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Inspection Report

Provider Name: Campus Kids Early Learning Center	Provider Information Provider Type: LICENSED TYPE I	CLR No: L359235
Provider Address: 1165 Centre Parkway #225, Lexington, KY, 40517		Capacity: 66
Owner(s): Employment Solutions, Inc.		Director(s): Lamar, Mercedes

Inspection Type: Investigation	Inspection Information	Inspection No: 247976
Date Initiated: 01/04/2019 11:40 AM	Date Concluded: 01/15/2019 9:10 AM	
	No. of Children Present: 28	

Inspection Report	
Background Checks	In Compliance
Supervision	In Compliance

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Staffing Requirements

Not In Compliance

125 - Ratios and Group Size

Not In Compliance

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

(2) For an operating child-care center, minimum staff-to-child ratios and group size shall be maintained as established in the table established in this subsection.

Age of Children Ratio Maximum Group Size*

Infant

1 staff for 5 children 10

Toddler 12 to 24 months

1 staff for 6 children 12

Toddler 24 to 36 months

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.**

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

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

Findings:

General: Based on observation and interview, the child-care center failed to maintain staff-to-child ratios as required by the regulations. At approximately 11:42 a.m., the surveyor entered the toddler classroom and observed one (1) staff and nine (9) toddlers. The staff person introduced herself and told the surveyor the youngest child present was fifteen (15) months old. A second staff person entered the classroom and stated she was only out of the classroom for thirty (30) seconds. She stated that she only left the classroom to retrieve a cot. It is important to note the surveyor observed this staff person in the hallway prior to entering the toddler classroom. This regulatory violation was cited during an investigation on 11/7/18 for not meeting staff-to-child ratios in the toddler classroom.

Director Requirements

Not In Compliance

350 - Health, Safety, Comfort

Not In Compliance

922 KAR 2:090. Section 10. Director Requirements and Responsibilities.

(1) A director shall:

(l) Assure the health, safety, and comfort of each child;

Findings:

General: Based on interview and review of documentation, the child-care center failed to provide for the health, safety, and comfort of a child enrolled. The child-care center director reported to the DRCC office on 12/12/18 that a staff person scratched a child on his arm when she tried to remove him from the classroom due to his behavior issues. The surveyor conducted an investigation at the child-care center on 1/4/19. The surveyor reviewed camera footage of the incident and the director presented written statements describing what occurred leading up to the incident. After reviewing the documentation, the surveyor found after several attempts by staff that day to redirect and speak to the child about his behavior; the staff person finally resorted to physically picking up the four-year-old child and removing him from the classroom. The surveyor noted from watching the video the staff person reaching slightly over a shelving unit and picking up the child underneath his arms. She then carries him across the classroom to the doorway. The surveyor could not determine how forceful or how quick the interaction was between the child and staff person from reviewing the video footage. The director stated that the child told her that this staff person scratched him. During an interview with the staff person, she indicated she was unaware that she had scratched the child when she picked him up to remove him from the classroom. She stated that her intention was to remove him from the classroom so that he would not hurt any of the children. In short, the child was injured during the incident. He received a small red scratch to the inside of his arm. It is important to note the staff person was reprimanded for causing the injury to the child's arm.

Signature of Provider/Representative

Title

Date