

# **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 <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.

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Program Name	Program Number		Program Type
LITTLE SCHOLARS II	000000306004		Child Care Center
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Building Approval Date	Use Group/Code	Occupancy Limit	Maximum Under 2 ½
10/25/2002	E	92	36
Fire Inspection Approval Date	Food Service Risk Level		
09/21/2017	Level IV		

Inspection Information				
Inspection Type	Inspection Sc	cope	Inspection Notice	
Follow-up	Full		Unannounced	
Inspection Date 05/24/2023	Begin Time 1	0:45 AM	End Time 2:38 PM	
Reviewer:				
RENADA FITCH				
Summary of Findings				
No. Rules Verified	No. Rules with Non-compliances	No. Serious Risk	No. Moderate Risk	No. Low Risk
57	16	0	1	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)		10	0	10
Young Toddler		12	0	12
Total Under 2 ½ Years	51	22	0	22
Older Toddler		10	0	10
Preschool		37	0	37
School Age		0	0	0
Total Capacity/Enrollment	126	47	0	69

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

Infants	0 to < 12 months	2 to 10	am
Infants	0 to < 12 months	2 to 10	afternoon
Toddler 1	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 11	am
Toddler 1	18 months to < 30 months	1 to 11	nap
Preschool	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 12	nap
PreK	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 14	am
PreK	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 14	nap
Preschool	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 14	am
Toddler 2	30 months to < 36 months	1 to 7	nap
Toddler 2	30 months to < 36 months	1 to 8	am

# **Summary of Non-Compliances**

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.

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

### **Moderate Risk Non-Compliances**

Domain: 09 Children's Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-15 Medical/Physical Care Plans

<u>Code</u>: The program is required to have a completed JFS 01236 "Child Medical/Physical Care Plan for Child Care" on file at the program for any child having a health condition. The program is required to implement and/or follow instructions on the JFS 01236 for a child with a health condition.

<u>Finding</u>: A written, signed and dated JFS 01236 "Child Medical/Physical Care Plan for Child Care" must be on file for any child having health conditions which require monitoring for symptoms, or a medical procedure be performed, or ongoing administration of medication or medical foods at the program. In review of the children's records, it was determined that the required written information was either not on file, implemented

or followed, for at least one child indicated on the Children Records Review, as noted in number(s) 18,19,26,27 below:

- 1. No plan was on file.
- 2. Child's name was missing.
- 3. Child's date of birth was missing.
- 4. Name of the condition was missing.
- 5. Indication if medication is required was missing.
- 6. Symptoms to watch for were missing.
- 7. Directions for when should the medication or medical food be administered were missing.
- 8. Instructions for administration were missing.
- 9. Conditions that trigger the need for medication or medical foods were missing.
- 10. Expected results of the medication or medical food were missing.
- 11. Actions to be taken if the symptoms do not subside were missing.
- 12. Activities, foods, environmental conditions to avoid were missing.
- 13. Training instructions were missing.
- 14. Directions for action to be taken if expected result of medication or medical food does not occur were missing.
- 15. Instructions regarding emergency evacuation, if applicable, were missing.
- 16. Dated signature of parent was missing.
- 17. Dated signature of certified professional who trained the program staff was missing, if parent was not the trainer.
- 18. Printed name(s)/Dated signature(s) of child care staff member(s) trained to perform the procedure were missing.
- 19. Dated signature(s) of administrator was missing.
- 20. Name of any applicable medication was missing.
- 21. Date medication was administered was missing.
- 22. Time medication was administered was missing.
- 23. Dosage administered was missing.
- 24. Signature of staff member who administered the medication was missing.
- 25. Medication listed in the procedures to follow was not onsite available to administer as instructed and alternate instructions for this situation were not included on the plan.
- 26. The plan was not implemented.
- 27. The plan was not able to be implemented due to conflicting information.
- 28. The plan was not followed.

Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a copy of the completed JFS 01236, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 07/15/2023

#### **Low Risk Non-Compliances**

Domain: 01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-20 Cots and Napping

Code: The program is required to not block pathways with materials while the children are resting, napping,

and/or sleeping.

<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined that the placement of cots or mats in the Toddler 1 nap room did not allow for a clear pathway to each cot. 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: 01 Ratio & Supervision**

Rule: 5101:2-12-19 Supervision

<u>Code</u>: 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 including responding to the child's basic needs and protecting them from harm.

<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined that children were not being properly supervised as noted in number(s) 4 below:

- 1. Child(ren) were not within both sight and hearing of a child care staff member during indoor play.
- 2. Child(ren) were not within both sight and hearing of a child care staff member during outdoor play.
- 3. Child(ren) were not within both sight and hearing of a child care staff member more than once.
- 4. Staff were not physically present in the space and near enough to respond and reach the child(ren) immediately.
- 5. Other: [ ].

Children must be supervised according to rule and within both 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.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/23/2023

## Domain: 01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-18 Attendance Records

<u>Code</u>: 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.

<u>Finding</u>: 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: 06/23/2023

#### **Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment**

Rule: 5101:2-12-12 Safe Environment

<u>Code</u>: 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.

