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Date: 10/5/2017 **VisitType:** Licensing Study **Arrival:** 3:15 PM **Departure:** 4:15 PM

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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.
10/05/2017	Licensing Study	Good Standing	
06/23/2017	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
12/08/2016	Licensing Study	Good Standing	

Ratios/License Capacity

Age Ranges	Children Present	Child For Pay	CAPS	Not for Pay	Provider Children
Infant (0-11 mos)	0	0	0	0	0
1 & 2 Years	2	3	0	0	0
3 & 4 Years	0	1	0	0	0
School Age(5+) Years	0	2	0	0	0
Total Under 13 Years	2	6	0	0	0
Total Under 18 Years	2				

Children Present: 2	Total Children: 6
Caregivers/Helpers Present: 1	Total Caregivers/Helpers: 1

Comments

The purpose of this visit was to conduct a licensing study and to follow up on the previous visit.

Plan of Improvement: No Plan Developed

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).



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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@decga.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://decga.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)

Gloria Mc Donald, Program Official

Date

Alva Huff, Consultant

Date



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Findings Report

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The following information is associated with a Licensing Study:

Activities and Equipment

290-2-3-.12 Equipment and Supplies(CR) **Met**

Comment

Observed-Variety Of Equipment

290-2-3-.19 Infant-Sleeping Safety Requirements(CR) **Met**

Comment

No enrolled children in cribs. Consultant discussed safe sleep practices and SIDS with the provider on this date.

Comment

Not caring for infants

290-2-3-.07 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR) **Met**

Comment

No Swimming Activities Provided

Facility

290-2-3-.11 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR) **Met**

Comment

Consultant observed an operable fire extinguisher and smoke detector on this date.

290-2-3-.13 Physical Plant-Structural/Mechanical(CR) **Technical Assistance**

Technical Assistance

290-2-3-.13(1) - Consultant discussed with provider to ensure that all items that state "keep out of reach of children" are kept in accessible to children in care.

290-2-3-.13 Playgrounds(CR) **Met**

Comment

No Swimming Activities Provided

Health and Hygiene

290-2-3-.11 Children's Health and Hygiene(CR) Met

Comment

Observed-Proper handwashing procedures on this date.

290-2-3-.11 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR) Met

Comment

No Diapered Children Enrolled

290-2-3-.11 Medications(CR) Met

Comment

Provider stated no medication is being dispensed at this time.

Licensure

290-2-3-.04 Application Requirements(CR) Met

Comment

Appropriate number of children. Consultant observed current 2017 licenses posted on this date.

Safety and Discipline

290-2-3-.11 Animals Met

Comment

No Animals Kept

290-2-3-.11 Discipline(CR) Met

Comment

Observed-Discussion/Redirection

290-2-3-.11 Transportation(CR) Met

Comment

No Routine Transportation Provided

Staff Records

290-2-3-.21 Criminal Records Check(CR) Met

Comment

Criminal Records Check complete

Comment

No new hires

290-2-3-.07 First Aid & CPR Met

Comment

Observed-Provider Certified First Aid & CPR

290-2-3-.07 Staff Qualifications(CR) Met

Comment

Staff qualifications/compliance with law

Staff:Child Ratios and Supervision

290-2-3-.07 Staff:Child Ratios(CR)

Met

Comment

Appropriate Ratios Observed

290-2-3-.07 Supervision(CR)

Met

Comment

Observed-Adequate Supervision