Department of Children & Youth

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 Premier Kids Academy	Program Number 2230027667	Program Type Child Care Center
Address 5171 Mayfield Road lyndhurst OH 44124		County CUYAHOGA

Inspection Information			
Inspection Type Complaint		Inspection Scope Partial	Inspection Notice Unannounced
Reviewer(s) REBECCA KOTEWICZ	Inspection Day 01/21/2026	Begin Time 12:00 PM	End Time 1:30 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**
Infants	0 to < 12 months	2 to 7	Arrival
PK 1	3 years to < 4 years	3 to 15	
PK 2	3 years to < 4 years	2 to 13	
Toddler 2	18 months to < 30 months	2 to 12	Tod 1 & 2 combined for nap
PS 3	4 years to < 5 years	2 to 7	

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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:05 Health & Safety

Rule: 5180:2-12-22 Meal and Snack Requirements
Code: The program is required to provide food that does not pose as a choking hazard and is appropriate for the age of the children.

Allegation: Program served a choking hazard to young children; chicken legs.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined that the toddler and PS groups were served bone in chicken legs which posed a choking hazard and was not appropriate for their age. 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.

Risk Level: Low

Corrective Action Plan Due: 03/11/2026

Domain:09 Children's Files

Rule: 5180:2-12-25 Medication Administration
Code: The program staff is required to ensure medical foods, topical products and lotions are stored in the original container.

Allegation: Topicals were not in their original container.

Determination: Substantiated

Findings: During the inspection, it was determined a medical food or topical product or lotion, diaper cream, had not been brought to the program in its original container. Staff and parents must be trained in the requirement that each medical food, topical product or lotion must be in its original container. 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: 03/11/2026

Summary of Additional Non-Compliances

Serious Risk Non-Compliances

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

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Moderate Risk Non-Compliances

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

Low Risk Non-Compliances

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