Department of Children & Youth

Licensing Inspection Full 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		
Program Name Stephanie's Stars	Program Number 2240030065	Program Type FCC - Type B Home
Address 2714 Kenilworth Road Columbus OH 43219		County FRANKLIN

Inspection Information			
Inspection Type Provisional	Inspection Scope Full	Inspection Method On-site Inspection	Inspection Notice Announced
Inspection Date 03/09/2026	Begin Time 10:00 AM	End Time 11:50 AM	Reviewer: Jamie Nunamaker-Dukuray

Summary of Findings			
No. Requirements Verified 68	No. Requirements with Non-compliances 7		No. Requirements Compliant 60
No. Serious Risk 0	No. Moderate Risk Findings 1	No. Other Non-compliance Findings 9	No. Technical Assistance Provided 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		0	0	0
Total Under 2 ½ Years		0	0	0
Older Toddler		0	0	0
Preschool		0	0	0
School Age		0	0	0
Total Capacity/Enrollment	6	0	0	0

Staff-Child Ratios at the Time of Inspection				
Group	**Age Group/Range**	**Ratio Observed**	**Compliance**	**Comment**
Stephanie's Stars	Mixed Age Group	1 to 0	In Compliance	Attendance: 1:0 Time: 10:00 am

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 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.

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 a great risk of harm to a child and is observable and/or based on facts.

Domain: 02 Safe & Sanitary Environment

Rule: 5180:2-13-12 Safe Environment

Requirement: The program is required to refrain from using and storing potentially hazardous items, toxic substances, and outdoor machinery around children.

Finding: During the inspection, a potentially hazardous item or toxic substance was used or stored where children present had access to it as noted in numbers 1, 2 and 7 below. The potentially hazardous substance or item that posed a risk to children was determined to be accessible to children in the kitchen and Family Child Care bathroom.

1. Bleach.

2. Cleaning agent.

3. Fish tank chemicals.

4. Gasoline.

5. Pesticide.

6. Poison, including insect/rodent poison.

7. Flammable substance.

8. Windshield washer fluid.

9. Aerosol cans.

10. A lawn mower.

11. A weed trimmer.

12. Hedge trimmers.

13. A snow blower.

14. Other potentially hazardous substance, equipment or machinery: [ ].

Provide staff training. Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a statement that the potentially hazardous substance or item is no longer accessible to children and/or children will not be outside when machinery is in use and a statement that training was provided, to the Department to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 05/07/2026

Other Non-Compliances

This section includes other rule violations that are observable and/or based on facts.

Domain: **00 License & Approvals**

Rule: 5180:2-13-04 Fire Safety for Type B Homes

Requirement: The program is required to meet all requirements for fire extinguishers.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined the fire extinguisher was not meeting the requirements in the following number 1 listed below:

1. There was no fire extinguisher.

2. The fire extinguisher was not working.

3. The fire extinguisher was not rated at the minimum rating.

4. The fire extinguisher had expired.

5. The fire extinguisher was not located in the kitchen where food is provided for child care or cooking area.

Correct the violation and submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirement of the rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 05/07/2026

Domain: **00 License & Approvals**

Rule: 5180:2-13-04 Fire Safety for Type B Homes

Requirement: The program is required to maintain smoke alarms in the appropriate areas of the program building.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the Type B Home did not have a working smoke alarm in the basement nor on each level of the home in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations. A working smoke alarm must be placed, installed, tested, and maintained in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations. Submit the program’s corrective action plan to verify compliance with this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 04/08/2026

Domain: **02 Safe & Sanitary Environment**

Rule: 5180:2-13-12 Safe Environment

Requirement: The program is required to have an operating sink, refrigerator, and stove or microwave oven.

Finding: During the inspection it was determined the item noted in number 4 below were not in working condition:

1. Kitchen Sink;

2. Refrigerator;

3. Stove or Microwave Oven;

4. Other: No working refrigerator available for Family Child Care requirements to maintain child safety. .

Correct the violation and submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirement of the rule."

Corrective Action Plan Due: 04/24/2026

Domain: **02 Safe & Sanitary Environment**

Rule: 5180:2-13-13 Clean environment and equipment

Requirement: The program is required to have all required items in the restroom(s) and keep them sanitary.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that unsanitary conditions, as noted in the following number 5 below, were in the Family Child Care restroom:

1. There was no liquid soap.

2. There was no toilet tissue.

3. There were no individually assigned towels or disposable towels.

4. The toilet cleaning brush was accessible to the children.

5. The plunger was accessible to the children.

6. The toilet was not flushed.

7. The trash was not emptied from the day before.

8. There was a strong urine odor.

9. Other [ ].

The restroom must be kept sanitary at all times. Submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirement of the rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 05/07/2026

Domain: **03 Postings & Equipment**

Rule: 5180:2-13-17 Programming

Requirement: The program is required to have a daily schedule posted in a visible place.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined the daily schedule was not posted in a visible place in the program. Correct the violation and submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirement of the rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 05/25/2026

Domain: **04 Indoor/Outdoor Space**

Rule: 5180:2-13-11 Outdoor Space

Requirement: The program staff is required to protect the children from hazardous conditions in the outdoor play area.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the following hazardous conditions existed in the outdoor play area, as noted in number 4 below:

1. There was broken glass.

2. There were tall weeds.

3. There was poison ivy.

4. There were tree branches.

5. There was mold visible.

6. The sandbox was contaminated.

7. There were thistles with prickers.

8. There were bird droppings.

9. The outdoor area was littered with trash.

10. The trash can was missing a lid.

11. The trash was not emptied from the day(s) before.

12. The trash can was overflowing with trash.

13. The trash can was infested with insects.

14. The trash can was visibly dirty.

15. Other [ ].

Correct the violation and submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirement of the rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 07/03/2026

