



MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Child Care Facility Inspection Report

THE KANGAROO'S POUCH CHILDREN'S CENTER

License #: 1360

Director: CHRISTI LITTLEJOHN

Inspection Date: 02/24/2022

Annual/Mid Inspection

Inspector: Thelma Shegog

Program Administration Violations Cited

1. **Out of Compliance:** All staff members have mandatory 15 contact hours on file (no more than five hours of in-house training may be provided by the child care facility. Acceptable topics for training may include: (a) health and safety, (b) child growth and development, (c) nutrition, (d) planning learning activities, (e) discipline, (f) linkages with community services, (g) communications with families, (h) detection of child abuse, (i) advocacy for early childhood programs, (j) professional issues. (Rule 1.5.8 Page 25)
2. **Out of Compliance:** All required facility records are present and up-to-date: (1) child and employee attendance records, (2) alphabetical roster of children, (3) alphabetical roster of staff and volunteers, (4) current license, (5) records of monthly fire /disaster drills, (6) medication log, (7) volunteer log, (8) notebook of 121 forms for staff members and children w/roster, (9) notebook with Letters of Suitability for all employees w/roster. (Rule 1.6.3 Page 29)

Plan of Correction

1. **POC:** LO observed four children and one staff MSDH 121 form outdate. Please submit within the next 14 days to thelma.shegog@msdh.ms.gov
Person Responsible: Director **Date for Completion:** 14 Days

Kitchen Violations Cited

No violations cited.

Nutritional Guidelines Violations Cited

No violations cited.

Playground Violations Cited

1. **Out of Compliance:** Appropriate surfacing material is present and meets minimum required compressed loose-fill surfacing depths (e.g., 6 inches for shredded/recycled rubber; 9 inches for sand, pea gravel, wood mulch (non-CCA), and woodchips). (Appendix D 2.4 & 2.5 Page 8-10)

Infant Classroom Violations Cited

Infant - Classroom Number: 1

No violations cited.

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Toddler Classroom Violations Cited

Ones - Classroom Number: 3

No violations cited.

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Twos Classroom Violations Cited

Twos - Classroom Number: 4

No violations cited.

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Preschool Classroom Violations Cited

Three - Classroom Number: 5

No violations cited.

Preschool Classroom - Classroom Number: 5

Four - Classroom Number: 6

No violations cited.

Preschool Classroom - Classroom Number: 6

Legend

- COS: Corrected on Site
- POC: Plan of Correction

Child Care Director Signature

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MSDH Licensure Representative Signature

Rehma Shaggy