

# **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 <a href="http://jfs.ohio.gov/CDC/childcare.stm">http://jfs.ohio.gov/CDC/childcare.stm</a>. 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			
CREATIVE KIDS	000000303981	Child Care Center			
Address		County			
4925 POINTE PKWY BLDG F WARRENSVILLE HT OH 44128		CUYAHOGA			

Inspection Information						
Inspection Type			Inspection Scope		Inspection Notice	
Complaint		Partial		Unannounced		
Reviewer(s) RENA	DA FITCH	Inspection Day		Begin Time		End Time
		09/20/2024		10:45 AM		1:00 PM
Summary of Findings						
No. Rules Verified	No. Rules with Non-cor	mpliances 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			
Infants	0 to < 12 months	1 to 6	ratio observed out			
Toddlers	18 months to < 30 months	1 to 9	ratio observed out			
Preschool	3 years to < 4 years	1 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: 5101:2-12-19 Supervision

Code: The program staff is required to supervise children in their assigned group by sight and hearing. Supervision includes being near enough to respond and reach children immediately and protecting them from harm.

Allegation: It was alleged that children were left unattended inside their classroom.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that children were left unattended while inside the program as noted in number(s) 2 below:

- 1. Child(ren) were left unattended once.
- 2. Child(ren) were left unattended more than once.
- 3. Child(ren) left the group and were unattended.
- 4. Child care staff were using a baby monitor to supervise children.
- 5. Child care staff were using a walkie talkie to supervise children.
- 6. Child care staff were using mirrors to view children in another room.
- 7. Child care staff were using a video camera instead of physically being present in the room.
- 8. Other [ ].

Children must be supervised and within sight and hearing of a child care staff member at all times. 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: 10/23/2024

#### 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: It was alleged that child guidance and management was inappropriate in that staff yelled at children.

**Determination**: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a child care staff member used a discipline technique to guide or discipline child(ren) that was not developmentally appropriate, consistent, or occurred at the time of the incident. 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: Low

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/23/2024

#### Domain:02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5101:2-12-12 Safe Environment

Code: The program is required to store chemicals and machinery in a place that is inaccessible to children. The program is required to provide an outdoor play area away from machinery in operation.

Allegation: It was alleged that bleach was accessible to children in the program.

**Determination: Substantiated** 

Findings: During the inspection, a potentially hazardous item or toxic substance was used or stored in preschool classroom where children had access to it, as noted in number(s) 1 below.

- 1. Bleach.
- 2. Cleaning agent.
- 3. Fish tank chemicals.
- 4. Gasoline.
- 5. Pesticide.
- 6. Poison, including insect/rodent poison.
- 7. Flammable substance.
- 8. Windshield washer fluid.
- 9. Aerosol cans.
- 10. A lawn mower.
- 11. A weed trimmer.
- 12. Hedge trimmers.
- 13. A snow blower.
- 14. Other potentially hazardous substance, equipment or machinery: [].

Provide staff training. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a statement that the potentially hazardous substance or item is no longer accessible to children and/or children will not be outside when machinery is in use and 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: 10/23/2024

#### 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.

Allegation: It was alleged that there was peeling paint at the program.

**Determination**: Substantiated

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

Risk Level: Low

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/23/2024

#### **Domain:07 Diapering & Infant Care**

Rule: 5101:2-12-20 Cribs

Code: The program is required to place infants in cribs while sleeping.

Allegation: It was alleged that infants slept in items other than cribs.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that the equipment in number(s) 8,10 below had been used for sleeping infants and did not allow the infant to sleep on a firm mattress:

- 1. Mesh cribs;
- 2. Play pens;
- 3. Bassinets;
- 4. Cots;
- 5. Car seats;
- 6. Infant swing;
- 7. The floor:
- 8. Infant seats;
- 9. An infant placed in a car seat in a crib;

10. Other :the floor.

Infants must be provided with a crib, which meets requirements specified in this rule, for resting and sleeping. Provide staff training. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a statement that staff training was provided, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Risk Level: Moderate

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/23/2024

#### **Domain:08 Staff Files**

Rule: 5101:2-12-08 Medical Statement

Code: The program staff's medical statements are required to be completed and on file at the program.

Allegation: It was alleged that some staff did not have employee medicals on file.

**Determination**: Substantiated

Findings: In review of the staff records, it was determined that the medical statements for the employees listed on the Employee Record Chart did not meet the requirements as listed in number(s) 1 below.

- 1. A medical statement was not on file for at least one employee;
- 2. The medical statement(s) on file did not have a date of examination within 12 months of the employee's first day of employment;
- 3. Date of examination was missing;

- 4. Signature, business address, or telephone number of the licensed physician, physician assistant, advanced practice nurse, certified midwife, or certified nurse practitioner who completed the examination was missing;
- 5. A statement was missing that verifies the employee is:
- a. Physically fit for employment in a program caring for children;
- b. Immunized against Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis (Tdap);
- c. Immunized against Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR);
- 6. Tuberculosis (TB) screening/test information was missing:
- a. Documentation of the screening process to determine if the employee resided in a country identified by the world health organization as having a high burden of TB and arrived in the United States within the five years preceding the date of application for employment.
- b. Results of a TB test for employees meeting both criteria in 6a.
- c. Results of additional testing for employees with a positive TB test.
- d. Written statement, signed by a representative of the TB control unit, that the employee's TB is no longer infectious or the individual is receiving a TB treatment regimen for employees with a positive TB test.

Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a copy of the completed employee medical statement, or TB results/documentation, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Risk Level: Low

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/23/2024

## **Summary of Additional Non-Compliances**

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

## **Moderate Risk Non-Compliances**

#### Domain:05 Health & Safety

Rule: 5101:2-12-22 Meal and Snack Requirements

Code: Meals and snacks provided or served by the program must include all required food groups and meet the recommended daily dietary allowances as specified by the USDA.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a meal or snack at the program did not meet the requirements as noted in number(s) 2 below:



- 1. The breakfast served did not include foods from three of the four food groups.
- 2. Snack served did not include foods from two of the four food groups.
- 3. The meal did not provide 1/3 of the recommended daily dietary allowances as specified by the USDA.
- 4. Juice used to meet the fruit or snack component was not 100% undiluted fruit or vegetable juice.
- 5. The meal served did not include an item from the meat or meat alternative group.
- 6. The meal served did not include an item from the bread or grain group.
- 7. The meal served did not include two items from the fruit/vegetable group.
- 8. The meal served did not include a vegetable (two fruits were served).
- 9. The meal served did not include a serving of fluid milk.

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/23/2024

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