



DIVISION OF LICENSING

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**CHILD CARE CENTER/GROUP CHILD CARE HOME
 INVESTIGATION**

Program Name	GREAT BEGINNINGS- COOKE STREET				License Number	DCCC.12480		Date of Inspection	01/08/2026	
					Expiration Date	5/31/2029		Time of Inspection	10:10 AM	
Address	15 COOKE ST PLAINVILLE CT 06062-1801				Telephone	(860) 747-1670		Licensed Capacity	48	
					Hours of Operation	6:30 AM – 6:00 PM		Under Three Capacity	48	
Is this a Change of Address?	Yes?		No?	X	Days of Operation	Mon-Fri		Ages Served	6 weeks – 3 years	
New Address					Night Hours	No	Summer Hours	Open	Weekend Hours	No
					Program's Email	gbeginnings@msn.com				
Operator	KAREN C SHACKFORD				Director	KAREN C SHACKFORD				
Endorsements	Pre-School, Under Three				Name of Inspector	Dianna Wassenhove				
Numbers of Staff/Children Present	# Children Present under age 3	31	# Total Children Present	31	# of Staff Present	11	Purpose of Visit	Investigation 2026 - 4		

SUBSTANTIATED VIOLATIONS

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-3a(b)(7)(A)]	006-Child behavior management
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Program not in compliance with ensuring child behavior management is developmentally appropriate practice when through interviews and witness statements a staff has been involved in frightening and humiliating behavior with tone of voice, language not appropriate for child care and poor body language with the children.

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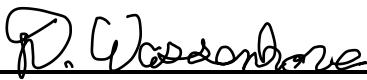
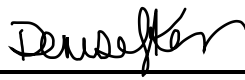
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DISCUSSIONS/COMMENTS

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.
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Signature of OEC Representative			Signature of Person in Charge
Printed Name	Dianna Wassenhove	Denise Kerns	Printed Name
2 nd OEC Representative	APPLICANTS: You <i>MAY NOT OPERATE</i> until all requirements have been met and 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: 01/22/2026	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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OEC Representative's Email: dianna.wassenhove@ct.gov	CAP: https://www.ctoec.org/forms-documents/corrective-action-plan-and-resolving-disputed-violations.pdf
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