

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 <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 NATIONWIDE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL CHILD CARE CENTER		Program Number 000000403089	
		Program Type Child Care Center	
Address 646 S. 18th St. Columbus OH 43205		County FRANKLIN	
Building Approval Date 06/14/1990		Use Group/Code E with I-2	Occupancy Limit 158
		Maximum Under 2 ½	
Fire Inspection Approval Date 12/15/2016		Food Service Risk Level Level II	

Inspection Information		
Inspection Type Annual	Inspection Scope Full	Inspection Notice Unannounced
Inspection Date 11/03/2025	Begin Time 8:10 AM	End Time 5:00 PM
Inspection Date 11/04/2025	Begin Time 9:00 AM	End Time 12:15 PM
Reviewer: Barbara Smith		
Reviewer: Barbara Smith		

Summary of Findings				
No. Rules Verified 58	No. Rules with Non-compliances 4	No. Serious Risk 0	No. Moderate Risk 0	No. Low Risk 4

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)		82	0	82
Young Toddler		69	0	69
Total Under 2 ½ Years	176	151	0	151
Older Toddler		36	0	36
Preschool		113	0	113
School Age		13	0	13
Total Capacity/Enrollment	316	162	0	313

Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection			
Group	Age Group/Range	Ratio Observed	Comment
Toddler 5	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 11	Day 1 Nap
Toddler 5	18 months to < 30 months	3 to 11	Day 2 Arrival
Toddler 5	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 7	Day 1 Arrival
Infant 4	0 to < 12 months	3 to 8	Day 2 Arrival
Infant 4	0 to < 12 months	3 to 8	2:15 pm Day 1
Infant 4	0 to < 12 months	3 to 8	Day 1 Arrival
Kindergarten	School-Age to < 11 years	1 to 5	Day 1 Arrival
Kindergarten	School-Age to < 11 years	1 to 12	Day 2 Arrival
Kindergarten	School-Age to < 11 years	2 to 11	2:15 pm Day 1
Infant 1	0 to < 12 months	3 to 8	Day 1 Arrival
Infant 1	0 to < 12 months	3 to 9	Day 2 Arrival
Infant 1		3 to 8	2:15pm Day 1
Infant 2	0 to < 12 months	3 to 7	Day 2 Arrival
Infant 2	0 to < 12 months	3 to 4	Day 1 Arrival
Infant 2	0 to < 12 months	3 to 7	2:15 pm Day 1
Infant 3	0 to < 12 months	3 to 9	Day 1 Arrival
Infant 3	0 to < 12 months	3 to 9	Day 2 Arrival
Infant 3	0 to < 12 months	3 to 9	2:15 pm Day 1
Infant 5	0 to < 12 months	3 to 6	Day 1 Arrival
Infant 5	0 to < 12 months	3 to 7	Day 2 Arrival
Infant 5	0 to < 12 months	2 to 6	2:15 pm Day 1
Infant 6	0 to < 12 months	3 to 10	2:15 pm Day 1
Infant 6	0 to < 12 months	3 to 7	Day 1 Arrival
Infant 6	0 to < 12 months	3 to 8	Day 2 Arrival
Infant 7	0 to < 12 months	3 to 7	2:15 pm Day1
Infant 7	0 to < 12 months	3 to 7	Day 2 Arrival
Infant 7	0 to < 12 months	2 to 7	Day 1 Arrival
Infant 8	0 to < 12 months	3 to 6	Day 1 Arrival
Infant 8	0 to < 12 months	2 to 5	Day 2 Arrival
Infant 8	0 to < 12 months	3 to 8	2:15 pm Day 1
Toddler 1	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 7	Day 1 Arrival
Toddler 1	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 9	Day 1 Nap
Toddler 1	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 10	Day 2 Arrival
Toddler 2	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 6	Day 1 Arrival
Toddler 2	18 months to < 30 months	1 to 10	Day 1 Nap
Toddler 2	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 11	Day 2 Arrival
Toddler 3	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 10	Day 2 Arrival
Toddler 3	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 9	Day 1 Arrival
Toddler 3	18 months to < 30 months	3 to 9	Day 1 Nap
Toddler 4	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 9	Day 1 Arrival
Toddler 4	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 12	Day 1 Nap
Toddler 4	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 9	Day 2 Arrival
Toddler 6	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 9	Day 2 Arrival
Toddler 6	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 7	Day 1 Arrival

