



Center Licensing Inspection Full 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 ZENITH LEARNING CENTER	Program Number 000000400244	Program Type Child Care Center	
Address 4600 HEATON ROAD COLUMBUS OH 43229		County FRANKLIN	
Building Approval Date 10/13/2012	Use Group/Code E	Occupancy Limit 93	Maximum Under 2 ½ 93
Fire Inspection Approval Date 06/19/2017	Food Service Risk Level Level III		

Inspection Information		
Inspection Type Annual	Inspection Scope Full	Inspection Notice Unannounced
Inspection Date 07/22/2020	Begin Time 9:15 AM	End Time 1:15 PM
Reviewer: TONYA COZART		

Summary of Findings				
No. Rules Verified 52	No. Rules with Non-compliances 8	No. Serious Risk 0	No. Moderate Risk 1	No. Low Risk 8

License Capacity and Enrollment at the Time of Inspection				
Age Group	License Capacity	Enrollment		
	Totals	Full Time	Part Time	Total
Infant (Birth to < 18 m)		3	0	3
Young Toddler		2	0	2
Total Under 2 ½ Years	60	5	0	5
Older Toddler		1	0	1
Preschool		11	0	11
School Age		18	0	18
Total Capacity/Enrollment	71	30	0	35

Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection			
Group	Age Group/Range	Ratio Observed	Comment



Infant	0 to < 12 months	1 to 2	classroom-at arrival
Toddler	18 months to < 30 months	1 to 4	classroom-at arrival-toddlers and part schoolage groups combined
Toddler	0 to < 12 months	1 to 5	classroom-mixed group-infant, toddler, school age-naptime
Preschool	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 2	classroom-at arrival-preschool and schoolage groups combined.
Preschool	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 7	classroom-naptime

Summary of Non-Compliances

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

Serious Risk Non-Compliances

No Serious Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection

Moderate Risk Non-Compliances

Domain: 04 Indoor/Outdoor Space

Rule: 5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Equipment

Code: The program is required to anchor equipment to the ground as required, to close "S" hooks to prevent the chain from slipping off and prevent strangulation and provide equipment with openings that will not pose a safety risk.



Finding: "During the inspection, it was determined that equipment on the outdoor play space posed an imminent risk of harm to a child as noted in number 7 below:

1. The climber was not anchored
2. The swings were not securely anchored.
3. The slide was not securely anchored.
4. The climbing rope was not securely anchored at both ends.
5. The "S" hooks on the climber were not closed in order to prevent the chain from slipping off the hook and prevent strangulation.
6. The "S" hooks on the swing(s) were not closed in order to prevent the chain from slipping off the hook and prevent strangulation.
7. The climber had an opening that was greater than three and one-half inches, but less than nine inches. Equipment openings must be less than 3 1/2 inches or more than 9 inches to avoid the risk of entrapment. Discontinue the use of this equipment until it has been removed, repaired or replaced. Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule."

Corrective Action Plan Due: 08/26/2020

Low Risk Non-Compliances

Domain: 01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-18 Attendance Records

Code: The program is required to have the information listed in rule on all attendance records.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the attendance records did not include the required information listed in number 4 below:

1. The name of the child.
2. The birth date of the child.
3. The assigned group.
4. The child's weekly schedule.
5. The time (hours and minutes) of each child's arrival and departure to the program, including transportation by the program.

Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 08/26/2020



Domain: 01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-20 Cots and Napping

Code: The program is required to provide cots/mats that are the appropriate dimensions for children in care.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that all cots and/or mats did not meet the dimensions as noted in number 3 below:

1. The cot must stand at least 3" but no more than 18" off the floor;
2. The cot must be at least 36" in length and as long as the child is tall;
3. The mat must be at least 1" thick and as wide and long as the child assigned. (for a schoolage resting on a cot)

Technical assistance was provided at the time of the inspection, and as discussed, please correct this rule noncompliance. A written response for this rule noncompliance is not required at this time.

Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5101:2-12-12 Safe Environment

Code: The program is required to provide an environment that protects the children in care from any items and conditions that may threaten their health, safety, and well-being.

Finding: Children in care shall be protected from any items and conditions which threaten their health, safety, and well-being. During the inspection, it was determined that at least one area of the program or at least one piece of equipment had chipping or peeling paint (on the toy shelves in the infant, preschool, and schoolage classrooms). Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 08/26/2020

Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5101:2-12-13 Sanitary Equipment and Environment

Code: The program is required to provide equipment and materials that are easy to clean.



Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that at least one piece of equipment, furnishings, or material at the program was not constructed of materials to facilitate cleaning and sanitizing as noted in number 1 below:

1. The material had a tear; (bouncy seat pad in the infant room)
2. The material was not washable;
3. The material was porous;
4. The surface was cracked;
5. The surface was repaired, but in a manner that still did not facilitate cleaning and sanitizing;
6. Other [].

Equipment, furnishings, and furniture shall be constructed of materials to facilitate cleaning and shall be kept clean and in good repair. Technical assistance was provided at the time of the inspection, and as discussed, please correct this rule noncompliance. A written response for this rule noncompliance is not required at this time.

Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5101:2-12-13 Sanitary Equipment and Environment

Code: The program is required to clean equipment throughout the day if dirty or soiled.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the following equipment was unclean or soiled during daily use: a dirty toy shelf in the preschool room. Technical assistance was provided at the time of the inspection, and as discussed, please correct this rule noncompliance. A written response for this rule noncompliance is not required at this time.

