Program Details			
Program Type: Pre School	Program Name: Mercy Montessori Center	Program Number: 1000017798	
Address:	Wercy Workessorr Center	County:	
2335 Grandview Ave		HAMILTON	
Cincinnati			
OH 45206			
Organization Name:	Org IRN:	Site IRN:	
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	Insp	pection Information
Inspection Type	Inspection Scope:	Inspection Notice:
Annual	Full	Unannounced
Visit Date:	Begin Time:	End Time:
03/26/2024	8:45 AM	2:30 PM

The most recent written compliance reports and the program's corrective action plan shall remain posted in a conspicuous place near the posted program license until the next compliance report is received from the department

Note: All documented non-compliances are grouped as Serious, Moderate and Low risk violations. A serious risk non-compliance may impact a program's Step up to Quality rating.

Summary of Findings		
Number of Rules Verified: 111	Number of Rules with Non-Compliances:	5
Serious Risk Non-Compliances: 0	Moderate Risk Non-Compliances: 2	Low Risk Non-Compliances: 6

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

If a program disagrees with a licensing finding, the program may request a review of the finding(s). 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 risk non-compliance is cited.

#### **Serious Risk Non-Compliances**

No Serious Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection

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

Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 3301-37:06 Cleaning and sanitizing supplies

Code: This rule requires that cleaning and sanitizing supplies shall be stored in a space that is inaccessible to children. Cleaning agents, aerosol cans and all other chemical substances are to be stored in a designated area in their original containers and/or clearly labeled.

Findings: During the inspection, it was observed that cleaning and sanitizing supplies stored in a space that is accessible to children.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 05/02/2024

**Domain: 08 Staff Files** 

Rule: 3301-37:04 Background check updates

Code: This rule requires a director and preschool staff member to provide evidence of criminal record checks and five-year updates that meet the requirements as prescribed in section?3301.541?of the Revised Code and if applicable, rehabilitation criteria as described in rules?3301-20-01?and?3301-20-03?of the Administrative Code.

Findings: During the inspection and review of staff files, background checks were not updated every five years.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 05/02/2024

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

**Domain: 08 Staff Files** 

Rule: 3301-37:04 Orientation training

Code: This rule requires any individual who may have an assigned schedule with a preschool child (or group) or may be used to count in ratio is obligated to have an orientation training as prescribed by the department completed within thirty days of the individuals start date.

Findings: During the inspection and review of staff files, individuals used in ratio did not have documentation of the required orientation training prescribed by the department completed within thirty days of the start date.

**Domain: 08 Staff Files** 

Rule: 3301-37:04 Staff Medical statement

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Code: This rule requires any individual who may have an assigned schedule with a preschool child (or group) or may be used to count in ratio is obligated to have evidence of a signed medical statement on or before the first day of employment.

Findings: During the inspection and review of staff files, individuals used to count in ratio did not have evidence of a signed medical statement on or before the first day of employment.

Domain: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 3301-37:04 Staff with required health and safety trainings

Code: This rule requires the program to ensure at least one preschool staff member who has completed and is current with a child abuse recognition and prevention course based on an approved curriculum. The child abuse recognition and prevention curriculum used in the course may be consistent with requirements as established by section 3319.073 of the Revised Code or appear on the approved curriculum list posted on the departments website. Consistent with requirements as established by section 3319.073 of the Revised Code, such staff shall complete at least four hours of in-service training in child abuse recognition and prevention within two years of employment and every five years thereafter.

Findings: During the inspection and review of staff files, at least one person onsite does not have a current course on the recognition and prevention of child abuse from an approved provider.

**Domain: 08 Staff Files** 

Rule: 3301-37:04 Staff with required health and safety trainings

Code: This rule requires the program to ensure each staff member has completed and is current with an approved course for age-appropriate first aid and CPR in accordance with rule?5101:2-12-10?of the Administrative Code.

Findings: During the inspection and review of staff files, at least one person onsite does not have a current age appropriate course in first aid from an approved provider.

**Domain: 08 Staff Files** 

Rule: 3301-37:04 Staff with required health and safety trainings

Code: This rule requires the program to ensure a person who has completed and is current with an approved course to recognize the common signs of communicable disease or other illness will observe each child daily as they enter the group and be readily available at all times.

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Findings: During the inspection and review of staff files, at least one person onsite does not have a current course on the recognition of common signs of communicable disease from an approved provider.

**Domain: 08 Staff Files** 

Rule: 3301-37:04 Staff with required health and safety trainings

Code: This rule requires the program to ensure the following each staff member has completed and is current with an approved course for age-appropriate first aid and CPR in accordance with rule 5101:2-12-10 of the Administrative Code.

Findings: During the inspection and review of staff files, at least one person onsite does not have a current age appropriate course in CPR from an approved provider.

