

# **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 <a href="http://jfs.ohio.gov/CDC/childcare.stm">http://jfs.ohio.gov/CDC/childcare.stm</a>. 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	Program Number	Program Type			
Kids R Kind Learning Center LLC	2210024670	Child Care Center			
Address		County			
3710 Manchester Rd Akron OH 44319		SUMMIT			

Inspection Information							
Inspection Type			Inspection Scope		Inspection Notice		
Complaint			Partial		Unannounced		
Reviewer(s) AQILA BROWN		Inspection	ection Day Begin Time		n Time	End Time	
04/24/20		23	9:30 AM		11:30 AM		
Summary of Findings							
No. Rules Verified	No. Rules with Non-cor	mpliances	No. Serious Risk	(	No. Moderate Risk	No. Low Risk	
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Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection					
Group	Age Group/Range	Ratio Observed	Comment		
Infants	0 to < 12 months	2 to 5			
Toddlers	18 months to < 30 months	3 to 10			
Preschool	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 12			
Toddlers 2	30 months to < 36 months	2 to 4			



## **Complaint Allegations**

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.

#### Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-19 Child Guidance

Code: The program staff shall use developmentally appropriate techniques when managing children's behavior. Corporal punishment is prohibited, as well as any cruel, harsh, unusual or extreme techniques.

Allegation: Staff are using physical restraints on children along with other inappropriate guidance and management techniques.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a Child Care Staff Member had used the inappropriate techniques in number 4 below when managing unacceptable behavior in children:

- 1. Utilize cruel, harsh, unusual, or extreme techniques;
- 2. Utilize any form of corporal punishment;
- 3. Delegate children to manage or discipline other children;
- 4. Use physical restraints on a child; Staff used a harness multiple times on children to prevent them from running away from the group.
- 5. Restrain a child by prone restraint or any means other than holding children for a short period of time, such as in a protective hug, so that the children may regain control;
- 6. Place children in a locked room or confine children in any enclosed area;
- 7. Confine children to equipment such as cribs or highchairs;
- 8. Humiliate, threaten or frighten children;
- 9. Subject children to profane language or verbal abuse;
- 10. Make derogatory or sarcastic remarks about children or their families;
- 11. Punish children for failure to eat or sleep or for toileting accidents;
- 12. Withhold any food (including snacks and treats), rest or toilet use;
- 13. Punish an entire group of children due to the unacceptable behavior of one or a few;
- 14. Isolate and restrict children from all activities for an extended period of time.

Child Care Staff Members and other employees must always use appropriate guidance and management methods with children. 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.

Risk Level: Moderate

Corrective Action Plan Due: 05/24/2023

## **Summary of Additional Non-Compliances**

#### **Serious Risk Non-Compliances**

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

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## **Moderate Risk Non-Compliances**

### Domain:07 Diapering & Infant Care

Rule: 5101:2-12-20 Cribs

Code: The program staff is required to remove any items listed in rule that are a potential suffocation risk from cribs.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a child had been placed in a crib with an object that created a potential strangulation or suffocation risk, as indicated in number 2 below:

- 1. Bib
- 2. Pacifier clip/ribbon
- 3. Teething jewelry
- 4. Blanket for infant under twelve months old
- 5. Pillow
- 6. Boppie
- 7. Bumper pad
- 8. Clothing stored in the crib
- 9. Diaper bag
- 10. Object or toy strung over the crib in which a child can pull himself up
- 11. Stuffed animal that is large/soft enough to conform to the shape of the child's face
- 12. Other [ ]

The rule prohibits any item which obstructs child-care staff's visibility or poses a risk of strangulation or suffocation from being placed on or in a crib. Remove the item immediately. 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: 05/24/2023

# **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.

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 or condition which may threaten their health, safety, or well-being as noted in number 10 below:

- 1. Open pull cords that are not closed loop.
- 2. Telephone cords.
- 3. Electrical/extension cords attached to an object that would not likely result in a severe injury if pulled.
- 4. Stacked chairs.
- 5. Employee(s) purse(s).
- 6. Diaper bags.
- 7. Television not securely anchored.
- 8. Small or lightweight pieces of shelving units are not securely anchored to the wall.
- 9. Smoke detector needing batteries replaced.
- 10. Staff member stepped over a barrier/gate while holding a child.
- 11. Emergency exits were blocked by the following classroom furniture: [ ].
- 12. Other [ ].

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.

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