

# **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			
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER #1850	000000307881	Child Care Center			
Address		County			
7171 LEAR NAGLE RD N. RIDGEVILLE OH 44039		LORAIN			

Inspection Information						
Inspection Type Complaint			Inspection Scope Partial		Inspection Notice Unannounced	
Reviewer(s) Akeea Nelson Inspection 06/06/202			Begin Time 11:00 AM		End Time 1:30 PM	
Summary of Findings						
No. Rules Verified	No. Rules with Non-con	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			
Infant A	0 to < 12 months	2 to 11	Arrival Ratio-			
			Lunch Time-			
			Infant A & B			
			combined.			
Toddler A	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 13	Arrival Ratio-			
			Lunch Time			
Toddler B	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 7	Arrival Ratio-			
			Lunch Time			
Discovery Preschool	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 14	Arrival Ratio-			
			Lunch Time			
Preschool 1	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 12	Arrival Ratio-			
	.0		Lunch Time			
Pre-K/TK	4 years to < 5 years	2 to 25	Arrival Ratio-			
			Lunch Time Both			
			classrooms			
			combined.			



## **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 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 the children were not being properly supervised.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that children were left unattended while inside the program as noted in number(s) 1 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: 07/09/2025

#### Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5180:2-12-19 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 the child care staff member used inappropriate techniques.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a Child Care Staff Member had used the inappropriate techniques in number(s) 1 below when managing unacceptable 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.

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: 07/09/2025

## Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5180:2-12-18 Ratio

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

Allegation: It was alleged that the program is over ratio.

**Determination**: Substantiated

Findings: During the complaint inspection, ratio had been determined to have occurred on several days for one of the groups when the situation in number(s) 2 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: 07/09/2025

#### Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5180:2-12-18 Ratio

Code: The program staff used in ratio are to refrain from other duties that would not allow them to provide appropriate care and supervision of the children in their group.

Allegation: It was alleged that the child care staff member was used in ratio were engaged in other duties.

**Determination**: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that Child Care Staff Members who were used in the staff/child ratio were engaged in other duties such as noted in number(s) 4 below and, therefore, were unable to provide appropriate care and supervision to the children:

- 1. Cooking;
- 2. Cleaning that interferes with supervision;
- 3. Paperwork;
- 4. On the cell phone;
- 5. Engaging in a conversation with a parent for an extended period of time;
- 6. Other [ ].

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: 07/09/2025

#### Domain:02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5180:2-12-12 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 the program was not providing a safe environment.

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: 07/09/2025

#### Domain:02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5180:2-12-12 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 the program was not providing a safe environment.

**Determination**: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that children were not protected from item(s) or condition(s) which may threaten their health, safety, or well-being as noted in number(s) 15, 22, 23 below:

- 1. Surge protectors/outlets did not have childproof receptacle covers.
- 2. Open pull cords that are not closed loop.
- 3. Toys or other items small enough to be swallowed were present in the space where infants and/or toddlers were in care.
- 4. Electrical/extension cords attached to an object that would not likely result in a severe injury if pulled.
- 5. Stacked chairs.
- 6. Employee(s) purse(s).
- 7. Diaper bags.
- 8. Television not securely anchored.
- 9. Small or lightweight pieces of shelving units are not securely anchored to the wall.
- 10. Smoke detector needing batteries replaced.
- 11. An area rug did not have a nonskid backing.
- 12. An area rug presented a tripping hazard.
- 13. A floor surface that was unsafe in that [ ].
- 14. No platform was provided for the sink or toilet in the [ ] classroom.
- 15. The platform provided for the sink or toilet in the Preschool 1 classroom was not sturdy.
- 16. The platform provided for the sink or toilet in the [] classroom posed a safety hazard in that [].
- 17. Telephone cords.
- 18. Staff member stepped over a barrier/gate while holding a child.
- 19. Emergency exits were blocked by the following classroom furniture: [ ].
- 20. A mercury thermometer was being used to take a child's temperature.
- 21. Methods of ventilation used did not provide protection from rodents, insects, or other hazards.
- 22. Wall edge cover is broken with sharp edges in the Toddler B classroom.
- 23. Toilet seat in the Pre-K classroom is broken.

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: 07/09/2025

# Domain:02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5180:2-12-12 Safe Environment



Code: The program is required to store chemicals and cleaning and sanitizing supplies in a place that is inaccessible to children. Cleaning agents, aerosol cans and chemical substances must be stored in their original container or clearly labeled. School-age children may use cleaning supplies and equipment with adult supervision.

