Department of Education
Department of Job and Family Services

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 Berea Horizon Education Center	Program Number 2190021097	Program Type Child Care Center
Address 555 West Bagley Berea OH 44017		County CUYAHOGA

Inspection Information			
Inspection Type Complaint		Inspection Scope Partial	Inspection Notice Unannounced
Reviewer(s) CYNTHIA PAYNE	Inspection Day 05/30/2024	Begin Time 10:00 AM	End Time 11:45 AM

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**
Infant I	0 to < 12 months	2 to 7	
Infant II	12 months to < 18 months	2 to 8	
Toddler I (Star Fish)	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 14	
Toddeler (Jellyfish)	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 13	
Stingray (PS)	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 17	
Dolphin Bay (PS)	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 16	
Yellow Sub (PS)	3 years to < 4 years	1 to 13	
Turtle Cove (PS)	3 years to < 4 years	4 to 13	
Rainbow Fish (PS)	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 16	
Treasure Island (PS)	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 17	
Shark Landing (SA)	School-Age to < 11 years	0 to 0	

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: 5101:2-12-19 Child Guidance
Code: The program staff shall use developmentally appropriate techniques when managing children's behavior. Corporal punishment is prohibited, as well as any cruel, harsh, unusual or extreme techniques.

Allegation: Inappropriate discipline.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that a child care staff member used a discipline technique to guide or discipline child that was not developmentally appropriate, consistent, or occurred at the time of the incident. 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: Low

Corrective Action Plan Due: 07/03/2024

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

Low Risk Non-Compliances

Domain:01 Ratio & Supervision

Rule: 5101:2-12-19 Supervision
Code: The program staff is required to meet each child's basic, developmental, behavioral and special needs.

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that child-care staff did not meet the basic needs of a child as noted in number 4 below:

1. Assisting children with toileting
2. Assisting children with handwashing
3. Assisting children with basic hygiene
4. Responding appropriately to a child in distress
5. Assisting a child wiping his/her nose
6. Washing a child's face
7. Assisting a child in tying his/her shoes
8. Assisting a child in changing his/her clothes when needed
9. A child's developmental needs were not met
10. A child's behavioral needs were not met
11. Parental preferences, that were not in conflict with a licensing rule, were not followed

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 required at this time.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 07/03/2024