



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 <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 Portsmouth Childcare Center	Program Number 2200022401	Program Type Child Care Center
Address 923 Findlay Street Portsmouth OH 45662		County SCIOTO

Inspection Information			
Inspection Type Complaint		Inspection Scope Partial	Inspection Notice Unannounced
Reviewer(s) CHRISTY HUNTER	Inspection Day 09/12/2022	Begin Time 10:10 AM	End Time 1:30 PM
Reviewer(s) SARENA POWHIDA	Inspection Day 09/12/2022	Begin Time 10:10 AM	End Time 1:30 PM

Summary of Findings				
No. Rules Verified 11	No. Rules with Non-compliances 3	No. Serious Risk 0	No. Moderate Risk 0	No. Low Risk 3

Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection			
Group	Age Group/Range	Ratio Observed	Comment
Toddler A	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 9	
Infants	0 to < 12 months	2 to 10	
Toddler B	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 13	
Toddler C	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 10	
Preschool	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 10	



Complaint Allegations

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

No Complaints were observed during this inspection.

Summary of Additional Non-Compliances

Serious Risk Non-Compliances

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

Moderate Risk Non-Compliances

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



Low Risk Non-Compliances

Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-19 Supervision

Code: The program staff is required to supervise children in their assigned group by sight and hearing. Supervision includes being near enough to respond and reach children immediately including responding to the child's basic needs and protecting them from harm.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that children were not being properly supervised as noted in number(s) 1 below:

1. Child(ren) were not within both sight and hearing of a child care staff member during naptime in that a child's head was covered with a blanket in the toddler A room.
2. Child(ren) were not within both sight and hearing of a child care staff member during outdoor play.
3. Child(ren) were not within both sight and hearing of a child care staff member more than once.
4. Staff were not physically present in the space and near enough to respond and reach the child(ren) immediately.
5. Other: [].

Children must be supervised according to rule and within both sight and hearing of a child care staff member at all times. 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: 10/15/2022

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.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that the toddler B group served a child uncut mini corndogs, 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 required at this time.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/15/2022

Domain:05 Health & Safety

Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Incident/Injury Reporting

Code: The program is required to provide a copy of the JFS 01299 "Incident/Injury Report For Child Care" to parents or the person picking up the child on the day of the incident.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that parents or a person picking up a child did not receive the JFS 01299 "Incident/Injury Report For Child Care" on the day of the incident, as required by the 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 required at this time.

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