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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	03/31/2026	
					Expiration Date	12/31/2027		Time of Inspection	09:25 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 weeks – 5 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	15	# Total Children Present	49	# of Staff Present	10	Purpose of Visit	Follow up from 3/19 partial inspection on ratio's and infant feeding.		

REGULATIONS NOT IN COMPLIANCE

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-3a(b)]	003-Overall management of program
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Program not in compliance with providing programs/services to meet the needs of children when observed numerous ratio issues during the hours of 9-10 a.m 1:10 ratio at arrival and 1 child not yet 2, Two children not yet 3 in 3's classroom without signed permission in a 10: 1 and then 11:1 ratio of same class observed on playground.

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-3a(l)]	014-2.8 yr olds enrolled in preschool-authorization
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Program not in compliance with maintaining written permission from parents and/or the director for preschool enrollment when observed 2 children not yet 3 in preschool classroom with a 10:1 ratio and no signed permission.

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-4a(d)(4)(A-B) and (d)(6)]	027- Ratios
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Program not in compliance with maintaining proper staff/child ratios for mixed age groups when observed a group of 1:6 - children both 2 and 3 years of age on playground and observed a 11:1 ratio on preschool playground.

Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-10(c)(2)]	118- Ratios- 1:4 (6wks-24mths), 1:5 (24-36mths)
Program not in compliance with maintaining proper under three staff/child ratios of 1:4 when observed a group of 10 with 2 staff and 1 child was not yet 2 and observed a group of 6 with one staff including 2 children that were two or younger.		
Statute and/or Regulation and Description:	[19a-79-10(j)-(k)(1-5)]	136- Feeding
Program not in compliance with ensuring infants are held for all bottle feedings when at arrival staff were observed feeding infants. Inspector verified with staff that infant should be held for bottle feeding then Upon 2nd walkthrough observed infant with eyes closed on floor in vinyl seat drinking a bottle.		
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DISCUSSIONS/COMMENTS

Discussed bedding not separated on top of cots in preschool room. Discussed internal communication system of when classrooms go over ratio and morning staffing.

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	Mikayla Marinko	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: 04/14/2026	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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