



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 | | | |
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| Program Name Kare-a-Lot | Program Number 2170014398 | Program Type Child Care Center | |
| Address 1030 King Ave Columbus OH 43212 | | County FRANKLIN | |
| Building Approval Date | Use Group/Code | Occupancy Limit | Maximum Under 2 ½ |
| Fire Inspection Approval Date 03/19/2018 | Food Service Risk Level | | |

| Inspection Information | | |
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| Inspection Type Annual | Inspection Scope Full | Inspection Notice Unannounced |
| Inspection Date 11/16/2022 | Begin Time 8:05 AM | End Time 3:15 PM |
| Inspection Date 11/21/2022 | Begin Time 11:20 AM | End Time 12:20 PM |
| Reviewer: SARENA POWHIDA | | |
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| Summary of Findings | | | | |
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| No. Rules Verified 58 | No. Rules with Non-compliances 11 | No. Serious Risk 0 | No. Moderate Risk 0 | No. Low Risk 13 |

| License Capacity and Enrollment at the Time of Inspection | | | | |
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| Age Group | License Capacity | Enrollment | | |
| | Totals | Full Time | Part Time | Total |
| Infant (Birth to < 18 m) | | 26 | 0 | 26 |
| Young Toddler | | 11 | 0 | 11 |
| Total Under 2 ½ Years | 52 | 37 | 0 | 37 |
| Older Toddler | | 8 | 0 | 8 |
| Preschool | | 29 | 0 | 29 |
| School Age | | 0 | 0 | 0 |



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| Total Capacity/Enrollment | 100 | 37 | 0 | 74 |
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| Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection | | | |
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| Group | Age Group/Range | Ratio Observed | Comment |
| Infant 2 | 12 months to < 18 months | 2 to 6 | |
| Infant 2 | 12 months to < 18 months | 2 to 7 | Naptime |
| Infant A | 0 to < 12 months | 1 to 5 | |
| Infant A | 0 to < 12 months | 1 to 5 | Naptime |
| Infant 1 | 0 to < 12 months | 1 to 3 | |
| Infant 1 | 0 to < 12 months | 1 to 5 | Naptime |
| Pre-K | 4 years to < 5 years | 1 to 7 | |
| Pre-K | 4 years to < 5 years | 1 to 14 | Naptime |
| Toddler 2 | 18 months to < 30 months | 1 to 5 | |
| Toddler 2 | 18 months to < 30 months | 1 to 10 | Naptime |
| Infant 3 | 18 months to < 30 months | 2 to 10 | |
| Infant 3 | 18 months to < 30 months | 1 to 10 | Naptime |
| Preschool | 3 years to < 4 years | 1 to 3 | |
| Preschool | 3 years to < 4 years | 1 to 7 | Naptime |

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

No Moderate Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection



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Low Risk Non-Compliances

Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5101:2-12-12 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.

Finding: 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 (wall in pre-k and infant 3). Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/21/2022

Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5101:2-12-13 Handwashing Requirements

Code: The program is required to have all children wash their hands as outlined in rule.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that at least one child in the infant 3 group did not wash his or her hands at the time listed in number(s) 3 below, as required in rule.

1. Upon arrival.
2. Prior to departure.
3. After toileting/diaper change.
4. After contact with bodily fluids.
5. After returning from outdoor play.



6. After handling pets, pet cages, or other pet objects that have come in contact with the pet, before moving on to another activity.
7. Before eating or assisting with food preparation.
8. After water activities.
9. When visibly soiled (must use soap and water)
10. Other [].

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/21/2022

Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

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

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

Finding: 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) 1 below:

1. The changing table was not sanitized after each use (infant 3).
2. Reusable cloths were not being cleaned daily or when visibly soiled.
3. Dividers were not cleaned when visibly soiled.
4. The food prep areas were not being cleaned and sanitized before and after food prep.
5. The food prep areas were not being cleaned and sanitized between preparing raw and cooked food.
6. Toilet seat(s), handle(s) and toilet bowl(s) were not being cleaned when visibly soiled and sanitized.
7. The sinks were not clean.
8. Diaper receptacles were not being cleaned and sanitized.
9. Potty chairs were not emptied and/or cleaned and sanitized after each use.
10. Wastebaskets/trash receptacles/rinse buckets were not being cleaned and sanitized when visibly soiled.
11. 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 not required at this time.



Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5101:2-12-12 Safe Environment

Code: The program is required to store chemicals in a place that is inaccessible to children.

Finding: During the inspection, a potentially hazardous substance, which was determined to not present a serious risk to a child, was accessible to children as noted in number(s) 11 below:

1. Cosmetics;
2. Disinfecting wipes;
3. Fish food;
4. Hand lotion;
5. Hand sanitizer (for children under 24 months);
6. Laundry detergent;
7. Powder dish washing soap;
8. Paint cans;
9. White out;
10. Potting Soil;
11. Other potentially hazardous substance: shaving cream and foam paint.

The potentially hazardous substance was determined to be accessible to children in the following area: unlocked cabinet under the counter in toddler 2 room.

Provide staff training. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a statement that the potentially hazardous substance is no longer accessible to children and a statement that training was provided, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/21/2022

Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5101:2-12-12 Safe Equipment

Code: The program is required to refrain from placing indoor swings, slides, climbers, and climbing apparatus directly over a hard surface.

Finding: The rule requires that indoor swings, slides, climbers, and climbing apparatus shall not be placed over concrete, tile, carpet, or any similarly hard surface. During the inspection, it was determined that the gross motor area in infant 3 had a slide placed over carpet and the climb/slide equipment in toddler 2 was placed over carpet. Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/21/2022



Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5101:2-12-12 Safe Equipment

Code: The program is required to use only mats that are intended to be a fall surface per manufacturer's guidelines and the correct size to place under indoor equipment.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that landing mats did not meet the rule requirement as noted in number(s) 1 below:

1. The mats were not at least one and one-half inches thick (large gross motor room);
2. The mats were not used according to the manufacturer's guidelines;
3. Other [].

