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**FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME INSPECTION**

Provider	JESSICA CARAFENO				License Number	DCFH.57743	Date of Inspection	08/28/2025
					Expiration Date	10/31/2026	Time of Inspection	09:17 AM
Address	83 SPERRY LN MERIDEN CT 06451-2750				Telephone	(203) 909-8019	Regular Capacity	6
					Hours of Operation	8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	School Age Capacity	3
Is this a Change of Address?	Yes?		No?	X	Days of Operation	Mon-Fri	Summer Hours	Open
New Address					# Under 18 mths present	1	Weekend Hours	No
					Total children present	3	Night Hours	No
Type of Inspection	UNANNOUNCED INSPECTION - FULL				Inspector's Name	Melina Perez		
Provider's Email	Jessica.Carafeno@gmail.com				Inspector's Email	melina.perez@ct.gov		

Key:  
 Compliant = X  
 Non-Compliant = O

Consent to Inspect: I agree to allow the Commissioner or an authorized representative to have access to and inspect the facility and child care records during home inspections as required by Regulations Section 19a-87b-5(h).

Signature of Provider/Substitute/Applicant

**TERMS OF REGISTRATION 19a-87b-5**

X	4. Capacity	
X	5. Non-transferability of license	Pending?
X	6. Infant/Toddler Restriction	
X	7. License Posted	
X	8. Parent Access to OEC Phone Number	
X	9. Photo ID	
X	10. Requests for Information	
X	11. Notification of Change	

**QUALIFICATION OF PROVIDER 19a-87b-6**

X	12. Awareness of, Understanding of Regulations	
O	13. Medical statement Expiration date: 07/21/2025	Provider not in compliance with maintaining a current medical statement when provider confirmed she did not have a copy of her current physical; one on file expired 7/21/2025.
X	14. First Aid Certificate Expiration date: 06/24/2026	

<b>X</b>	<b>15. CPR Certificate</b>	
	Expiration date:	
	06/24/2026	
<b>X</b>	<b>16. Judgment</b>	

**MEMBERS OF THE HOUSEHOLD 19a-87b-7**

<b>X</b>	<b>17. Medical Statement</b>	
<b>X</b>	<b>18. Household Environment</b>	

**QUALIFICATIONS OF STAFF 19a-87b-8**

<b>X</b>	<b>19. Sub/Assistant</b>	<b>Y/N</b>	<b>Name:</b>		<b>Appvl #</b>	
	Type of Staff :	N				
<b>X</b>	<b>20. Emergency Caregiver</b>					

**COMPREHENSIVE BACKGROUND CHECK 19a-87b-8a**

<b>X</b>	<b>21. Background Check(s)</b>	
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**PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT 19a-87b-9**

<b>X</b>	<b>22. Clean/Sanitary Environment</b>					
<b>X</b>	<b>23. Freedom of Hazards</b>					
<b>X</b>	<b>24. Harmful Substances/Materials Inaccessible</b>					
<b>X</b>	<b>25. Bio-contaminants Disposed Safely</b>					
<b>X</b>	<b>26. Safe Storage of Flammables</b>					
<b>X</b>	<b>27. Safe Door Fasteners</b>					
<b>X</b>	<b>28. Electrical Safety</b>					
<b>X</b>	<b>29. Safe Exits</b>					
<b>X</b>	<b>30. Basement Supervision</b>	<b>Y/N</b>				
		Y				
	<b>Used for Care ?</b>	<b>Y/N</b>				
<b>X</b>	<b>31. Stairways - Protected, Handrails</b>					
<b>X</b>	<b>32. Emergency Plan</b>					

<b>X</b>	<b>33. Emergency Evacuation Drills - Quarterly/Log</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>34. Smoke Detectors</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>35. Carbon Monoxide Detector</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>36. Fire Extinguisher- 5 lb. ABC/Installed</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>37. Auxiliary Heating System N</b>	Appvd?	
	Type?		
<b>X</b>	<b>38. Safe Storage of Weapons and Ammunition</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>39. Safe Space-Sufficient</b>		
	Indoors	Y	
	Outdoors	Y	
<b>X</b>	<b>40. Body of Water-Type:</b>	Y/N	
	Barrier?	N	
<b>X</b>	<b>41. Hot Tubs-Locked - Inaccessible</b>	Y/N	
		N	
<b>X</b>	<b>42. Ventilation, Light and Temperature- 65°</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>43. Window Safety</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>44. Washing Toileting, Sewage Garbage Facilities</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>45. Adequate and Safe Water -</b>		
	Type of System:		
	Public Water		
<b>X</b>	<b>46. Water Temperature- 60°-120°</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>47. Pasteurization of Milk Supply</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>48. Working Phone, Emergency Numbers Posted</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>49. Safe Transportation Registered, Insured, Restraints</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>50. First Aid supplies</b>		
<b>X</b>	<b>51. Pet protection</b>	Type: 2 Cats 1 Dog	
	Pets?	Y	
	Rabies Certs?	Y	
<b>X</b>	<b>52. Smoking Prohibited</b>		