Domain: **05 Health & Safety**

Rule: 5180:2-13-16 Emergency Drills

Requirement: The program is required to meet the requirements for first aid kits.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the program did not have a first aid kit onsite as required, that included all items listed in the appendix A of the rule. The kit were missing the items or the items were not replaced after use and/or expired listed in numbers 1 and 4 below:

1. One roll of first-aid tape;

2. Individually wrapped sterile gauze;

squares in assorted sizes;

3. Sterile adhesive bandages in assorted sizes;

4.Tweezers;

5. Gauze rolled bandage;

6. Triangular bandage;

7. Rounded end scissors;

8. Tooth preservation system or fresh chilled liquid milk in which to transport a lost permanent tooth, including a written reference indicating location of the refrigerator/freezer where milk is stored if a tooth preservation system is not part of the first aid kit (for programs serving school age children only);

9. A working digital thermometer;

10. Disposable non-latex gloves;

11. A working flashlight;

12. An instant cold pack that has not been activated or ice, including a written reference indicating location of the refrigerator/freezer where the ice is stored if an instant cold pack is not part of the first aid kit;

13. Sealable leak-proof plastic bags in assorted sizes or double bagged plastic bags that can be securely tied for materials soiled with blood or bodily fluids;

14. Pocket mask or face shield, appropriate; for all ages of children in care, for cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) administration;

15. Soap or waterless sanitizer (field trip or transporting away from the program only);

16. Bottled water (field trip or transporting away from the program only).

Correct the violation and submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 04/24/2026

Domain: **05 Health & Safety**

Rule: 5180:2-13-16 Emergency Drills

Requirement: The program is required to complete and document the required drills.

Finding: During the inspection, it was determined that the required drills were not completed for item numbers 1, 2 and 3 below:

1. Monthly fire drills
2. Monthly weather emergency drills (March through September)
3. Emergency/lockdown drills in each quarter of the calendar year

Submit the program's corrective action plan to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Corrective Action Plan Due: 05/07/2026

Domain: **08 Staff Files**

Rule: 5180:2-13-09 Background Checks

Requirement: Individuals are required to completed the background check process and obtain complete results.

Finding: In review of the staff records, it was determined that background check requirements were incomplete for the individuals listed on the Employee Record Chart, as noted in number 1 below:

1. The JFS 01176 "Program Notification of Background check Review for Child Care" was not on file at the program, but was on file at the county agency and the individual is eligible.

2. The JFS 01176 was not on file at the program, but the BCI and FBI results were on file at the program and the individual had no prohibitive offenses which did not meet the rehabilitation criteria.

3. The JFS 01176 was not on file at the program, but the BCI and FBI results were on file at the county agency and the individual had no prohibitive offenses which did not meet the rehabilitation criteria.

Submit the program's corrective action plan, which includes a statement that the correct form is now on file, to verify compliance with the requirements of this rule.

Technical Assistance Provided

This section documents technical assistance provided to the program when the program demonstrated an overall level of compliance with a rule requirement.

In Compliance/Not Verified/Previously Verified/Not Applicable

This section documents rule requirements that were assessed as fully compliant, previously verified, not verified during this inspection or not applicable to the program.

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-02 Voluntary Temporary Closure	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-02 License Visible	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-02 Change of Location	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-02 Information in OCLQS	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-02 Provider Medical	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable

5180:2-13-03 Inspection Requirements	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-04 Building Requirements for Type B Homes	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-04 Flammable and Combustible Materials in a Type B Home	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-05 Denial, Revocation, and Suspension	Not Applicable	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-04 Heaters in a Type B Home	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-07 Staff Records	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-07 Provider Responsibilities	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13 Written Policies and Procedures	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-07 Type B Provider - Foster Parent	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-08 Child Care Staff Requirements	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-08 Employee Requirements	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-08 Whistle Blower	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-10 Health Training	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-10 Professional Development	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-11 Indoor Space	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-11 Outdoor Equipment	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-11 Fall Zone	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-12 Safe Equipment	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-12 Carbon Monoxide Detectors - Type B Only	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-12 Pets	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-13 Toothbrushing	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-14 Requirements for Field and Routine Trips	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-13 Smoke Free	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-13 Handwashing	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-14 Ratio and Supervision for Field and Routine Trips	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-14 Driver Requirements	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-14 Vehicle Inspections	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-14 Vehicle Requirements	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-15 Child Medical and Enrollment Records	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-15 Health Conditions	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-15 Child Records Retention and Confidentiality	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-16 Medical, Dental, and General Emergency Plan	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-16 First Aid Kit/Standard Precautions	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-16 Communicable Diseases	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-16 Incident/Injury	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-16 Emergency Preparedness and Response Plan	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-17 Materials and Equipment	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-18 Group Size and Ratios	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-18 Attendance	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-19 Supervision	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-19 School Age Supervision	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-19 Child Guidance	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-21 Sanitary Environment and Hygiene	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-20 Sleep and Nap Requirements	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-20 Crib and Playpen Requirements	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-21 Evening and Overnight Care	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-22 Meals and Snacks	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-22 Fluid Milk	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-22 Food Handling	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-23 Infant Daily Care	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-23 Infant Bottle and Food Preparation	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-23 Diapering	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-24 On-site Pools	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-24 Swimming Sites	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-24 Parent Permission for Swimming	Compliant	

Rule	Status	Documenting Statement(s), If applicable
5180:2-13-25 Medication Requirements	Compliant	