



## Center Complaint Inspection Summary Report

All licensed child care programs are inspected at least once each year. Non-compliances are documented and grouped as Serious, Moderate or Low risk violations. Documenting statements and supplemental information may be included in this report. Licensing inspection reports from the previous three years can be viewed on the child care website at <http://jfs.ohio.gov/CDC/childcare.stm>. This includes complaint investigation reports with substantiated allegations. For any other child care records, please contact the Child Care Help Desk at 1-877-302-2347, option 4.

Program Details		
Program Name ABILITIES FIRST EARLY CHILDHOOD LEARNING CENTER	Program Number 000000202678	Program Type Child Care Center
Address 4710 TIMBER TRAIL DRIVE MIDDLETOWN OH 45044		County BUTLER

Inspection Information				
Inspection Type Complaint		Inspection Scope Partial	Inspection Notice Unannounced	
Reviewer(s) Carlie Bennett	Inspection Day 09/26/2023	Begin Time 8:30 AM	End Time 9:15 AM	
Summary of Findings				
No. Rules Verified 2	No. Rules with Non-compliances 1	No. Serious Risk 0	No. Moderate Risk 1	No. Low Risk 0

Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection			
Group	Age Group/Range	Ratio Observed	Comment
Young Explorers		1 to 3	At arrival
Investigators		3 to 5	At arrival
Adventure Seekers & Little Wonders		2 to 5	At arrival
Discoverers		1 to 6	At arrival



### Complaint Allegations

If a program disagrees with a licensing finding, the program may request a review of the finding(s). Ohio Administrative Code 5101:2-12-03 and 5101:2-13-03 detail the process for submitting a request for review. The request for review must be submitted within seven business days from the receipt of the licensing report. In addition, if the program is star rated, the rating may be impacted if a serious or moderate risk non-compliance is cited.

#### Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-19 Supervision

Code: The program staff is required to supervise children in their assigned group by sight and hearing. Supervision includes being near enough to respond and reach children immediately and protecting them from harm.

Allegation: Child left classroom and unattended in the hallway

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that children were left unattended while inside the program as noted in number(s) 3 below:

1. Child(ren) were left unattended once.
2. Child(ren) were left unattended more than once.
3. Child left the group and was unattended in the hallway
4. Child care staff were using a baby monitor to supervise children.
5. Child care staff were using a walkie talkie to supervise children.
6. Child care staff were using mirrors to view children in another room.
7. Child care staff were using a video camera instead of physically being present in the room.
8. Other

Children must be supervised and within sight and hearing of a child care staff member at all times. Provide staff training. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a statement that training was provided, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Risk Level: Moderate

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/27/2023

### Summary of Additional Non-Compliances

#### Serious Risk Non-Compliances

No Additional Serious Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection



**Moderate Risk Non-Compliances**

**No Additional Moderate Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection**

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**Low Risk Non-Compliances**

**No Low Additional Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection**

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