CONNECTICUT Early Childhood

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CHILD CARE CENTER/GROUP CHILD CARE HOME INVESTIGATION

Program Name	CURLEY'S KIDS CARE	License Number	DCCC.70513	Date of Inspection	01/29/2026
		Expiration Date	9/30/2027	Time of Inspection	07:50 AM
Address	48 UPTON RD COLCHESTER CT 06415-2712	Telephone	(860) 537-1782	Licensed Capacity	85
		Hours of Operation	7:00 AM – 6:00 PM	Under Three Capacity	31
Is this a Change of Address?	Yes?	No? X	Days of Operation	Mon-Fri	Ages Served	6 weeks – 12 years
New Address		Night Hours	No	Summer Hours	Open	Weekend Hours	No
		Program's Email	curleyskids@sbcglobal.net			
Operator	BJ'S KIDS WORLD, LLC	Director	DANIELLE M SHAFER			
Endorsements	Pre-School, School Age, Under Three	Name of Inspector	Dianna Wassenhove			

Numbers of Staff/Children Present	# Children Present under age 3	7	# Total Children Present	21	# of Staff Present	4	Purpose of Visit	Investigation 2026 - 69

SUBSTANTIATED VIOLATIONS

Statute and/or Regulation and Description: [19a-79-4a(d)(4)(A-B) and (d)(6)] 027- Ratios

Program not in compliance with maintaining proper staff/child ratios and with mixed ages. Per interviews, witness statements as well as my visit today, ratios are not being adhered to when I observed one teacher with five children under age three and at least one of the children in the group was under age two making the ratio of mixed ages 1:4. Also confirmed through conversations and witness statements ratio and group sizes are not being followed on a regular basis. Full up and 3 month partial visits will be conducted.

Statute and/or Regulation and Description: [19a-79-7a(d)(3)] 073- Windows protected to prevent falls

Program not in compliance with the protection of windows to prevent falls when Observed large window in school age room with a hole in it and it has a large crack. 2 Photos taken of broken window.

Statute and/or Regulation and Description: [19a-79-7a(e)(16)] 100- Prevention of vermin- openings screened

Program not in compliance with ensuring effective measures have been taken to prevent vermin from entering or breeding in the facility when Photos of mouse dropping were taken during walk through, conversations, witness statements, videos and other photos show both live and dead mice in the building. Admin staff have been notified and dryer sheets and mice deterrent pouches have not been effective in eliminating the problem.

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NOT SUBSTANTIATED or PENDING

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	**[19a-79-4a(b)]** **Not Substantiated**	**021- Comprehensive background checks**
The regulation regarding comprehensive background checks was found to be in compliance during this visit when employee listed in complaint shows current on the center's BCIS roster. Copy of roster obtained.		

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	**[19a-79-4a(f)(1)]** **Pending**	**031- CPR Certified program staff**

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-5a(a)(4)] Pending	045- Video recordings- keep 30 days

Video recordings compliance is pending further investigation When program was not able to bring up any video recordings from date 1/27 or 1/28 plus a day at thee beginning of the month when it was felt the system may have went down with the recent storm. Send recordings to OEC for 1/27 and 28 from 10:00am to 1:00pm for the toddler and preschool groups.

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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.

Signature of OEC Representative			Signature of Person in Charge
Printed Name	Dianna Wassenhove	Danielle Owens	Printed Name
2nd OEC Representative		**APPLICANTS:** You *MAY NOT OPERATE* 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.	

CONNECTICUT Early Childhood	Written Corrective Action Plan due by: 02/12/2026	**DIVISION OF LICENSING** 450 Columbus Boulevard, Suite 302, Hartford, Connecticut 06103 Phone (800)282-6063 or (860)500-4450 Fax (860)326-0552 Email: oec.licensing@ct.gov Website: www.ctoec.org
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