



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

COMPLAINT INVESTIGATION OF
SUBSTANTIATED STATUTE OR RULE VIOLATIONS

DATE OF REPORT
12/6/2021

DVN
002870728

FACILITY NAME

BRIGHT BEGINNINGS ACADEMY EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER, LLC

FACILITY ADDRESS

305 PARK LN

CITY

ODESSA

ZIP CODE

64076-1669

PHONE NUMBER

(816) 263-1735

COUNTY

LAFAYETTE

ASSIGNED SPECIALIST

IBBOTSON, JESSICA

RULE/STATUTE VIOLATION(S)

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5 CSR 25-500.082(2)(A)2.

Open windows and doors shall be screened securely. Barriers to prevent children from falling against windows or falling from windows shall be provided when windows are less than twenty-four inches (24") from the floor and not constructed of safety glass or other nonbreakable material.

CONCLUSION SUMMARY

Compliance Inspector (CI) Jessica Glover and Compliance Inspection Supervisor (CIS) Crystal Heiser conducted an unannounced investigation of the allegation that Ms. Victoria has opened her classroom window without a screen. The allegation is substantiated based on the following evidence:

On December 14, 2021, Director Rayna Young stated there is no screen on the window of Ms. Victoria's classroom. She told Ms. Victoria is was okay to open the window even though there was no screen.

On December 14, 2021, caregiver Victoria Blakeman stated she has opened the window without a screen in the classroom. She does this to create a breeze in the room.

CORRECTIVE MEASURES

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The facility shall notify all staff members of the violations which were substantiated, and specify the actions to be taken by all staff in order to comply with all licensing violations cited. A copy of the memo, letter, or staff meeting agenda(s) shall be submitted to the Office of Childhood.

COMPLETED (Y/N)

Yes

COMPLETED DATE

1/20/2023

DISPOSITION

SUBSTANTIATED

DISPOSITION DATE

2/4/2022

APPROVING SUPERVISOR

NURNBERG, TONY A