**RESPONSIBILITIES OF PROVIDER 19a-87b-10**

<b>X</b>	<b>53. Enrollment Form</b>		
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<b>X</b>	54. Child Health Record	
<b>X</b>	55. Immunizations	
<b>X</b>	56. Emergency Permission	
<b>X</b>	57. Authorized Release	
<b>X</b>	58. Field Trip and Transportation Permission-To/From School	
<b>X</b>	59. Swimming Permission	
<b>X</b>	60. Incident Log	
<b>X</b>	61. Confidentiality	
<b>X</b>	62. Meeting the Child's Needs	
<b>X</b>	63. Sufficient Play Equipment	
<b>X</b>	64. Good Nutrition- Meals/Snacks, Water Available	
<b>X</b>	65. Handwashing	
<b>X</b>	66. Flexible and Balanced Written Schedule	
<b>X</b>	67. Personal Articles- Blanket, Towel, Toilet Articles	
<b>X</b>	68. Proper Rest Provisions – Safe Cribs	
<b>X</b>	69. Individual Plan for Care (Written if Applicable)	
<b>X</b>	70. Cultural Differences, Sp. Needs, Dev. Appr. Activities	
<b>X</b>	71. Infant Care, Indiv Attention, Held for Bottle Feedings	
<b>X</b>	72. Infants Placed on Back for Sleeping	
<b>X</b>	73. Infants Placed in Crib, Well constructed, Snug Mattress, Tight Sheet	

<b>X</b>	74. Crib or Other Provision Free from Observable Hazards	
<b>X</b>	75. Infants not Swaddled	
<b>X</b>	76. Infants Supervised – minimum every 15 minutes	
<b>X</b>	77. Req. for Sleep Arrangements Posted/Discussed	
<b>X</b>	78. Diaper Changing- Frequent, Sanitary, Handwashing, Waste Disposal	
<b>X</b>	79. Parent Information and Access	
<b>X</b>	80. Developmental Milestones – Posted	
<b>X</b>	81. Supervision- at all Times, Indoors, Outdoors	
<b>X</b>	82. Personal Schedule- Alert, Competent Attention	
<b>X</b>	83. Full Attention - Distractions, Employment, Socialization	
<b>X</b>	84. Immediate Attention	
<b>X</b>	85. Substitute – Emergency Caregiver Present	
<b>X</b>	86. Appr. Discipline, Behavior Management	
<b>X</b>	87. Discuss Beh. Management Methods w/Staff and Parents	
<b>X</b>	88. Child Protection- Abuse/Neglect	
<b>X</b>	89. Notify OEC within 24 hrs. - Death or Serious Injury	
<b>X</b>	90. Mandated Reporting Abuse or Neglect to DCF	
<b>SICK CHILD CARE 19a-87b-11</b>		
<b>X</b>	91. Sick Child Care	
<b>NIGHT CARE 19a-87b-12 (10pm to 5am) Y/N? N</b>		
<b>X</b>	92. Separate Bed- Location of Bed - Appropriate Sleepwear	

**OFFICE ACCESS, INSPECTIONS AND INVESTIGATIONS 19a-87b-13**

<b>X</b>	93. Access- Immediate, Entire or Part of Facility and Records	
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**ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATIONS 19a-87b-17 Y/N? Y**

<b>X</b>	94. Policies and Procedures for Admin of Meds	
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<b>X</b>	95. Parent Permission for Nonprescription Topical Meds	
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<b>X</b>	96. Notification - Documentation of Med Error(s)	
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<b>X</b>	97. Nonprescription Topical Meds- Stored/Labeled	
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<b>X</b>	98. Unused - Expired Nonprescription Meds	
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<b>X</b>	99. Documented Medication Trained Staff	
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<b>X</b>	100. Written Auth Prescriber/Parent Permission	
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<b>X</b>	101. MAR Maintained	
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<b>X</b>	102. Prescription Meds - Stored/Labeled	
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<b>X</b>	103. Unused/Expired Prescription Meds	
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<b>X</b>	104. Emergency Meds- Equip. Labeled/Current	
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<b>X</b>	105. Self-Admin. Of Meds	
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<b>X</b>	106. Petition for Special Medication Authorization	
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**MONITORING OF DIABETES 19a-87b-18 Child with diabetes enrolled? N**

<b>X</b>	108. Policies for Finger Stick Blood Glucose Testing	
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<b>X</b>	109. Finger Stick Blood Glucose Testing - Staff Trained	
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<b>X</b>	110. Self Admin of Finger Stick Blood Glucose Testing	
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<b>X</b>	111. Testing Equip. & Supplies- Maintain, Labeled, Locked, Disposed	
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<b>X</b>	<b>112. Finger Stick Blood Glucose Testing Records</b>	
<b>X</b>	<b>113. Parent Notification of Test Results</b>	

**ADDITIONAL VIOLATIONS**

	<b>114. Consent Order - Negotiated Corrective Action Plan</b>	N/A?
		<b>X</b>



<b>WERE VIOLATIONS CITED DURING THIS VISIT? Yes or No?</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>LEVEL OF NON-COMPLIANCE THIS VISIT:</b>	<b>1 out of 109</b>
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**DISCUSSIONS/COMMENTS**

-Have parents/guardians review enrollment and written permission forms annually for any changes  
 -Reminder: Flu vaccines for upcoming flu season due 12/31/2025  
 -Rabies vaccine for Axle due 10/15/2025  
 -Household member turning 18 in March

**IMPORTANT NOTES**

- *It is the provider's responsibility to ensure compliance with all local codes and/or ordinances applicable to single and multi-family dwellings. This includes but is not limited to renovation, construction or expansion of the facility as well as the installation of a swimming pool or auxiliary heater.*
- *Only the regulations marked as compliant or non-compliant were monitored or discussed.*
- *APPLICANTS –You MAY NOT OPERATE until all requirements have been met and a license has been issued by the Agency.*

 (Signature of OEC Representative)	 (Signature of OEC Representative)	<b>DATE CORRECTIONS DUE BY:</b>	 (Signature of Provider/Applicant/Substitute)
<b>Melina Perez</b> (Printed Name)	 (Printed Name)	<b>09/11/2025</b>	<b>JESSICA CARAFENO</b> (Printed Name)