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Inspection Report

Provider Name: Fox and the Hound Learning Center	Provider Information	License No: L358822
Provider Address: 193 Payne Road, Ekron, KY, 40117	Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I	Capacity: 99
Owner(s): Fox and the Hound Learning Center, LLC		Director(s): Board, Christie Eve

Inspection Type: Investigation	Inspection Information	Inspection No: 51886
Visit Start Date: 08/13/2013 10:30 AM	Visit End Date: 08/13/2013 1:30 PM	
	No. of Children Present: 67	

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Director Requirements	
265 - Health, Safety, Comfort	Not In Compliance
922 KAR 2:110. Section 4. Director Requirements and Responsibilities. (1) Effective with the adoption of this administrative regulation, a director shall: (I) Provide for the health, safety, and comfort of each child;	
Findings: General: Based on interview with staff members and review of documentation, the center director failed to assure the health, safety and comfort of each child in care. On 7/30/13, a child received scratches and bruising to his face as the result of a physical altercation with another child in the classroom. Interview revealed that said children had engaged in ongoing arguing and name calling throughout the day leading up to the incident. Interview revealed that the staff person in charge of the children failed to provide appropriate redirection to the children and as a result, the arguing between the two children escalated into a physical confrontation while the staff member's back was turned.	

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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 interviews, the center failed to provide a daily planned program that provides experience to promote the individual child's physical, emotional, social, and intellectual growth and well-being by involving children in a developmentally inappropriate practice. Interview revealed that two school age children who were displaying unpreferred behavior while in care were required by staff to be tethered together by a bedsheet as a way to encourage the children to "get along". Interview revealed that individual holes were cut into the bedsheet for each child's head and the children were required to wear the sheet together for up to 30 minutes.

Signature of
Provider/Representative

Title

Date