



## 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://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 Star's Little Steppers	Program Number 2190020883	Program Type FCC - Type A Home	
Address 1868 Marigold Ave  Akron OH 44301		County SUMMIT	
<i>Building and Fire Approvals apply to Type A Family Child Care Homes only</i>			
Building Approval Date 12/04/2019	Use Group/Code	Occupancy Limit	Maximum Under 2 ½
Fire Inspection Approval Date 02/18/2021			

Inspection Information				
Inspection Type Compliance	Inspection Scope Full	Inspection Notice Unannounced		
Inspection Date 02/22/2023	Begin Time 10:00 AM	End Time 11:50 AM		
Reviewer: Kathryn Carey				
Summary of Findings				
No. Rules Verified 64	No. Rules with Non-compliances 6	No. Serious Risk 0	No. Moderate Risk 0	No. Low Risk 8

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)		7	0	7
Young Toddler		2	0	2
<b>Total Under 2 Years</b>	4	9	0	9
Older Toddler		0	0	0
Preschool		12	0	12
School Age		0	0	0
<b>Total Capacity/Enrollment</b>	12	12	0	21

Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection			
Group	Age Group/Range	Ratio Observed	Comment
Stars Little Steppers	Mixed Age Group	3 to 10	



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### 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

[Redacted area]

[Redacted area]

#### Moderate Risk Non-Compliances

No Moderate Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection

[Redacted area]

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#### Low Risk Non-Compliances

**Domain: 01 Ratio & Supervision**

Rule: 5101:2-13-18 Attendance

Code: The program is required to maintain attendance records.



Findings: During the inspection, it was determined the program did not meet the requirements for keeping an attendance record as listed in number(s) 2. below:

1. No attendance record was being maintained.
2. The attendance record was not being consistently completed.
3. The original attendance documentation was not kept at the program for a period of one year.

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: 03/24/2023

**Domain: 05 Health & Safety**

Rule: 5101:2-13-22 Fluid Milk

Code: The program is required to have written documentation when serving substitutions for fluid milk.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that required documentation for substitutions for fluid milk was not as file noted in number(s) 4. below:

1. Written instructions from a licensed physician, physician's assistant, or certified nurse practitioner when Infants up to 12 months of age were 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 were served anything other than unflavored whole homogenized vitamin D fortified cow's milk, breast milk, or non-cow milk substitutions 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 percent 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.

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/24/2023

**Domain: 05 Health & Safety**

Rule: 5101:2-13-16 Disaster Plan

Code: The program is required to train child care staff members and employees on the written disaster plan annually and keep written documentation of the training on-site.



Findings: During the inspection, it was determined the program's written disaster plan did not meet the requirement for training child care staff members and employees on the plan annually as noted in number(s) 2. below:

1. Child care staff members and employees were not trained annually.
2. Written documentation of the training was not kept on file.

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/24/2023

**Domain: 06 Program Information**

Rule: 5101:2-13-14 Requirements for Field and Routine Trips

Code: The program is required to update routine permission forms annually.

Findings: In review of the program's records, it was determined that permission forms for routine trips were not being updated annually, as required. Submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/24/2023

**Domain: 06 Program Information**

Rule: 5101:2-13-14 Requirements for Field and Routine Trips

Code: The program is required to obtain a completed written parental permission before conducting a field or routine trip..

Findings: In review of the program's records, it was determined that the form used to secure the written permission of the parent for a field trip or routine trip was missing the required information listed in number(s) 8. below:

1. Child's name;
2. Date of the trip (field trips only);
3. Destination of the trip;
4. Departure and return time of the trip (field trips only);
5. Signature of the parent/guardian;
6. Date on which the permission was signed;
7. Statement notifying parents how their child will be transported;
8. Other TIME FRAME OF PERMISSION

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



Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/24/2023

**Domain: 07 Diapering & Infant Care**

Rule: 5101:2-13-20 Crib and Playpen Requirements

Code: The program is required to refrain from using a crib that is assigned to a child for storage.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a crib/playpen, assigned to a child, was used for storage. Correct the violation and submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirement of the rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/24/2023

**Domain: 09 Children's Files**

Rule: 5101:2-13-15 Child Medical and Enrollment Records

Code: The program is required to have a completed JFS 01234 "Child Enrollment and Health Information for Child Care" on file on the premises for each child.

