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Inspection Report

Provider Name: Children's Treehouse of Knowledge	Provider Information	License No: L356488
Provider Address: 309 Ohio Street, Lexington, KY, 40508	Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I	Capacity: 67
Owner(s): Children's Treehouse Of Knowledge, Inc.		Director(s): Brazelton, Joyce

Inspection Type: Investigation	Inspection Information	Inspection No: 53862
Visit Start Date: 01/16/2014 11:45 AM	Visit End Date: 01/16/2014 12:50 PM	
	No. of Children Present: 20	

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Supervision

5 - Children Supervised

In Compliance

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

- (3)(a) Each center shall maintain a child-care program that assures each child will be:
1. Provided with adequate supervision at all times by a qualified staff person who:
 - a. Ensures the child is within scope of vision and range of voice; or
 - b. For a school-age child, within scope of vision or range of voice;

Staffing Requirements

40 - Ratios and Group Size

In Compliance

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

- (2) Minimum staff-to-child ratios and group size for an operating child-care center shall be maintained as follows:

Age of Children Ratio Maximum Group Size*

Infant

1 staff for 5 children 10

Toddler

1 staff for 6 children 12

Preschool-age 2 to 3 years

1 staff for 10 children 20

Preschool-age 3 to 4 years

1 staff for 12 children 24

Preschool-age 4 to 5 years

1 staff for 14 children 28

School-age 5 to 7 years

1 staff for 15 children 30

School-age 7 and older

1 staff for 25 children

(for before and after school) 30

1 staff for 20 children

(full day of care) 30

*Maximum Group Size shall be applicable only to Type I child-care centers.

Director Requirements

265 - Health, Safety, Comfort

In Compliance

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922 KAR 2:110. Section 4. Director Requirements and Responsibilities.

- (1) Effective with the adoption of this administrative regulation, a director shall:
- (l) Provide for the health, safety, and comfort of each child;

Employee Records

300 - Background checks/left alone

In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 6. License Issuance.

- (5) An individual described in subsection (4) of this section shall:
- (a) Submit to background checks described in paragraph (b) of this subsection;
- (b) May be employed or work with a child on a probationary basis for up to ninety (90) calendar days, pending completion of a:
1. Child abuse or neglect check using the central registry in accordance with 922 KAR 1:470;
 2. Criminal records check required by KRS 199.896(19);
 3. Criminal records check for any previous state of residence if the person resided outside the state of Kentucky in the last five (5) years; and
 4. An address check of the Sex Offender Registry; and
- (c) Not be left alone in the presence of a child until copies of the background checks in accordance with paragraph (b) of this subsection have been received by the licensee.

Programming

350 - Program of Activities Followed

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;

385 - Discipline

In Compliance

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

- (10) A child shall not be subjected to:
- (a) Corporal physical discipline pursuant to KRS 199.896(18);
- (b) Loud, profane, threatening, frightening, or abusive language; or
- (c) Discipline that is associated with:
1. Rest;
 2. Toileting; or
 3. Food.

Signature of
Provider/Representative

Title

Date