

Evaluation Form

1. Inspection Schedule Details

Inspection Type: Annual inspection

Facility Name: WEE-CARE
PRESCHOOL

Inspector/Investigator:
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Visit Type: Unannounced

Facility Address: 507 N. HOOK ST,
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Visit Date: 06/25/2025

Inspection Status: Completed

2. Inspection Questionnaire

Facilities - Indoor area (II.C.4.)

S No.	Questions	Answer	Comments
1	Exclusive use of activity areas	Observed	
2	Designated space for each grouping of children	Observed	
3	Bathrooms located on same level/under same roof	Observed	
4	One flush toilet for each 15 children	Observed	
5	One handwashing sink for each 15 children	Observed	
6	One tub (portable plastic acceptable)	Observed	
7	Fixtures child size or adjusted for easy use	Observed	
8	One handwashing sink with warm running water soap paper towels in each room	Observed	

17	Outside windows that are open are screened	Observed	
18	Outside doors kept closed	Observed	
19	Lighting adequate for activities	Observed	
20	Lighting adequate at nap/rest time to allow children to be seen	Observed	
21	Operational telephone for center business only	Observed	
22	DHR notified if telephone is out of order or if the number changes	Certified/Discussed	
23	Center free of apparent hazards	Observed	
24	Hazardous substances under lock and key or combination lock	Observed	
25	Containers labeled	Observed	
26	No firearms or ammunition kept or allowed in center except law enforcement	Certified/Discussed	
27	Stairways have hand-railings in child's reach	Not applicable	
28	Clear glass doors are marked at child level	Not applicable	
29	Medications and drugs kept under lock and key or combination lock, separate from harmful items	Not applicable	
30	Barriers around heaters, radiators, fans	Not applicable	
31	Exposed electrical outlets have protective covers	Observed	
32	Consumption of alcohol or use of non-prescription narcotic or illegal substances prohibited	Certified/Discussed	
33	Smoking or use of tobacco prohibited on premises/center vehicles	Certified/Discussed	
34	Bio-contaminants shall be stored in a labeled	Observed	

	properly		
35	Bio-contaminants stored outside shall be disposed of properly	Certified/Discuss ed	
36	Floors, bathrooms fixtures cleaned/disinfected	Certified/Discuss ed	
37	Carpets vacuumed daily	Certified/Discuss ed	
38	Cleaning does not interfere with children's activities	Certified/Discuss ed	
39	Bodily fluids shall be cleaned up immediately, surfaces disinfected, and staff wash hands	Certified/Discuss ed	
40	Contaminated materials shall be disposed of properly in the bio-contaminant receptable	Certified/Discuss ed	
41	Mops used for cleaning bodily fluids disinfected appropriately	Certified/Discuss ed	
42	Contaminated rugs and carpets cleaned and sanitized appropriately	Certified/Discuss ed	
43	Contaminated clothing items stored or washed properly	Certified/Discuss ed	

S No.	Questions	Answer	Comments
1	Off-street loading/unloading provided	Observed	
2	Separate areas for children younger than 2	Observed	
3	Outdoor area adjoins or is safely accessible	Observed	
4	Outdoor play area and equipment are free of apparent hazardous conditions	Observed	
5	*Wheeled vehicles to sit on and maneuver - 2	Not applicable	
6	*Wheel vehicles to pull or push - 2	Not applicable	
7	*Balls-3	Not applicable	
8	*Climbing apparatus	Not applicable	
9	*Crawl-through equipment	Not applicable	
10	*Digging or sand area	Not applicable	
11	*Toys for digging	Not applicable	
12	Outdoor play area enclosed by a fence or wall at least 4 feet in height	Observed	
13	Fence or wall free of sharp edges	Observed	
14	Gates secured	Observed	
15	Shade and sun areas provided	Observed	
16	Outdoor play area free of apparent hazardous conditions:	Observed	
17	Concrete/asphalt not used under equipment	Observed	
18	Area well-drained	Observed	
19	Equipment not designed to be portable, securely anchored	Observed	
20	Stairs/steps have handrails in child's reach	Not applicable	

Facilities - Swimming and wading at the center (II.C.6)

S No.	Questions	Answer	Comments
1	Swimming and wading at the center	No	
2	Lifeguard at poolside at all times pool is in use	Not applicable	
3	Lifeguard Training Certificate, First Aid Certificate, CPR Certification on file	Not applicable	
4	Lifeguard not counted in ratios	Not applicable	
5	One staff for each child younger than 2 years of age	Not applicable	
6	One staff for every 4 children ages 2 years up to 4 years of age	Not applicable	
7	One staff for every 6 children ages 4 years up to 6 years of age	Not applicable	
8	One staff for every 10 children ages 6 years and older	Not applicable	
9	Ratios determined by youngest child in the pool	Not applicable	
10	Persons counted in ratios meet child care worker qualifications/in the pool at all times	Not applicable	
11	Staff provided to supervise children in pool area, but not in the pool	Not applicable	
12	If any part of a child's body is in the water, the child is considered in the pool	Not applicable	
13	Pool enclosed with fence or solid wall at least 4 feet in height, constructed to prevent accessibility by children	Not applicable	
14	At least one staff with CPR & first aid at each wading structure	Not applicable	