Allegation: It was alleged that the program was not providing a safe environment.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, a potentially hazardous substance, which was determined to not present a serious risk to a child, was not used or stored properly as noted in number(s) 1, 12 below:

- 1. Cosmetics were accessible to children in the Discovery Preschool area.
- 2. Disinfecting wipes were accessible to children in the [ ] area.
- 3. Fish food was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
- 4. Hand lotion was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
- 5. Hand sanitizer (for children under 24 months) was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
- 6. Laundry detergent was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
- 7. Powder dish washing soap was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
- 8. Paint cans were accessible to children in the [ ] area.
- 9. White out was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
- 10. Potting Soil was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
- 11. Other potentially hazardous substance [ ] was accessible to children in the [ ] area.
- 12. Cleaning/sanitizing supplies had not been clearly labeled.
- 13. School-age children were using cleaning supplies, agents and/or equipment without adult supervision.
- 14. A spray aerosol was used in the [ ] group while children were in attendance.
- 15. Other: [ ].

Provide staff training. 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: 07/09/2025

#### Domain:02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5180:2-12-13 Sanitary Equipment and Environment

Code: The program is required to follow the cleaning schedule for equipment.

Allegation: It was alleged that the program was not providing a clean and healthy environment.

**Determination**: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that the program was not providing a clean and healthy environment, furniture, materials and equipment as required by Appendix A, as noted in number(s) 6, 15, 27 below:

- 1. Item(s) soiled with blood or bodily fluids were not cleaned/sanitized immediately.
- 2. Blankets/sheets were not cleaned weekly, when soiled, or before use by another child.
- 3. Children's individual blankets and belongings were stored in an unsanitary manner.
- 4. Bottles, bottle caps, nipples and other equipment used for bottle feeding were not cleaned and sanitized in a dishwasher or by washing, rinsing, and boiling for one minute.
- 5. Carpets were not vacuumed weekly or cleaned when soiled.



- 6. Changing table under the pad was not cleaned when visibly dirty.
- 7. Reusable cloths were not being washed daily or when visibly soiled.
- 8. Cots/Pads/Mats were not cleaned and sanitized before assigning to a different child, when used by a sick child, when soiled or at least every three months.
- 9. Cribs were not cleaned and sanitized monthly, or when soiled, or before use by another child.
- 10. Diaper Receptables were not cleaned and sanitized daily or more frequently as needed to eliminate odor.
- 11. Dishes/Cups/Silverware were not cleaned and sanitized after each use.
- 12. Water Containers were not labeled with the child's name, or were not cleaned and sanitized before use again on another day.
- 13. Dividers were not cleaned when visibly soiled.
- 14. Dress up clothes and hats (dramatic play) were not cleaned monthly or when soiled.
- 15. Floor Mats were not cleaned weekly or when soiled.
- 16. The food prep area, including sinks, were not cleaned before and after preparing food (including bottle preparation) or between preparing raw or cooked food.
- 17. Potty chairs were not cleaned after each use, rinsed with water, cleaned and sanitized or contents were not emptied into a toilet.
- 18. Food tables, highchair trays were not cleaned before and after each use.
- 19. Tables used for play were not cleaned when visibly soiled or sanitized daily.
- 20. Toilet bowls were not cleaned when visibly soiled or sanitized weekly.
- 21. Toilet seat(s), handle(s) and hand washing sink(s) were not cleaned when visibly soiled or sanitized daily.
- 22. Mouthed toys were not cleaned and sanitized after each child's use.
- 23. Toys, other than those mouthed by children, were not cleaned monthly or when visibly soiled.
- 24. Washable furniture, including fabrics on infant equipment, were not cleaned weekly or when soiled.
- 25. Upholstered furniture was not steam cleaned when soiled.
- 26. Slip covers were not washed at least every six months or when soiled.
- 27. Wastebaskets/rinse buckets, including lids, were not being emptied daily or cleaned and sanitized when visibly soiled.
- 28. The manufacturer's directions for the cleaning product were not followed.
- 29. The solution used for sanitizing was not a commercial product registered by the United States Environmental Protection Agency as a sanitizer.

30. Other [ ].

Furniture, materials and equipment must be maintained according to the cleaning and sanitizing schedule in Appendix A to this rule. 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.

Risk Level: Low

Corrective Action Plan Due: 07/09/2025

# Domain:02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5180:2-12-13 Sanitary Equipment and Environment

Code: The program is required to provide a clean restroom with the appropriate materials available.