Findings: In review of the children's records, it was determined that information had not been secured from the parent/guardian on the JFS 01234 "Child Enrollment and Health Information For Child Care", as required, for the items in number(s) 10, 6 below:

1. No enrollment form was completed for at least one child
2. The current JFS 01234 was not completed for at least one child
3. Complete child information
4. Complete parent information
5. Complete emergency contact information
6. Complete physician information
7. Information regarding the parent list
8. Health information
9. Additional information for all boxes checked "yes"
10. Emergency transportation information
11. Parent/guardian's signature
12. Diapering Statement
13. Acknowledgement of Policies and Procedures
14. Enrollment form for at least one child was not updated by either the parent or the administrator
15. Enrollment form for at least one child was not signed by the administrator
16. Other [ ]

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



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**Domain: 09 Children's Files**

Rule: 5101:2-13-15 Child Medical and Enrollment Records

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

Findings: In review of 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) 2. below

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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.

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Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-02 License Visible	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-02 Voluntary Temporary Closure	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-02 Change of Location	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-02 Information in OCLQS	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-02 Provider Medical	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-02 Type A Ownership	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-03 Inspection Requirements	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-04 Building Inspections for Type A Homes	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-04 Fire Inspections for Type A Homes	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-07 Staff Records	Compliant	





Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-08 Child Care Staff Requirements	Compliant	
5101:2-13-08 Whistle Blower	Compliant	
5101:2-13-09 Background Checks	Compliant	
5101:2-13-10 Health Training	Compliant	
5101:2-13-10 Professional Development	Compliant	
5101:2-13-11 Outdoor Space	Compliant	
5101:2-13-11 Outdoor Equipment	Not Verified	
5101:2-13-11 Fall Zone	Not Verified	
5101:2-13-12 Safe Equipment	Compliant	
5101:2-13-12 Safe Environment	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable



5101:2-13-13 Clean environment and equipment	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5101:2-13-13 Handwashing	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5101:2-13-13 Smoke Free	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5101:2-13-14 Ratio and Supervision for Field and Routine Trips	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5101:2-13-14 Driver Requirements	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5101:2-13-14 Vehicle Inspections	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5101:2-13-14 Vehicle Requirements	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5101:2-13-15 Health Conditions	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5101:2-13-15 Child Records Retention and Confidentiality	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5101:2-13-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan	Compliant	
<b>Rule</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Documenting Statement(s), If applicable</b>
5101:2-13-16 Emergency Drills	Compliant	



Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-16 First Aid Kit/Standard Precautions	Compliant	
5101:2-13-16 Communicable Diseases	Compliant	
5101:2-13-16 Incident/Injury	Compliant	
5101:2-13-19 Supervision	Compliant	
5101:2-13-19 School Age Supervision	Compliant	
5101:2-13-19 Child Guidance	Compliant	
5101:2-13-20 Sleep and Nap Requirements	Compliant	
5101:2-13-21 Evening and Overnight Care	Compliant	
5101:2-13-21 Sanitary Environment and Hygiene	Compliant	
5101:2-13-22 Meals and Snacks	Compliant	



Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-22 Food Handling	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-23 Infant Daily Care	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-23 Infant Bottle and Food Preparation	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-23 Diapering	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-24 Parent Permission for Swimming	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-25 Medication Requirements	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-07 Provider Responsibilities	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-18 Group Size and Ratios	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13 Written Policies and Procedures	Compliant	
Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-11 Indoor Space	Compliant	



Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-17 Programming	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-08 Review Policies and Procedures	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5101:2-13-17 Materials and Equipment	Compliant	