



## 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 LITTLE CRITTERS EARLY LEARNING CENTER	Program Number 000000300463	Program Type Child Care Center
Address 12625 LENA CLEVELAND OH 44135		County CUYAHOGA

Inspection Information				
Inspection Type Complaint		Inspection Scope Partial	Inspection Notice Unannounced	
Reviewer(s) Brittani Aloi	Inspection Day 11/03/2025	Begin Time 11:30 AM	End Time 12:20 PM	
Summary of Findings				
No. Rules Verified 2	No. Rules with Non-compliances 1	No. Serious Risk 1	No. Moderate Risk 0	No. Low Risk 0

Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection				
Group	Age Group/Range	Ratio Observed	Comment	
Toddlers	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 9		
Infants	0 to < 12 months	2 to 5		
Preschool	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 8		
PreK	4 years to < 5 years	2 to 10		



## 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: 5180:2-12-19 Supervision

Code: The program staff is required to protect or remove a child from a situation and/or person that are determined to be unsafe and keep children safe from a potential serious incident or injury.

Allegation: Lack of supervision in the infant room led to a serious injury.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined the administrator, child care staff, and/or employees of the program did not protect or remove a child from a situation and/or person determined to be unsafe, which resulted in a serious incident or injury to a child, as noted in number(s) 5 below:

1. Aggressive argument involving adults;
2. Staff member(s) did not follow emergency exiting procedures;
3. Staff member(s) allowed child(ren) to do something unsafe;
4. Staff member(s) did something unsafe;
5. Other- a child care staff member left a group of infants unattended in the play area resulting in a serious injury.

All program employees must take actions to protect children in care. 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: Serious

Corrective Action Plan Due: 11/26/2025

## Summary of Additional Non-Compliances

### Serious Risk Non-Compliances

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



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#### Moderate Risk Non-Compliances

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

#### Low Risk Non-Compliances

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