Toddler 6	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 12	Day 1 Nap
Preschool 1	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 7	Day 1 Arrival
Preschool 1	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 12	Day 2 Arrival
Preschool 1	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 12	Day 1 Nap
Toddler 7	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 7	Day 1 Arrival
Toddler 7	18 months to < 30 months	1 to 10	Day 1 Arrival
Toddler 7	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 10	Day 2 Arrival
Toddler 8	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 9	Day 1 Arrival
Toddler 8	18 months to < 30 months	3 to 10	Day 1 Nap
Toddler 8	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 9	Day 2 Arrival
Preschool 8	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 9	Day 2 Arrival
Preschool 8	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 8	Day 1 Arrival
Preschool 8	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 9	Day 1 Nap
Preschool 2	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 10	Day 1 Nap
Preschool 2	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 6	Day 1 Arrival
Preschool 2	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 12	Day 2 Arrival
Preschool 3	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 8	Day 1 Nap
Preschool 3	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 7	Day 2 Arrival
Preschool 3	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 6	Day 1 Arrival
Preschool 4	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 13	Day 2 Arrival
Preschool 4	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 8	Day 1 Arrival
Preschool 4	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 10	Day 1 Nap
Preschool 5	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 7	Day 1 Arrival
Preschool 5	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 11	Day 1 Nap
Preschool 5	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 11	Day 2 Arrival
Preschool 6	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 12	Day 1 Nap
Preschool 6	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 8	Day 1 Arrival
Preschool 6	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 10	Day 2 Arrival
Preschool 7	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 12	Day 2 Arrival
Preschool 7	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 9	Day 1 Arrival
Preschool 7	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 12	Day 1 Nap

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 5180:2-12-03 and 5180:2-13-03 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

No Moderate Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection

Low Risk Non-Compliances

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 including responding to the child's basic needs and protecting them from harm.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that children were not being properly supervised as noted in number 1 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: 12/04/2025

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.

Finding: 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) 5a, 6a and 6b 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.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/04/2025

Domain: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 5180:2-12-10 Health Training Requirements

Code: 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.

Finding: 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) 2 and 3 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.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/04/2025

Domain: 09 Children's Files

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

Code: The program is required to have a completed medical on file at the program for each child enrolled.

Finding: In review of 25% of the children's records, it was determined that completed medical statements were not on file, as required, for children listed on the JFS Children's Record Review For Child Care as indicated in number(s) 8 and 9 below:

1. No medical was on file for at least one child
2. Medical(s) on file was not updated every 13 months
3. Medical(s) were missing child's name and date of birth
4. Medical(s) were missing the date of the medical examination
5. The date of the exam was more than 13 months prior to the date the form was signed.
6. Medical(s) were missing a statement that the child has been examined and is in suitable condition for participation in group care
7. Medical(s) were missing the signature, business address and telephone number of the physician, physician's assistant(PA), advance practice nurse (APN) or certified nurse practitioner (CNP) who examined the child
8. Medical(s) were missing a record of immunizations the child has had specifying month, day and year
9. Medical(s) were missing a statement from the physician, PA, APN, or CNP that the child has been immunized or is in the process of being immunized against the diseases required by division 5104.014 of the Revised Code and found in appendix A to this rule

10. Medical(s) were missing a statement from the child's parent or guardian that he or she has declined to have the child immunized against the disease for reasons of conscience, including religious convictions

11. Other []

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/04/2025

Rules In-Compliance/Not Verified

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-16 Written Disaster Plan	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Annual training of the written disaster plan was completed by staff.
Rule: 5180:2-12-16 Written Disaster Plan	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The program's written disaster plan was reviewed during the inspection and met the requirements.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-02 License Posted	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-04 Building Department Inspection	Compliant	Documenting Statement: A copy of the certificate of occupancy was available on-site for review.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-02 Current Information	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable

