

## Family Child Care 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://ifs.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<br>Rhonda Thomas Gigi's 1st Step Learning & Development Child Care | Program Number<br>2170014593 | Program Type<br>FCC - Type B Home |
| Address<br>2902 West Central Ave<br><br>Toledo<br>OH 43606                      | County<br>LUCAS              |                                   |

| Inspection Information                            |                                     |                          |                        |                                |
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| Inspection Type<br>Amendment - change of location |                                     | Inspection Scope<br>Full |                        | Inspection Notice<br>Announced |
| Inspection Date<br>05/28/2025                     |                                     | Begin Time<br>12:48 PM   |                        | End Time<br>2:12 PM            |
| Reviewer:<br>Kimberly Dada                        |                                     |                          |                        |                                |
| Summary of Findings                               |                                     |                          |                        |                                |
| No. Rules Verified<br>68                          | No. Rules with Non-compliances<br>4 | No. Serious Risk<br>0    | No. Moderate Risk<br>0 | No. Low Risk<br>5              |

| 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)                                 |                  | 0          | 0         | 0     |
| Young Toddler   |                  | 0          | 0         | 0     |
| <b>Total Under 2 Years</b>                                | 3                | 0          | 0         | 0     |
| Older Toddler   |                  | 0          | 0         | 0     |
| Preschool   |                  | 0          | 0         | 0     |
| School Age  |                  | 0          | 0         | 0     |
| <b>Total Capacity/Enrollment</b>                          | 6                | 0          | 0         | 0     |

| Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection |                 |                |         |
|--|-----------------|----------------|---------|
| Group  | Age Group/Range | Ratio Observed | Comment |
| one  |                 | 1 to 0         |         |

### 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**

#### Low Risk Non-Compliances

**Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment**

Rule: 5180:2-13-12 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.

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 children were not protected from the following item(s) or condition(s) which may threaten their health, safety, or well being as noted in the following number(s) 22 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. Telephone cords.
7. Employee(s) purse(s).
8. Diaper bags.
9. Television not securely anchored.
10. Small or lightweight pieces of shelving units are not securely anchored to the wall.
11. Staff member stepped over a barrier/gate while holding a child.
12. Chipping or peeling paint.
13. An area rug did not have a nonskid backing.
14. An area rug presented a tripping hazard.
15. A floor surface was unsafe in that [ ].
16. No platform was provided for the sink or toilet.
17. The platform provided for the sink or toilet was not sturdy.
18. The platform provided for the sink or toilet posed a safety hazard in that [ ].
19. Emergency exits were blocked by the following furniture in that [ ].
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. Other wall diaper changing table not securely anchored.

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/27/2025

### **Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment**

Rule: 5180:2-13-13 Clean environment and equipment

Code: The program is required to have all required items in the restroom(s) and keep them sanitary.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that unsanitary conditions, as noted in the following number(s) 4 below, were in the upstairs restroom:

1. There was no liquid soap.
2. There was no toilet tissue.
3. There were no individually assigned towels or disposable towels.
4. The toilet cleaning brush was accessible to the children.
5. The plunger was accessible to the children.

6. The toilet was 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. Submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirement of the rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/27/2025

**Domain: 03 Postings & Equipment**

Rule: 5180:2-13-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan

Code: The program is required to post the fire and weather alert plan with a diagram.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined the following information was not posted for item number(s) 1,3 below:

1. Fire alert plan, including a diagram indicating evacuation routes.
2. Weather alert plan was missing details for [ ].
3. Weather alert plan was missing a diagram indicating evacuation routes.

Correct the violation and submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirement of the rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/27/2025

**Domain: 03 Postings & Equipment**

Rule: 5180:2-13-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan

Code: The program is required to post the completed JFS 01242 "Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan for Child Care" and implement as required by rule.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined the requirements for the JFS 01242 "Medical, Dental and General Emergency Plan" were not followed as noted in number(s) 1 below:

1. The plan was not posted on each level of the home used for child care.
2. The name, address and telephone number of the program were not complete.
3. The location of the first aid kit, fire extinguisher and fire alarm system, fire alarm pull stations and electrical circuit box were not complete.
4. The telephone number for emergency squad, fire department hospital, poison control program, public children services agency, local health department, local emergency management agency and police department were not complete.
5. Location of children's records was not complete.



