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CHILD CARE CENTER/GROUP CHILD CARE HOME FOLLOW UP – PARTIAL INSPECTION

Program Name	RIDGEFIELD KINDERCARE				License Number	DCCC.70740		Date of Inspection	11/07/2025	
					Expiration Date	12/31/2027		Time of Inspection	10:16 AM	
Address	35 COPPS HILL RD RIDGEFIELD CT 06877-4041				Telephone	(203) 438-6118		Licensed Capacity	112	
					Hours of Operation	6:30 AM – 6:00 PM		Under Three Capacity	72	
Is this a Change of Address?		Yes?		No?	X	Days of Operation	Mon-Fri		Ages Served	6 – 5 weeks years
New Address					Night Hours	No	Summer Hours	Open	Weekend Hours	No
					Program's Email	Mikayla.marinko@kindercare.com				
Operator	KINDER CARE EDUCATION LLC				Director	MIKAYLA MARINKO				
Endorsements	Pre-School, Under Three				Name of Inspector	Jaime Fortin				
Numbers of Staff/Children Present	# Children Present under age 3	13	# Total Children Present	45	# of Staff Present	11	Purpose of Visit	Follow up to 9/2/2025 Full inspection.		

REGULATIONS NOT IN COMPLIANCE

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:

[19a-79-3a(b)(6)]

004-Employee orientation for new program staff

Program not in compliance with ensuring new employee orientation when 3 out of 6 staff did not have documentation of new staff orientation.

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:

[19a-79-3a(b)(6)]

005-Annual policy training for program staff

Program was not in compliance with ensuring the annual policy, plans and procedure training of staff when program did not offer a training but has sign off that they read the policies and procedures. An annual training is required.

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:

[19a-79-4a(b)]

021- Comprehensive background checks

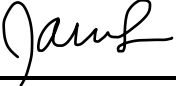
Program not in compliance with maintaining comprehensive background checks for staff when 2 staff observed working with children did not have current background checks. Staff can not work directly with children until in BCIS system as current or work supervised.

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-4a(a)(2), (h)(1-2)] 033-Professional development
Program not in compliance with ensuring staff have completed the required 1% annual hours when 6 out of 6 staff did not have documentation of professional development.	
Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-4a(i)(1-2)(H), (F)] 035- Consultants
Program not in compliance with maintaining current/complete consultant agreements when education, social service and dietitian consultant was not updated with required services.	
Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-5a(a)(2)(E)] 040- Individual care plan- signed by parents/staff
Program not in compliance with maintaining staff/parent signatures on individual care plans when 6 out of 6 care plans were not signed by all staff responsible for the care of the child.	
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DISCUSSIONS/COMMENTS

Discussed: small items in 2's room- magnetic alphabet letters on floor (placed up high during visit and teacher directed activity discussed with staff supervision). Per Director does not need to close classrooms as 2 staff can not work with children until a completed background check. Program aware that staff can not work in classroom until complete.

Were Violations cited during this visit? Y or N?	Yes	NOTE: * It is the operator's responsibility to ensure compliance with all local codes and ordinances.	
Signature of OEC Representative			Signature of Person in Charge
Printed Name	Jaime Fortin	Sarah baumann	Printed Name
2 nd OEC Representative	APPLICANTS: You <i>MAY NOT OPERATE</i> until all requirements have been met <u>and</u> a license has been issued by the Agency.		
Printed Name	THIS INSPECTION SHALL BE POSTED OR SHALL BE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW UPON REQUEST.		
		Written Corrective Action Plan due by: 11/21/2025	DIVISION OF LICENSING 450 Columbus Boulevard, Suite 302, Hartford, Connecticut 06103 Phone (800)282-6063 or (860)500-4450 Fax (860)326-0552 Email: oc.licensing@ct.gov Website: www.ctoec.org
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