

Statement of Deficiencies

1901-P: Staff Personal Belongings

Not Met

1901-P: The personal belongings of center staff members shall be inaccessible to children.

Finding:

1901-P Based on observations: The personal belongings of center staff members were accessible to children. Licensing Specialist observed a cell phone sitting on the window sill in S9's classroom and S13 purse was observed sitting on a table occupied by four five-six years old children.

1907-E.2: Cribs Free of Toys and Other Soft or Loose Bedding

Not Met

1907-E.2: Cribs shall be free of toys and other soft or loose bedding, including comforters, blankets, sheets, bumper pads, pillows, stuffed animals and wedges when the child is in the crib.

Finding:

1907-E.2 Based on observations: The center's cribs were not free of toys (including stuffed animals) while a child was in the crib as evidenced by Licensing Specialist observed an infant in a crib with a stuffed animal next to him.

1909-B: Infants Placed on Backs for Sleeping

Not Met

1909-B: All infants shall be placed on their backs for sleeping.

1. Written authorization from a physician is required for any other sleeping position.
2. Written notice of the specifically authorized sleeping position shall be posted on or near the crib.

Finding:

1909-B Based on observations: All of the infants were not placed on their backs for sleeping as Licensing Specialist observed one infant sleeping in a swing at 2:03pm. Licensing Specialist notified S6 that if an infant falls asleep in the swing they need to be transitioned to a crib. Licensing Specialist returned to the classroom at 2:17pm and observed the same infant asleep in the swing.

1911-K: Hand Washing

Not Met

1911-K: Staff and children shall wash their hands using soap at least at the following times: upon arrival at the center, before preparing or serving meals, before giving medication, after playing in water used by more than one person, after toileting, after helping a child use a toilet or changing diapers, after wiping noses or cleaning wounds, after handling pets and other animals, after playing in sandboxes, before eating meals or snacks, upon coming in from outdoors, after cleaning or handling garbage and anytime hands become soiled with body fluids, such as urine, saliva, blood or nasal discharge.

Finding:

1911-K Based on observations: Children did not wash their hands with soap as needed. Licensing Specialist observed that children did not wash their hands before eating their afternoon snack.