



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 Vita Childcare Center	Program Number 2180018742	Program Type Child Care Center	
Address 2088 E Dublin Granville Rd Columbus OH 43229		County FRANKLIN	
Building Approval Date	Use Group/Code	Occupancy Limit	Maximum Under 2 ½
Fire Inspection Approval Date 12/21/2020	Food Service Risk Level Level III		

Inspection Information		
Inspection Type Annual	Inspection Scope Full	Inspection Notice Unannounced
Inspection Date 09/29/2021	Begin Time 9:45 AM	End Time 1:30 PM
Reviewer: ANNE BLANKESTYN		

Summary of Findings				
No. Rules Verified 57	No. Rules with Non-compliances 14	No. Serious Risk 0	No. Moderate Risk 1	No. Low Risk 16

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)		8	0	8
Young Toddler		5	0	5
Total Under 2 ½ Years	18	13	0	13
Older Toddler		6	0	6
Preschool		24	0	24
School Age		40	0	40
Total Capacity/Enrollment	65	70	0	83

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



INFANT	0 to < 12 months	1 to 2	All children in attendance combined in Infant room
INFANT	0 to < 12 months	1 to 1	
INFANT	0 to < 12 months	1 to 4	
PRESCHOOL	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 2	
PRESCHOOL	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 4	

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: 00 License & Approvals

Rule: 5101:2-12-18 License Capacity
Code: The program is required to maintain the capacity that is indicated on the license.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that there were 90 total children with 27 children under 2 1/2. The program is currently licensed to serve 65 total children, with no more than 18 children under 2 1/2. Submit the program’s corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/29/2021



Low Risk Non-Compliances

Domain: 01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-18 Attendance Records

Code: The program is required to have a method for tracking the children in each group. The tracking method must be updated throughout the day and kept with the group at all times.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the method for tracking children in each group did not meet the requirements of the rule as noted in number(s) 5 below:

1. There was no method in place;
2. The method did not include each child's name;
3. The method did not include each child's date of birth;
4. The tracking method did not remain with the group at all times;
5. The tracking method was not updated throughout the day as children entered or left the group.

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/29/2021

Domain: 01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-18 Attendance Records

Code: The program is required to maintain a record of the arrival and departure of each child. The program is also required to retain the attendance record for a period of one year.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined the program did not meet the requirements for keeping an attendance record as listed in number(s) 2 below:

1. No attendance record was being maintained;
2. The attendance record was not being consistently completed;
3. The attendance documentation was not kept at the program for a period of one year.

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.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/29/2021



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 children were not protected from the following item(s) or condition(s) which may threaten their health, safety, or well-being as noted in number(s) 12 below:

1. Open pull cords that are not closed loop.
2. Telephone cords.
3. Electrical/extension cords attached to an object that would not likely result in a severe injury if pulled.
4. Stacked chairs.
5. Employee(s) purse(s).
6. Diaper bags.
7. Television not securely anchored.
8. Small or lightweight pieces of shelving units are not securely anchored to the wall.
9. Smoke detector needing batteries replaced.
10. Staff member stepped over a barrier/gate while holding a child.
11. Emergency exits were blocked by the following classroom furniture: [].
12. There are chunks of drywall missing in the Preschool rooms (one large chunk missing behind the door in the larger Preschool room and small chunks missing from the section of wall which protrudes from the wall in the smaller room, and there are sharp metal corners exposed.)

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.

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Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

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

Code: The program is required to provide a clean restroom with the appropriate materials available.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that unsanitary conditions, as noted in number(s) 4 below, were in the restroom off the Infant room:

1. There was no liquid soap.
2. There was no toilet paper.
3. There were no paper towels.
4. The toilet cleaning brush was accessible to the children.
5. The plunger was accessible to the children.
6. The toilet(s) were not flushed.



