



MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

## Child Care Encounter

District \_\_\_\_\_

Date 5/20/09

Name A Child's Place License No. Pending  
 Address 1255 Hwy 49 Belzoni MS  
 Center/Organization/Individual  
 Purpose New Site - Measurement Director Stacy Hawkins  
 Mileage Start \_\_\_\_\_ Mileage End 662 247-1905  
 County Humphreys Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Time In 9:30 AM Time Out 10:25 AM Total Time \_\_\_\_\_

Findings/Comments This visit is for a measurement. (2nd Building)  
Stacy Hawkins, Owner present.

Measured facility for capacity of the building. Building  
measured 34

- Rooms which will be used for children who are diaper wearing  
will need a handwashing sink in the room.

- Doors (units) in the back of the building will need to open  
outwards.

Items needed:

- 1) Zoning letter
- 2) Fire Inspection
- 3) Lead Test for building build prior to 1965

Stacy Hawkins  
 Center Director/Designee

Chiquita Nichols  
 Child Care Representative

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 Pink Copy - Individual



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# Child Care Facility Data Sheet

Facility Name A Child's Place Date 5/20/09  
 Physical Address 125 S. Hwy 49  
 Operator Stacy Hawkins Daytime Telephone Number 662 247-1905  
☒ Commercial Facility ☐ Occupied Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Year Building was constructed \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total # of Floors 1 # of Floors Used for Child Care 1 # of Rooms 1 # of Rooms Used for Child Care 5  
 Construction: Masonry ☒ Brick ☒ Frame \_\_\_\_\_ Metal \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## I. Building/Grounds

### A. General

Yes No NA

- ☐ ☒ ☐ 1. Install two (2) easily opened outward opening doors (minimum 32 inches wide) equipped with single action opening hardware.
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 2. Walls – ☒ clean ☒ repair ☐ paint ☐ replace
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 3. Floors – ☒ clean ☒ repair ☐ paint ☐ replace
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 4. Ceiling – ☒ clean ☒ repair ☐ paint ☒ replace
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 5. Install plug covers on all outlets.
- ☒ ☐ ☐ 6. Barriers installed as needed – ☒ kitchen ☐ stairways ☐ windows ☐ porches ☐ other \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ ☐ ☐ 7. Handrails – ☐ steps ☐ landings ☐ toilets ☐ other \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ ☐ ☐ 8. Heating/cooling – ☐ gas ☒ electric ☐ other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Note – Non-electric heat/cool systems or appliances require carbon monoxide monitors to be installed as well as smoke detectors. All gas heaters must be vented to outdoors.
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 9. Unapproved heaters must be removed.
- ☒ ☐ ☐ 10. Install adequate, proper heating and/or cooling systems.
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 11. Hang child safe thermometers at child level in every room utilized by children.
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 12. Install additional lighting. Note – All lights must be shielded.
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 13. Install telephone accessible to caregivers.
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 14. Install individual compartments or hooks for each child.
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 15. Provide diaper changing stations in all rooms housing children who are not toilet trained.  
 Note – Diaper changing stations must have hot and cold water and may not be used for any purpose except diapering. Number of diaper changing stations 1.
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 16. Approved – ☒ waste water ☒ water supply
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 17. Post emergency evacuation plan.
- ☐ ☒ ☐ 18. Hot and cold running water at all handwashing sinks.
- ☒ ☐ ☐ 19. Buildings constructed prior to 1965 shall be tested for lead. ☒



## B. Kitchen/Food Preparation Area (continued)

- ☒ 3. Install approved stove hood, vented to outside per fire codes.
- ☐ 4. Install separate freezer when 50+ children are served.
- ☐ 5. Install approved dishwasher.
- ☐ 6. Install three (3) compartment sink.
- ☐ 7. Install food preparation sink.
- ☐ 8. Install mop sink.
- ☒ 9. Install handwashing sink. **Note** — All sinks must have hot and cold water.

## C. Grounds

- ☒ 1. Install an approved play area with fence.
- ☒ 2. Remove all hazards including non-approved playground equipment
- ☒ 3. Playground equipment must be approved before installation.
- ☒ 4. Playground evaluation must be completed before opening for business.
- ☒ 5. Safe arrival/departure areas.
- ☐ 6. Other

Play area is not completely fenced. A second exit will be needed for the play area.

## II. Furniture And Equipment

### A. Furniture

- ☒ 1. Appropriate
- ☒ 2. Child size
- ☒ 3. Adequate number

### B. Equipment

- ☒ 1. Approved location of laundry equipment
- ☒ 2. Required toys available (see Section X, 10-1)
- ☒ 3. Approved bedding — ☐ cribs ☐ cots ☐ pads

**Note** — 24 hour and night time care require bedding with minimum 3 inch mattresses.

## III. Other

- ☒ Comply with local zoning, building and fire safety codes.

## IV. Recommendations

- Zoning Letter

- Fire Safety Inspection

- Lead test for the building constructed prior to 1965 will need a lead test

- Kitchen area will need a separate hand washing sink and another sink (3-compartment sink)

- Doors will need to open outward (in the back of building)

Stacey Hawkins

Operator/Center/Date

Chiquita Nichols

Licensing Officer