



Child Care Encounter

District 6Date 01/24/2021

Name <u>Excellence</u>	License No. <u>38CCRF- 4330</u>
Address <u>2512 11st Street</u>	<u>Meridian, MS</u>
Center/Organization/Individual	
Purpose <u>Renewal Follow-Up</u>	Director <u>Gary Houston</u>
Mileage Start _____	Mileage End _____
County <u>Lauderdale</u>	Telephone No. <u>601 693 0712</u>
Time In _____	Time Out _____
Total Time _____	

Findings/Comments

The licensing official came to conduct a Follow-Up visit on rule 1.22.8 School Age Care. On 01/04/2021 the licensing official observed one (1) child viewing in appropriate media. Licensing official checked rule 1.22.8 all was in compliance with MSDH regulations.

The licensing official came to conduct a follow up visit on rule 1.8.1(2). Licensing official checked rule 1.8.1(2) all was in compliance with MSDH regulations.

The licensing official came to conduct a follow-up visit on rule 1.8.1(3). Licensing official checked rule 1.8.1(3) all was in compliance with MSDH regulations. The director designee has submitted paperwork to attend upcoming trainings.

Subchapter 8: Staffing
Deficiency Rule 1.8.1(1)

"The staff to child ratio shall be maintained at all times, to include when children are arriving and depart the facility."

Finding: During facility review, the facility

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Center Director/Designee/Individual

Child Care Representative

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failed to maintain staff to child ratio in Room #4. Staff to child ratio for infants is 1:5. In room #4, there was one caregiver to 8 children aged (infants to one year olds). Staff to child ratio was over by 3 children.

Technical assistance was provided on ~~the~~ staff-to-child ratio for infants to 1 year olds. Staff to child ratio must be maintained at all times.

POC

The director/owner will be responsible for ensuring that all rooms are compliant with staff-to-child ratio. Another staff went into classroom #4 to correct ratio. The deficiency was corrected on site. The director will use a sub or floater to help keep in compliance with MSDH regulations. The expected completion date for compliance 01/21/2021.

Subchapter 11: Building and Grounds

Deficiency Rule 1.11.2 (1)

Every license shall set forth the licensed facility's maximum licensed capacity, which shall be based upon a minimum of thirty-five (35) square feet of usable indoor space per child. Likewise, the capacity for each classroom where children are kept shall have a minimum of thirty-five square feet of useable

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Date 01/21/2021Facility Name Excellence License No. 38 CCRF - 4330Finding:

During the facility review the licensing official observed 12 children in classroom #3. Classroom #3 capacity is 11. Classroom #3 was over capacity by 1 child.

Technical assistance was provided on the importance of staying in compliance with regulations. One child was moved into classroom #4.

POC

The director/owner will monitor the capacity for each classroom for compliance. A review of the MSDH capacity worksheet will be conducted with all staff. One child was moved into classroom #4 to correct capacity. The deficiency was corrected on site. The expected completion date for compliance 01/21/2021.

The licensing official reviewed contact hours for all staff and all training hours have been completed.

Please submit Fire Form 333 and Menu's to licensing official.

A follow up will be conducted in 14 days.


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