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Inspection Report

Provider Name: Kare Bears	Provider Information	CLR No: L383160
Provider Address: 1697 Peabody Way, Lexington, KY, 40511	Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I	Capacity: 60
Owner(s): Peh, Inc.		Director(s): Harshman, Ellen V.

Inspection Type: Renewal Application	Inspection Information	Inspection No: 242262
Date Initiated: 11/09/2017 9:00 AM	Date Concluded: 11/09/2017 10:25 AM	
	No. of Children Present: 22	

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Supervision	In Compliance
Staffing Requirements	In Compliance
General Administration	In Compliance
Director Requirements	In Compliance
Employee Records	Not In Compliance

340 - Training **Not In Compliance**

922 KAR 2:110. Section 5. Staff Requirements.
(14) In accordance with KRS 199.896(15) and (16), a staff person with supervisory authority over a child shall complete the following:
(a) Six (6) hours of cabinet-approved orientation within the first three (3) months of employment;
(b) Nine (9) hours of cabinet-approved early care and education training within the first year of employment, including one and one-half (1 ½) hours of pediatric abusive head trauma training; and
(c) Fifteen (15) hours of cabinet-approved early care and education training during each subsequent year of employment, including one and one-half (1 ½) hours of pediatric abusive head trauma training completed once every five (5) years.

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, it was found through a review of eight (8) staff files that one (1) staff person with a hire date of 12/17/2008 did not have renewed documentation of pediatric abusive head trauma training. The last completed training was for 09/15/2012. A review of ECE-TRIS confirmed this. It was also found that a staff person with a hire date of 03/26/2015 did not have the fifteen (15) hours of cabinet-approved early care and education training. A review of ECE-TRIS conformed this.

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Programming

Not In Compliance

350 - Program of Activities Followed

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 2. Child Care Services.

(4) The child-care center shall provide a daily planned program:

- (a) Posted in writing in a conspicuous location with each age group and followed;
- (b) Of activities that are individualized and developmentally appropriate for each child served;
- (c) That provides experience to promote the individual child's physical, emotional, social, and intellectual growth and well-being; and
- (d) That offers a variety of creative activities including the following:
 - 1. Art;
 - 2. Music;
 - 3. Dramatic play;
 - 4. Stories and books;
 - 5. Science;
 - 6. Block building;
 - 7. Tactile activity;
 - 8. Culture;
 - 9. Indoor or outdoor play in which a child makes use of both small and large muscles;
 - 10. A balance of active and quiet play, including group and individual activity;
 - 11. An opportunity for a child to:
 - a. Have some free choice of activities;
 - b. If desired, play apart from the group at times;

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, there was no lesson plan posted in the infant classroom. The lesson plan posted in the one-year-old classroom, the preschool classroom and the two-year-old classroom were dated for October 16th-27th.

Premises

Not In Compliance

520 - Floors, Walls, Ceilings

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 4. Premises Requirements.

(9) Floors, walls, and ceilings shall be smooth, in good repair, and constructed to be easily cleaned.

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, there were numerous walls with chipping paint throughout the facility.

Hygienic Practices

Not In Compliance

625 - Diaper Changing Area/Surface

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 10. Toilet, Diapering, and Toiletry Requirements.

(10) When a child is diapered, the child shall:

- (b) Be placed on a surface that is:
 - 1. Clean;
 - 2. Padded;
 - 3. Free of holes, rips, tears, or other damage;
 - 4. Nonabsorbent;
 - 5. Easily cleaned; and
 - 6. Free of any items not used for diaper changing.

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, the diaper changing pad in one (1) of the hall bathrooms was torn in several areas.

First Aid/Medication

Not In Compliance

670 - Medication

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 7. First Aid and Medicine.

(6) Medication, including refrigerated medication, shall be:

- (a) Stored in a separate and locked place, out of the reach of a child;
- (b) Kept in the original bottle; and
- (c) Properly labeled.

(7) Medication shall not be given to a child if the expiration date on the bottle has passed.

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, a tube of Desitin was found in a small see through backpack hanging in one (1) of the cubbies in the two-year-old classroom.

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Outdoor Play Area

Not In Compliance

685 - Playground Clean

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 4. Premises Requirements.

