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**Inspection Report**

<b>Provider Name:</b> Dar-Nek Child Development Center	<b>Provider Information</b>	<b>CLR No:</b> L355963
<b>Provider Address:</b> 4800 B New Hartford Road, Owensboro, KY, 42303	<b>Provider Type:</b> LICENSED TYPE I	<b>Capacity:</b> 72
<b>Owner(s):</b> Audubon Area Community Services, Inc.		<b>Director(s):</b> Grant, Peggy Marie

<b>Inspection Type:</b> Investigation	<b>Inspection Information</b>	<b>Inspection No:</b> 247657
<b>Date Initiated:</b> 09/07/2018 12:55 PM	<b>Date Concluded:</b> 10/26/2018 2:30 PM	
	<b>No. of Children Present:</b> 45	

Inspection Report	
Supervision	In Compliance
Staffing Requirements	In Compliance
Director Requirements	Not In Compliance
<b>335 - Staff Management/Policy Development/Supervision</b>	<b>Not In Compliance</b>
<p><b>922 KAR 2:090. Section 10. Director Requirements and Responsibilities.</b></p> <p><b>(1) A director shall:</b></p> <p><b>(e) Manage the staff in their individual job descriptions;</b></p> <p><b>(f) Assure the development, implementation, and monitoring of child-care center plans, policies, and procedures;</b></p> <p><b>(g) Supervise staff conduct to ensure implementation of program policies and procedures;</b></p> <p><b>Findings:</b></p> <p>General: Based on Review of Documentation and interview, the center's child abuse reporting policy indicated when alleged child abuse was perpetrated by staff, the local area manager was to be contacted and informed immediately and provide detailed information of the incident; child protective services (CPS) was to be contacted and a report made about the suspected incident or situation, and the local area manager must contact and inform the head start director with detailed information of the situation, within 24 hours, by phone or email.</p> <p>The center failed to implement the center's child abuse policy when a staff hired on 04/09/18 and a staff hired on 05/31/18 reported suspicions of child abuse to the local area manager on approximately 08/07/18, and CPS was not contacted to make a report of suspected child abuse.</p> <p>The center's discipline policy stated staff will work together to create a positive environment for all children in the classroom, use positive guidance strategies, and never use physical punishment, or psychological abusive coercions. Staff failed to implement the discipline policy when a staff, hired on 09/24/14, told a four-year-old child to come to her but the child laid on the floor. The aforementioned staff responded by tightly grabbing both of the four-year-old child's arms, which left a quarter of an inch to a half inch long curved scratch on the inside of the child's upper right arm.</p>	
<b>350 - Health, Safety, Comfort</b>	<b>Not In Compliance</b>
<p><b>922 KAR 2:090. Section 10. Director Requirements and Responsibilities.</b></p> <p><b>(1) A director shall:</b></p> <p><b>(l) Assure the health, safety, and comfort of each child;</b></p> <p><b>Findings:</b></p> <p>General: Based on Review of Documentation and interview, the director failed to provide for the safety and comfort of children when a staff, hired on 09/24/14, told a four-year-old child to come to her but the child responded by lying on the floor in the early head start room on 09/04/18. The staff, hired on 09/24/14, tightly grabbed both of the child's arms and left a quarter of an inch to half an inch long curved scratch on the inside of the child's upper right arm. In addition, when staff hired on 04/09/18, and a staff hired on 05/31/18, reported suspicions of child abuse to the local area manager on approximately 08/17/18, that the staff hired on 09/24/14, roughly grabbed children's arms, grabbed a child by the neck, grabbed a child by the face and slammed a child on the floor in August 2018, no report was made to child protective services.</p>	
<b>Employee Records</b>	<b>In Compliance</b>

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Signature of Provider/Representative

Title

Date