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Inspection Report

Provider Name: Bethel Early Learning Center	Provider Information	License No: L358172
Provider Address: 3260 Lexington Road, Nicholasville, KY, 40356	Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I	Capacity: 196
Owner(s): Bethel Harvest Church, Inc.		Director(s): Horton, Sheila

Inspection Type: Investigation	Inspection Information	Inspection No: 53882
Visit Start Date: 02/05/2014 9:00 AM	Visit End Date: 02/05/2014 10:00 AM	
	No. of Children Present: 38	

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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.**

45 - Ratio/Group Size

In Compliance

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

(2)(b) The age of the youngest child in the group shall determine the:

1. Staff-to-child ratio; and
2. Maximum group size.

Director Requirements

245 - Regulatory Compliance/Staff in Charge

In Compliance

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

(1) Effective with the adoption of this administrative regulation, a director shall:

(d) Ensure:

1. Compliance with 922 KAR 2:090, 922 KAR 2:120, and this administrative regulation; and
2. The designation of one (1) adult staff person in charge to carry out the director's duties if the director is not present in the child-care center during operating hours;

265 - Health, Safety, Comfort

In Compliance

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;

Programming

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, it was found that there was no program of activities in the school age classroom. It was also found that there were no cultural materials, science materials or tactile materials available for the children in the school age classroom nor were any of these activities listed on a program of activities.

365 - Regularity of Routines

Not In Compliance

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

(6) Regularity of routines shall be implemented to afford the child familiarity with the daily schedule of activity.

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, it was found that a child in a wheelchair in the school age program is not provided with any activities and sits in his wheelchair with little interaction or activities. Interview with several staff found that there are not enough materials for the children and that this child either watches television or is in his wheelchair with nothing to do unless his mother provides toys for him.

390 - Diagnosed Special Need

In Compliance

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

(12) Care for a child with a special need shall be consistent with the nature of the need as documented by the child's health professional.

Food Service

910 - Bottle Feeding

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:120. Section 3. General Requirements.

(11) While bottle feeding an infant, the:

(a) Child shall be held; and

(b) Bottle shall not be:

1. Propped;
2. Left in the mouth of a sleeping infant; or
3. Heated in a microwave

Findings:

General: Based on Observation, it was found that a child in the infant classroom was sitting in a swing with his bottle propped on the swing table. It was also found through interviews that two (2) staff had been propping bottles for the infants in their classroom.

Signature of
Provider/Representative

Title

Date