<u>Finding</u>: 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.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/23/2023

## Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

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

Code: The program is required to provide a clean and healthy environment.

<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined that the following unsanitary conditions were at the program: floors, tables and restrooms that were unclean, toilets that were not flushed, gnats in program, soiled diapers place in a can without a lid. A clean and healthy environment, including furniture, materials and equipment must be provided, and the program shall be cleaned daily. 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 required at this time.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/23/2023

## **Domain: 03 Postings & Equipment**

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

<u>Code</u>: The program is required to post and implement the JFS 01242 "Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan" when necessary.

<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined the requirements for the JFS 01242 "Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan for Child Care" were not followed as noted in number(s) 1 below:

- 1. The plan was not posted in each classroom.
- 2. The plan was not posted in other spaces used by children.
- 3. The name, address and telephone number of the program were not complete.
- 4. The location of first aid kit, fire extinguishers and fire alarm system, fire alarm pull stations and electrical circuit box were not complete.
- 5. The telephone number for emergency squad, fire department, hospital, poison control program, public children services agency, local health department, local emergency management agency, and police department were not complete.
- 6. Location of children's records was not complete.
- 7. Emergency information including any medications or supplies needed in the event of an evacuation was not complete.
- 8. The current version of the prescribed form was not used.
- 9. The plan was not implemented when necessary in that [ ].

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/23/2023

**Domain: 03 Postings & Equipment** 

Rule: 5101:2-12-17 Daily Schedule

<u>Code</u>: The program is required to have the daily program schedule posted in all required areas.

<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined that a copy of the daily program schedule was not posted in the preschool area as required. 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: 03 Postings & Equipment**

Rule: 5101:2-12-17 Materials and Equipment

<u>Code</u>: The program is required to have enough equipment for all children in care.

<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined that equipment and materials in the following categories 8 were not provided in sufficient quantities for children in the Preschool classroom, as required by the rule:

- 1. Art supplies (excludes infants);
- 2. Manipulative materials and equipment;
- 3. Blocks;
- 4. Science-nature equipment (excludes infants);
- 5. Language arts and auditory materials and equipment;
- 6. Pretend or dramatic play materials;
- 7. Music equipment;
- 8. Transportation materials and equipment;
- 9. Gross motor equipment;
- 10. Sensory motor equipment.

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: 05 Health & Safety

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

<u>Code</u>: The program is required to post the current weekly menu in a noticeable location that is accessible to parents and note any substitutions at the time of the change.



<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined that the program's weekly menu did not meet the requirement as noted in number(s) 3 below.

- 1. The menu was not posted.
- 2. The posted menu was not in a visible place readily accessible to parents.
- 3. The menu was not currently dated.
- 4. The entire menu was substituted.
- 5. At least one item on menu did not match what was served.
- 6. The meal or snack served did not match the posted menu.

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: 05 Health & Safety

Rule: 5101:2-12-22 Fluid Milk Requirements

<u>Code</u>: The program is required to serve age-appropriate fluid milk or obtain written documentation when serving substitutions for fluid milk.

<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined that required documentation for substitutions for fluid milk was not on file as noted in number(s) 3 below:

- 1. Written instructions from a licensed physician, physician's assistant, or certified nurse practitioner when infants up to 12 months of age are served anything other than formula or breast milk.
- 2. Written instructions from a licensed physician, physician's assistant, or certified nurse practitioner when infants and toddlers 12 months of age up to 24 months of age are served anything other than unflavored whole homogenized vitamin D fortified cow's milk, breast milk, or non-cow milk substitution that is nutritionally equivalent to milk.
- 3. Written instructions from a licensed physician, physician's assistant, or certified nurse practitioner when toddlers and children 24 months of age and older are served anything other than unflavored one per cent milk that is vitamin A and D fortified, unflavored fat free or skim milk that is vitamin A and D fortified, or non-cow milk substitutions that are nutritionally equivalent to milk.
- 4. Written parental consent for non-cow milk substitutions that are nutritionally equivalent to milk for children 12 months of age and older.
- 5. The program did not have the type of milk on-site to ensure that all children were served age-appropriate fluid milk.

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

<u>Code</u>: The program is required to have all child care staff members complete training in child abuse and neglect recognition and prevention within sixty days of hire. Staff must complete training in first aid and CPR within the first ninety days of hire.

<u>Finding</u>: In review of the staff records, it was determined that at least one child care staff member had not completed required health and safety training as noted in number(s) 4 below:

- 1. Child abuse and neglect recognition and prevention training was not completed within sixty days of hire.
- 2. First aid training was not completed within ninety days of hire.
- 3. Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) training was not completed within ninety days of hire.
- 4. The child abuse and neglect recognition and prevention training was expired.
- 5. The first aid training was expired.
- 6. The CPR training was expired.

