



**MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION
OFFICE OF CHILDHOOD - CHILD CARE COMPLIANCE
COMPLAINT INVESTIGATION OF
SUBSTANTIATED STATUTE OR RULE VIOLATIONS**

DATE OF REPORT
3/30/2023

DVN
001790147

FACILITY NAME

ANGEL HAVEN EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER LLC

FACILITY ADDRESS

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CITY

WARRENSBURG

ZIP CODE

64093-8406

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COUNTY

JOHNSON

ASSIGNED SPECIALIST

GREER, JOHN

RULE/STATUTE VIOLATION(S)

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5 CSR 25-500.102(1)(A)

Child care personnel shall be of good character and intent and shall be qualified to provide care conducive to the welfare of children.

CONCLUSION SUMMARY

Compliance Inspector (CI) JD Greer conducted an unannounced investigation of the allegation that Caregiver Hope Greufe took a photo of Child A (23 months old) and Caregiver Dajanae Brown. Caregiver Brown is holding a whiteboard that states, "Eat a fat penis." Caregiver Greufe posted the photo to Snapchat. The allegation is substantiated based on the following information:

5 CSR 25-500.102(1)(A) which states, "Childcare personnel shall be of good character and intent and shall be qualified to provide care conducive to the welfare of children."

On March 31, 2023, CI Greer reviewed a photo from Parent A (Parent of Child A) and observed the photo was taken on an unknown date at the facility. Child A is seen in the photo with Caregiver Dajanae Brown. Caregiver Brown is holding a small whiteboard that says, "Eat a fat penis." Child A is looking at the camera.

On March 31, 2023, CI Greer interviewed Parent A, who stated on January 6, 2023, Caregiver Hope Greufe took a picture of Caregiver Dajanae Brown and Child A. In the photo, Caregiver Brown is holding a sign that says, "Eat a fat penis." The photo was taken at the facility.

On March 31, 2023, Compliance Inspector (CI) JD Greer interviewed Director Courtney Owens, who stated a picture of Child A and Caregiver Dajanae Brown was posted to Snapchat on January 6, 2023, by Caregiver Hope Greufe. Director Owens became aware of the photo after a parent had sent the image to her.

On March 31, 2023, CI Greer interviewed Caregiver Hope Greufe, who stated she took the photo of Caregiver Brown. Caregiver Brown thought it would be funny and asked her to post it to Snapchat.

CORRECTIVE MEASURES

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The facility shall conduct a staff meeting to review the center's policies and all licensing rules and regulations regarding good character and intent, specifically, 5 CSR 25-500.102(1)(A) which states, "Childcare personnel shall be of good character and intent and shall be qualified to provide care conducive to the welfare of children.". The facility must provide the Office of Childhood- Child Care Compliance with a statement, signed by all staff members (paid employees and paid/unpaid volunteers), to indicate they understand and agree to follow those rules and regulations.

COMPLETED (Y/N)

Yes

COMPLETED DATE

7/13/2023

DISPOSITION

SUBSTANTIATED

DISPOSITION DATE

6/23/2023

APPROVING SUPERVISOR

FOX, ROMENA