Allegation: It was alleged that the program was not providing a clean and healthy environment.

<u>Determination</u>: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that unsanitary conditions, as noted in number(s) 5, 6 below, were in the Pre-K, Discovery Preschool restroom:

There was no liquid soap.



- 2. There was no toilet paper.
- 3. There were no paper towels.
- 4. The toilet cleaning brush was accessible to the children.
- 5. The plunger was accessible to the children.
- 6. The toilet(s) were not flushed.
- 7. The trash was not emptied from the day before.
- 8. There was a strong urine odor.
- 9. Other [ ].

The restroom(s) must be kept sanitary at all times. 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.

Risk Level: Low

Corrective Action Plan Due: 07/09/2025

#### Domain:04 Indoor/Outdoor Space

Rule: 5180:2-12-11 Outdoor Space Requirements

Code: The program is required to have an outdoor play space free from trash and foreign objects.

Allegation: It was alleged that the outdoor play space was not free of trash.

**Determination:** Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that the outdoor play space was not free of trash or foreign objects as noted in number(s) 1below:

- 1. The outdoor area was littered with trash.
- 2. The trash can was missing a lid.
- 3. The trash can was not emptied from the day(s) before.
- 4. The trash can was overflowing with trash.
- 5. The trash can was infested with insects.
- 6. The trash can was visibly dirty.
- 7. There was broken glass.
- 8. There were tall weeds.
- 9. There was poison ivy.
- 10. There were tree branches.
- 11. There was mold visible.
- 12. There were thistles with prickers.
- 13. There were bird droppings.
- 14. The sandbox was contaminated.
- 15. Other [ ].

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: 07/09/2025



#### Domain:04 Indoor/Outdoor Space

Rule: 5180:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Equipment

Code: The program is required to provide equipment that does not pose a safety risk and must follow the manufacturer's guidelines for assembling, installing and using the equipment.

Allegation: It was alleged that the outdoor play equipment was unsafe.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that outdoor play equipment was unsafe or not used as intended as noted in number(s) 10 below:

- 1. There was rust exposed.
- 2. There were protruding bolts.
- 3. There were cracks.
- 4. There were holes.
- 5. There was splintering wood.
- 6. There were sharp edges or points.
- 7. There were lead hazards.
- 8. There were toxic substances.
- 9. There were tripping hazards.
- 10. There was chipped and/or peeling paint. (Toddler Climber)
- 11. The sandbox was not covered when the program was closed or during non-daylight hours.
- 12. Outdoor equipment, [ ] was not developmentally appropriate.
- 13. Outdoor equipment, [ ], was placed in the main traffic pattern.
- 14. Outdoor play equipment, [ ], was positioned too closely together, posing a risk of injury if a child were to fall from one piece of equipment into another.
- 15. Outdoor equipment, [ ], was not securely anchored but did not present a risk of imminent danger of the structure collapsing when children are using the equipment
- 16. Outdoor equipment, [ ], was 30 inches or more from the ground and did not have a protective barrier that would prevent a child from falling off this piece of equipment.
- 17. The manufacturer's guidelines for assembly and installation were not followed for the [ ].
- 18. Functionally linked equipment was used by preschool-age children and the distance between two adjacent pieces of equipment exceeded 12 inches.
- 19. Functionally linked equipment was used by school-age children and the distance between two adjacent pieces of equipment exceeded 18 inches.
- 20. Other [ ].

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: 07/09/2025

## Domain:05 Health & Safety

Rule: 5180:2-12-16 Incident/Injury Reporting

Code: The program is required to submit notification of a serious incident in OCLQS by the next business day.

Allegation: It was alleged that a serious incident was not reported in the Ohio Child Licensing and Quality System.

**Determination**: Substantiated



Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a Serious Incident was not reported in the Ohio Child Licensing and Quality System (OCLQS), as required, by the program administrator or designee for an incident(s) as listed in number(s) 4 below:

- 1. An incident, injury or illness that required professional medical consultation or treatment.
- 2. An unusual or unexpected incident which jeopardizes the safety of a child, child care staff member or employee of the program.
- 3. An incident defined as a serious risk non-compliance in appendix A to rule 5101:2-12-03 of the Administrative Code.
- 4. The program did not submit the report in OCLQS by the next business day as required by rule.

Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a statement that the program administrator or designee has completed the Serious Incident Report in OCLQS, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Risk Level: Low

Corrective Action Plan Due: 07/09/2025

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

Rule: 5180:2-12-08 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 medical statements were not on file for certain employees.

**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: 07/09/2025

#### Domain:09 Children's Files

Rule: 5180:2-12-15 Medical/Physical Care Plans

Code: The program is required to maintain a complete JFS 01236 "Child Medical/Physical Care Plan for Child Care" on file for any child having a health condition.

Allegation: It was alleged that the medical physical care plans were expired.

**Determination**: Substantiated

Findings: In review of the children's records, it was determined that the JFS 01236 "Child Medical/Physical Care Plan for Child Care" did not meet the requirements of the rule as noted in number(s) 1 below:

- 1. The JFS 01236 had not been updated as needed and at least annually.
- 2. A separate JFS 01236 had not been used for each condition.
- 3. The program used an old version of the JFS 01236.

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: 07/09/2025

#### Domain:09 Children's Files

Rule: 5180:2-12-15 Child Medical and Enrollment Records

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

Allegation: It was alleged that children's records have expired.

**Determination**: Substantiated

Findings: 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) 14 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.

Risk Level: Low

# **Summary of Additional Non-Compliances**

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

**Low Risk Non-Compliances** 



#### Domain:02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5180:2-12-12 Safe Equipment

Code: The program is required to use equipment, that is safe and hazard free, according to the manufacturer's guidelines. Fans, air conditioners, heat pumps, and space heaters must be inaccessible to children. The program is required to refrain from using trampolines, ball pits and inflatable equipment intended for climbing and bouncing, including but not limited to slides and bounce houses.

Findings: During the inspection, equipment was determined to be unsafe, hazardous to children, or in need of repair as noted in number(s) 5 below:

- 1. Manufacturer's guidelines for the [ ] were not followed in that [ ].
- 2. The straps were missing on the [ ].
- 3. The straps were attached, but were not used on the [ ].
- 4. The straps were attached and were used, but were not used in a safe manner.
- 5. The equipment had screws exposed.
- 6. The equipment had splinters.
- 7. The equipment had protruding nails.
- 8. The equipment had loose or rusty parts.
- 9. The equipment had paint which contains lead or other poisonous materials.
- 10. The equipment had hazardous features.
- 11. A fan was unstable and could easily tip over.
- 12. A fan had openings a finger could enter.
- 13. The pipes from the heat pump felt hot to the touch
- 14. A space heater felt hot to the touch
- 15. The position of a space heater was a tripping hazard
- 16. The air conditioning unit was not enclosed and was accessible to children on the playground.
- 17. A ball pit, trampoline, inflatable bounce house, inflatable slide, or inflatable equipment used for climbing and bouncing was used.
- 18. Other [ ].

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 07/09/2025

# Domain:04 Indoor/Outdoor Space

Rule: 5180:2-12-11 Outdoor Space Requirements

Code: The program is required to have an outdoor play space free from trash and foreign objects.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that the outdoor play space was not free of trash or foreign objects as noted in number(s) 8 below:

- 1. The outdoor area was littered with trash.
- 2. The trash can was missing a lid.
- 3. The trash can was not emptied from the day(s) before.
- 4. The trash can was overflowing with trash.
- 5. The trash can was infested with insects.
- 6. The trash can was visibly dirty.
- 7. There was broken glass.
- 8. There were weeds.
- 9. There was poison ivy.



- There were tree branches.
- 11. There was mold visible.
- 12. There were thistles with prickers.
- 13. There were bird droppings.
- 14. The sandbox was contaminated.
- 15. Other [ ].

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 07/09/2025

# Domain:07 Diapering & Infant Care

Rule: 5180:2-12-23 Diapering and Toilet Training

Code: The program staff is required to use and discard a separation material between each diaper change.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that the staff did not [use a/discard] separation material between each diaper change, as required by the rule, at the diaper changing station. Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 07/09/2025

#### Domain:09 Children's Files

Rule: 5180:2-12-25 Medication Administration

Code: The program is required to remove all medication, medical foods and topical products that are no longer being administered or have expired. The program is also required to maintain current documentation to administer medications, medical foods and topical products.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that medication, medical foods and/or topical products did not meet the requirement(s) for administering medication, medical foods, and/or medical products as noted in number(s) 2 below:

- 1. The medication, medical food, or topical product was no longer needed and had not been removed from the program.
- 2. The medication, medical food, or topical product had expired and had not been removed from the program.
- 3. The prescription label had expired.

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

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