15	Required ratios met as stated in the standards	Not applicable	
16	At least two staff at each wading structure within arms-length "touch supervision"	Not applicable	
17	Clean water provided each day	Not applicable	
18	Wading structure emptied when not in use	Not applicable	

Away from center activities (II.C.7)

S No.	Questions	Answer	Comments
1	Note: The Department of Human Resources does not inspect activities away from the center, including swimming and wading activities. The licensee shall assume full authority and responsibility for away from the center activities.	Not applicable	

Child Care Program (II.D)

S No.	Questions	Answer	Comments
1	Required ratios maintained at all times	Observed	
2	0 up to 18 months 1 to 5	Observed	
3	18 up to 2 years 1 to 7	Observed	
4	24 months to 36 months 1 to 8	Not applicable	
5	2 years up to 4 years 1 to 11	Observed	
6	4 years up to school age 1 to 18	Observed	
7	School age up to 8 years 1 to 21	Not applicable	

8	8 years and older 1 to 22	Not applicable		
9	Children younger than 2 grouped separately	Certified/Discussed		
10	Exception for group 24-36 months	Not applicable		
11	Exception for individual children's needs	Certified/Discussed		
12	Staff counted in ratio only when giving full attention to the children	Certified/Discussed		
13	All children supervised at all times	Certified/Discussed		
14	Staff assigned responsibility for same infants/toddlers each day	Certified/Discussed		
15	Substitute staff available	Certified/Discussed		
16	Director authorized to conduct center business	Certified/Discussed		
17	Staff person in charge when director is absent, authorized to conduct center business	Certified/Discussed		
18	Staff in each room during napping/resting	Observed		
19	Staff able to see all children	Observed		
20	0 up to 18 months 1 to 5	Certified/Discussed		
21	18 months up to 2 years 1 to 14	Certified/Discussed		
22	2 and older 1 to 36	Certified/Discussed		
23	Two staff with infant-child CPR and first aid present during all hours of operation	Observed		
24	Second staff available when 7 or more children present/required ratios met	Certified/Discussed		
25	No staff on duty more than 8 continuous hours on a regular basis	Certified/Discussed		

26	Staff free from other duties while working with the children	Certified/Discussed	
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Infant/Toddler Program (II.D.2.)

S No.	Questions	Answer	Comments
1	Encouraged to play with a variety of toys	Certified/Discussed	
2	Time outdoors daily when weather permits	Certified/Discussed	
3	Freedom of movement outside cribs daily	Certified/Discussed	
4	Placed on tummy part of time while awake and observed	Certified/Discussed	
5	Infants not seated for more than 15 minutes	Certified/Discussed	
6	Staff talks to each child and encourages response	Certified/Discussed	
7	Cries/signs of distress investigated immediately	Certified/Discussed	
8	No screen time for children under 2 years of age	Certified/Discussed	
9	60 Minutes of physical activity full day/ 30 minutes half-day	Certified/Discussed	
10	Daily schedule posted that includes 60 minutes of physical activity (toddlers)	Certified/Discussed	
11	Clean, dry diaper/clothing provided	Certified/Discussed	
12	Wet/soiled diapers/clothing changed promptly	Certified/Discussed	
13	Changing area cleaned and disinfected	Certified/Discussed	
14	No child left unattended while being diapered	Certified/Discussed	
15	No child diapered on the floor	Certified/Discussed	

16	Each child's hands washed after diapering	Certified/Discussed		
17	Staff use universal precautions when diapering	Certified/Discussed		
18	Staff use clean disposable gloves for diapering each child/for each diaper change	Certified/Discussed		
19	Wet/soiled diapers placed in covered, plastic-lined container and disposed of daily	Certified/Discussed		
20	Individual, disposable wipes used at each diaper change, disposed of properly	Certified/Discussed		
21	Potty chairs emptied, rinsed, disinfected after each use	Not applicable		
22	Diapering area separate from food service area	Certified/Discussed		
23	Infants allowed to form own sleep patterns	Certified/Discussed		
24	Infants placed on back to sleep unless physician's statement indicates otherwise	Certified/Discussed		
25	Infants who can easily turn placed on back but allowed to adopt preferred position	Certified/Discussed		
26	No positioning device used unless specified by physician	Certified/Discussed		
27	Staff recognize differing needs of toddlers/allowed to follow their own sleep patterns	Certified/Discussed		
28	Two feet between occupied cribs	Certified/Discussed		
29	Cots positioned to allow space for access or emergency exit	Certified/Discussed		
30	Cribs/cots cleaned and disinfected and sheets and covers washed before used by another child	Certified/Discussed		