5180:2-12-03 Inspection Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-04 Fire Inspection	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Although the program had documentation of a current fire inspection without any uncorrected violations at the time of the licensing inspection, the program did not have the fire inspection completed within 12 months from the date of the last fire inspection without any uncorrected violations. Please ensure that fire inspections are completed in accordance with the rule requirements.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-04 Food Service Requirements	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The food service license was observed posted. Following is the audit number and date of expiration: Audit #0022974 expires 03/01/2026.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-07 Administrator Qualifications	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-07 Administrator Responsibilities/Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-07 Written Program Policies and Procedures	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The written policies and procedures reviewed on the day of the inspection were verified as complete.
Rule: 5180:2-12-07 Written Program Policies and Procedures	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the requirements of the rule regarding the program's written policies and procedures were discussed.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-08 Child Care Staff Member Educational Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable

Rule: 5180:2-12-08 Orientation Training & Whistle Blower Protection	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the requirements of the rule regarding orientation training and whistle blower protection were discussed.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-09 Background Check Requirements	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the required documentation regarding background checks was on file for all employees listed.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-10 Professional Development Requirements	Compliant	Documenting Statement: At the time of the inspection, all child care staff members had completed the required amount of professional development training.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-11 Indoor Space Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-11 Separation of Children Under 2 1/2 Years	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-11 Outdoor Space Requirements	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The quarterly playground inspections were completed and documented, as required. The most recent inspection report form was dated 09/10/2025.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-12 Safe Equipment	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Equipment	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Fall Zones	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-12 Safe Environment	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-13 Sanitary Equipment and Environment	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the requirements of the rule regarding sanitary equipment and environment were discussed.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-13 Handwashing Requirements	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Staff and children were observed washing hands as required by the rule.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-13 Smoke Free Environment	Compliant	Documenting Statement: A notice was observed posted stating that smoking is prohibited at the program.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-15 Medical/Physical Care Plans	Compliant	Documenting Statement: The program had current information on the medical status and the required treatment plan for the children with health conditions.
Rule: 5180:2-12-15 Medical/Physical Care Plans	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the requirements of the rule regarding caring for children with a specific health condition were discussed.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the requirements of the rule regarding medical, dental and general emergencies were discussed.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-16 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
Rule: 5180:2-12-16 First Aid/Standard Precautions	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the program had complete first aid kits available as required.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-16 Management of Communicable Disease	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-16 Incident/Injury Reporting	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-17 Materials and Equipment	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-17 Daily Schedule	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the requirements of the rule regarding the program's daily schedule were discussed.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-18 Attendance Records	Compliant	Documenting Statement: During the inspection, attendance records were reviewed. Child Care Staff Members were viewed recording the attendance for each child upon arrival and departure. All attendance records met the requirements of the rule and were kept with the group at all times.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-18 Group Size	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-17 Daily Outdoor Play	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Outdoor play was observed for Infant, Toddler, Preschool and Kindergarten groups.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-18 License Capacity	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-18 Ratio	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Staff/child ratios observed during the inspection were in compliance.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-20 Cots and Napping	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Cots were placed appropriately and safely during nap time.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-19 Child Guidance	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-20 Cribs	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-22 Meal and Snack Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-22 Safe Food Handling/Storage	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-22 Fluid Milk Requirements	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Written instructions from a licensed physician were on file for infants who were not served formula or breast milk.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-23 Infant Daily Care	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Appropriate daily written records for all infants were viewed.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
Rule: 5180:2-12-23 Infant Bottle and Food Preparation	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Infants were fed in conformity with parent/guardian's written, dated instructions.
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable



**Department of
Children & Youth**

Rule: 5180:2-12-23 Diapering and Toilet Training	Compliant	Documenting Statement: Appropriate diaper changing procedures were observed during the inspection in the I6 and T5 room(s).
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-12-25 Medication Administration	Compliant	