(20) An outdoor play area shall be:

(c) Free from:

- 1. Litter;**
- 2. Glass;**
- 3. Rubbish; and**
- 4. Flammable materials;**

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, there were several pieces of trash on the playground.

690 - Playground Conditions

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 4. Premises Requirements.

(20) An outdoor play area shall be:

- (d) Safe from foreseeable hazard;**
- (e) Well drained;**
- (f) Well maintained;**
- (g) In good repair; and**
- (h) Visible to staff at all times.**

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, there was a large plastic sand/water table on the playground that was completely full of rain water.

Equipment

Not In Compliance

730 - Crib/Mattress/Sheet

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 6. Sleeping and Napping Requirements.

(3) Rest time shall include adequate space specified by the child's age as follows:

(a) For an infant:

- 1. An individual non-tiered crib that meets Consumer Product Safety Commission standards established in 16 C.F.R. 1219-1220;**
- 2. A firm crib mattress in good repair with a clean tight-fitted sheet that shall be changed:**
 - a. Weekly; or**
 - b. Immediately if it is soiled or wet;**

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, the plastic covering over a crib mattress in the one-year-old classroom was torn in several areas exposing the padding underneath.

735 - Individual Bed/Mat/Cot and Bedding

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 6. Sleeping and Napping Requirements.

(3) Rest time shall include adequate space specified by the child's age as follows:

(b) For a toddler or preschool-age child:

- 1. An individual bed, a two (2) inch thick waterproof mat, or cot in good repair; and**
- 2. Bedding that is in good repair and is changed:**
 - a. Weekly; or**
 - b. Immediately if it is soiled or wet.**

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, several mats in the two-year-old classroom were torn exposing the padding underneath the mat.

755 - Toys/Equipment/Furniture

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 11. Toys and Furnishings.

(1) All toys, equipment, and furniture contacted by a child shall be:

- (a) Kept clean and in good repair; and**
- (b) Free of peeling, flaking, or chalking paint.**

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, the red and blue couch and chair in the infant classroom was torn along the edges exposing the foam padding underneath the fabric. There were several torn books found in the two-year-old classroom.

Transportation

Not In Compliance

795 - Transportation Notification/Plan for Ensuring Staff Duties

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 12. Transportation.

(3) Prior to transporting a child, a center providing transportation services of a child shall notify the cabinet or its designee in writing of the:

- (c) Plan for ensuring staff perform duties relating to transportation properly;**

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, it was found that the facility did not have a plan for ensuring that staff perform duties relating to transportation.

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820 - Vehicle Equipment

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 12. Transportation.

- (4) A vehicle used to transport children shall be equipped with:**
- (a) A fire extinguisher;**
 - (b) First aid supplies as described in Section 7 of this administrative regulation;**
 - (c) Emergency reflective triangles; and**
 - (d) A device to cut the restraint system, if necessary.**

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, there was no CPR mouthpiece on the daycare van.

**Food Service
Children's Records**

**In Compliance
Not In Compliance**

1070 - Immunization

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:110. Section 3. Records.

- (1) A child-care center shall maintain:**
- (a) A current immunization certificate for each child in care within thirty (30) days of the child's enrollment, unless an attending physician or the child's parent objects to the immunization of the child pursuant to KRS 214.036;**

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, it was found through a review of ten (10) children's files that three (3) files did not contain a current immunization certificate. The dates of enrollment for the children were 07/11/2014, 09/01/2017 and 09/26/2016.

Written Documentation

Not In Compliance

1115 - Earthquake/Tornado Drills

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:110. Section 3. Records.

- (1) A child-care center shall maintain:**
- (h) A written record of quarterly practiced earthquake drills and tornado drills detailing the date, time, and children who participated in accordance with 922 KAR 2:120, Section 3;**

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, it was found that there was no written record of quarterly practiced earthquake drills and tornado drills.

1120 - Fire Drills

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:110. Section 3. Records.

- (1) A child-care center shall maintain:**
- (i) A written record of practiced fire drills conducted monthly detailing the date, time, and children who participated in accordance with 922 KAR 2:120, Section 3;**

Findings:

General: Based on Review of Documentation, it was found that there was no written record of monthly practiced fire drills.

Posted Documentation

In Compliance

Animals

In Compliance

Signature of Provider/Representative

Title

Date