31	For infants, clean bottom sheets daily or more often if needed, sheets fit snugly	Certified/Discussed		
32	Soft material prohibited in infant's sleeping environment, no pillows, quilts, comforters, etc.	Certified/Discussed		
33	No infant put to sleep on sofa, soft mattress	Certified/Discussed		
34	For toddlers, clean bottom sheets and top coverings weekly, more often if needed	Certified/Discussed		
35	Formula, food for infants if provided by center, planned with parent or physician	Not applicable		
36	If formula provided by center, ready to feed, properly stored and handled	Not applicable		
37	Bottles/food served according to parental request (microwaves not used for bottles)	Certified/Discussed		
38	Meals and snacks comply with requirements	Observed		
39	Expressed human milk sent in container labeled with infant's full name/date, and specific written instructions on how to prepare, store, and use	Certified/Discussed		
40	Infant formula for a breastfed infant should only be used with parental consent	Certified/Discussed		
41	Formula provided by parent, must be labeled, ready to feed, and refrigerated	Certified/Discussed		
42	Small hard candies, nuts not served to children under 4 years old	Certified/Discussed		
43	Foods that may cause choking prepared appropriately for the child	Observed		

44	Feeding schedule according to child's needs	Certified/Discussed	
45	Infants held for bottle feeding	Certified/Discussed	
46	No bottles propped	Certified/Discussed	
47	When able, infants allowed to sit in feeding chair	Observed	
48	Toddlers seated while eating	Observed	
49	Child encouraged to experiment with self-feeding, utensils provided	Observed	
50	Disposable utensils used only with close supervision	Certified/Discussed	
51	Foods eaten from a dish	Observed	
52	Dishes, bottles unbreakable	Certified/Discussed	
53	Drinking water without added sweeteners or carbonation readily available throughout the day	Certified/Discussed	
54	Child not forced or bribed to eat	Certified/Discussed	
55	Food not used as a reward or punishment	Certified/Discussed	
56	Child's hands washed before and after snacks, after diapering, toileting	Certified/Discussed	
57	Staff's hands washed before food preparation and service, after assisting with toileting, after diapering	Certified/Discussed	
58	Individual paper towels for each washing and drying	Certified/Discussed	

Preschool/School-age Program (II.D.3)

S.No	Questions	Answer	Comments
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1	Schedule posted that includes 60 minutes of active play	Observed		
2	Variety of indoor/outdoor activities that includes 60 minutes of active physical activity full day/30 minutes half-day	Observed		
3	Time outdoors daily when weather permits for 60 to 90 minutes	Observed		
4	Staff permit/encourage conversation among children	Observed		
5	Staff give individual attention to each child daily	Certified/Discussed		
6	Radio, TV, videos used only to supplement/enhance daily plan	Certified/Discussed		
7	No child required to watch TV or videos	Certified/Discussed		
8	Videos previewed by staff for appropriateness	Certified/Discussed		
9	Sexually explicit, violent, frightening materials prohibited	Certified/Discussed		
10	Screen time for 2 years old and older limited to 30 minutes for half day and 1 hour for full day	Certified/Discussed		
11	Staff recognize differing needs of children	Certified/Discussed		
12	Rest period for children in attendance more than 5 hours	Certified/Discussed		
13	Rest period at least 45 minutes, not more than 2 hours	Certified/Discussed		
14	If a child does not sleep after 45 minutes, quiet activities permitted	Certified/Discussed		
15	Cots cleaned and clean bottom sheets and top sheet/covers provided before used by another child	Certified/Discussed		

16	Clean sheet/covers provided weekly, more often if needed	Certified/Discussed		
17	Cots positioned to allow space for access or emergency exit	Certified/Discussed		
18	At least one staff present in each room	Certified/Discussed		
19	Staff able to see all children	Certified/Discussed		
20	According to each child's needs, each child's hands washed	Certified/Discussed		
21	Staff use Universal Precautions when diapering or handling bodily fluids	Certified/Discussed		
22	Children in attendance served breakfast or a.m. snack, lunch, p.m. snack	Certified/Discussed		
23	Meals and snacks comply with USDA guidelines	Certified/Discussed		
24	Fluid milk served, no powdered milk for drinking	Certified/Discussed		
25	No child deprived of meal or snack	Certified/Discussed		
26	Special dietary needs in accordance with written instructions	Observed		
27	Meals and snacks provided by the center	Certified/Discussed		
28	Vending machines prohibited in areas used by children	Not applicable		
29	Small hard candies, nuts not served to children under four	Certified/Discussed		
30	Foods that may cause choking prepared appropriately for the child	Certified/Discussed		
31	Portions of food suited to child's needs; second portions available	Certified/Discussed		
32	Unbreakable or single-use cups or glasses or a	Certified/Discussed		

44	Medication locked	Not applicable	
45	Screens on windows which are opened	Observed	
46	Lighting adequate	Observed	

4. Ad Hoc Deficiency

S No.	Deficiency
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Alison D. Bell
Provider's Signature

6/25/25