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

Program Name	BRIGHTPATH - CHESHIRE				License Number	DCCC.70369		Date of Inspection	02/02/2026	
					Expiration Date	8/31/2029		Time of Inspection	09:45 AM	
Address	1430 HIGHLAND AVE CHESHIRE CT 06410-1215				Telephone	(203) 651-7407		Licensed Capacity	270	
					Hours of Operation	6:30 AM - 6:00 PM		Under Three Capacity	104	
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	ksopko@brightpathkids.com				
Operator	EDUCATIONAL PLAY CARE, LTD				Director	KAREN SOPKO				
Endorsements	Pre-School, School Age, Under Three				Name of Inspector	Dianna Wassenhove				
Numbers of Staff/Children Present	# Children Present under age 3	71	# Total Children Present	140	# of Staff Present	26	Purpose of Visit	Investigation 2026-43		

SUBSTANTIATED VIOLATIONS

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-7a(d)(9)]	081- Electrical safety- outlets inaccessible/covered
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Program not in compliance with ensuring that electrical outlets are covered with safety covers or are approved safety outlet when observed Christmas light end not covered with cover. All other outlets in building are safety outlets that do not need covers.

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	
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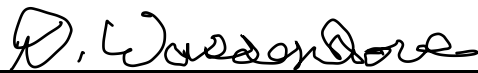

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NOT SUBSTANTIATED or PENDING	
Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-3a(a)] Not Substantiated 002-Ensuring the safety & health of children
The regulation regarding ensuring children's health and safety was found to be in compliance during this visit look at items during walk through and items accessible to children are developmentally appropriate.	
Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-4a(d)(4)(A-B) and Not Substantiated 027- Ratios
The regulation regarding ratios was found to be in compliance during this visit. Witness statements, interviews and during the walk through all ratios were being met.	


Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-4a(d)(4)(D)] Not Substantiated	028- Supervision
<p>The regulation regarding supervision was found to be in compliance during this visit. Program staff are in the bathroom but allow children their privacy and will assist children when asked. Some children want the independence.</p>		
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DISCUSSIONS/COMMENTS

Water leaking from ceiling in Preschool 3 . Children have been combined with other classroom while maintenance is working on fixing the issue.

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	Karen Sopko	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: 02/16/2026	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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