

## ***Statement of Deficiencies***

### **1713.G.: Restrooms - Supervision**

**Not Met**

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1. Children who are developmentally able may be permitted to go to the restroom independently at an early learning center, provided that:
  - a. A staff member is in proximity to the children to ensure immediate intervention to safeguard a child from harm while in the restroom; and
  - b. Individuals who are not staff members may not enter the center restroom area while in use by any child other than their own child.
2. A child age 4 and older may be permitted to go and return from the restroom without staff.

#### **Finding:**

Based on observations at 9:50 a.m., S13 allowed a three-year-old child to go and return from the restroom independently without staff. Specialist observed a small male child in the restroom of Building #2 alone with no staff near the restroom. S13 stated the child was three-years-old and belonged to her classroom.

Corrective Action Plan: S1 stated she will advise staff to ensure the restroom attendant is used to take children to and from the restroom. When the restroom attendant is not available, staff will contact office staff for assistance to ensure this deficiency is not cited again.

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