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CHILD CARE CENTER/GROUP CHILD CARE HOME INVESTIGATION

Program Name	STEPPING STONES EARLY LEARNING LAB SCHOOL				License Number	DCCC.70093	Date of Inspection	05/17/2024
					Expiration Date	11/30/2024	Time of Inspection	10:00 AM
Address	303 WEST AVE NORWALK CT 06850-4002				Telephone	(203) 899-0606	Total Capacity	28
					Days and Hours	MONDAY-FRIDAY 730am to 530pm	Under Three Capacity	8
#Children Present	27	# Under 3 Present	8	# Staff Present	6	Summer Care	Open	
Purpose of Investigation	Investigation 2024-420				Name of Inspector	Karen Hicks		
Program's Email	adeli@steppingstonesmuseum.org				Inspector's Email	karen.hicks@ct.gov		

SUBSTANTIATED VIOLATIONS OF REGULATIONS

VIOLATION	Statute - [19a-79-3a(d)(2) thru (8) Regulation &/or 19a-79-7a(d)(11)(A)]	Description: 006-Policies
Failed to implement policies, plans and procedures when staff member did not use walkie to report a missing child immediately. Staff failed to have three adults with the group while in the public area which is the program's standard practice.		
VIOLATION	Statute - 19a-79-4a(c)(4)(D) Regulation	Description: 021b-Supervision
Failed to ensure the supervision of children at all times while on field trips when toddler crawled away from his group while in the public museum with his class. Child made it through an exhibit, down a hall and to the east entrance door before a staff member from another classroom found the child. Child was unattended for 3 minutes according to video review.		
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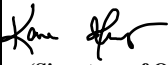


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NOT SUBSTANTIATED AND/OR PENDING VIOLATIONS OF REGULATIONS		
STATUS: Not Substantiated	Statute - Regulation [19a-79-3a(b)(7) &/or 19a-79-4a(3)]	Description: 002-New Staff/Employee Orientation
Observed evidence of staff training on policies and orientation.		
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YES/NO: Yes	WERE VIOLATIONS CITED DURING THIS VISIT?
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DISCUSSIONS/COMMENTS

NOTE: Only the regulations marked as pending, substantiated or non-substantiated were monitored or discussed.

 (Signature of OEC Representative)	 (Signature of OEC Representative)	DATE CORRECTIONS DUE BY:	 (Signature of Person in Charge)
Karen Hicks (Printed Name)	(Printed Name)	05/31/2024	Adeli De Arce (Printed Name)