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/21/2022

Domain: 05 Health & Safety

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

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

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that required documentation for substitutions for fluid milk was not on file as noted in number(s) 2 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: 05 Health & Safety

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.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the toddler 2 and preschool rooms were served uncut hotdogs, 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 Diapering and Toilet Training

Code: The program staff is required to follow diaper changing procedures.

Finding: During this inspection, it was determined that proper diaper changing procedures were not followed as a common container became contaminated in that the soiled diapers were disposed of in the same trashcan used by children for disposal of papertowels (infant 3). 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: 5101:2-12-09 Background Check Requirements



Code: The program is required to maintain a current JFS 01176 "Program Notification of Background Check Review for Child Care" on file for each staff.

Finding: In review of the staff records, it was determined that background check requirements had not been followed, for the individual(s) listed on the Employee Record Chart, as noted in number(s) 3 below:

1. The JFS 01176 Program Notification of Background Check Review for Child Care the program received from the Department was not on file and the individual was not left alone with children.
2. The JFS 01177 Individual Notification of Background Check Review for Child Care was on file instead of the JFS 01176.
3. The JFS 01176 on file was for a different program.

Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a statement that the correct form is now on file, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/21/2022

Domain: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-08 Medical Statement

Code: The program staff medicals are required to be completed within the previous 12 months from the employee's first day of employment.

Finding: In review of the staff records, it was determined that medical examination statement(s) on file at the program were not dated within 12 months of the employee's first day of employment, for the employee(s) listed on the Employee Record Chart. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a copy of the completed employee medical statement, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/21/2022

Domain: 08 Staff Files

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

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

Finding: 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 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.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 12/21/2022

Domain: 09 Children's Files

Rule: 5101:2-12-15 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: 12/21/2022

Rules In-Compliance/Not Verified

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-02 License Posted | Compliant | |
| 5101:2-12-02 Current Information | Compliant | |
| 5101:2-12-03 Inspection Requirements | Compliant | |
| 5101:2-12-04 Building Department Inspection | Compliant | |
| 5101:2-12-04 Fire Inspection | Compliant | |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-04 Food Service Requirements | Compliant | Documenting Statement: The food service license was observed posted. Following is the audit number and date of expiration: 9943299, expires 3/1/23. |



| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-05 Denial, Revocation and Suspension | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5101:2-12-07 Administrator Qualifications | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5101:2-12-07 Written Program Policies and Procedures | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-08 Child Care Staff Member Educational Requirements | Compliant | Documenting Statement: All Child Care Staff Members had verification of educational requirements on file at the program. |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5101:2-12-08 Orientation Training & Whistle Blower Protection | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-10 Health Training Requirements | Compliant | Documenting Statement: The program had at least one Child Care Staff Member with currently valid training in First Aid, Management of Communicable Disease, CPR, and Child Abuse Prevention present and readily accessible during all hours of operation. |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-10 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 |
| 5101:2-12-11 Indoor Space Requirements | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5101:2-12-11 Separation of Children Under 2 1/2 Years | Compliant | |



| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Space Requirements | Compliant | Documenting Statement: The quarterly playground inspections were completed and documented, as required. The most recent inspection report form was dated 9/26/22. |
| 5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Equipment | Compliant | |
| 5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Play Fall Zones | Compliant | |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-13 Smoke Free Environment | Compliant | Documenting Statement: A notice was observed posted stating that smoking is prohibited at the program. |
| 5101:2-12-14 Transportation and Field Trip Procedures | Compliant | |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-14 Transportation - Driver Requirements | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Currently there is no active driver as the vehicle is only used during the summer program. |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-14 Transportation - Vehicle Requirements | Compliant | Documenting Statement: An annual safety check of the vehicle(s), using the JFS 01230 "Vehicle Inspection Report For Child Care Centers" form, was verified and dated: vin #3208 6/8/22. The vehicle is only used during the summer program. |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-15 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 | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan | Compliant | Documenting Statement: On the day of the inspection, the complete prescribed JFS 01242 "Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan For Child Care" were posted in the program as required. |
| 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: 5101:2-12-16 First Aid/Standard Precautions | Compliant | Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the program had complete first aid kits available as required. |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Management of Communicable Disease | Compliant | |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Incident/Injury Reporting | Compliant | Documenting Statement: The JFS 01299 "Incident/Injury Report For Child Care" forms reviewed during this inspection were complete as required. |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Written Disaster Plan | Compliant | |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-17 Daily Schedule | Compliant | |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-17 Materials and Equipment | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Sufficient equipment was observed in all categories. |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-17 Daily Outdoor Play | Compliant | |



| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-18 License Capacity | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5101:2-12-18 Ratio | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5101:2-12-18 Group Size | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-18 Attendance Records | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Child Care Staff Members were observed recording the attendance for each child upon arrival and documenting each child's departure. |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-19 Supervision | Compliant | Documenting Statement: During the inspection, the requirements of the rule regarding supervision of children were discussed: adequate lighting during naptime. |
| 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 Cots and Napping | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-20 Cribs | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Cribs were separated from the play space by a safe and sturdy and physical barrier. |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5101:2-12-22 Safe Food Handling/Storage | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| Rule: 5101:2-12-23 Infant Daily Care | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Appropriate daily written records for all infants were viewed. |



| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-23 Infant Bottle and Food Preparation | Compliant | Documenting Statement: All bottles were labeled as required. |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5101:2-12-25 Medication Administration | Compliant | |