



Bright from the Start Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning
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Date: 2/8/2017 **VisitType:** Monitoring Visit **Arrival:** 2:40 PM **Departure:** 4:10 PM

CCLC-30942

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Compliance Zone Designation			Compliance Zone Designation - A summary measure of a program's 12 month monitoring history, as it pertains to child care health and safety rules. The three compliance zones are good standing, support, and deficient. Good Standing - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules. Support - Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting rules. Deficient - Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.
02/08/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
10/04/2016	Licensing Study	Good Standing	
05/16/2016	POI Follow Up	Good Standing	

Ratios/License Capacity


Building	Room	Age Group	Staff	Children	NC/C	Max 35 SF.	35 SF. Comp.	Max 25 SF.	25 SF. Comp.	Notes
Gym	Gym		0	0	C	188	C	NA	NA	Not In Use
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 188					Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0					
Main	Cafeteria	Six Year Olds and Over	3	36	C	77	C	NA	NA	Transitioning
Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 77					Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0					
Total # Children this Date: 36		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 265			Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0					

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
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Comments

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 02/08/2017

Any rule violation which subjects a child to injury or life-threatening situation or any rule violations previously cited but not corrected, may result in the imposition of an adverse enforcement action. Serious or continued noncompliance may also jeopardize participation in one or more DECAL program(s).

	<p>Reminder: All employees of child care programs must be fingerprinted before January 1, 2017. For instructions and to submit records check applications online, please visit www.decalkoala.com. You are encouraged not to wait and to complete the process as soon as possible.</p>
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O.C.G.A. Section 42.1.12(i)(2) requires Bright from the Start: Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning to notify licensed child care programs on accessing and retrieving from the Georgia Bureau of Investigation's (GBI) website a list of the names and addresses of all registered sexual offenders. Please see GBI's website located at <http://gbi.georgia.gov> to access the Georgia Sex Offender Registry.

Refutation Process:

You have the right to refute any of the citations noted in this report with which you disagree. To refute a citation(s), e-mail the following information to CCSRefutations@decal.ga.gov.

- 1) Facility name, license number and visit date
- 2) Your name, title/relationship to the facility, e-mail address & up to two phone number(s) where you can be reached
- 3) Specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, along with your concerns or questions regarding the rule citation

Refutations must be submitted to Child Care Services (CCS) within 10 business days of the completion date.

A sample form for submitting a refutation can be found at: <http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx>

Your refutation will be forwarded to the appropriate CCS manager, who will follow up with you about your concerns. If you have any questions about this process, contact our office at 404-657-5562.

Bright from the Start recommends that all licensed child care providers carry liability insurance coverage sufficient to protect its clients. If you do not have this liability insurance, you are required to post a notice with ½ inch letters in a conspicuous location in the program, notify the parent or guardian of each child in care in writing, obtain their signature to acknowledge receipt and maintain this written acknowledgment on file at the program at all times while the child attends the program and for 12 months after the child's last date of attendance. (O.C.G.A. Section 20-1A-4)

Cindy Nettles, Program Official

Date

Morgan Stahl, Consultant

Date



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Findings Report

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The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

Activities and Equipment

591-1-1-.35 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

Met

Comment

No Swimming Activities Provided

Facility

591-1-1-.25 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)

Met

Comment

Observation-No Hazards Accessible

591-1-1-.26 Playgrounds(CR)

Met

Comment

Resilient surface was not adequately evaluated on this date due to inclement weather. Consultant discussed fluff/redistribute surface once dry.

Health and Hygiene

591-1-1-.10 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR)

Met

Comment

The after school program does not provide care for diapered children.

Correction Deadline: 2/8/2017

591-1-1-.17 Hygiene(CR)

Met

Comment

Observed-Proper Hand Washing Throughout

591-1-1-.20 Medications(CR)**Met****Comment**

The after school program does not dispense medication.

Correction Deadline: 2/8/2017**Safety**

591-1-1-.11 Discipline(CR)**Met****Comment**

Reminder-Voice Tone in Redirecting

591-1-1-.13 Field Trips(CR)**Met****Comment**

No Field Trips at This Time

591-1-1-.36 Transportation(CR)**Met****Comment**

No Routine Transportation Provided

Sleeping & Resting Equipment

591-1-1-.30 Safe Sleeping and Resting Requirements(CR)**Met****Comment**

The after school program does not provide care for infants and there is no designated rest time.

Correction Deadline: 2/18/2017**Staff Records**

591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records Check(CR)**Not Met****Finding**

591-1-1-.09(1)(c) requires the Center to maintain valid evidence of a satisfactory criminal records check for the Director, each Employee and each Provisional Employee of the Child Care Learning Center for the duration of their employment plus one year, such evidence must be made immediately available to the Department upon request. It was determined based on review of records that one staff members record check was not available on this date.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will ensure that valid evidence of satisfactory CRC's are maintained and are immediately available to the Department for the duration of the Employees employment plus one year.

Correction Deadline: 2/8/2017**Staffing and Supervision**

591-1-1-.32 Staff:Child Ratios and Group Size(CR)**Not Met****Finding**

591-1-1-.32(1) requires the Center to maintain the required Staff:child ratios as follows: under 1 year or under 18 months if not walking = 1:6; 1 year and walking = 1:8; 2 years = 1:10; 3 years = 1:15; 4 years = 1:18; 5 years = 1:20; and 6 years and older = 1:25. A Center must establish groupings of children for care with maximum group sizes as follows: under 1 year = 12; under 18 months/not walking = 12; 1 year and walking = 16; 2 years = 20; 3 years = 30; 4 years = 36; 5 years = 40; and 6 years and older = 50. It was determined based on observation that there was a ratio of 1:36 with children ages six and up in the cafeteria upon the consultants arrival to the facility.

POI (Plan of Improvement)

The Center will hire additional Staff or reschedule current Staff to meet required Staff:child ratios and will organize children into groups that meet requirements.

Correction Deadline: 2/8/2017

591-1-1-.32 Supervision(CR)**Met****Comment**

Observed-Adequate Supervision