

**Notice of Findings**

**Notice To:** Priscilla Tolhurst - Director  
**Facility Name:** Mama Bear's Daycare  
**Owner:** Priscilla Tolhurst  
**Site Address:** 521 Dinwoody Way  
**City/State/Zip:** Rock Springs, WY 82901

The Department of Family Services has completed the investigation regarding alleged violation(s) of the Wyoming Child Care Rules received on 09/11/2019, and investigated by Kristi Bennick.

A statement of childcare allegation, CPL-4808, was provided on 09/11/2019.

The finding is listed below for each individual alleged violation of the Wyoming Child Care Licensing Rules:

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1. Finding: Non-Compliant

Regulation: Chapter 4. General Requirements  
Section 16. Outdoor Play Space

Allegation: It has been alleged by the reported that there is animal feces accessible to children in the outdoor play space.

Explanation of Findings: A finding of non-compliance is based on licenser's observation on 9/11/19. Licenser observed animal feces in the grass area and play area outside that is used by the children.

Action Required: Please send corrective action plan stating how you will maintain compliance.

Corrective Action Plan Due Date:  
Corrective Action Plan Achieved Date:  
Compliance Due Date: 10/04/2019  
Compliance Achieved Date: 10/23/2019

2. Finding: Compliant

Regulation: Chapter 4. General Requirements  
Section 14. Health and Safety Requirements

Allegation: It has been alleged by the reporter that the home is not clean, with feces in the bathroom and entry way areas.

Explanation of Findings: Compliance was found based on licenser's observation on 9/11/19. It was observed that the restrooms were clean that are used by children.

Corrective Action Plan Due Date:

Corrective Action Plan Achieved Date:

Compliance Due Date:

Compliance Achieved Date:

**The Department requests your cooperation in ensuring compliance is met. In the absence of cooperation, the Department may take whatever steps are necessary to ensure the safety of children.**

**The Department's information may be shared with the authorized individuals or agencies, which include, but are not limited to, the Attorney General, County Attorney, and law enforcement.**

If you disagree with the Department's finding of non-compliance for a violation, you may request an Administrative hearing within (10) days of your receipt of this letter (W.S. 14-4-108). Administrative hearing procedures are included in the Department of Family Services' **Wyoming Child Care Licensing Rules, Chapter 3, Section 5: Contested Case Hearing Rules**, and based upon the above statute. If you have questions, or need a copy of the Rules, you may contact the Department of Family Services Field office in the county where you live.

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