

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 | | |
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| Program Name Morning Star Learning Center | Program Number 2200023309 | Program Type FCC - Type B Home |
| Address 1688 Bostwick rd Columbus OH 43227 | | County FRANKLIN |

| Inspection Information | | | | |
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| Inspection Type Compliance | | Inspection Scope Full | | Inspection Notice Unannounced |
| Inspection Date 09/15/2025 | | Begin Time 11:00 AM | | End Time 12:45 PM |
| Reviewer: Cristina Boyer | | | | |
| Summary of Findings | | | | |
| No. Rules Verified 68 | No. Rules with Non-compliances 4 | No. Serious Risk 0 | No. Moderate Risk 1 | No. Low Risk 4 |

| 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) | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Young Toddler | | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Total Under 2 Years | | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| Older Toddler | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Preschool | | 5 | 0 | 5 |
| School Age | | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Total Capacity/Enrollment | 6 | 6 | 0 | 9 |

| Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection | | | |
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| Group | Age Group/Range | Ratio Observed | Comment |
| Cherita R. | Mixed Age Group | 1 to 5 | |

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

Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5180:2-13-12 Safe Environment

Code: The program is required to refrain from using and storing potentially hazardous items, toxic substances, and outdoor machinery around children.

Findings: During the inspection, a potentially toxic substance was stored where children present had access to it as noted in number 14 below. The potentially hazardous substance posed a risk to children was determined to be accessible to children in kitchen

1. Bleach.
2. Cleaning agent.
3. Fish tank chemicals.
4. Gasoline.
5. Pesticide.
6. Poison, including insect/rodent poison.
7. Flammable substance.
8. Windshield washer fluid.
9. Aerosol cans.
10. A lawn mower.
11. A weed trimmer.
12. Hedge trimmers.
13. A snow blower.
14. Iysol wipes /

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.

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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 which may threaten their health, safety, or well being as noted in the following numbers 1 and 4 below:

1. outlets did not have childproof receptacle covers in kitchen
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 [].

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

Corrective Action Plan Due: 10/15/2025

Domain: 06 Program Information

Rule: 5180:2-13-14 Vehicle Inspections

Code: The program is required to complete and document weekly vehicle inspections.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that the program had not weekly inspections of vehicles used for transporting children. The weekly inspection needs to include the following 1-5:

1. A visual inspection of the tires for wear and tire pressure;
2. A visual inspection of headlights, taillights, signals, mirrors, wiper blades, and dash gauges;
3. An inspection for properly functioning child and driver restraints;
4. An inspection for properly functioning doors and windows;
5. An inspection for, and cleaning of, debris from the inside of the vehicle;
6. Other [].

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

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Domain: 08 Staff Files

Rule: 5180:2-13-07 Staff Records

Code: The provider is required to maintain current employee, child care staff members and resident records in the Ohio Professional Registry.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that employment records in the Ohio Professional Registry (OPR) were not maintained as noted in numbers 1 and 3 below:

1. The provider had not updated their individual profile in the OPR.
2. The provider had not created or updated the program's organizational dashboard in the OPR.
3. At least one child care staff member had not updated their individual profile in the OPR.
4. At least one employee, child care staff member, or substitute child care staff member had not created an employment record in the OPR for the program on or before the first day of employment, including date of hire.
5. At least one employee, child care staff member, or substitute child care staff member had not updated changes to positions or roles in the OPR within five calendar days of the change.
6. The program's organizational dashboard in the OPR was not updated within five business days when at least one employee, child care staff member, or substitute child care staff member's scheduled days and hours changed.

7. The program's organizational dashboard in the OPR was not updated within five business days when at least one employee, child care staff member, or substitute child care staff member's group assignments changed, if applicable.
 8. The program's organizational dashboard in the OPR was not updated with the employment end date within five business days when at least one employee, child care staff member, or substitute child care staff member ended employment.
 9. At least one resident over the age of eighteen had not created a profile and employment record for the family child care provider within five days of becoming a resident or turning eighteen.
 10. The program's organizational dashboard in the OPR was not updated within five calendar days of a change in residency for at least one resident over the age of eighteen.
 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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Domain: 09 Children's Files

Rule: 5180:2-13-15 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 numbers 6 and 9 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 ☐

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Rules In-Compliance/Not Verified

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

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 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 |
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| 5180:2-13-02 Information in OCLQS | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-02 Provider Medical | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-03 Inspection Requirements | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-04 Building Requirements for Type B Homes | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-04 Fire Safety for Type B Homes | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 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 Provider Responsibilities | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13 Written Policies and Procedures | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-07 Type B Provider - Foster Parent | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-08 Employee Requirements | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-08 Child Care Staff Requirements | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-08 Whistle Blower | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-09 Background Checks | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 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 |
| 5180:2-13-11 Indoor Space | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-11 Outdoor Space | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-11 Outdoor Equipment | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-11 Fall Zone | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-12 Safe Equipment | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-12 Carbon Monoxide Detectors - Type B Only | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-12 Pets | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-13 Clean environment and equipment | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-13 Smoke Free | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-13 Handwashing | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-13 Toothbrushing | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-14 Requirements for Field and Routine Trips | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-14 Ratio and Supervision for Field and Routine Trips | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-14 Driver Requirements | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-14 Vehicle Requirements | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-15 Health Conditions | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-15 Child Records Retention and Confidentiality | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-16 Emergency Drills | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-16 First Aid Kit/Standard Precautions | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5180:2-13-16 Communicable Diseases | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-16 Incident/Injury | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-16 Emergency Preparedness and Response Plan | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-17 Programming | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 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 |
| 5180:2-13-21 Evening and Overnight Care | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |

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| 5180:2-13-20 Sleep and Nap Requirements | 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 Crib and Playpen Requirements | 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 | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-22 Food Handling | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-22 Fluid Milk | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-23 Infant Daily Care | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-23 Infant Bottle and Food Preparation | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-23 Diapering | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-24 On-site Pools | Compliant | |



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| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-24 Swimming Sites | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-24 Parent Permission for Swimming | Compliant | |
| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
| 5180:2-13-25 Medication Requirements | Compliant | |