6. Emergency information including any medications or supplies needed in the event of an evacuation was not complete.
7. The current version of the prescribed form was not used.
8. The plan was not implemented when necessary in that [ ].

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/27/2025

#### Domain: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 5180:2-13-07 Provider Responsibilities

Code: The provider is required to reside at the licensed location, not have additional activities or employment during the program's operating hours, be on-site at the program for at least 75 percent of the program's operating hours, and have hours of availability posted in a noticeable place.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that the provider was not meeting the following requirements as noted in number(s) 4 below :

1. The provider no longer resides at the licensed location.
2. The licensed provider has additional activities/employment during operating hours, in that [ ].
3. The provider was not on-site for 75 percent of the program's operating hours as required by this rule.
4. The provider did not have hours of availability to meet with parents a noticeable location.

Correct the violation and submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirement of the rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 06/27/2025

#### Rules In-Compliance/Not Verified

| Rule                                     | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|--|-----------|---|
| 5180:2-13-02 Voluntary Temporary Closure | Compliant |   |
| Rule                                     | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-02 License Visible             | Compliant |   |

| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-02 Change of Location                                   | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-02 Information in OCLQS                                 | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-02 Provider Medical                                     | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-03 Inspection Requirements                              | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-04 Building Requirements for Type B Homes               | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-04 Fire Safety for Type B Homes                         | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-04 Flammable and Combustible Materials in a Type B Home | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-04 Heaters in a Type B Home                             | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-07 Staff Records  | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13 Written Policies and Procedures                         | Compliant |   |

| Rule   | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-07 Type B Provider - Foster Parent | Compliant |   |

| Rule                               | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-08 Employee Requirements | Compliant |   |

| Rule                                       | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-08 Child Care Staff Requirements | Compliant |   |

| Rule                        | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-08 Whistle Blower | Compliant |   |

| Rule                           | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-09 Background Checks | Compliant |   |

| Rule                         | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-10 Health Training | Compliant |   |

| Rule                                  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-10 Professional Development | Compliant |   |

| Rule                      | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-11 Indoor Space | Compliant |   |

| Rule                           | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-11 Outdoor Equipment | Compliant |   |

| Rule                       | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-11 Outdoor Space | Compliant |   |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-11 Fall Zone   | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-12 Safe Equipment                                    | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-12 Carbon Monoxide Detectors - Type B Only           | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-12 Pets  | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-13 Smoke Free  | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-14 Vehicle Requirements                              | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-14 Requirements for Field and Routine Trips          | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-13 Handwashing                                       | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-14 Driver Requirements                               | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-13 Toothbrushing                                     | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-14 Ratio and Supervision for Field and Routine Trips | Compliant     |  |



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| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-14 Vehicle Inspections                         | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-15 Child Medical and Enrollment Records        | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-15 Health Conditions                           | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-15 Child Records Retention and Confidentiality | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-16 Emergency Drills                            | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-16 First Aid Kit/Standard Precautions          | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-16 Communicable Diseases                       | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-16 Incident/Injury                             | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-16 Emergency Preparedness and Response Plan    | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>  | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-17 Programming                                 | Compliant     |  |

| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-17 Materials and Equipment          | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-18 Group Size and Ratios            | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-18 Attendance                       | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-19 Supervision                      | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-19 School Age Supervision           | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-19 Child Guidance                   | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-20 Sleep and Nap Requirements       | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-20 Crib and Playpen Requirements    | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-21 Evening and Overnight Care       | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-21 Sanitary Environment and Hygiene | Compliant |   |
| Rule  | Status    | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-22 Meals and Snacks                 | Compliant |   |

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| <b>Rule</b>                                     | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-22 Fluid Milk                         | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>                                     | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-22 Food Handling                      | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>                                     | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-23 Infant Daily Care                  | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>                                     | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-23 Infant Bottle and Food Preparation | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>                                     | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-23 Diapering                          | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>                                     | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-24 On-site Pools                      | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>                                     | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-24 Swimming Sites                     | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>                                     | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-24 Parent Permission for Swimming     | Compliant     |  |
| <b>Rule</b>                                     | <b>Status</b> | <b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b> |
| 5180:2-13-25 Medication Requirements            | Compliant     |  |