Domain: 04 Indoor/Outdoor Space

Rule: 5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Space Requirements

Code: The program is required to have an outdoor play space free from general hazards.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the following hazardous conditions existed in the outdoor play area, as noted in number 2 an 10 below:

1. There was broken glass.
2. There were tall weeds.
3. There was poison ivy.
4. There were tree branches.



5. There was mold visible.
 6. There were thistles with pricklers.
 7. There were bird droppings.
 8. There were bolts with more than two threads exposed along a fence line or gate on a playground.
 9. The sandbox was contaminated.
 10. Other [the liner exposed on top of the protective surface, a tripping hazard].
- Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 08/26/2020

Domain: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-08 Child Care Staff Member Educational Requirements

Code: The program staff is required to have refugee documentation on file at the program.

Finding: In review of the staff records, it was determined that the child care staff member(s) listed on the Employee Record Chart did not have complete documentation of file verifying a copy of his or her high school diploma could not be obtained due to entering the United States as a refugee. The documentation on file did not include the required information listed in number 1 below:

1. Documentation from the federal government that the person was admitted to the United States of America as a refugee.
2. A notarized statement that the person received a high school diploma (or equivalent) in his or her home country prior to being admitted to the United States as a refugee.

The rule requires both pieces of information to be on file. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a copy of the required information noted above, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 08/26/2020

Domain: 09 Children's Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-15 Child Medical and Enrollment Records

Code: The program is required to use the updated JFS 01234 "Child Enrollment and Health Information For Child Care".



Finding: In review of 25% of the children's records, it was determined that information had not been secured from the parent/guardian on the JFS 01234 "Child Enrollment and Health Information For Child Care", as required, for the items in number 13 below.

1. No enrollment form was completed for at least one child
2. The current JFS 01234 was not completed for at least one child
3. Complete parent information
4. Complete emergency contact information
5. Complete physician information
6. Information regarding the parent list
7. Health information
8. Additional information for all boxes checked "yes"
9. Emergency transportation information
10. Parent/guardian's signature
11. Diapering Statement
12. Acknowledgement of Policies and Procedures
13. Enrollment form for at least one child was not updated by either the parent or the administrator
14. Enrollment form for at least one child was not signed by the administrator
15. Other []

Technical assistance was provided at the time of the inspection, and as discussed, please correct this rule noncompliance. A written response for this rule noncompliance is not required at this time.

Rules In-Compliance/Not Verified

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-22 Meal and Snack Requirements	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The menu was posted in the classrooms.
5101:2-12-13 Handwashing Requirements	Compliant	
5101:2-12-04 Fire Approval	Not Verified	



Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Management of Communicable Disease	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The JFS 08087 "Communicable Disease Chart" was posted and was readily available to staff and parents.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-13 Smoke Free Environment	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-07 Administrator Qualifications	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-08 Medical Statement	Not Verified	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-16 Written Disaster Plan	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-04 Food License	Not Verified	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-19 Child Guidance	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-22 Fluid Milk Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-16 First Aid/Standard Precautions	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, one first aid kits was reviewed and available as required.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Fall Zones	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-18 License Capacity	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The program was operating within their license capacity limits. Not all schoolage children attend daily.



Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-22 Safe Food Handling/Storage	Compliant	
5101:2-12-07 Written Program Policies and Procedures	Compliant	
5101:2-12-11 Indoor Space Requirements	Compliant	
Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Emergency Drills	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Documentation for completed fire, weather, and emergency/lockdown drills was verified during this inspection.
5101:2-12-17 Materials and Equipment	Compliant	
5101:2-12-17 Daily Outdoor Play	Compliant	
5101:2-12-04 Building Approval	Compliant	
5101:2-12-02 License Posted	Compliant	
5101:2-12-19 Supervision	Compliant	
5101:2-12-02 Current Information	Compliant	
5101:2-12-23 Infant Bottle and Food Preparation	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable



Rule: 5101:2-12-17 Daily Schedule	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Daily schedules were observed posted.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-23 Infant Daily Care	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-12 Safe Equipment	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-15 Medical/Physical Care Plans	Compliant	Documenting Statement: At the time of the inspection, there were no children currently enrolled who had health conditions.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-20 Cribs	Compliant	Documenting Statement: All cribs were labeled with the assigned infant's name.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-11 Separation of Children Under 2 1/2 Years	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-03 Inspection Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-07 Administrator Responsibilities/Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-08 Orientation and Staff Records	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-10 Health Training Requirements	Not Verified	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-10 Professional Development Requirements	Not Verified	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable



Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Incident/Injury Reporting	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The requirements for completing JFS 01299 "Incident/Injury Report For Child Care" reports were discussed during the inspection.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-18 Group Size	Not Verified	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-18 Ratio	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The Appendix A "Staff/Child Ratios, Age Grouping and Maximum Group Size" was posted in a noticeable area at the program as required.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-23 Diapering and Toilet Training	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-25 Medication Administration and Food Supplements	Not Verified	Documenting Statement: There were no children on medication at the time of the inspection; however, the method of storage and practices for the administration were reviewed.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-09 Background Check Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-2.2 Transitional Pandemic Requirements	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the requirements of the rule regarding transitional pandemic child care were discussed.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: CCCMTL No. 25	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, documents and professional development as outlined in Child Care



		<p>Center Manual Transmittal Letter (CCMCTL) No. 25, "Reopening Child Care Operations Following the Response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic", were not assessed. Requirements will be assessed according to the schedule outlined in CCMCTL No. 25. Please ensure all requirements are met and maintained on file for review.</p>
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