

**ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES  
CHILD CARE PERFORMANCE STANDARDS DEFICIENCY REPORT**

**SECTION A- IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

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| Facility Name:<br>CHILD'S WORLD CHRISTIAN<br>DAYCARE                    | Type of Facility : Center <input checked="" type="checkbox"/><br>Day <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OST <input type="checkbox"/><br>Night <input type="checkbox"/> Family <input type="checkbox"/><br>University <input type="checkbox"/><br>Group <input type="checkbox"/> | Date of Visit:<br>7/29/2026       |
| Facility Address:<br>80 SEASON'S WAY, TALLADEGA,<br>AL 35160, Talladega | Licensee:<br>BRIDGET<br>DICKERSON-MERRITT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Telephone #:<br>(256) 315-2014    |
| Ages:<br>6 Weeks to 12 Years                                            | Director (if applicable):<br>BRIDGET D-MERRITT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Capacity:<br>72 , NA<br>Day Night |

**SECTION B - DEFICIENCY INFORMATION**

| <u>Performance Standard Deficiency</u><br><b>HAZARDS MUST BE CORRECTED IMMEDIATELY*</b>                                                                                                                                                                                       | <u>Date Corrected by</u><br><u>Licensee</u> |
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| <b>Deficiency Summary</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                             |
| Failed - Two staff with infant-child CPR and first aid present during all hours of operation, Inspection Form<br>Comments: 2 staff not present in the facility                                                                                                                | Pending Correction                          |
| Failed - By August 1, 2022, director/all teachers/substitutes/all service staff must be enrolled in the Alabama Pathway's Professional Development Registry, Inspection Form<br>Comments: Some staff not enrolled in the Alabama Pathway's Professional Development Registry. | Pending Correction                          |
| Failed - Outdoor play area and equipment are free of apparent hazardous conditions, Inspection Form<br>Comments: protruding vines on the younger playground around the fence                                                                                                  | Pending Correction                          |
| Failed - Fire, Inspection Form<br>Comments: no evidence of quarterly drills                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 7/29/2026                                   |
| Failed - Tornado, Inspection Form<br>Comments: no evidence of quarterly drills                                                                                                                                                                                                | 7/29/2026                                   |
| Failed - Lockdown, Inspection Form<br>Comments: no evidence of quarterly drills                                                                                                                                                                                               | Pending Correction                          |
| Failed - Relocation, Inspection Form<br>Comments: no evidence of quarterly drills                                                                                                                                                                                             | Pending Correction                          |
| Failed - Each child signed in and signed out with a written signature or bio-metric ID, Inspection Form<br>Comments: Some children not signed in with a full written parent signature                                                                                         | Pending Correction                          |

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| Failed - Parents provided with information on influenza annually, Inspection Form<br>Comments: No evidence parents provided information on influenza annually                                                         | 7/29/2026          |
| Failed - Parents provided information on child development and children's health annually, Inspection Form<br>Comments: No evidence parents provided information on child development and children's health annually. | 7/29/2026          |
| Failed - Copies provided to all parents/guardians, Inspection Form<br>Comments: No evidence parents provided a copy of the emergency plan                                                                             | 7/29/2026          |
| Failed - Most recent licensing evaluation, Inspection Form<br>Comments: 2025 evaluation not posted                                                                                                                    | 7/29/2026          |
| Failed - Most recent deficiency report, Inspection Form<br>Comments: Most recent deficiency report not posted                                                                                                         | 7/29/2026          |
| Failed - Children younger than 2 ½ grouped separately, Inspection Form<br>Comments: Children younger than 2 1/2 were grouped with children older than 2 1/2 in the 3 year old classroom                               | 7/29/2026          |
| Failed - Photo ID Verification, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                                  | Pending Correction |
| Failed - Verification of Education, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: not in AL Pathways                                                                                                                                   | Pending Correction |
| Failed - References, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                                             | Pending Correction |
| Failed - Ongoing Training, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                                       | Pending Correction |
| Failed - Health and Safety Training, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                             | Pending Correction |
| Failed - Photo ID Verification, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                                  | 7/29/2026          |
| Failed - Verification of Education, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: not in Pathways                                                                                                                                      | 7/29/2026          |
| Failed - Ongoing Training, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                                       | Pending Correction |
| Failed - Health and Safety Training, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                             | Pending Correction |
| Failed - Photo ID Verification, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                                  | Pending Correction |
| Failed - Infant -Child CPR Certification, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                        | Pending Correction |
| Failed - Infant -Child First Aid Certificate, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                    | Pending Correction |
| Failed - Ongoing Training, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                                       | Pending Correction |
| Failed - Health and Safety Training, Staff Checklist<br>Comments: missing                                                                                                                                             | 7/29/2026          |
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| Failed - Ongoing Training, Staff Checklist                                                                                                                                                                            | Pending Correction |

