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	Program Number	Program Type				
LAWRENCE COUNTY EARLY CHILDHOOD	00000408305	Child Care Center				
ACADEMY- SYBENE						
Address	County					
8978 COUNTY ROAD 1 SOUTH POINT OH 45	LAWRENCE					

Inspection Information									
Inspection Type				Inspection Scope		Inspection Notice			
Complaint			Partial		Unannounced				
Reviewer(s) Rebecca Worrell		Inspection Day		Begin Time		End Time			
12/07/2		12/07/20	21	10:00 AM		11:00 AM			
Summary of Findings									
No. Rules Verified	No. Rules with Non-compliances		No. Serious Risk		No. Moderate Risk	No. Low Risk			
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Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection							
Group	Age Group/Range	Ratio Observed	Comment				
Toddler	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 6					
Preschool 1	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 14					
Preschool 2	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 14					
Preschool 3	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 11					



Complaint Allegations

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.

Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-19 Child Guidance

Code: The program staff shall use developmentally appropriate techniques when managing children's behavior. Corporal punishment is prohibited, as well as any cruel, harsh, unusual or extreme techniques.

Allegation: The complainant alleges the staff did not use developmentally appropriate techniques when managing children's behavior.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a Child Care Staff Member had used the inappropriate techniques in number(s) 1 below when managing unacceptable behavior in children:

- 1. Utilize cruel, harsh, unusual, or extreme techniques; (the staff member placed foot on child's legs prohibiting the child from getting up off of the floor and instructed other children to hit the child like they were hit)
- 2. Utilize any form of corporal punishment;
- 3. Delegate children to manage or discipline other children;
- 4. Use physical restraints on a child;
- 5. Restrain a child by prone restraint or any means other than holding children for a short period of time, such as in a protective hug, so that the children may regain control;
- 6. Place children in a locked room or confine children in any enclosed area;
- 7. Confine children to equipment such as cribs or highchairs;
- 8. Humiliate, threaten or frighten children;
- 9. Subject children to profane language or verbal abuse;
- 10. Make derogatory or sarcastic remarks about children or their families;
- 11. Punish children for failure to eat or sleep or for toileting accidents;
- 12. Withhold any food (including snacks and treats), rest or toilet use;
- 13. Punish an entire group of children due to the unacceptable behavior of one or a few;
- 14. Isolate and restrict children from all activities for an extended period of time.

Child Care Staff Members and other employees must always use appropriate guidance and management methods with children. 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: 01/08/2022

Summary of Additional Non-Compliances

Serious Risk Non-Compliances

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