MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION
OFFICE OF CHILDHOOD - CHILD CARE COMPLIANCE

COMPLAINT INVESTIGATION OF SUBSTANTIATED STATUTE OR RULE VIOLATIONS

DATE OF REPORT
11/23/2021

DVN
002619081

FACILITY NAME
MAGICAL MOMENTS CHILDCARE

FACILITY ADDRESS
213 N CLARK ST

CITY	ZIP CODE	PHONE NUMBER	COUNTY
CAPE GIRARDEAU	63701-5104	(573) 271-0430	CAPE GIRARDEAU

ASSIGNED SPECIALIST
GRAHAM, JESSICA

RULE/STATUTE VIOLATION(S)

VIOLATION(S)

5 CSR 25-500.112(1)(A)

Birth Through Two (2) Years. Groups composed of mixed ages through two (2) years shall have no less than one (1) adult to four (4) children, with no more than eight (8) children in a group;

CONCLUSION SUMMARY

On December 7, 2021, Compliance Inspector (CI) Jessica Graham investigated the allegation that one staff member was present with fourteen children. This allegation is substantiated based on the following rule violation.

5 CSR 25-500.112(1)(A) which states: "Birth Through Two (2) Years. Groups composed of mixed ages through two (2) years shall have no less than one (1) adult to four (4) children, with no more than eight (8) children in a group."

On December 7, 2021, CI Graham observed Nikkole Sykes, caregiver, present with 6 children including 3 two-year-olds, 1 four-year-old, 1 five-year-old and 1 twenty-three-month-old. Ms .Nikkole stated that she was not aware that she was over on ratio.

On December 16, 2021, CI Graham observed Nikkole Sykes, caregiver, present with 6 children including 1 child age 23 months.

On January 3, 2021, CI Graham observed Nikkole Sykes, caregiver, present with 12 children including 2 under two-years, 3 two-year-olds, 1 four-year old, 3 five-year olds and 3 seven-year olds.

CORRECTIVE MEASURES

CORRECTIVE MEASURE	COMPLETED (Y/N)	COMPLETED DATE
All staff and volunteers of Magical Moments Childcare shall read the licensing rules pertaining to staff/child ratios and submit a signed statement that they had read and understand those rules.	Yes	5/4/2023

DISPOSITION	DISPOSITION DATE
SUBSTANTIATED	4/10/2022

APPROVING SUPERVISOR
CHRISCO, MARLA L