Refer to the Employee Record Chart for the name(s) of the child care staff member(s) who must complete the required health and safety training(s). Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

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#### Domain: 08 Staff Files

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

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

<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined employment records in the Ohio Professional Registry (OPR) were not created or maintained as noted in number(s) 3,4,5,6 below:

- 1. At least one administrator, employee or child care staff member (including substitutes) had not created a profile.
- 2. At least one administrator, employee or child care staff member had not created an employment record for the program on or before their first day of employment.
- 3. At least one administrator, employee or child care staff member had not updated changes to positions or roles within five calendar days of the change.



- 4. The administrator had not assigned at least one employee or child care staff member to the program's organization dashboard.
- 5. At least one individual's schedule was not current.
- 6. At least one individual's position or role did not include an applicable group assignment.
- 7. At least one individual's employment had not been end dated.
- 8. Other: [ ]

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

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

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

<u>Code</u>: The program staff is required to have educational verification on file at the program or in the Ohio

Professional Registry.

<u>Finding</u>: In review of the staff records, it was determined that verification of a high school education was not on file nor verified in the Ohio Professional Registry for Child Care Staff Member(s) listed on the Employee Record Chart, as required. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a copy of the verification of a high school education, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/23/2023

#### **Domain: 09 Children's Files**

Rule: 5101:2-12-25 Medication Administration

<u>Code</u>: The program is required to use the appropriate form and retain current documentation to administer medications, medical foods and topical products. The program is also required to obtain separate documentation for each medication/product and child.

<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined the program did not meet the requirements for the JFS 01217 "Request for Administration of Medication for Child Care" as noted in number(s) 6 below:

- 1. The program used an old version of the JFS 01217.
- 2. The signature date on the JFS 01217 exceeded more than 12 months.
- 3. The time period to administer the medication or medical food on the JFS 01217 was exceeded.
- 4. The JFS 01217 included more than one medication or medical food.

- 5. The JFS 01217 included more than one child's name.
- 6. The prescription label was not current.

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/23/2023

#### Domain: 09 Children's Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-25 Medication Administration

<u>Code</u>: The program is required to have medication, medical foods and topical products labeled with the child's

name.

<u>Finding</u>: During the inspection, it was determined that a medication, medical food or topical product was at the program which had not been labeled with the child's name. Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/23/2023

#### Domain: 09 Children's Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-15 Child Medical and Enrollment Records

<u>Code</u>: The program is required to use the updated JFS 01234 "Child Enrollment and Health Information For Child Care" .

<u>Finding</u>: 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) 5, '4 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 child information
- 4. Complete parent information
- 5. Complete emergency contact information
- 6. Complete physician information
- 7. Information regarding the parent list
- 8. Health information
- 9. Additional information for all boxes checked "yes"

- 10. Emergency transportation information
- 11. Parent/guardian's signature
- 12. Diapering Statement
- 13. Acknowledgement of Policies and Procedures
- 14. Enrollment form for at least one child was not updated by either the parent or the administrator
- 15. Enrollment form for at least one child was not signed by the administrator
- 16. 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
5101:2-12-02 License Posted	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-02 Current Information	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-03 Inspection	Compliant	
Requirements		
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-04 Building Department	Compliant	
Inspection		
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-04 Fire Inspection	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Please Note:
		Documentation of a fire inspection
		without any uncorrected violations must
		be secured for the program. Secure a
		new fire inspection by 9/6/23.

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Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-04 Food Service	Compliant	
Requirements		
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-07 Administrator	Compliant	bocumenting statement(s), if applicable
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Qualifications		
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Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-07 Written Program	Compliant	
Policies and Procedures		
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-08 Medical Statement	Compliant	Documenting Statement: All employees
		had current medical statements on file.
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Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-08 Orientation Training &	Compliant	
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Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-09 Background Check	Compliant	
Requirements		
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Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-10 Professional	Not Verified	
Development Requirements		
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-11 Indoor Space	Compliant	
Requirements		
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-11 Separation of Children	Compliant	bocamenting statement(s), it applicable
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Under 2 1/2 Years		
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Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Space	Compliant	
Requirements		
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Equipment	Compliant	
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5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Fall Zones	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-12 Safe Equipment	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-13 Handwashing Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-13 Smoke Free Environment	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Emergency Drills	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Documentation for completed fire, weather, and emergency/lockdown drills was verified during this inspection.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-16 First Aid/Standard Precautions	Compliant	Documenting Statement(s), if applicable
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-16 Management of Communicable Disease	Compliant	
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Rule 5101:2-12-16 Incident/Injury Reporting	Status Compliant	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Written Disaster Plan	Status Compliant	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable  Documenting Statement: Annual training of the written disaster plan was completed by staff.
Rule 5101:2-12-17 Daily Outdoor Play	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-17 Daily Outdoor Play	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5101:2-12-18 License Capacity	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The program was operating within their license capacity limits.

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Rule: 5101:2-12-18 Ratio	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Staff/child
		ratios observed during the inspection
		were in compliance.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-18 Group Size	Compliant	
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Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-19 Child Guidance	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-20 Cribs	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-22 Safe Food	Compliant	
Handling/Storage	Compliant	
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Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-23 Infant Daily Care	Compliant	0 (7 11
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Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-23 Infant Bottle and Food	Compliant	
Preparation		
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-12-23 Diapering and Toilet	Compliant	
Training		