

# **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			
The Nest Schools Westlake	00000304063	Child Care Center			
Address	County				
27390 CENTER RIDGE RD WESTLAKE OH 44	CUYAHOGA				

Inspection Information							
Inspection Type			Inspection Scope		Inspection Notice		
Complaint			Partial		Unannounced		
Reviewer(s) LAKESHA ALLEN Inspection I		n Day	Begin Time		End Time		
	06/23/2023		23	12:00 PM		2:30 PM	
Summary of Findings							
No. Rules Verified	No. Rules with Non-cor	mpliances No. Serious Risl		<	No. Moderate Risk	No. Low Risk	
7	3	0			2	1	

Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection						
Group	Age Group/Range	Ratio Observed	Comment			
Infant 1- Hummingbirds	0 to < 12 months	3 to 14	Programming at arrival			
Ducklings	12 months to < 18 months	2 to 11	Programming			
Cardinals A	18 months to < 30 months	1 to 7	Nap			
Cardinals B	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 17	Programming			
Penguins	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 15	Nap			
Robins	4 years to < 5 years	1 to 14	Nap			
Summer Camp	School-Age to < 11 years	2 to 26	Programming			



# **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: 5101:2-12-18 Group Size

Code: The program is required to maintain the appropriate group size for each group of children served.

Allegation: Caller states that there are too many infants grouped together.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, group size limitations were not maintained for the group of infants as it was determined there were 14 children grouped together. The group size shall not exceed twice the maximum number of children allowed per Child Care Staff Member. 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: 08/06/2023

#### Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-18 Ratio

Code: The program is required to maintain the appropriate staff to child ratio for each group served.

Allegation: Caller alleged that on the morning of 6/23/23 the toddler room was out of ratio with 1 teacher present with 10 children.

**Determination**: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, a ratio of 1 child care staff member(s) for 10 children was determined to have occurred for the toddler group when the situation in number(s) 6 below occurred:

- 1. A child care staff member stepped out of the room.
- 2. A child care staff member had not arrived at work on time.
- 3. Children were present who were not scheduled to be there.
- 4. A child care staff member was unable to work.
- 5. A child was injured in that group.
- 6. A child arrived in the group before a second staff member was scheduled to arrive with the group.
- 7. Two groups were combined, and the program did not follow the ratio for the youngest child in the group.
- 8. A child was transitioning to the next older age group, and the program did not follow the ratio for the youngest child in the group.
- 9. Ratio was doubled for more than two hours while children were napping.
- 10. Ratio was doubled while children were napping for a group that included at least one infant.
- 11. Ratio was doubled while children were napping and there were not enough staff members in the building to meet staff/child ratio.
- 12. Ratio was doubled in the school age group to allow access to the program, however, the program does not serve only school age children.
- 13. Both child care staff members did not have a working communication device when one staff member left the group to allow access to the school age only program.

14. The child care staff member did not return to the group after allowing access to the school age only program. 15. Other [ ].

Additional child care staff members must be hired or current child care staff members must be rescheduled to maintain compliance. 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: 08/06/2023

## **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:08 Staff Files**

Rule: 5101:2-12-09 Background Check Requirements

Code: The program is required to have all staff request background checks as required.

Findings: In review of the staff records, it was determined that background checks were not requested for the person(s) listed on the Employee Record Chart as noted in number(s) 1,2 below:

- 1. Submitting the request for a background check for child care in the OPR.
- 2. Submitting fingerprints electronically according to the process established by BCI.

Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a copy of the JFS 01176, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 08/09/2023

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