



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

COMPLAINT INVESTIGATION OF
SUBSTANTIATED STATUTE OR RULE VIOLATIONS

DATE OF REPORT
6/5/2018

DVN
002157348

FACILITY NAME

OCEANS OF FUN

FACILITY ADDRESS

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CITY

KANSAS CITY

ZIP CODE

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COUNTY

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ASSIGNED SPECIALIST

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RULE/STATUTE VIOLATION(S)

VIOLATION(S)

19 CSR 30-61.175 (1)(A)(1)

Child care providers shall not leave any child without competent adult supervision.

19 CSR 30-61.175 (1)(A)(3)

Caregivers shall provide frequent, direct contact so children are not routinely left unobserved on the premises.

19 CSR 30-61.185 (5)(A)

In case of accident or injury to a child, the provider shall notify the parent's immediately. If the child requires emergency medical care, the provider shall follow the parent's written instructions.

19 CSR 30-61.185 (5)(B)

Information regarding the date and circumstance of any accident or injury shall be noted in the child's record.

19 CSR 30-61.105 (1)(D)

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

CONCLUSION SUMMARY

Section for Child Care Regulation has determined this allegation is substantiated. On June 5, 2018 Care Facility Specialist (CCFS) Penny Snodgrass conducted an unannounced inspection at this home daycare. CCFS Snodgrass conducted an interview at the time of the inspection with provider, Christina Dahms. On June 6, 2018 CCFS Snodgrass conducted a telephone interview with the approved assistant, Katrina Vasquez. On June 6, 2018 CCFS Snodgrass conducted a telephone interview with Mother of Child A.

Based on interviews with provider, Christina Dahms; approved assistant, Katrina Vasquez and Mother of Child A this allegation is substantiated.

Christina Dahms and Katrina Vasquez both admitted that about two (2) months ago (unknown date) that Child A left the backyard of the daycare. Both admitted that they could not find Child A in the backyard and that is when they noticed that the gate was open. Katrina stated that she ran to the front of the house and that is when she saw Child A was chasing the dog and walking with an unknown neighbor man. Katrina stated that Child A and the neighbor man were up at the end of the street from Christina's house.

Child A was not supervised for an unknown amount of time but it is thought it was approximately three (3) minutes from when he left the backyard. Katrina Vasquez stated that Child A was at the end of the street on the same side of the street as Christina's house when he was found.

Both Christina Dahms and Katrina Vasquez stated that they did not fill out an incident report because they didn't know that they need to do so.

On June 5, 2018 Christina Dahms stated that she informed Mother of Child A on the day that Child A got out of the backyard and was unsupervised. On June 6, 2018 Mother of Child A stated that she was not informed about this incident until Christina Dahms called and told her by phone about the incident on the night of June 5, 2018. CCFS Snodgrass re-interviewed Christina Dahms on June 6, 2018 about when she informed Mother of Child A about the incident and she stated she didn't tell me that she informed Mother of Child A on the date of the incident. On June 5, 2018 not only did Christina Dahms inform CCFS Snodgrass

that she did tell the Mother of Child A about the incident on the day that it occurred she also stated that Mother of Child A was surprised, upset but understanding of the incident.

CORRECTIVE MEASURES

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Christina Dahms and Katrina Vasquez will both take two (2) hours of MO Workshop Calendar approved training on supervision. Certification of the training will be submitted to CCFS Snodgrass by July 20, 2018.

COMPLETED (Y/N)

Yes

COMPLETED DATE

11/27/2018

CORRECTIVE MEASURE

Christina Dahms and Katrina Vasquez will take the online training that is on the department website titled: Licensing Rule Review. Certification will be sent to CCFS Snodgrass by July 20, 2018.

COMPLETED (Y/N)

Yes

COMPLETED DATE

11/27/2018

DISPOSITION

SUBSTANTIATED

DISPOSITION DATE

7/12/2018

APPROVING SUPERVISOR

TAYLOR, WANDA ILENE