



MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Child Care Facility Inspection Report

THE LEARNING TREE

License #: 1391

Director: KATHY SCHRADER

Inspection Date: 04/26/2023

Annual/Mid Inspection

Inspector: Shundra Givens

Program Administration Violations Cited

No violations cited.

Kitchen Violations Cited

No violations cited.

Nutritional Guidelines Violations Cited

No violations cited.

Playground Violations Cited

No violations cited.

Infant Classroom Violations Cited

Infant Classroom - Classroom Number: 2

1. **Out of Compliance:** Appropriate individual rest equipment is provided and must be: clean, covered with waterproof cover, and sanitized immediately if soiled or at least weekly after child's use. Rest equipment must be spaced a minimum of 24 inches apart. A minimum of 36 inches is recommended. (Rule 1.10.9 Page 47)

Infant Classroom - Classroom Number: 2

1. **POC:** The licensing officials observed infant sleeping in car seat in the infant classroom. Technical assistance was provided on Rule 1.9.6 (1a) Cribs, car seats, and high chairs are to be used only for their primary purpose, i.e., cribs for sleeping, car seats for vehicle travel, and high chairs for eating. According to staff in classroom the child's parent stated child must sleep in car seat due to having asthma. LO asked if there is a medical statement stating that the child must sleep in a car seat. Staff stated that there was no written statement from a medical professional. LO explained since there was no medical statement the child has to be removed from the car seat once entering the classroom. The LO explained that if a medical statement is received, the facility or parent would have to provide adequate sleeping that only the child would be using and not shared with any other infant. Per Director, she would speak with the parent and request the needed medical statement and explain that infant would be removed from car seat once entering the building.

Person Responsible: D. Ellis And K. Schrader **Date for Completion:** April 17, 2023

Twos Classroom Violations Cited

Two Year Old - Classroom Number: 3

1. **Out of Compliance:** Chairs and tables are size and age appropriate. Adequate number of chairs and tables are present to accommodate children present at facility. (Rule 1.10.4 Page 47)

Twos Classroom - Classroom Number: 3

1. **POC:** The licensing officials observed no table or chairs in the two year old classroom. Technical Assistance was provided on Rule 1.10.4 Chairs and Tables: Chairs and tables shall be of a size appropriate to the size and age of the children. There shall be an adequate number of chairs and tables to accommodate the children present at the facility. Per Director, there a table and some chairs will be placed in the two classroom from another room that is not being used.

Person Responsible: D.Ellis and K. Schrader **Date for Completion:** April 18, 2023

Preschool Classroom Violations Cited

Three And Four Year Old - Classroom Number: 1

No violations cited.

Preschool Classroom - Classroom Number: 1

Legend

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

Child Care Director Signature

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MSDH Licensure Representative Signature

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