Department of Education
Department of Job and Family Services

# Center Licensing Inspection Full Report

All licensed child care programs are inspected at least once each year. Non-compliances are documented and grouped as Serious, Moderate or Low risk violations. Documenting statements and supplemental information may be included in this report. Licensing inspection reports from the previous three years can be viewed on the child care website at http://jfs.ohio.gov/CDC/childcare.stm. This includes complaint investigation reports with substantiated allegations. For any other child care records, please contact the Child Care Help Desk at 1-877-302-2347, option 4.

| Program Details | | | |
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| Program Name<br>AVON MONTESSORI ACADEMY | Program Number<br>000000300575 | | Program Type<br>Child Care Center |
| Address<br>37701-C COLORADO AVENUE AVON<br>OH 44011 | | | County<br>LORAIN |
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| Building Approval Date | Use Group/Code | Occupancy Limit | Maximum Under 2 ½ |
| Fire Inspection Approval Date<br>08/18/2023 | Food Service Risk Level | | |

| Inspection Information | | |
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| Inspection Type<br>Annual | Inspection Scope<br>Full | Inspection Notice<br>Unannounced |
| Inspection Date<br>12/04/2023 | Begin Time 7:50 AM | End Time 2:00 PM |
| Reviewer:<br>ELAINE OBRIEN | | |

| Summary of Findings | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| No. Rules Verified | No. Rules with Non-compliances | No. Serious Risk | No. Moderate Risk | No. Low Risk |
| 58 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |

| License Capacity and Enrollment at the Time of Inspection | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Age Group | License Capacity | Enrollment | | |
| | Totals | Full Time | Part Time | Total |
| Infant ( Birth to < 18 m) | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Young Toddler | | 19 | 0 | 19 |
| **Total Under 2 ½ Years** | 28 | 19 | 0 | 19 |
| Older Toddler | | 14 | 0 | 14 |
| Preschool | | 27 | 40 | 67 |
| School Age | | 4 | 11 | 15 |
| **Total Capacity/Enrollment** | 114 | 45 | 51 | 115 |

| Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection | | | |
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| **Group** | **Age Group/Range** | **Ratio Observed** | **Comment** |

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| B & A PS-SA | 4 years to < 5 years | 1 to 5 | Arrival |
| B&A Toddler | 18 months to < 30 months | 1 to 4 | Arrival |
| Seedling | 18 months to < 30 months | 2 to 9 | Programming |
| Seedling | 18 months to < 30 months | 2 to 9 | Lunch |
| Nest | 3 years to < 4 years | 3 to 12 | Programing |
| Nest | 18 months to < 30 months | 3 to 12 | Nap time prep |
| Willow | 3 years to < 4 years | 1 to 5 | Programming |
| Willow | 3 years to < 4 years | 1 to 5 | programming |
| Pine | 3 years to < 4 years | 2 to 21 | Programming |
| Pine | 3 years to < 4 years | 2 to 21 | Programming |
| Treehouse | School-Age to < 11 years | 1 to 11 | Programming |

## Summary of Non-Compliances

*If a program disagrees with a licensing finding, the program may request a review of the finding(s). Ohio Administrative Code 5101:2-12-03 and 5101:2-13-03 detail the process for submitting a request for review. The request for review must be submitted within seven business days from the receipt of the licensing report. In addition, if the program is star rated, the rating may be impacted if a serious or moderate risk non-compliance is cited.*

### Serious Risk Non-Compliances

**No Serious Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection**

### Moderate Risk Non-Compliances

**Domain: 08 Staff Files**

Rule: 5101:2-12-09 Background Check Requirements
Code: The program is required to have all staff request background checks as required and receive a JFS 01176 or preliminary approval from ODJFS prior to allowing an individual to engage in assigned duties or be near children.

Finding: In review of the staff records, it was determined that background checks did not meet the requirements of the rule for the person(s) listed on the Employee Record Chart as noted in number(s) 2 below:

1. The request for a background check for child care was not submitted in the OPR.

2. The fingerprints were not submitted electronically according to the process established by BCI.
3. The individual(s) had engaged in assigned duties or were near children and preliminary approval from ODJFS was not on file.
4. Background checks were not updated every five years.

Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a copy of the JFS 01176, or a copy of the preliminary approval or a statement that the individual(s) are no longer engaged in assigned duties and are not near children until the preliminary approval has been received, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 01/03/2024

**Low Risk Non-Compliances**

**No Low Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection**

## Rules In-Compliance/Not Verified

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|---|---|---|
| 5101:2-12-02 License Posted | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-02 Current Information | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|---|---|---|
| 5101:2-12-03 Inspection Requirements | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-04 Building Department Inspection | Compliant | Documenting Statement: On the day of the inspection, the program was operating in compliance with the current building approval(s). |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-04 Fire Inspection | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Please Note: Documentation of a fire inspection without any uncorrected violations must be secured for the program. Secure a new fire inspection by August 18, 2024. |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-04 Food Service Requirements | Compliant | Documenting Statement: The program has obtained a food service exemption status from the local health department. |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-07 Administrator Qualifications | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-07 Administrator Responsibilities/Requirements | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-07 Written Program Policies and Procedures | Compliant | Documenting Statement: No changes have been made to the written policies and procedures since it was last approved by this Department. |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-08 Medical Statement | Compliant | Documenting Statement: All employees had current medical statements on file. |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-08 Orientation Training & Whistle Blower Protection | Compliant | Documenting Statement: On the day of the inspection, all child care staff members had met orientation training requirements. |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-10 Health Training Requirements | Compliant | Documenting Statement: The program had at least one Child Care Staff Member with currently valid training in First Aid, Management of Communicable Disease, CPR, and Child Abuse Prevention present and readily accessible during all hours of operation. |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-10 Professional Development Requirements | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-11 Indoor Space Requirements | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-11 Separation of Children Under 2 1/2 Years | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-11 Outdoor Space Requirements | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-12 Safe Equipment | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|---|---|---|
| 5101:2-12-12 Safe Environment | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-13 Sanitary Equipment and Environment | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-13 Handwashing Requirements | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-13 Smoke Free Environment | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-15 Child Medical and Enrollment Records | Compliant | Documenting Statement: At the time of the inspection, 25% of the children's records were reviewed, and the records were complete, as required by the rule. |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-15 Medical/Physical Care Plans | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-16 Emergency Drills | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-16 First Aid/Standard Precautions | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Management of Communicable Disease | Compliant | Documenting Statement: The program staff stated parents were informed when their child had any exposure to a contagious illness by number(s) below:<br><br>1. A posted notice;<br>2. Verbal communication;<br>3. A written notice sent home;<br>4. A note posted on the classroom door;<br>5. Other Message through Brightwheel |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Incident/Injury Reporting | Compliant | Documenting Statement: The JFS 01299 "Incident/Injury Report For Child Care" forms reviewed during this inspection were complete as required. |

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| Rule: 5101:2-12-16 Written Disaster Plan | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Annual training of the written disaster plan was completed by staff. |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-17 Daily Schedule | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|---|---|---|
| 5101:2-12-17 Materials and Equipment | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-17 Daily Outdoor Play | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Outdoor play was observed for the Toddler and PS group(s). |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-18 License Capacity | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|---|---|---|
| 5101:2-12-18 Ratio | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|---|---|---|
| 5101:2-12-18 Group Size | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|---|---|---|
| 5101:2-12-18 Attendance Records | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|---|---|---|
| 5101:2-12-19 Supervision | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|---|---|---|
| 5101:2-12-19 Child Guidance | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-20 Cots and Napping | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Cots were placed appropriately and safely during nap time. |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-22 Meal and Snack Requirements | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-22 Safe Food Handling/Storage | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Sack lunches were stored with ice packs.. |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| Rule: 5101:2-12-23 Diapering and Toilet Training | Compliant | Documenting Statement: Appropriate diaper changing procedures were observed during the inspection in the toddler room(s). |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
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| 5101:2-12-25 Medication Administration | Compliant | |

| Rule | Status | Documenting Statement(s), If applicable |
|---|---|---|
| Rule: 5101:2-12-08 Child Care Staff Member Educational Requirements | Compliant | Documenting Statement: All Child Care Staff Members had verification of educational requirements on file at the program. |