Rules in Compliance/Not Verified	
Rule: 3301-37:06 Electrical fans	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:02 Written compliance report posted	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:04 Non-guilty non-conviction statement	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:04 Required background checks	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Staff Non-Discrimination	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:04 Director onsite fifty percent of operating hours	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:04 Program operation	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:04 Staff supervision	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:04 Annual in-service requirements	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:04 Substitute requirements	Compliant

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Rule: 3301-37:05 Play space free of hazards	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Director qualifications	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Director responsibilities	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:04 Administrator rules training	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:04 Lead teacher assigned	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Nontax nonpublic preschool teacher requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Individuals used in ratio	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Staff minimum requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Staff/child ratio maintained at all times	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Ratio and Group size: General education or co-taught classroom	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Ratio and Group size: Integrated classroom	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Preschool special education law requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Intervention specialist caseload	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Second adult requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Ratio and Group size: Special education classroom	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Mixed age group size	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Montessori maximum group size	Compliant

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Rule: 3301-37:05 Outdoor play space	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:06 Safe handling, storage, and disposal of bio-contaminants	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:06 Materials selected independently	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:06 Adequate first-aid supplies	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:06 Cot or Mat requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:07 Governing body written policies	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Program policies and procedures	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Appropriate policies for children	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Staff policies	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Policies address children's cumulative records	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Developmentally appropriate program planning	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Health and safety procedures	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Organized school health services	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Emergency procedure postings and records	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:07 Immunization records and emergency medical authorization requirements	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37-08 List of allergies and treatment	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:11 Communicable Disease Policy: Parent notification of illness	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:11 Communicable Disease Policy: Symptoms of illness for isolation and discharge	Compliant

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Rule: 3301-37:11 Communicable disease chart posted	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:11 Communicable Disease Policy: Ill child isolation requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:11 Communicable Disease Policy: Symptoms of illness for isolation	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:11 Communicable Disease Policy: Readmitting an ill child	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:11 Communicable Disease Policy: Mildly ill child	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:11 Communicable Disease Policy: Exposure to a communicable disease	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:12 Diapering requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:12 Diaper storage	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:12 Soiled diapers storage/laundering	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:11 Communicable disease policy: Training staff	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:05 Safe play space available	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:10 Discipline restrictions	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:10 Reporting abuse policy	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:10 Discipline policy/ behavior management communication and written consent to parent	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:10 Staff receive discipline policy	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:07 Admission procedures	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Parent Roster	Not Verified

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Rule: 3301-37:07 Behavior management/discipline policy requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:07 Communicable Disease Policy requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:07 Transportation and field trip policies	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Offsite swimming policy requirements	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37-08 Immunization records	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:07 Unlimited parent access	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37-08 List of prescription or nonprescription medications, food supplements, modified diets, or fluoride supplements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37-08 List of chronic physical problems and history of hospitalization	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37-08 List of child diseases	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37-08 Names and telephone numbers of physician and dentist	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37-08 Emergency medical and dental care transportation	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37-08 Daily attendance records	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37-08 Injury report	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37-08 Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37-08 McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:09 Food license	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Parent Roster permission	Not Verified

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Rule: 3301-37:07 Safe sleep policy	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:10 Staff responsibility for discipline	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:10 Written discipline policy requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:09 Menus	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:10 Discipline policy ensures well being of individuals	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:02 Weapons or ammunition are on the premises without prior approval	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:02 Preschool information reported in Education Management Information System	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:05 Children supervised during travel times	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Nap/rest time ratio requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Preschool/school age mixed group	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:05 Ratio maintained at all times	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:05 Annual fire inspection	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:05 Center cleaning and sanitizing	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:05 Electrical outlets	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:05 Phone available	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:05 Smoking prohibited	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:06 Safe and sanitary equipment and materials	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:06 Potty chair requirements	Not Verified

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Rule: 3301-37:07 Emergency numbers posting	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:07 Medical and dental emergency procedure posting	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:05 Room divided by barrier	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:05 Square footage and maximum capacity	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:05 Swimming and wading pools	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:05 Exclusive use of preschool space	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:05 Indoor space minimum requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Fluoride supplements	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Handwashing and disposable towels or air hand dryer available	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:09 Choice of two required food groups for snack	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:09 Modified diet accommodations	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:09 Nutritious snack choices provided to parents	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:09 Screen time during meal or snack time	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:09 Snack nutritional requirements	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:09 Snack service time	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:09 Snacks and meals to children attending four or more hours	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:09 Use of powdered milk	Not Verified

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Rule: 3301-37:03 Daily Schedule	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:03 Nap/Rest-Time Requirements	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:06 Crib or cot assignment	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Licensed staff in-service requirement	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:04 Part-time staff in-service requirement	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:11 Children observed for communicable disease upon	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Supervising grounds, play areas, and other facilities	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Swimming policy	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Written medication policy requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:07 Written procedures for incident and injury reporting	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:09 Policy regarding providing food when parent does not provide it	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:08 Child medical statement	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37-08 Cumulative record requirements	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37-08 Medication authorization	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:03 Developmental progress and parent teacher conferences	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:02 Parent handbook	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:03 Written curriculum adopted and aligned	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:06 Furniture and equipment	Compliant

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Rule: 3301-37:05 Public access areas	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:05 Infant and non-ambulatory child approved rooms	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:04 Approved trainer requirements	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Swimming permission	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37-08 Child medical signed by licensed physician	Compliant
Rule: 3301-37:03 Written philosophy and goals	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:07 Parent permission for topical products	Not Verified
Rule: 3301-37:02 OCLQS not maintained	Not Verified

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