



## MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

# Child Care Facility Inspection Report

KIDS' COMPANY, INC.

License #: 4192

Director: CATHERINE ALDRIDGE

Inspection Date: 04/27/2022

Annual/Mid Inspection

Inspector: Lisa Allen

### Program Administration Violations Cited

1. **Out of Compliance:** Current menu is posted. (Rule 1.4.6(C) Page 18)

#### Plan of Correction

1. **POC:** Subchapter 5: Personnel Requirements Rule 1.5.1 General Requirements for Personnel: 3b states "the facility owner and each employee shall have criminal history records checks, child abuse registry checks, and sex offender registry checks completed at least every 5 years. Technical assistance was given on this rule to the facility director. The director was informed of the new fingerprint process and informed that all expired FBI letter should be renewed before June 30, 2022. Technical assistance was given on posting the approved menu in the facility kitchen.

**Person Responsible:** Director    **Date for Completion:** June 30, 2022

### Kitchen Violations Cited

No violations cited.

### Nutritional Guidelines Violations Cited

No violations cited.

### Playground Violations Cited

1. **Out of Compliance:** Adequate shade is present on playground area. (Rule 1.11.9(7) Page 60)
2. **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)

#### Plan of Correction

1. **POC:** During the playground inspection the licensing official observed that more surfacing is needed throughout the play area. More surfacing is needed by the timeframe given under the swings and spring rockers.

**Person Responsible:** Director    **Date for Completion:** May 17, 2022

### **Infant Classroom Violations Cited**

#### Infant - Classroom Number: 1

1. **Out of Compliance:** Daily schedule is posted in classroom. (Rule 1.4.6(b) Page 18)
2. **Out of Compliance:** Evacuation route is posted in classroom. (Rule 1.4.6(d) Page 18)
3. **Out of Compliance:** Thermometers that are not hazardous to children are placed on interior walls at children's height. (Rule 1.11.8(9) Page 58)

#### Infant Classroom - Classroom Number: 1

1. **POC:** During the inspection, the licensing official observed that the daily schedule and evacuation plan was not posted on the wall in the infant classroom. It was also observed that the wall thermometer was broken in the infant and preschool classrooms. All required items should be posted in these classrooms by the timeframe given. The wall thermometer should be posted at the height of the child in these rooms.

**Person Responsible:** Director    **Date for Completion:** April 27, 2022

### **Preschool Classroom Violations Cited**

#### Preschool - Classroom Number: 2

1. **Out of Compliance:** Thermometers that are not hazardous to children are placed on interior walls at children's height. (Rule 1.11.8(9) Page 58)

#### Preschool Classroom - Classroom Number: 2

### **School Age Room Violations Cited**

#### Afterschool - Classroom Number: 3

1. **Out of Compliance:** Daily schedule is posted in classroom. (Rule 1.4.6(b) Page 18)
2. **Out of Compliance:** Menu is posted in classroom. (Rule 1.4.6(c) Page 18)

#### School Age Room - Classroom Number: 3

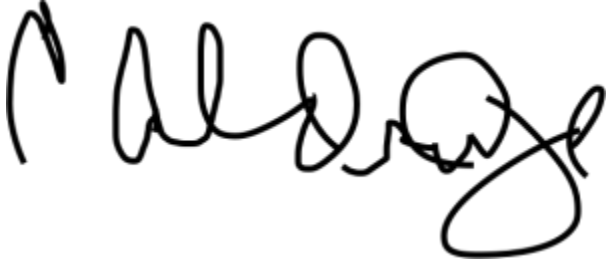
1. **POC:** During the afterschool classroom inspection, the licensing official observed that the approved facility menu was not posted. This menu should be posted in this classroom along with the facility kitchen by the timeframe given.

**Person Responsible:** Director    **Date for Completion:** April 27, 2022

### **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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