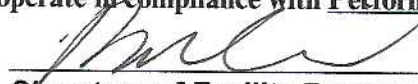
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| Comments: missing                                                                                                                                          |                    |
| Failed - Health and Safety Training, Staff Checklist                                                                                                       | Pending Correction |
| Comments: missing                                                                                                                                          |                    |
| Failed - Preadmission Form, Child Checklist                                                                                                                | 7/29/2026          |
| Comments: incomplete PreAdmission form                                                                                                                     |                    |
| Failed - Preadmission Form, Child Checklist                                                                                                                | 7/29/2026          |
| Comments: missing complete address of doctor                                                                                                               |                    |
| Failed - Immunization Certificate, Child Checklist                                                                                                         | 7/29/2029          |
| Comments: expired 6/16/2026                                                                                                                                |                    |
| Failed - Preadmission Form, Child Checklist                                                                                                                | 7/29/2026          |
| Comments: missing complete address on PreAdmission form                                                                                                    |                    |
| Failed - Hazardous substances locked, Classroom Checklist / School Age Room                                                                                | 7/29/2026          |
| Comments: A hazard, Clorox clean-up, was not under lock and key or a combination lock                                                                      |                    |
| Failed - Electrical outlets covered, Classroom Checklist / 24 Months up to 36 Months 1                                                                     | 7/29/2026          |
| Comments: electrical outlets missing protective covers                                                                                                     |                    |
| Failed - Hazardous substances locked, Classroom Checklist / 24 Months up to 36 Months 1                                                                    | Pending Correction |
| Comments: Utility box containing various hazards did not have a lock and key                                                                               |                    |
| Failed - Electrical outlets covered, Classroom Checklist / Toddlers Room 6                                                                                 | 7/29/2026          |
| Comments: electrical outlets missing protective covers                                                                                                     |                    |
| Failed - Hazardous substances locked, Classroom Checklist / Toddlers Room 6                                                                                | 6/18/2026          |
| Comments: Various hazards (Clorox clean up, Febreeze, hand sanitizer) not under lock and key or a combination lock                                         |                    |
| On June 18, 2026, a staff person is missing a staff file, Ad Hoc                                                                                           | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                               |                    |
| On June 18, 2026, the three year old classroom is out of ratio due to a staff missing the required suitability letter, CAN form and CCDF training., Ad Hoc | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                               |                    |
| On June 18, 2026, the carpets throughout the building are stained/dirty and some are raveling at the entrance of the classrooms, Ad Hoc                    | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                               |                    |
| On June 18, 2026, rust present on the door frame in the bathroom between the 2 year old classroom and 3 year old classroom, Ad Hoc                         | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                               |                    |
| On July 29, 2026, standing water on the playground in a play apparatus , Ad Hoc                                                                            | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                               |                    |
| On July 29, 2026, the 4 year old classroom was unsupervised as the Director opened door for DHR representative, Ad Hoc                                     | Pending Correction |

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| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                                        |                    |
| On July 29, 2029, screentime present in the 18 months - 24 months classroom, Ad Hoc                                                                                 | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                                        |                    |
| On July 29, 2026, a hazard (hand sanitizer) not under lock and key in the 24 months - 36 months classroom, Ad Hoc                                                   | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                                        |                    |
| On July 29, 2026, a hazard (hand sanitizer) not under lock and key in the 3 years - 4 years classroom. (Classroom 7), Ad Hoc                                        | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                                        |                    |
| On July 29, 2026, active ant beds present on the playground (hazard), Ad Hoc                                                                                        | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                                        |                    |
| On July 29, 2026, the grass on the playground is overgrown., Ad Hoc                                                                                                 | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                                        |                    |
| On July 29, 2026, classroom 7 (ages 3 years - 4 years) is out of ratio due to the staff missing the required suitability letter, Ad Hoc                             | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                                        |                    |
| On July 29, 2026, classroom 5 (24 months - 36 months) is out of ratio due to staff missing the required Suitability letter and Child Abuse and Neglect form, Ad Hoc | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                                        |                    |
| On July 29, 2026, the center director was unable to conduct business due to being counted in ratio in a classroom., Ad Hoc                                          | Pending Correction |
| Comments: NA                                                                                                                                                        |                    |

**INSTRUCTIONS TO LICENSEE:** Column 2, Date Corrected by Licensee, is to be completed by the facility representative after each deficiency is corrected. The facility representative must put the date of correction and his/her initials in Column 2. This form must be returned to the Department of Human Resources on or before \_\_\_\_\_, as verification that deficiencies have been corrected.

**NOTICE:** Any misleading or any false statements or reports made to the Department and/or failure to correct the listed deficiencies can be the basis for adverse action. None of these requirements are to be interpreted to allow anyone to operate in violation of Performance Standards. A facility licensed by the Department must always meet Performance Standards applicable to that facility. It is the responsibility of the licensee to operate in compliance with Performance Standards.

  
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**Signature of Facility Representative**

BRIDGETTE SMITH

7/29/2020  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

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**Signature of DHR Licensing Representative**

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 Date

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