

Notice of Findings

Notice To: Samantha Dorale - Director
Facility Name: Small Wonders
Owner: Chastity Goodwin
Site Address: 2635 Sheridan Ave
City/State/Zip: Cody, WY 82414

The Department of Family Services has completed the investigation regarding alleged violation(s) of the Wyoming Child Care Rules received on 04/01/2022, and investigated by Amanda Jarrett

A statement of childcare allegation, CPL-48807, was provided on 04/04/2022.

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

1. Finding: Non-Compliant

Regulation: Chapter 7. Rules for Certification Of A Child Care Center (CCC)
Section 2. Capacity/Supervision Requirements
(b) Staff:child ratios and supervision as described in this chapter shall be maintained at all times.

Explanation of Findings: Licensor completed an unannounced visit 4/01/2022 at 3:45pm. Licensor observed 38 children with infants-school age in a mixed group setting with 3 staff present. Licensor observed 1 infant sleeping in an infant swing. Licensor observed 2 infants, awake in infant swings, alone in adjacent classroom, with the door to the classroom closed. Licensor observed the facility to be out of ratio in all rooms. Licensor observed 0 children/staff in the Infant/Toddler side of the facility as they were all combined in the 2 year old through school age side of the facility. 4 infants and 1 staff were moved to Infant/Toddler side; Owner and Director returned to facility by request of staff, bringing the facility into ratio during Licensor's visit.

Action Required: Corrective Action plan to identify and maintain ratios required for each age group in the facility. Plan should be submitted in writing to Licensing.

Corrective Action Plan Due Date: 04/15/2022
Corrective Action Plan Achieved Date:
Compliance Due Date: 04/01/2022
Compliance Achieved Date: 04/01/2022

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 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 a non-compliance 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 Wyoming Department of Family Services Contested Case Hearing Rules, Chapter 2, Substitute Care and Child Care Licensing and based on the above statute. If you need a copy of the Rules, or assistance in requesting an Administrative hearing, you may contact the Department of Family Services Field Office in the county where you live.

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