7. The trash was not emptied from the day before.
8. There was a strong urine odor.
9. Other [].

The restroom(s) must be kept sanitary at all times. 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 follow the cleaning schedule for equipment.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the program was not providing a clean and healthy environment, furniture, materials and equipment as required by Appendix A, as noted in number(s) 2 below:

1. The changing table was not sanitized after each use.
2. The floors were not being cleaned.
3. The carpets were not vacuumed.
4. The food prep areas were not being cleaned and sanitized before and after food prep.
5. Toilet seat(s), handle(s) and toilet bowl(s) were not being cleaned when visibly soiled and sanitized.
6. The sinks were not clean.
7. Diaper receptacles were not being cleaned and sanitized.
8. Other [].

Furniture, materials and equipment must be maintained according to the cleaning and sanitizing schedule in Appendix A to this rule. 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 Equipment

Code: The program is required to provide equipment that is safe and hazard free.

Finding: During the inspection, equipment was determined to be unsafe or hazardous to children and in need of repair as noted in number(s) 7 below:



1. The equipment had sharp points or corners;
2. The equipment had splinters;
3. The equipment had protruding nails;
4. The equipment had loose or rusty parts;
5. The equipment had paint which contains lead or other poisonous materials;
6. The equipment had hazardous features;
7. The long table in the front School Age classroom has one very short leg, making the table unstable, posing a risk to children.

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

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Domain: 03 Postings & Equipment

Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan

Code: The program is required to post the fire and weather plans.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the following information was not posted for item number(s) 2 below:

1. Fire alert plan, including a diagram. (No diagram in Toddler room)
2. Weather alert plan, including a diagram. (No weather diagram in Infant or Toddler rooms)

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/29/2021

Domain: 07 Diapering & Infant Care

Rule: 5101:2-12-23 Infant Daily Care

Code: The program is required to provide a daily written record for each infant in care to the parents when picking up the infant each day.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that there was no daily written record for each infant provided to the parent or person picking up the infant on a daily basis. 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: 07 Diapering & Infant Care

Rule: 5101:2-12-23 Infant Bottle and Food Preparation

Code: The program is required to obtain written instructions from parents regarding feeding their infant.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that written instructions for feeding the infants noted on the Children Record Review were missing information as noted in number(s) 1 below:

1. Written instructions were not on file.
2. Type of food and/or formula/breast milk was missing.
3. Amount of food and/or formula/breast milk was missing.
4. Feeding times or frequency of feedings was missing.
5. The written instructions on file had not been updated.

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: 07 Diapering & Infant Care

Rule: 5101:2-12-20 Cribs

Code: The program is required to label all cribs.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that at least one crib was not labeled with the child's name, as required by this rule. 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: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-08 Orientation and Staff Records



Code: The program is required to have staff complete the online staff orientation training.

Finding: In review of the staff records, it was determined that child care staff member(s) had not completed the online orientation training as noted in number(s) 1 below:

1. Within 30 days of starting employment at the program as a child care staff member.
2. No documentation of completing the training after December 31, 2016.

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/29/2021

Domain: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-07 Administrator Responsibilities/Requirements

Code: The program administrator is required to maintain current employee records in the Ohio Professional Registry.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined employment records were not entered or updated within five calendar days of the change in the Ohio Professional Registry (OPR) as noted in number(s) 2 and 3 below:

1. At least one administrator, employee or child care staff member (including substitutes) had not created an employment record in the OPR for the program.
2. The administrator had not assigned at least one employee or child care staff member to the program's organization dashboard in the OPR.
3. At least one individual's schedule was not current.
4. At least one individual's position or role was not current.
5. At least one individual's employment had not been end dated.
6. Other: []

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/29/2021

Domain: 08 Staff Files

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

Code: The program staff is required to have education documentation translated and shown as equivalent to a high school education.



Finding: In review of the staff records, it was determined that the child care staff member listed on the Employee Record Chart had educational information on file that could not be verified as recognized by the state board of education or the appropriate agency of another state or country as equivalent to the completion of a high school education. The rule requires a child care staff member to provide evidence of the completion of a high school education. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a copy of the educational information and/or equivalency report, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/29/2021

Domain: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-07 Administrator Responsibilities/Requirements

Code: The program is required to have a designated employee in charge if the administrator is absent.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that during the administrator's absence a Child Care Staff Member had not been designated to be in charge of the responsibilities as outlined in the rule. 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: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-10 Health Training Requirements

Code: The program is required to maintain a staff schedule with coverage of the required health trainings.

