Department of Children & Youth

# Complaint Inspection Summary Report

All licensed early care and education programs are inspected at least once each year. Non-compliances are documented and grouped by risk level. Documenting statements, technical assistance provided and supplemental information may be included in this report. Licensing inspection reports from the previous three years can be viewed on the Department of Children & Youth website at https://childcaresearch.ohio.gov/ . This includes complaint investigation reports with substantiated allegations. For any other early care and education records, please contact the Family and Customer Support Center at 1-844-234-5437.

| Program Details | | |
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| Program Name<br>KIDDIE DAYCARE AND PRESCHOOL-HOWLAND | Program Number<br>000000300778 | Program Type<br>Child Care Center |
| Address<br>3990 NORTH RIVER ROAD WARREN<br>OH<br>44484 | | County<br>TRUMBULL |

| Inspection Information | | | |
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| Inspection Type<br>Complaint | Inspection Scope<br>Partial | Inspection Method<br>On-site Inspection | Inspection Notice<br>Unannounced |
| Inspection Date<br>08/03/2026 | Begin Time<br>10:15 AM | End Time<br>11:15 AM | Reviewer:<br>REBECCA KOTEWICZ |

| Summary of Findings | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| No. Requirements Verified<br>3 | No. Requirements with Non-compliances<br>1 | | No. Requirements Compliant<br>2 |
| No. Serious Risk<br>0 | No. Moderate Risk Findings<br>1 | No. Other Non-compliance Findings<br>0 | No. Technical Assistance Provided<br>0 |

| Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection | | | | |
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| **Group** | **Age Group/Range** | **Ratio Observed** | **Compliance** | **Comment** |
| Infants | 0 to < 12 months | 2 to 8 | | Arrival, 10:15a |
| Toddlers | 18 months to < 30 months | 1 to 5 | | 10:15 |
| PS | 3 years to < 4 years | 2 to 17 | | 10:15 |
| SA | School-Age to < 11 years | 2 to 20 | | 10:15 |

## Complaint Allegations

*If a program disagrees with a licensing finding, the program may request a review of the finding(s). Ohio Administrative Code 5180:2-12-03, 5180:2-13-03, 5180:2-19-10 and 5180:2-20-02 detail the process for submitting a request for review. The request for review must be submitted within ten business days from the receipt of the licensing report. In addition, if the program is Step Up To Quality rated, the rating may be impacted if a serious or moderate risk non-compliance is cited.*

**Domain: 01 Ratio & Supervision**

Rule: 5180:2-12-18 Ratio
Code:

Allegation: Program is out of ratio daily.

Determination: Unable to be determined

Findings: Based upon the investigation, the alleged rule violation was unable to be determined due to conflicting information at the onsite inspection.

Risk Level:

## Summary of Non-Compliances

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## Serious Risk Non-Compliances

A serious risk non-compliance is a licensing rule violation that has the potential to lead to a great risk of harm to a child and is observable and/or based on facts.

**No serious risk non-compliances were observed during this inspection**

## Moderate Risk Non-Compliances

A moderate risk non-compliance is a licensing rule violation that has the potential to lead to an increased risk of harm to a child and is observable and/or based on facts.

**Domain**: **00 License & Approvals**
Rule: 5180:2-12-04 Building Department Inspection
Requirement: The program is required to refrain from using space that did not receive building approval and from caring for children in spaces not approved for that age group. The program is required to refrain from using a remodeled or modified space before obtaining building approval. The program is required to maintain building occupancy limitations.
Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the program was using space for child care in a manner that had not been approved by the Ohio Department of Commerce or the local certified building authority. The following condition(s) were observed: The space had been modified and not yet re-inspected and approved.

Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes building approval for use of this space, a written statement that the building occupancy limitations are being maintained, or a written statement that it is no longer being used, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.
Corrective Action Plan Due: 09/06/2026

## Other Non-Compliances

This section includes other rule violations that are observable and/or based on facts.
**No other non-compliances were observed during this inspection**