Bureau [website](#) under [Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes](#). A description of when interim inspection reports are completed can be found under [Overview of Licensing Reports](#).

The purpose of the Interim inspection was to determine compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules for child care Family Home.

During the on-site inspection I observed free play. There was a variety of age-appropriate materials and equipment for the children to access. Amber Brookhouse was providing appropriate care and supervision. She interacted with children in a positive and nurturing manner.

If you have any questions regarding the report, please contact licensing consultant, Jessica Miranda-Bevier, at 616-498-5459. In the event that Jessica Miranda-Bevier is not available, and you need to speak to someone immediately, please contact the Child Care Licensing Bureau at 517-284-9730.

Inspection Details		
<i>Number of Rules/Statutes Reviewed</i>	<i>Number of Rules/Statute Violations</i>	<i>Number of Rules/Statutes where Technical Assistance was Provided</i>
190	0	2
<i>Number of Children's Records Reviewed : Number of Children Enrolled</i>	<i>Number of Staff Employed : Number of Staff Files Reviewed</i>	<i>Number of Home Volunteers : Number of Volunteer Files Reviewed</i>
5 :	1 : 1	0 : 0
<i>Number of Children Observed : Number of Children Present During Inspection</i>	<i>Number of Child Care Staff Members Observed : Number of Child Care Staff Members Present During Inspection</i>	<i>Number of Volunteers Observed a: Number of Volunteers Present During Inspection</i>
6 : 6	0 : 0	0 : 0
<i>Licensee Interviewed</i>	<i>Child Care Staff Members Interviewed</i>	<i>Pets</i>
Yes	No	There are two dogs, a cat, and some fish in the child care home. All pet supplies and equipment will be maintained inaccessible to children.
<i>Water or Other Hazards</i>	<i>Outdoor Space</i>	
There is a fire pit and trampoline in the backyard of the home.	The outdoor play area is located in the backyard of the home. The side of the backyard where the shed and fire pit are located are not approved for child care use.	

Documentation of Required Inspections		
<i>Type of Inspection</i>	<i>Date of Inspection</i>	<i>Findings</i>
No inspections needed at this time		

<i>Rule Number</i>	<i>Rule</i>	<i>Analysis</i>	<i>Conclusion</i>
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Technical Assistance	
<i>Rule Number</i>	<i>Rule</i>
R 400.1936(5)	Litter boxes, pet food, pet dishes, and pet toys must be inaccessible to children,
R 400.1907(1)(a)	A completed child information card on a form provided by the department or a comparable substitute approved by the department.

Bureau Recommendation

I recommend no change in the status of the license.

Approved By:



3/14/2024

Jessica Miranda-Bevier
Licensing Consultant

Date