



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

COMPLAINT INVESTIGATION OF
SUBSTANTIATED STATUTE OR RULE VIOLATIONS

DATE OF REPORT
11/16/2018

DVN
002081036

FACILITY NAME

THE GODDARD SCHOOL

FACILITY ADDRESS

1633 KEHRS MILL RD

CITY

CHESTERFIELD

ZIP CODE

63005

PHONE NUMBER

(636) 519-0808

COUNTY

ST LOUIS

ASSIGNED SPECIALIST

TRUESDALE, MICHELLE (SHELLEY)

RULE/STATUTE VIOLATION(S)

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19 CSR 30-62.092 (1)(B)(2)(A)

An individually assigned crib, portable crib or playpen shall be provided and used for each infant and toddler. Stack cribs shall not be used.

19 CSR 30-62.092 (1)(B)(2)(B)

With written parental consent on file, cots may be used for napping or sleeping for toddlers twelve (12) months and older.

CONCLUSION SUMMARY

The allegation that the facility allowed a child under the age of twelve months to sleep on a cot is substantiated based on CCFS Truesdale's interview on November 27, 2018 with the facility director, Christine Smith, who stated that a child under the age of twelve months was allowed to sleep on a cot because she was unwilling to sleep in a crib.

During the investigation on November 27, 2018 CCFS Truesdale also observed that:

- There were seven toddlers, children A - G, in the Chipmunk room and all of them were sleeping on cots.
- Of the eight children currently enrolled in the Chipmunk room, only two, Child G and Child H, have written parental permission to sleep on a cot.

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All infant/toddler staff and administrative staff shall review the facility's safe sleep policy and sign a statement that they have reviewed the policy and agree to comply with the policy at all times and shall submit a copy of the signatures to SCCR/CCFS Shelley Truesdale by 1/31/2019.

COMPLETED (Y/N)

Yes

COMPLETED DATE

1/16/2019

CORRECTIVE MEASURE

All infant/toddler staff and administrative staff shall review the rule 19 CSR 30-62.092(1)(B)2.B regarding parental consent to sleep on cots. Staff shall review and sign a statement that they agree to adhere to this rule and shall submit a copy of the signatures to SCCR/CCFS Shelley Truesdale by 1/31/2019.

COMPLETED (Y/N)

Yes

COMPLETED DATE

1/16/2019

DISPOSITION

SUBSTANTIATED

DISPOSITION DATE

1/15/2019

APPROVING SUPERVISOR

SMITH, NANCY