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				
TOTS LEARNING CENTER	000000103795	Child Care Center				
Address		County				
263 S PROSPECT ST RAVENNA OH 44266		PORTAGE				

Inspection Information								
Inspection Type				Inspection Scope		Inspection Notice		
Complaint			Partial		Unannounced			
Reviewer(s) MICHELE FAKAN		Inspection Day		Begin Time		End Time		
07,			07/01/2024		1 AM	11:50 AM		
Summary of Findings								
No. Rules Verified	No. Rules with Non-cor	mpliances No. Serious Ris		(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			
Infant	Mixed Age Group	2 to 2	infant and toddler combined			
Toddler	Mixed Age Group	2 to 2	infant and toddler combined			
Jr. Preschool	Mixed Age Group	2 to 5				
pre-k	Mixed Age Group	1 to 11	ages 3-5 combined			
school age 1 and 2	School-Age to < 11 years	1 to 11				



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 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: A Child Care Staff Member used inappropriate techniques to manage children's behavior to include taking toys from their hands and pushing them away.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a Child Care Staff Member had used the inappropriate techniques in numbers 16 and 17 below when managing behavior in children:

- 1. Utilize cruel, harsh, unusual, or extreme techniques;
- 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.
- 16. CCSM pushed a child away in frustration.
- 17. CCSM grabbed a toy from a child's hand and threw it in frustration.

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: 08/04/2024

Summary of Additional Non-Compliances

Serious Risk Non-Compliances

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

