# **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		
YOUTHLAND ACADEMY OF BEEKMAN	2170012592	Child Care Center		
Address		County		
3277 BEEKMAN CINCINNATI OH 45225		HAMILTON		

Inspection Information								
Inspection Type				Inspection Scope		Inspection Notice		
Complaint				Partial		Unannounced		
Reviewer(s) Nicole Vadnais		Inspection Day		Begin Time		End Time		
02/2			9:15 AM		9:30 AM			
Summary of Findings								
No. Rules Verified	No. Rules with Non-cor	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			
Panda Bear	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 20				
Teddy Bear	0 to < 12 months	2 to 4				
Pooh Bear	12 months to < 18 months	1 to 8				
Polar Bear	4 years to < 5 years	1 to 14				
Koala Bear	30 months to < 36 months	1 to 8				
Brown Bear	18 months to < 30 months	1 to 7				
Bear Cub	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 8	_			



## **Complaint Allegations**

If a program disagrees with a licensing finding, the program may request a review of the finding(s). Ohio Administrative Code 5101:2-12-03 and 5101:2-13-03 detail the process for submitting a request for review. The request for review must be submitted within seven business days from the receipt of the licensing report. In addition, if the program is star rated, the rating may be impacted if a serious or moderate risk non-compliance is cited.

#### Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-19 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: Teacher placed a child aggressively on cot, causing a busted lip.

**Determination**: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a Child Care Staff Member had used the inappropriate techniques in number 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: 03/25/2023

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

## **Serious Risk Non-Compliances**

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

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

#### Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-18 Ratio

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

Findings: During the inspection, a ratio of 1 child care staff member(s) for 8 children was determined to have occurred for the pooh bear group when the situation in number 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.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/25/2023



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

Code: The program is required to provide food that does not pose as a choking hazard and is appropriate for the age of the children.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that the koala bear group was served whole blueberries, which posed a choking hazard. 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:07 Diapering & Infant Care**

Rule: 5101:2-12-23 Infant Daily Care

Code: The program staff is required to hold the infants or have the infant sitting up while feeding.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that an infant was not held or fed sitting up for bottled feedings. Technical assistance was provided at the time of the inspection, and as discussed, please correct the rule noncompliance. A written response for this rule noncompliance is not required at this time.