Finding: In review of the staff records, it was determined the program did not have at least one child care staff member present/scheduled to be present during all hours of operation with currently valid documentation for the training(s) listed in number(s) 2, 6, 13, and 16 below:

1. First Aid – child care staff members scheduled during the hours of [] and [] had expired training
2. First Aid – child care staff members scheduled during all hours of operation had not taken First Aid training
3. First Aid – trained child care staff member was not present in each building used by the program.
4. First Aid – child care staff member scheduled during the hours of [] and [] did not have verification of completion of First Aid
5. CPR – child care staff members scheduled during the hours of [] and [] had expired training
6. CPR – child care staff scheduled during all hours of operation had not taken CPR training
7. CPR – trained child care staff member was not present in each building used by children



8. CPR – child care staff member scheduled during the hours of [] and [] did not have verification of completion of CPR
9. CPR – training taken by staff did not include all age groups the program serves
10. Communicable Disease – child care staff members scheduled during the hours of [] and [] had expired training
11. Communicable Disease – child care staff scheduled during the hours of [] and [] had not taken Communicable Disease training
12. Communicable Disease – trained child care staff member was not present in each building used by the program
13. Communicable Disease – child care staff member scheduled during all hours of operation did not have verification of completion of the full Communicable Disease training
14. Child Abuse – child care staff members scheduled during the hours of [] and [] had expired training
15. Child Abuse – trained child care staff was not in each building used by the program
16. Child Abuse – child care staff scheduled during all hours of operation had not taken Child Abuse training
17. Child Abuse – child care staff member scheduled during the hours of [] and [] did not have verification of completion of the full six-hour Child Abuse training
18. Child Abuse – child care staff considered to be providing coverage had only the ODJFS prescribed Child Abuse training, which does not meet this rule compliance

Refer to the Employee Record Chart for specific details. Submit the program’s corrective action plan, which includes verification of complete coverage for any training listed, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/29/2021

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(s) 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 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
5101:2-12-22 Meal and Snack Requirements	Compliant	
5101:2-12-13 Handwashing Requirements	Compliant	
5101:2-12-04 Fire Approval	Compliant	
5101:2-12-16 Management of Communicable Disease	Compliant	
5101:2-12-13 Smoke Free Environment	Compliant	
5101:2-12-07 Administrator Qualifications	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable



5101:2-12-14 Transportation - Driver Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-16 Written Disaster Plan	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-24 Swimming and Water Safety Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-04 Food License	Compliant	
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
5101:2-12-16 First Aid/Standard Precautions	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Fall Zones	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-22 Safe Food Handling/Storage	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-07 Written Program Policies and Procedures	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-21 Evening and Overnight Care	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-11 Indoor Space Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-16 Emergency Drills	Compliant	



Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-17 Materials and Equipment	Compliant	
5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Equipment	Compliant	
5101:2-12-17 Daily Outdoor Play	Compliant	
5101:2-12-04 Building Approval	Compliant	
5101:2-12-02 License Posted	Compliant	
5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Space Requirements	Compliant	
5101:2-12-19 Supervision	Compliant	
5101:2-12-02 Current Information	Compliant	
5101:2-12-17 Daily Schedule	Compliant	
5101:2-12-20 Cots and Napping	Compliant	
5101:2-12-13 Toothbrushing Requirements	Compliant	
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
5101:2-12-11 Separation of Children Under 2 1/2 Years	Compliant	
5101:2-12-10 Professional Development Requirements	Compliant	
5101:2-12-14 Transportation - Vehicle Requirements	Compliant	
5101:2-12-14 Transportation and Field Trip Procedures	Compliant	
5101:2-12-16 Incident/Injury Reporting	Compliant	
5101:2-12-18 Group Size	Compliant	
5101:2-12-18 Ratio	Compliant	
5101:2-12-23 Diapering and Toilet Training	Compliant	
Rule: 5101:2-12-25 Medication Administration and Food Supplements	Compliant	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.
5101:2-12-09 Background Check Requirements	Compliant	
5101:2-12-03 Inspection Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable



Department of Education
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5101:2-12-08 Medical Statement	Compliant	
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