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Statement of Deficiencies

5312-E.1: CPR Not Met

5312.E.1. A minimum of at least 50 percent of all staff on the premises and accessible to the children at all times shall have documentation of current infant/child/adult certification in CPR. Original cards shall be made available upon request. This training shall be approved by the Department of Social Services prior to acceptance.

Finding:

7312.E.1. The Provider did not have documentation that at least fifty percent (50%) of all staff on the premises and accessible to the children have current approved Infant/Child/Adult certification in CPR. [2] of [6] staff had documentation of this certification.

5312-E.3: PFA Not Met

5312.E.3. A minimum of at least 50 percent of all staff on the premises and accessible to children shall have documentation of current pediatric first aid certification. Original cards shall be made available upon request. This certification shall be approved by the Department of Social Services prior to acceptance.

Finding:

7312.E.3. The Provider did not have documentation that at least 50 percent of the staff on the premises and accessible to children at all times has current approved Pediatric First Aid training. [2] of [6] staff had documentation of this certification.

5315-A: Child-to-Staff Ratio Not Met

5315.A. Child/staff ratios are established to ensure the safety of all children. Only those staff members directly involved in child care and supervision shall be considered in assessing child/staff ratio. Child/staff ratios shall be met at all times as the number of children supervised by one staff person shall not exceed the ratios as indicated below; however, there shall always be a minimum of two child care staff present during hours of operation when children are present:

Ages of Children	Child/Staff Ratio
Infants under 12 months	5:1
One year old	7:1
Two year old	11:1
Three year old	13:1
Four year old	15:1
Five year old	19:1
Six year old and up	23:1

An average of the child/staff ratio may be applied to mixed groups of children ages two, three, four, and five. Ratios for children under two or over five years old are excluded from averaging. When a mixed group includes children less than two years of age, the age of the youngest child determines the ratio for the group to which the youngest child is assigned. When a mixed group includes children both older and younger than six years old and older, the ages of the children less than six determine the ratio for the group. During naptime, required staffing shall be present in the center to satisfy child/staff ratios.

Finding:

7315.A. The provider did not have the required staffing present in the center during naptime to satisfy child/staff ratio as evidenced by [13] children age [2 years] present with [1] staff. An additional staff member arrived when specialist arrived at the center correcting child/staff ratios in the 2 year old classroom. The additional staff member was not in the building or on the premises when specialist arrived.