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Brittany Kill
706 6th Street
Ludington, MI 49431

RE: License #: DG530406413
Brittany's Daycare
706 6th Street
Ludington, MI 49431

Dear Ms. Kill:

This letter is a follow-up to the Department's findings regarding the interim inspection conducted at your home on 09/07/2022. The purpose of this inspection was to determine compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules for Family and Group Child Care Homes.

At the time of the onsite inspection, Ms. Kill was present with one child care staff member and seven children. While I was present, another child arrived off the bus. I observed toileting, hand washing, and lunch. I also observed an infant in a bouncer, being held, and lying on a mat on the floor. While the children ate, Ms. Kill's child care staff member read them a story. Both caregivers were attentive to the children's needs and appeared bonded.

The violations that were found are:

R 400.1916 Bedding and sleeping equipment.

(5) Play yard mattresses must be purchased from the manufacturer of the play yard and be manufactured after February 19, 2014.

Ms. Kill did not ensure that her play yards were manufactured after 2014. She had one that was manufactured in 2009 and one in 2011.

R 400.1944 Smoke detectors; fire extinguishers.

(1) Operable smoke detectors approved by a nationally recognized testing laboratory must be installed and maintained on each floor of the home, including the basement, and in all sleeping areas and bedrooms used by children in care.

Ms. Kill did not ensure that operable smoke detectors are installed on each floor of the home. The upstairs smoke detector was inoperable.

During the exit conference, technical assistance/consultation was provided regarding the following:

- I reminded Ms. Kill that she must use the smoke detector for fire drills and that she needs to work to make them faster.
- I reminded Ms. Kill that all child care staff members must be completely qualified.

On 09/07/2022, you gave us an acceptable written corrective action plan.

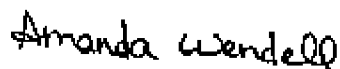
During calendar year 2021:	Total
Number of serious injuries that occurred in facility.	0
Number of deaths that occurred in the facility.	0
Number of substantiated cases of abuse and/or neglect of a child that occurred at the facility.	0

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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