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Center Complaint Inspection Summary 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		
Program Name Sweet Kiddles flexible childcare center	Program Number 2180017590	Program Type Child Care Center
Address 725 W. Streetsboro Street Hudson OH 44236		County SUMMIT

Inspection Information			
Inspection Type Complaint		Inspection Scope Partial	Inspection Notice Unannounced
Reviewer(s) AQILA BROWN	Inspection Day 07/01/2025	Begin Time 4:45 PM	End Time 6:00 PM

Summary of Findings				
No. Rules Verified	No. Rules with Non-compliances	No. Serious Risk	No. Moderate Risk	No. Low Risk
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Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection			
Group	**Age Group/Range**	**Ratio Observed**	**Comment**
Littles 3	30 months to < 36 months	1 to 3	
Babies 1	0 to < 12 months	1 to 3	
Babies 2 and 3	0 to < 12 months	2 to 8	
Preschool	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 7	
Littles 1 and 2	12 months to < 18 months	1 to 3	

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Complaint Allegations

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.

Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5180:2-12-18 Ratio
Code: The program is required to maintain the appropriate staff to child ratio for each group served.

Allegation: The program is out of ratio.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, required staff/child ratios were not maintained for different groups on multiple occasions, as noted below:

The ratio determined for the older infant group was 1 Child Care Staff Member for 7 children; young infant group was 2 Child Care Staff Members for 13 children. Additionally, a ratio of 2 Child Care Staff Members for 16 children was determined for the combined group which included children 19 months to 4-years-old.

Additional staff members must be hired or current Child Care Staff Members must be rescheduled to maintain compliance. Provide staff training. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a statement that training was provided, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Risk Level: Moderate

Corrective Action Plan Due: 08/01/2025

Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5180:2-12-18 Group Size
Code: The program may combine all age groups when there are twelve or fewer children in the center.

Allegation: The program is not combining groups according to the rule.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined groups which included children less than two- and one-half years were combined with groups of children two and one half years and older and there were more than 12 children in the center. Technical assistance was provided at the time of the inspection, and as discussed, please correct this rule noncompliance. A written response for this rule noncompliance is at this time. Please submit a corrective action plan verifying staff have been trained on this rule and that the program is in compliance with this rule.

Risk Level: Low

Corrective Action Plan Due: 08/01/2025

Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5180:2-12-18 Group Size

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Code: The program is required to maintain the appropriate group size for each group of children served.

Allegation: The program is not combining groups according to the rule.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, group size limitations were not maintained for the group of infants and a combined group of toddlers and preschoolers as it was determined there were 13 infants and 16 children, which included children 19 months old, grouped together. The group size shall not exceed twice the maximum number of children allowed per Child Care Staff Member. Submit the program's corrective action plan to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Risk Level: Low

Corrective Action Plan Due: 08/01/2025

Summary of Additional Non-Compliances

Serious Risk Non-Compliances

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

Moderate Risk Non-Compliances

No Additional Moderate Risk Non-Compliances were observed during this inspection

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Low Risk Non-Compliances

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